



## Arizona Competition Corvettes Standing Rules

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**Background.** Standing Rules are the procedures of Arizona Competition Corvettes (ACC), including general policy statements that are not included in the By-Laws. They cannot be in conflict with the By-Laws, which always take precedence over the Standing Rules. Unlike By-Laws, Standing Rules unless otherwise stated, can be changed or amended at any ACC meeting, with a two-thirds vote of the members present.

**Membership Dues** – Annual membership dues, by class of membership, are:

1. Annual Dues
  - Family Membership \$80.00
  - Primary Member (single) \$55.00
  - Dependent member (each) \$30.00
  - Current NCCC Life Member (each) \$25.00
2. Reciprocal Member (NCCC member of another club)
  - a. Primary (paid any time) - \$40.00
  - b. Family membership (paid any time) \$50.00

**Fiscal Responsibility** – ACC will endeavor to maintain a cash-on-hand balance of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00). This amount is sufficient to cover expenses for a cancelled event and is necessary to preclude ACC's inability to satisfy obligations.

1. Once the target \$2,000.00 balance is achieved and further income is generated, ACC will develop a plan to repay its initial investors for expenses related to acquisition of fixed assets. A payment plan will be approved by the general membership and administered by the Treasurer.
2. After all asset-related debts are fully repaid; the general membership will select a charity, or charities, and determine a donation amount prior to the end of each fiscal year. Donations will be in amounts determined by the general membership, but in no case will reduce the club cash balance below the minimum requirement established in this Standing Rule.
3. ACC funds cannot be used by, or for the private benefit of, individual club members, or groups of club members. ACC funds can only be used for activities and expenses that are applicable to, and available to the entire membership.
4. ACC asset acquisitions must be approved by the general membership in advance. Under extenuating circumstances that are in the best interests of the club, the President may authorize expenses not to exceed four hundred dollars (\$400.00). In this instance, a full accounting, along with the justification of urgency, must be presented to the general membership at the next scheduled meeting.

**Sponsorship** – ACC will endeavor to maintain a mutually beneficial relationship with a sponsoring Maricopa County Chevrolet dealership.

1. ACC club reciprocation to a sponsoring dealer is limited to simple name display promotion and similar undertakings.
2. ACC will endeavor to obtain sponsor funding, full or partial, for major club expenses directly related to achieving the club's purpose as stated in the By-Laws.
3. ACC will provide periodic sponsor recognition proportionate to the sponsor's contributions to the club.
4. ACC members are obligated to make a reasonable effort to comply with any sponsor agreement agreed to between ACC, as approved by the general membership, and the sponsoring dealer.
5. ACC will entertain additional sponsorships from businesses or individuals in the community, providing that these relationships further ACC's ability to achieve its purpose as stated in the By-Laws.

**Meeting Date & Time** – Regular monthly ACC meetings are held on the second Wednesday at a location to be posted in advance on the ACC web site. Meetings begin at 7:00 p.m. The last meeting of the calendar year is designated as the Annual Meeting.

**Internet Presence** – ACC will maintain the Internet Uniform Resource Locator (URL) address of "AZCOMPVETTES.ORG" and will use this address to identify an Internet site to be used to promote the club, announce events, and provide other Corvette and club-relative information according to the desires of the general membership.

1. ACC will be responsible for payment to retain the specified URL and for Internet hosting and storage fees.
2. Member volunteers will provide webmaster services and no payment for these services is authorized without advance approval of the general membership.

**NCCC National and Region Meetings** – The ACC Governor is responsible for ensuring that the club is represented at all National Council of Corvette Club national and region meetings.

1. National meeting representation may be by proxy with voting instructions provided in advance to the Region Executive.
2. Region meeting representation by proxy must be approved in advance by the President.

**Logo** – A logo will be approved by the general membership and will be used on all official ACC correspondence, trophies, plaques, etc.

1. The approved logo can only be changed by a two-thirds vote of the general membership at the annual meeting.
2. Subordinate or "mascot" logos may, from time to time, be adopted by ACC. An unofficial logo does not require general membership approval. Subordinate logos cannot be used in lieu of the official ACC logo.