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Chairman's Message

Seasons Greetings to all...

The year is coming to an end quickly. This is the time of year when we reflect on the past year and set our goals for the New Year. The Heart of Ohio Board met in November to do just that and decide what events to schedule for 2010. As a result of that meeting 2010 is filled with something for everyone. We have planned social events, driving tours to the Restoration Station and Ed Fosse's collection, a Chapter judging meet, a Regional judging meet, technical seminars, judging schools and a trip to the Queen City swap meet.

I will be meeting with Coughlin Chevrolet Pataskala early in January to see if they would be interested in hosting our meetings and possibly the chapter judging meet. The dealership is the local GM performance parts source, and is trying to establish themselves in the Corvette world with many late model examples on the lot. I will update the web site with the details on that meeting.

Speaking of the web site have you had a chance to view it yet?
<http://www.ncrs.org/hoo/index.htm> If you have not, please take some time and check it out. It has a member's page that highlights our cars, an events page that will allow us to communicate upcoming events, a page for cars and parts for sale, and an apparel page with great clothing with the Heart of Ohio logo. Special thanks to Terry Buchanan for the great job he has done in setting up the web site. I believe it was just what we needed to get the club back on its feet again.

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Once again Lou and I will be working on our cars this winter at the Busted Knuckle Garage located on the Yasher Compound in Pataskala. Hopefully we will succeed in chasing out the last of the gremlins, and have the cars dialed in. I am chasing down an intake vacuum leak and a coolant leak. Lou's heater core has decided it is time for retirement so it is slated for replacement. The plan this year is to have the cars done by April so we can actually drive them next spring.

In case you are wondering about the regional planned for Bob McDorman Chevrolet, it is still on for September 9th to 11th 2010. The Queen City chapter will be hosting the event but they will need our help with some of the local arrangements. Lets all do what we can to make this event a success. Stay tuned for more details.

If there are any other events you would like to participate in let me know and I will do my best to make it happen. The national this year is in North Carolina so maybe a tour down to the event is in our future. There is nothing like a long ride in an old car with no air conditioning to bring back the days of our youth. Back when horsepower won out over comfort every time.

In closing please show your support by participating in as many club events as you can. I



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enjoy the time I spend with the group mainly because you are such a great bunch of folks. The 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 expertise.

Hope to see you soon!

P Yasher
Heart of Ohio Chapter
Chairman

New Chapter Website By Terry Buchanan

It has been my pleasure to create a new website for our Chapter. The purpose of the Heart of Ohio's website is to give current and timely information about and for the organization to its members.

As you start to read this article you might take the opportunity now to open up our website at www.ncrs.org/hoo. Currently it consists of 12 pages. I would like to highlight a few of the pages.

When you open the website you will first come to the **Index Page**. On this page you will find a mission statement of what the Chapter is about and a listing of other pages on the site. Visitors to our website should be able to tell that we are devoted to our members through shared interest in Corvettes and fellowships with road tours, technical seminars, judged meets, judging classes and festive gatherings. I have also included pictures from earlier Chapter events on this page.



The **Officers Page** is for easy communication to any of the Chapter officers. Simply click on a name and the email address should open up in your email browser.

Once a year, it's time to renew your Chapter dues. On the **Membership Page** you can renew or join the Chapter by clicking on the Membership Form in the middle of the page. This will open to a printable form suitable for mailing to our membership Chairman, Herb Harlton.

One of the most important pages on our website is the **Events Page**. It is here that we show event dates, both for NCRS national and our local Chapter. From Chapter tech seminars, judging schools and membership meeting to Regional and National Conventions, you should find something here that interests you.

Looking for someone in the Chapter that has the same body style or year Corvette as you? The **Members' Car Page** should be an easy reference for finding the member(s) who share your interests. Click on a picture to learn more about a car and its owner. We are always adding pictures



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to the website, so please send me your Corvette picture and information. We would like to have every Heart of Ohio member's car represented on this page.



The **Newsletter Page** is where members can locate current or past newsletters. This is always a great way of finding a tech article or information about a Chapter event.

If you are looking for Chapter clothing, the **Apparel Page** should help you. This will direct you to the Lands End website that has our Chapter logo which can be placed on all types of clothing that they carry.

The **Cars & Parts** page is where members can place an advertisement for items or services for sale. From Corvettes, parts, parts wanted and services, you should be able to see what Chapter members have to offer.



The remainder of the pages on the website are **Sponsors**, where we would place people's names/and or businesses that hosted a meeting or in some way aided the Chapter. On the **Links Page** you can find a Corvette related website ranging from the National NCRS website to part vendors. If you would like to advertise in our newsletter, the **Advertising Page** will show you how. A page with our **Chapter By-Laws** closes out our Chapter website.

If you feel that something needs to be added to or modified on our website, please contact me at BuchananT@sbcglobal.net. It has been my pleasure to create this website and I hope it serves the Chapter well.

Heart of Ohio Chapter Apparel By Terry Buchanan

There are times after joining an organization such as the NCRS, that members like to identify their membership by purchasing clothing and accessories that have the Chapter name and logo. Our Chapter now has that opportunity through **Lands' End Business Outfitters**. To order Heart



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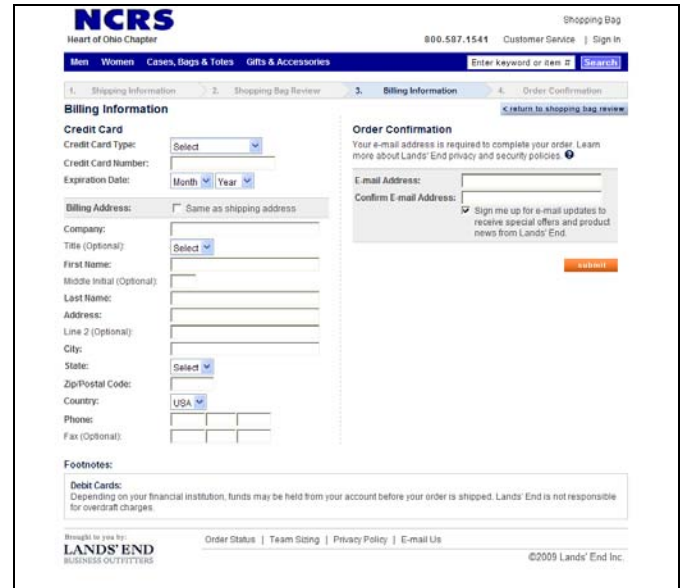
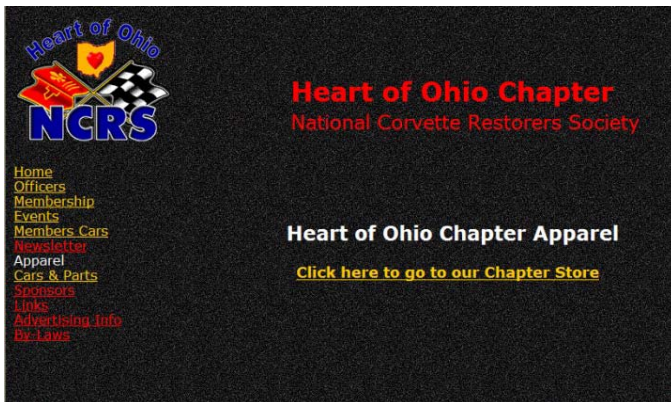
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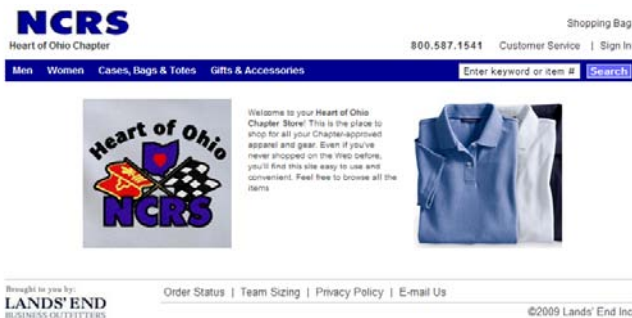
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of Ohio Chapter clothing and accessories, go to the Apparel page of our Chapter website.
www.ncrs.org/hoo/apparel.htm

free. Orders should be shipped in two weeks or less.



Click on **Chapter Store** and you will be taken to the Lands' End Home page. You will need to click on **Men or Women, Case, Bags or Totes, or Gifts & Accessories**. From there you will see all the different choices, colors and sizes for that clothing item or accessory.

There is a toll free number to call for questions about ordering from the website. (1-800-587-1541)



We hope to see more Heart of Ohio Chapter clothing and accessories around the area in the near future.

2010 Membership Dues

Just a reminder that Membership Dues for 2010 are due in January. You each will be receiving an email with an Invoice and a Membership Information Form shortly. Please fill out the form and send it along with you check for \$20.00 made out to Heart of Ohio-NCRS and mail it to me. For your convenience I have also included a form with this Newsletter.

After you have made your selections, you will be directed to logo application. You will need to select the Heart of Ohio logo which is free. As you continue on to the last sections you will have 4 steps in the check-out process: 1. Shipping Information, 2. Shopping Bag Review, 3. Billing Information and 4. Order Confirmation. Depending on the time of year, shipping is often

My mailing address is:



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IMPORTANT – NCRS requires that you be a current member of the National Chapter in order to be a member of a local chapter. They also require me as Membership Chair to verify this.

Herb Harlton
Membership Chair

From the (Temporary) Newsletter Editor

As I have written in the last two issues, after a 15-month absence I once again took 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 January 1st, April 1st, July 1st and October 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 help!

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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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.

Moving? New Email Address?

Let us know if your mailing address or your e-mail address has changed so, we can update our records and keep you up to date. **Please send changes to Herb Harlton our Membership Chairman:**

Herb Harlton
614-847-0774



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Herb@Harltons.com

Got something to sell?

Why not run a **FREE** Ad in our Newsletter. Send you information to;

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Calendar Of Corvette Events

Dates in Bold are Heart of Ohio Chapter Events *Note –Some of 2010 Events are still in the early planning stages but mark your calendars anyway. We will keep you posted on any changes via the **Events Page** on our **Website***

Dates underlined are other NCRS chapter events

Dates in plain type are other Corvette related events

January 2010

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

February 2010

February 13 **Tech Session/Judging School, Busted Knuckle Garage, Pataskala, OH 43062-7201**

February 21 Queen City Chapter, Corvette & Chevy Indoor Swap Meet, Montgomery Chevrolet, Cincinnati, OH, 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. (There will be an HoO Road Tour to Cincinnati - check web for details)

March 2010

March 20 or 27 **Restoration Station HoO Tour, Springboro, OH (check web for date and details)**

April 2010

April 3 **HoO Membership Kick Off Meeting, Coughlin Chevrolet, Pataskala, OH**

April 17 or 24 **The Ed Foss Collection , Roanoke, Indiana Road Tour Details TBA**

May 2010

May 6-8 Gettysburg Regional Gettysburg, Pa.

May 8 Bud's Chevrolet Corvette Cruise In, St. Marys, Ohio (Possible HoO Road Tour)

May 20-22 Iowa Regional, Des Moines, Iowa



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June 2010

June 24-27 Bloomington Gold, Pheasant Run Resort, St. Charles, Illinois

July 2010

July 13-18 NCRS National Convention, Lowes Motor Speedway, Concord, North Carolina

August 2010

August 8 Lake Erie Chapter Judging Meet

August 14 **Heart of Ohio Chapter Judging Meet**

August 27-29 Corvettes at Carlisle

September 2010

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

September 26 Heart of Ohio Chapter Picnic



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HEART OF OHIO CHAPTER NCRS

First Name: _____ MI: _____ Last Name: _____

Spouse Name: _____ MI: _____ Last Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____

Business Phone: _____

Fax Number: _____

Cell Number: _____

Email Address: _____

National NCRS Number: _____

Note: You must be an active member of NCRS.

Corvettes Owned:

Year: _____ Body: _____ Color: _____ HP/CI: _____

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Complete this form and enclose check or money order in the amount of \$20.00, made payable to "Heart of Ohio Chapter — NCRS" and send the completed form to:

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