



THE ENLIGHT'NER

April 2021 NEWSLETTER

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Our club sponsor is: Rallye Auto Sales, 1010 Old Highway 99 North Rd, Burlington, WA 98233. (360)757-7770. <https://rallyeauto.com/>

Club Supporters are: Corvette Alley, 1103 – 23rd St., Anacortes, WA 98221. (360) 299-9303

Village Pizza, 807 Commercial Ave., Anacortes, WA 98221. (360) 293-7847 or 293-8009

2020 CLUB OFFICERS

PRESIDENT----- LINDA GILBERT
 VICE-PRESIDENT----- SANDY RUCH
 SECRETARY----- KRISTIE SWEET
 TREASURER----- DOUG GILBERT

APPOINTED POSITIONS

Activities----- All Members
 Web Master----- Bill Amman
 Statistician----- Bill Ruch
 Car Shows----- Open
 Elections----- Karen Amman
 Newsletter Editor----- John Lucke
 Membership----- Kristie Sweet
 Sergeant at Arms----- Bryan Pierson
 PAO----- Bill Amman

MEETING SCHEDULE:

April 27, 7:00pm Village Pizza, Anacortes

ACTIVITY SCHEDULE:

OTHER ACTIVITIES:

Activities may be curtailed due to the Covid please check with the responsible parties.

April Birthdays

2	Chad Little	16	Sherry Brickner
4	Gene Hitt	21	Jack Duncan
11	Ron Wagner	24	John Hertog
11	Susan Yahns	27	John Phillips
15	Kristie Sweet	30	Joann Carmen

April Anniversaries

5	Dennis & Dalene Somerville
8	Tom & Madeline Norman
29	Mel & Linda Paul

MGCC Announcements:

From the President, Our first meeting will be Tuesday, April 27th @ 7:00 pm! Location: Village Pizza in Anacortes. We are so excited to see you all.

***Please follow restaurant and state policies/procedures for Covid-19.**

This will be my last issue of the newsletter. The club needs a volunteer to take on the publication. Templates for the newsletter, mail cover letters for those mailed, etc. will be available. John Lucke, Newsletter Editor

ALL club activities are cancelled until further notice.

Any events will be planned to maintain proper distancing and please bring your mask.

Blast from the *Past*:

Minutes of March 13, 2001 Meeting at Round Table Pizza

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 pm by the president.

Members in attendance were: Jim & June Reed, Doug & Linda Gilbert, Dave Overton, Rita Nelson, Ron & Linda Telles, Ron & Anita Foster, Bill & Barb Strowbridge, Tim Bahnsen, Joanne Olson, Dick Shafer, Kevin Humann, Leo & Penny Fix, Tom & Pam Gardner, Ken Noltensmeyer, Guests: Gerry Allen and Mike Beardsley

The minutes of the February 27, 2001 meeting were reviewed and accepted with the following corrections: 4 minutes 05 seconds average length of stay on the website.

The Treasurers report was given.

OLD BUSINESS:

Update on membership: 65 currently. Web page: 10,478 hits so far. Average length of stay on website: 3 minutes 39 seconds. Average hits per day: 7. 418 hits since Jan 12th.

Kevin discussed several options for membership cards: club logo with member's names, pictures of members, picture of car, or just names on front of card. Examples of various formats were passed around to find out club's preference.

Linda gave activity report for upcoming events: March 17th - St. Patrick's Day party at Randy's.

Minutes of March 13, 2001 Meeting at Round Table Pizza (continued)

March 31st Smittys Show & Shine car show at Frontier Chevrolet in Oak Harbor. April 5-9 Oregon Coast trip. April 22nd - Brunch at CPO Club in Oak Harbor 10:30. May 6th - Trailer Day at Reeds. May 19th - Anacortes Waterfront Festival "All Corvette" Car Show. June 22-24th - Lake Chelan trip. May 27th - Vancouver bus trip. Lunch and tour on one of the Holland America ships.

NEW BUSINESS:

Edgar's (club mascot) disappearance was discussed. Reward may be posted. b. Tom Gardner announced that Roy Robinson had a red Z06 for sale. Jim has info for anyone that may be interested in a Dual Cup holder for C5s.

C. J. Reed Harlow from North Cascade Street Rods is involved with the WA Car Club Council. There is an upcoming meeting at the Farmhouse on March 31st, 8:00 if anyone is interested in attending. d. Jim discussed upcoming events and activities from various car clubs. e. Bill Strowbridge encouraged anyone who will be participating in the Navajo Indian trip in August to make reservations now. Contact Bill if you need the names and phone numbers.

The next meeting will be at Village Pizza on March 27, 2001. There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:22 pm. Pam Gardner won "Joker Up

Minutes of March 27, 2001 Meeting at Village Pizza (continued)

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Members in attendance were: Jim Reed, Doug & Linda Gilbert, Dave Overton, Rita Nelson, Ron & Linda Telles, Joanne Olson. Paul & Julia Kellogg, Ken Noltensmeyer Larry & Joyce Smith, Ande & Lucille Mitchelle, Kevin Humann, Leo & Penny Fix, Susan Kellogg, Jacob & Kristi

Angel, Frank & Maureen DePuy, Ray Laplante, Guest: Gerry Allen. The minutes of the March 13, 2001 meeting were reviewed and accepted as presented. The Treasurers report was provided.

OLD BUSINESS:

Update on membership: 66. Web page: We made it over the 10,500 mark so far. A lot of inquiries about our club has generated from this website.

Minutes of March 27, 2001 Meeting at Round Table Pizza (continued)

Linda gave activity report for upcoming events: March 31st - Smittys Show & Shine car show at Frontier Chevrolet in Oak Harbor. Sock Hop afterwards. April 5-9 Oregon Coast trip. MGCC All Club Brunch is on April 22nd. Tour of Whidbey Island afterwards. Trailer Work Day for upcoming car shows is May 6th at the Reeds. Brunch first, then work party. May 19th Anacortes Waterfront Festival "All Corvette" Car Show. Be there 7:00 a.m. sharp. May 20th - Anacortes Waterfront Festival Open Class Car Show. May 27th - Vancouver bus trip.

June 22 24th - Lake Chelan. There is one room available for anyone who is interested.

Update on Edgar's disappearance: FOE (Friends of Edgar) will be posting a reward for the safe return of Edgar.

NEW BUSINESS:

Jim welcomed new members Mike & Pat Beardsley.

Jim announced that club dues were coming up at the end of May.

Jim brought up upcoming events: Cannonball Run in Olympia WA on April 29th. Also a book will soon be published called "North American Corvette Shops Index 2001". d. Kevin is working on club membership cards.

The next meeting will be at Round Table Pizza on April 10, 2001.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:05 pm. Linda Gilbert won "Joker Up".

Corvette News:

Snowcar, The 2021 Chevy C8 Corvette Is the Ultimate Year-Round Daily Driver:

It's proven capable of sunny track days, snowy drift sessions, and hours of back road driving. Yet it's also the best daily driver sports car you can get for under six figures, as cushy as a Challenger but without the floaty vagueness. On the two-hour early morning trek to Monticello Motor Club it proved more than willing to shut off four of its cylinders, quiet down, and devour miles.

[.Read the full story](#)



Top Gear co-host Sabine Schmitz:

Top Gear co-host and German Nurburgring taxi driver Sabine Schmitz passed away this month of cancer at 51. She grew up at her parent's hotel next to the ring and first drove the track at 16. You can see below that she had fun and enjoyed scaring her BMW taxi passengers as she blew by Porsches on the Ring!



[Read the full story & watch the videos here](#)

Corvette Racing:

CORVETTE RACING Going Back to LeMans:

After having to withdraw from last year's race due to the COVID-19 pandemic that wreaked havoc on motorsport events worldwide, the racing variant of the Chevrolet Corvette C8 will finally get a chance to compete at the Circuit de la Sarthe this summer during the 2021 24 Hours of Le Mans, currently scheduled for Aug. 21-22.

Per the entry list, the No. 63 Corvette C8.R will be driven by American Jordan Taylor, Spanish racing driver Antonio Garcia, and New Zealander Nicky Catsburg. Meanwhile, the No. 64 machine will have American Tommy Milner and British racing drivers Nicholas Tandy and Alexander Sims behind the wheel.

[Read the full story here](#)



From the Kitchen:

Carrot Loaf Cake with Tangy Lemon Glaze

Ingredients

For the cake:

3/4 cup/180 milliliters neutral oil or mild olive oil,
plus more for greasing the pan

1 cup/225 grams packed light brown sugar

2 large eggs

1 teaspoon ground cinnamon

1/2 teaspoon ground cardamom

1 teaspoon kosher salt

1 3/4 cups/225 grams all-purpose flour

2 teaspoons baking powder

1/2 teaspoon baking soda

1 1/2 packed cups peeled and grated carrots (about 6 ounces/165 grams, from 3 medium carrots, add nuts, Raisins, pineapple, ginger to change it up)

For the glaze:

1 lemon

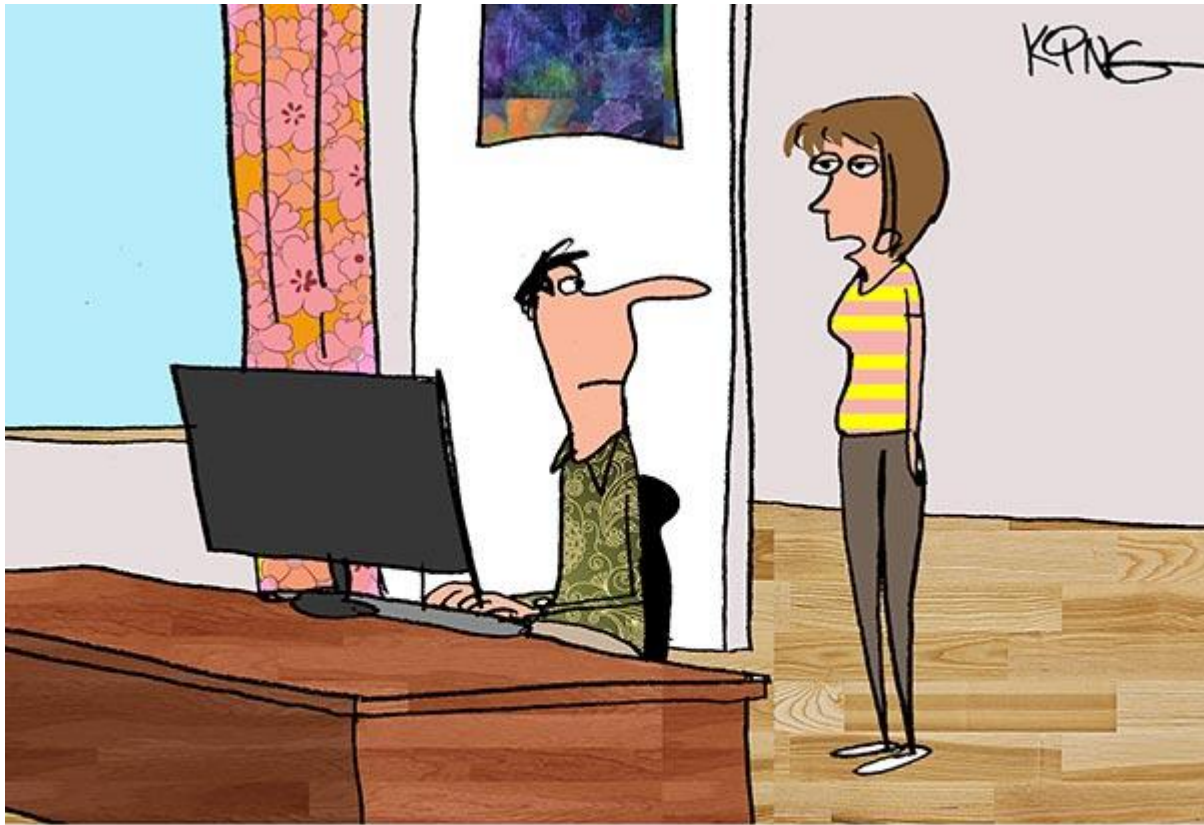
1 cup/100 grams powdered sugar

1 tablespoon finely grated carrot (optional)

Directions

1. Make the cake: Heat the oven to 350 degrees and set a rack in the center. Oil a 9-by-5-inch loaf pan and line it with a strip of parchment paper that hangs over the two long sides. Oil the paper, too.
2. Add the light brown sugar and eggs to a large bowl and whisk vigorously until pale in color, about 2 minutes. Add the oil, cinnamon, cardamom and salt. Whisk until well combined and smooth.
3. Add the flour, baking powder and baking soda, and whisk, starting slowly to incorporate the flour without spilling it, until well combined and smooth, switching to a rubber spatula if necessary. Fold in the grated carrots. The batter will be very thick.
4. Scrape the batter into the prepared pan and smooth the top. Tap the pan on the counter a few times to remove any big air bubbles.
5. Bake the cake until golden and puffed and a tester inserted into the center comes out clean, 50 to 60 minutes. Set the pan on a rack to cool for 10 minutes. After 10 minutes, use the parchment paper to lift the cake out of the pan and set on the rack over a baking sheet to cool completely.
6. When the cake is cool, make the glaze: Finely zest the lemon into a medium bowl. Juice the lemon, and set aside lemon juice. Add the powdered sugar and finely grated carrot (if using) to the bowl with the zest, along with 4 teaspoons of the lemon juice. Whisk vigorously until smooth. Add more lemon juice as needed to make a thick but pourable glaze. Pour the glaze over the cooled cake and let it set for a few minutes before slicing. Store the cake well wrapped at room temperature for 3 to 4 days.





“Our neighbor is at the door.
You only washed your Corvette 5 days
this week, so he’s concerned.”

I am sure the two-day lapse was weather-related.

[For more comics click here](#)

Please check <http://www.majesticglass.org/> for more event information.

April 2021

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
28	29	30	31	Apr 1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13 ● 7pm Club Meeting Mount Vernon	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24 Walk of Holy Cross Rotary Park, Oak Harbor
25	26	27 ● 7pm Club Meeting Village Pizza	28	29	30	May 1



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SAVE THE WAVE!