

## RMD Report to Blue Bars

Hope everyone is having a fun summer with your Corvettes! We are looking forward to Tulsa 2008 Convention. It will be over by the time you receive this report. I am sure those that attended will have had a great time. The lineup of party's and events, especially Route 66 sounds super. Thank you to all who worked hard to put this Convention on. Next year the 2009 Convention will be in Colorado Springs. As always, we have a few new members sign up who want to join in the fun at Convention. We had an increase of 69 members since February giving us a total membership of 1562. I hope that now our Corvette season is under way that we will be able to add many more members. So, while you are out cruising keep your eyes open for new prospects. Also, don't forget to sign up children to FCOA. We only increased our FCOA membership by two taking in consideration a decrease of 6 who have reached the age of 16. Take advantage of those 16 year olds and sign them up as new dependent members. It only costs \$10 per year. We don't want to lose them between the age of 15 (FCOA) and when they can be owning their own Corvette. You can find information on FCOA within this Blue Bars or on the web site. Also, the West Region gives out scholarships to members children and grandchildren. Check out the West Region web site for more information or contact me at my e-mail address. We will award the scholarships at our September West Region meeting. Applicants who win the National scholarship will not be eligible for the West Region scholarship otherwise there are no other requirements. If you have friends that belong to a Corvette Club but the Club is not NCCC, explain the advantages of being an NCCC member (other than the insurance). You will find there are a lot of exciting events put on by other clubs in other Regions. It's also nice to know that when you are out traveling, you have a great resource of fellow "vetters" who will be more than happy to come to your aid if you are in need of anything. Join NCCC! Be a part of the camaraderie with people who have an enthusiasm for America's greatest sports car, The Corvette. Happy Corvetting! Hope to see you out and about this summer.

PS: I am finishing my last year as WR RMD. WR by-laws have term limits of four years. If anyone is interested in this job, please contact me at my e-mail address or phone no. Nominations have to be in to Kathy our WR Secretary by the September Governor's meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

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