

September Newsletter

Family Day-BBQ

Members Allan, Jay, and Arty did a fantastic job this year as our Family Day/BBQ Committee. This Second Annual BBQ was an outstanding success. Perfect weather, a fantastic location, and loads of Chevelle Children set the stage for our best BBQ yet. If you missed it, don't worry, there is always next year as this event was such a success we'll set the 2008 date early so all can plan ahead. Look for lots of pictures coming soon on the website.

SPECIAL THANKS to Bruce, Jodi, and Shane Ekberg. They generously donated their house, yard, tents, water slide, and bouncy house for the party. They supplied food, manned the grill, and did their best to make sure all who attended had a good time. The Ekberg clan put forth a tremendous effort to make this a special day. It is with our deepest feeling that we thank the Ekbergs for a job well done. They exemplify what Long Island Chevelles is all about, opening their



home and helping to make this club friendly for not just the members but for the families and children as well. All members should take notice of the example set by the Ekbergs, they've done it in the past, they did it this year, and I'm sure the future will be no different.

Meeting Re-Cap

Last month's meeting was held at our official club gathering place, East Coast Chevelle.



Discussed at the meeting were past events like The Family Day/BBQ and future events like Rhinebeck 2007 and Drag Day. Also discussed was the formation of an entertainment committee to look into a Holiday Party and future plans for some technical workshops. Following the meeting, most of the members hung around for some 'bench racing' and some dinner. 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...

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Events, Plans, and Information

- Drag Day is September 19, 2007. Contact [Art Capelle](#) for travel & ticket info. Racers and spectators welcome
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- Rhinebeck 2007 is September 14, 15, 16, 2007. Contact [Shane Ekberg](#) for travel and show info. This is a large show that most will enjoy. Shane has been attending for several years and it's definitely worth the trip. Some members will be making it a day trip on Saturday and some will be staying overnight. Very possible the last large-scale event of 2007. Drag Day is September 19, 2007. Contact [Art Capelle](#) for travel & ticket info. Racers and spectators welcome
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- Entertainment Committee: Members interested in being part of the entertainment committee to plan a holiday party should e-mail info@longislandchevelles.com for details.
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- Anyone who would like to set up Technical workshops should contact [Art Capelle](#) for scheduling details.



Club Merchandise

- Member [Joe Dombal](#) has fully stocked the club store. Joe will also be putting together a Jacket order for the fall. If you're interested in ordering a jacket or other clothing; contact Joe for information.



- Now Available: New Indigo Blue Club T-Shirts, Gray Club Sweatshirts, Baseball Caps, and Long Island Chevelles stickers available in the original 24-inch length and a new 'shorty' sticker. COMING SOON: Long Island Chevelles Logo Stickers!!!!

- 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.

Presidents Message

On behalf of the members of The Long Island Chevelles Car Club, I would like to offer our deepest condolences to member Louis Garcia. Louis' mom passed away last month. She was a special 'Chevelle Mom' as she was the original owner of the Chevelle that Louis still drives today.

I would also like to offer my personal thanks to the Ekberg Family for all their help and support in this years' family day. You guys are something else and it would not have been possible without your help. Including Shane's friend, who always helps out but I can never remember his name. He's got one nice Nova...should be a member...hint/hint.



Lastly a very special Happy Birthday, Sweet Sixteen to Joanna Dombal. She's got a permit now so its time to shop for a Chevelle. I think a nice budget driver 71 or 72 4-door would be a perfect first car. A mild small block with a throaty exhaust and a nice set of wheels and she'll be the talk of the town!!!



East Coast Chevelle SPECIALS!!!!

All members are encouraged to visit Dave at [East Coast Chevelle](#). Specials for Long Island Chevelles 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.

September Meeting

The September meeting has not been set as of the publication of this newsletter. We are trying to complete the details for a morning breakfast cruise meeting. The meeting should be scheduled for the end of September 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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