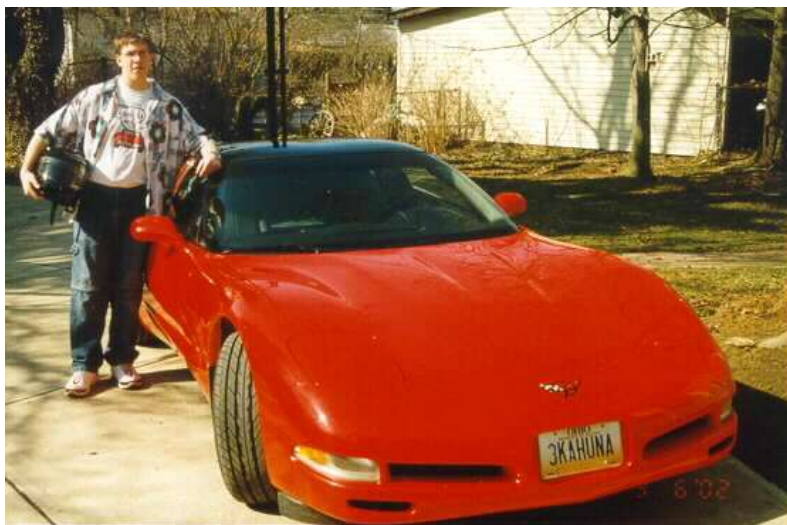


FCOA MEMBER #1900 ~~ MICHAEL



Michael's application for FCOA membership came just at the right time in February 2002 for him to be assigned FCOA membership #1900! He is the first FCOA member in the East Ohio Region to be honored with a "special" number! His Grandpa, Fred Kubiak, has been a member of Corvette Cleveland for 32 years where he has always been a very active member, serving in many offices and participating in numerous activities. He is probably most familiar to a lot of NCCC members as the guy who raced RP KAHUNA for 21 of those years.

Michael is an 8th grader who is home-schooled by his Mom. His favorite subject is definitely art and he'd like to skip right over those history lessons. Like most 14-year old boys, Michael has many interests that evolve around sports and music but cars are really a big part of his life. Michael hopes to attend the Cleveland Institute of Art to become a design engineer. He reads all the car magazines to keep up with current trends. Michael collects and builds models and he often designs cars using Legos. He also loves to draw and design cars. A few years ago he dropped off a design idea at the Corvette Plant and the Plant Manager was kind enough to respond to his design & has stayed in touch with Michael. Michael hopes that he will be able to meet Will Cooksey some day. He currently is re-building a small block Chevy with his Dad and is also helping his Grandpa restore a 1966 Corvette roadster.

As you can see from the above picture of him by his Grandpa's 1997, Michael is looking forward to spending some quality time in the driver' seat one of these days! Michael enjoys a variety of Corvette activities: shows, rallyes and, of course, racing!

Congratulations, Michael, for being FCOA member #1900!