

February Newsletter

News:

The cold weather arrived late this year, but really came in strong. Members have been busy keeping the heat going to complete their winter projects. For those members working hard all winter don't forget to send in some photos of your 'work in progress'. If you do something you'd like to see mentioned in the newsletter, let us know and send in a photo or two.

Rob Mirabile and Art Capelle attended the President's Council meeting. This is a meeting of the executive staff of all Long Island Car Clubs, to schedule events for the season. This year's meeting was the first for Long Island Chevilles and we were given a warm welcome. We also met the guys from Motor-Mouth Radio at the meeting. They do a weekly auto related radio show on 90.3FM Sundays Noon to 1PM. Check out their website at www.motormouthradio.com.

Our new club website is up and Allan is constantly updating. You'll also notice the new photo galleries are up. If you have photos, event reviews, or article submissions for the website please send them in. To register for the classifieds, members should contact the webmaster for the registration link. Non-members may also place classifieds by following the link in the classified section. Both Members and Non-Members should keep their ads up-to-date by editing and removing when changed or sold.

The Members Only Section is currently in testing and should be available to the membership in the next week. In the future it will have info and short 'bio's' with information about our members. We'll also have a 'Member Services' section where members can offer goods and services to other members. When the Members Section is ready, Club Members will receive an E-Mail with the log-in information. Please Note: only members who are up-to-date in their dues requirement will receive the log-in information.

We have began working on and updating the events and cruise-ins sections of the website. Members offered some suggestions at the January Meeting and those have been added. If you'd like to see any events added contact the club with the relevant info. Cruise-ins will be added as the dates, times and locations are made public. Our own Commerce Bank Cruise will begin the Sunday after Easter in Mineola.

We are pleased to announce a new sponsor to Long Island Chevilles. Our newest member, Thomas Kazanji is the owner of Redz Auto Restoration. Thomas' shop covers basic body repair all the way to Ultra High End Restorations. Thomas will offer special pricing to club members and in speaking with him he stated, "I would be happy to share my opinions and knowledge of restoring cars for the past 28 years [with club members]. [Recently], A 1963 Ferrari GT250 California-Spyder I had finished this past summer scored 100 pts at Pebble Beach 2006, yes that's unheard of but I am still open to learning. I don't know everything but I do know a lot, and my workmanship proves it as well as

my clientele. By the way, to anyone checking out my web site it's at www.redzautore restoration.com. I also have full transportation service all around the country for any type of work needed. Recently just sent a car I had received from California that a tree had fallen on. The owner would not send it anywhere except to my shop. I also just finished some minor touch-up work on Dan Gurney's 1966 Ford GT40 original and un-restored up from Florida."

Member Dues:

Thanks to all the members who have paid their dues on time. Members, who are late, please send in the proper amount. Any members delinquent in their dues will receive a postcard in the mail as a reminder. Members who are delinquent in their dues will be given amnesty and can pay up in the next week or be removed from the roster.

Long Island Chevelles TV:

As we enter the winter months and are limited in the amount of footage we can tape, LICTV will air reruns on both its channels. We will continue to add shows to [Google Video](#) and [You-Tube](#) until all the episodes are available on-line. More recently we have completed the production of the Chevell~abration DVD set. A specially edited DVD set with over 3 ½ hours of footage from the [10th Anniversary, Chevell~abration 2006 event](#). Ordering info can be found at [Long Island Chevelles](#), [Team Chevelle](#), or by calling the American Chevelle Enthusiasts Society at 615-643-2237, 7-11PM central time, weeknights. The DVD will also be available for purchase at East Coast Chevelle's showroom. A portion of the proceeds will benefit the Cameron Hanson Memorial Fund.

Feature Car:

Long Island Chevelles is on the search for our next feature car. We are looking for cars that are completed, have a great background story, and are owned by members of the club. If you think your car and the story behind it, is worthy of a [Long Island Chevelles Feature](#), send in a few photos and a paragraph or two.

East Coast Chevelle:

Our main sponsor, East Cost Chevelle has hosted the last two meetings. We would like to offer our thanks and appreciation. East Coast is now stocking club merchandise as well. You can pick up Shirts, Sweatshirts, and DVD's at the East Coast Chevelle Showroom.

February Meeting:

The February Meeting will be held on Sunday February 25 at 7:30 PM. The meeting will be at Dr. Drew Performance, 130 Railroad Street, Huntington Station, NY. The sign on the building will read "TKX Performance"

Directions:

From West: Northern Pkwy or LIE to Rt 135 North to Rt 25 East (Jericho Tkpe)

From East: Rt 110 North to Jericho Tkpe West (left)

- Turn at Oakwood Rd (Exxon & Valero gas stations)
- Proceed over railroad tracks make next right at West 11th street (Huntington Chevy)
- Make next left at Railroad Street (if you go over Tracks again you missed the turn) on the right after stop sign.
- TKX Performance is the sign on the building (Next to Max Custom Graphics)

An e-mail notification will be sent as well as a posting on the club website and [Team Chevelle](#).

Keep Spreading The Word...

Long Island Chevelles *“Bringing the hobbyist back to the hobby”*