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Chairman's Message

Greetings to all...

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Where did the summer go? By the time you read this the Chapter Meet and the Picnic will be a fond memory. We had a great turnout for the picnic with lots of great cars and people. We even had a potential new member who showed up with a beautiful C1. The pie contest was a big hit so I believe we will have a rematch next year. Sue was voted the winner with her Peach, Blushing Peach, Berry and Apple Pie. (The more times you enter the more chances to win) I believe we all were winners thanks to all the great food that was brought by everyone. I want to personally thank everyone who attended and hope you all enjoyed it as much as Sue and I do hosting for such great folks. Special thanks to Randy Rink for bringing the steaks.

The Chapter Meet was great and a good time was had by all. The setting was beautiful and there were plenty of Corvettes to look at. Special thanks to Dave and Patty for their hospitality and to Herb for all the time and effort he put into coordinating the meet. Thanks also to the members who brought out their cars to be judged, to all who judged and tabulated and to all the members who brought sportsman cars.

After the chapter meet the board had a short but intense meeting during which the fate of the chapter was discussed. We decided to give it another year and to try to recruit new younger members to carry the passion for Corvettes into the future. If you attend car shows be sure to talk to all Corvette owners and sell the benefits of the NCRS and the Heart of Ohio chapter. Our future is in the hands of the C3 and C4 owners and we must make them feel welcome. There are plenty of C3 and C4 owners who think the NCRS is just a bunch of old guys with old Corvettes and we must change that perception or the NCRS will perish with us.

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We have a proposed technical seminar or tour planned for October 24th or 25th and a Christmas party planned for December 12th. Details on both events to be announced. Also do not forget to support our neighboring chapters by attending their chapter events. Queen City's meet is October 10th at Columbia Chevrolet. If you want to tour down together Sue and I will be traveling down Saturday morning and if the weather is nice I will be driving the Corvette. Just drop me a line and we can meet along the way.

If there is anything you would like to do as a group let one of us know at hoomembers@heartofohio-ncrs.org and we will try to put something together.

In closing please show your support by participating in as many club events as you can. I enjoy the time I spend with the group mainly because they are such a great bunch of folks. The



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fellowship is the real spirit of the club. If you have technical questions this is a great place to ask. We have a wealth of knowledge in the group and are all willing to share our experience.

Hope to see you soon! Perry Yasher Heart of Ohio Chapter Chairman

From the (Temporary) Newsletter Editor

First I would like to say thank you to Perry for providing me with all of the group photographs I have included in this issue. For those of you who have not joined us in a while take a look at what you have missed.

As I have written in the last two issues, after a 15month absence I have once again taken over editing our Newsletter until someone can be found to do the job. If you are the least bit interested please give me a call at 614/847-0774 to discuss it. The only required skill is to be reasonably comfortable using Microsoft Word.

For the time being, I am going to publish the newsletter on a quarterly basis with emailed editions on April 1st, July 1st, October 1st and January 1st. The goal of the Newsletter will be to keep you informed about the Club's activities and, as time goes on, I hope to expand it with additional content.

However, to do this I am going to need your <u>help</u>!

Please feel free to email me anything you find or know of that might be of interest to the group. I will gladly include it. Also, if you have something to sell send that information along to me.

Even better if you want to write an article about anything Corvette related I would love to publish it. Topics could include a road trip, a project you completed, a tip, a vendor you had a good experience with, and so on. Also, if you took pictures please send a few along.

Thanks in advance for any support you can give me.

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Pictures from Past Events

Judging/Tech Seminar May 2, 2009







National Trails May 30, 2009









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Heart of Ohio Chapter Meet August 15, 2009







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Authors Wanted

Do you have anything that is Corvette or car related you want to share with our members? A special vendor you found, a tip on how to fix something, a story about a corvette experience. Anything you think might be of value or interest. **We welcome your contributions!**

Please take a few minutes and send me an email. I will be glad to put your article into our Newsletter. You can reach me at **Herb@harltons.com** or (614) 847-0774.

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Calendar Of Corvette Events

Dates in Bold are Heart of Ohio Chapter Events Note –Some of 2009 Events are still in the early planning stages but mark your calendars anyway. We will keep you posted on any changes. Dates underlined are other NCRS chapter events Dates in plain type are other Corvette related events

October 2009

October 24	HoO Tech Seminar , Busted Knuckle Garage, (Tentative Date)	
October 10	Queen City Chapter NCRS Chapter Meet, Cincinnati, Ohio	
	(Alliance Event)	
October 4	Classic Glass Corvette Club, Attwood Lake Car Show, Attwood Lake, Ohio	

November 2009

November ? Heart of Ohio/Pro Team Al Grenning Seminar, Napeleon, Ohio, (Tentative)

December 2009

December 12 HoO Christmas Party (Details TBA)

January 2010

January 20-24 Florida Winter NCRS Regional, Kissimmee, Florida

July 2010

July 13-18 NCRS National Convention, Concord, North Carolina

September 2010

September 9-11 NCRS Midwest Regional, Canal Winchester, Ohio (Bob McDorman Chevrolet)



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