

July Newsletter

Meeting Re-Cap

Last month's meeting was once again held at our 'home' in Deer Park. Our major club sponsor, [East Coast Chevelle](#) once again pulled through and hosted yet another meeting. Special thanks to Dave and the gang at East Coast: for proving the venue, dinner, and give-a-ways. Discussed at the meeting were past events like Chevell~abration 2007 and the North-East Regional. We also discussed future organized club cruises and our own events such as Drag Day and the Family BBQ; Read-on in the newsletter for specific details. Following the meeting, most of the members hung around for some 'bench racing' and shopping at East Coast. The hard luck award went to member Ray Newcomb for the leaky fuel line in his Corvette. Big thanks to Art Capelle for lying in gasoline and getting Ray going with a temporary repair.



When shopping for restoration parts remember to support those who support us and give a call over to East Coast Chevelle for all your GM Muscle car needs including Camaro and Nova parts as well and other GM A-Body parts... Like us; not just Chevelles!

Events

- Over the last month, members of Long Island Chevelles attended 2 regional events. Chevell~abration 2007, held near Nashville was outstanding as always. This year's 11th Anniversary event topped last year. Member Bill Burke, along with his wife Anne won ACES' highest honor, receiving the Cameron Hanson Humanitarian Award. Watch for the emotional awards presentation in an upcoming episode on LIC-TV.



- Also attended, was the ACES Northeast Regional in Maryland. A picturesque venue, great people, and a top-notch club created their best show ever as the Maryland Chevelle Club hosted its 20th Anniversary Show.



- Our own Commerce Bank Sunday Cruise, off to a slow start this year as Mother & Father's Days and school graduations have kept the Chevell'ers committed elsewhere. We are hoping that after Independence Day, the cruise will pick up, as it's a great way to end a weekend. We'll keep everyone posted on the Commerce Cruise with e-mail updates and reminders.

- Long Island Chevelles day at the drags is Wednesday September 19. Interested members can contact [Art Capelle](#) for travel & ticket info. **There are only a few open spots left and all participants must be paid in full by July 13.** Members with tech questions or track questions should contact member [Ray DeAngelis](#). The event will include a full day of timed 'Test & Tune' racing and a BBQ lunch. It's a perfect opportunity for beginners and experienced racers to practice in a



stress free environment. It is also a great way to properly tune your ride for best performance. We'll also have the video and still cameras out for some special shots of member's cars. **Space is limited**, so click on over to the [members section](#) for details.

- Member Allan Caproruscio has set up our annual club **Family Day-BBQ**. The event will be held Belmont Lake State Park on August 25, 2007. We encourage all members to attend with their families and friends. Allan is in need of some club members to get this off the ground. Volunteers are needed to organize the food, activities, kid's games, prizes, and other aspects to make this a memorable

event fun for the whole family. If you are able to help out in this important day please send an e-mail to Club President, [Rob Mirabile](#) with your contact info.

- **Cruise-Ins:** We will be attending many of the major cruises this summer as a club. The cruises will be announced via e-mail with a 1-2 week lead-time. We encourage all members to take part in the cruises. Last year; members, wives, and children had a great time getting to know each other at these events. Many of the cruises offer food, entertainment, and recreation along with hundreds of beautiful classics. Keep an eye on your inbox for details.

Northern Chevelle Gathering, July 6-8, 2007 Grand Island (Niagara Falls), NY

- This 5th Annual event promises to be spectacular as always. The former ACES Northern Regional is now the Northern Chevelle Gathering hosted by the Can-Am Chevelle Club. Chevelles and Beaumonts from both sides of the border assemble each year for this event. Just minutes from Niagara Falls it's a great way to spend a weekend or make it an extended trip with the whole family. For details, click on the Can-Am Chevelle Club link [HERE](#).



ACES 5th Annual Northern Regional, July 20-22, 2007 Hudson (Cleveland), OH.

- This year's Northern Regional is a new location and is being hosted by the Northern Ohio Chevelle Club. A festival like atmosphere, this show is chock-full of activities. Cruise to Summit and the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, take part in the activities and events planned or just admire the classics. Several club members have already made plans to get there early and spend a week on vacation with the whole family. For info and details visit [Team Chevelle](#).

If you're thinking about attending an out of town event, visit the website for registration and hotel information. Make your reservations now as the host hotels will fill up fast. If you're not sure, make the reservation anyway, as you could always cancel if it doesn't work out. For more information about these events e-mail the club and/or visit [TeamChevelle.com](#). If you have troubles getting a reservation, immediately contact the club at info@longislandchevelles.com and we'll try to help you out.

Our calendar is filling fast so if you know of an event or cruise that you'd like to see the club attend please send an e-mail to info@LongIslandChevelles.com

Club Merchandise

- Member [Joe Dombal](#) has fully stocked the club store. Below you will find a list of items available for purchase. Joe will also be putting together a Jacket order for late August. If you're interested in ordering a jacket or other clothing; contact Joe for information.
- New Indigo Blue Club T-Shirts, Gray Club Sweatshirts, Baseball Caps



- Member [Dom Magnone](#) has ordered in a new batch of Long Island Chevelles stickers. Now available in the original 24 inch length and a new 'shorty' sticker. Contact Dom for information.
- Member [Art Capelle](#) will be ordering club Polo/Golf Shirts. The special purchase embroidered shirts are a great way to showcase the club logo. Contact Art for information. These shirts must be pre-paid and are special order only and will not be stocked in the club store.
- Chevell~abration 2006 DVD has just entered its final production run. The 3 ½ hour presentation covering the show will only be available for a limited time. Click on over to [Team Chevelle](#) for ordering information, reviews, and comments.

Presidents Message

I'd like to encourage the membership to get involved in the club. Attending meetings, shows, and cruises is just the beginning. If any members know of a show, cruise or event that they feel the membership would enjoy and take part in please let us know. We'll send out the word and attend as a club. Events like Drag Day and the Family BBQ are planned by the members for the members. Get involved; even if your car isn't done or if you're still looking to buy your classic...remember it's about the people.



East Coast Chevelle

All members are encouraged to visit Dave at East Coast Chevelle. Specials for Long Island Chevellers members are running now. Look for special purchase items from East Coast in your e-mail inbox. From factory replacement to aftermarket add-ons you'll find what you need at East Coast.

July Meeting

The July meeting has not been set as of the publication of this newsletter. We are trying to complete the details for an informative 'tech-session' meeting. The meeting should be scheduled for the end of July and we'll announce it as soon as the details are in. Check our [Home Page](#) for date/time/location (when available) and look for an e-mail notification.

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Long Island Chevellers *"Bringing the hobbyist back to the hobby"*