



# Heart of Ohio Chapter Newsletter

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## **Chairman's Message**

Greetings to all...

Another new year is upon us – time sure does seem to go fast these days. Hopefully you had a great Christmas and New Year Holiday spending time with family and friends. The swap meet was a huge success and exceeded all my expectations. Next year will be even better as we dial in the process of setting it up. (Someone remind me to charge more for the food so we actually make a profit on it.) Thanks to all who helped in the planning, set up and tear down for the event. Special thanks to Marie Zuniga and Sue Yasher for all you both did to make sure we had breakfast and lunch – to the best of my knowledge no one starved during the event. Also special thanks to Terry Goodin from Coughlin for sacrificing his day off for us. Be sure to look him up if you are in the market for a new car.

The visit to the Ed Foss and Larry Gerig collection in November was fantastic. Both Ed and Larry were great hosts and what a collection of cars. We were the first people to view Larry's new wing on his museum which contained one of every color of his favorite year C1. Rumor has it someone received an award on the way home for his ability to ignore the posted speed limit. (Good thing he got me when I was not going fast.)

So far we have two events in the works for 2011. We will have a general membership meeting February 19th at Coughlin Chevrolet. We hope to have a technical session or a judging school in conjunction with this event. We have also decided on May 15th for the Chapter meet this year. As the details become available they will be posted on the

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web site. We have many more events in the works so stay tuned.

The club has been run by a small core group for some time and one person really stands out as for his outstanding dedication. Herb Harlton has been Membership Chairman, Newsletter Editor and Judging Co-Chair for quite a few years. Herb has requested to have some of his duties taken over by someone else. The position up for grabs is the Co-Judging Chairman position. This is a computer/organizational type job and requires both skills. You would work with Roger Z planning and organizing the chapter meet. If you would like to try your hand at this rewarding position please let us know. We desperately need folks to step up and help to lead the club into the future. If we do not bring in fresh people with new ideas and energy the club will not survive.



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Since the National Convention is in Michigan this year I was thinking it would be nice to organize a tour. We could Drive a few back roads on the way and plan an interesting stop or two on the way. Again more details to follow. If anyone is interested in hosting this or any other event please let me or any of the Board members know.

I hope to see everyone soon. I 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 the members are a great group to ask. We have a wealth of knowledge in the group and are all willing to share our expertise.

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Heart of Ohio Chapter

Chairman

### Member's Projects

Richard Crary recently started the frame-off restoration pictured on the next several pages. The car is a small block '67 air coupe, with electric windows, PS, PB and tinted glass. He is the third owner of this "numbers matching" car and it came complete with Protecto-plate.

This is Richard's fourth frame-off restoration. His first frame-off was done on a burnt '79 corvette so he did not have to be careful and he could learn as he went. He picked that one up with a single chain hoist and learned that the body would tip forward or backward and the straps would pinch the car and rub hard against the paint. That was

when he decided to use four chain hoists and spread them out wide so they wouldn't rub against the paint. Since chain hoists are less than \$50 each from Harbor Freight this approach was not overly costly. With these chain hoists picking up the body, instead of several men, he can move the body up or down an 1/8 of an inch and let it sit there for hours or days. And with four hoists he can lower or raise just one corner and also safely get under the car and check alignment.







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### 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**



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**Outfitters.** Heart of Ohio Chapter clothing and accessories can be ordered either on-line or by phone. To order on line go to the Apparel page of our Chapter website.

[www.ncrs.org/hoo/apparel.htm](http://www.ncrs.org/hoo/apparel.htm)



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.



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 \$8.50 per item. 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 your order should be shipped in two weeks or less.

**To order by phone** there is a toll free number to call that is dedicated to logo purchases. The number is **800-338-2000**. Refer to the Heart of Ohio customer number 4052776 and the operator will take your order or assist you with you purchase.

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

### From the Membership Chairman

It is that time of year again – time to renew your Heart of Ohio Chapter membership for 2011. Dues again this year are still \$20.00.

For your convenience I have included a copy of the 2011 Membership Form in this Newsletter.



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### Authors Wanted

Please fill it out (you can omit car info if nothing has changed) and sent it to me along with your check.

I also will send you an email reminder on February 1<sup>st</sup> and will continue to send out reminders through March.

Thanks.

Herb Harlton  
[Herb@Harltons.com](mailto:Herb@Harltons.com)

### From the Newsletter Editor

I have started a new feature article this month called **Member's Projects**. Given the size and diversity of our club there are always member projects, both big and small, going on. This is what the NCRS is all about!

**I need your input! I would like to continue this feature every quarter and I need your help.**

Please email me pictures of your projects along with a brief write-up of what you are doing and any tips you have learned along the way.

I think this feature will be enjoyed by all and I would like to make it a quarterly feature.

Herb Harlton  
614-847-0774  
[Herb@Harltons.com](mailto:Herb@Harltons.com)

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 or Road Trip. 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](mailto: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  
[Herb@Harltons.com](mailto:Herb@Harltons.com)

### For Sale by Members

#### Got Something To Sell?

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

Herb Harlton  
614-847-0774  
[Herb@Harltons.com](mailto:Herb@Harltons.com)





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### FOR SALE

One complete staggered set directional tires,  
Goodyear OEM GSC for C4 Corvette (see below  
for tire size and fitment), originals but well used,  
if you are thinking of flighting your car, these tires  
will give you original points and cost you a few on  
condition....they are worn. Contact Dino @ 614-  
374-6070. Asking \$100.00 for all 4. Pick up only

1993-1996 Corvette (base)

Front: 17"x8.5" 56mm, Goodyear Eagle GSC,  
P255/45ZR-17

Rear 17"x9.5" 56mm (7.4" backspacing)  
Goodyear Eagle GSC, P285/40ZR-17

Not Z07, Z51, or ZR-1





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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 2011

- January 8      Queen City Chapter Tech Session - Navigating the NCRS Discussion Board with system administrator John Waggoner – 1:00 to 4:00 pm – Columbia Chevrolet - 9750 Montgomery Rd, Cincinnati
- January 22**      **HoO Holiday Dinner, (TENATIVE Check Website and your email for details)**
- January 26-29      Florida NCRS Regional Meet, Kissimmee, FL

#### February 2011

- February 19**      **HoO General Meeting and Tech/Judging Seminar, Coughlin Chevrolet, Pataskala, 1:00 – 4:00pm**

#### March 2011

- March 6      Queen City Swap Meet, Columbia Chevrolet, Cincinnati

#### April 2011

- April 28 - 30      Heart of America Regional, Joplin, Missouri

#### May 2011

- May 15**      **Heart of Ohio Chapter Judging Meet, Coughlin Chevrolet, Pataskala, OH (Registration Form attached)**
- May 19 - 21      Central New Jersey Regional, Wildwood, New Jersey



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#### **June 2011**

June 9-11

Ontario Canada NCRS Regional Meet, London, Ontario, Canada  
(Invitation Attached)

#### **July 2011**

July 17-22

NCRS National Convention, Novi (Detroit), MI





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### **HEART OF OHIO CHAPTER OFFICERS**

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## 2011 CHAPTER REGISTRATION

### HEART OF OHIO CHAPTER NCRS

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse Name: \_\_\_\_\_ 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: \_\_\_\_\_

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:

Herb Harlton  
HoO Chapter NCRS Membership Chair  
792 Olenhurst Court  
Columbus, OH 43235-2163



**HEART OF OHIO SPRING CHAPTER MEET  
INDOOR MEET REGISTRATION FORM**

**Sunday May 15, 2011 – 10:00 am-5:00 pm  
Coughlin Chevrolet - 9000 East Broad Street - Pataskala Ohio 43062**

**Check Our Chapter Website for the  
Latest Meet Information, Registration  
Form, Meet Contacts and Map  
[www.ncrs.org/hoo](http://www.ncrs.org/hoo)**

**The Heart of Ohio Chapter invites fellow NCRS members to join us at our indoor Chapter meet at Coughlin Chevrolet, Pataskala, Ohio.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse/Guest Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ NCRS # \_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**COST**

Meet Registration (Member & Spouse/Guest) \$ 20.00  
Additional Guest @ \$10.00 per person x # \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Flight Judging Entry @ \$40.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**Bowtie, Duntov & McLelland Display** No charge  
Sportsman Display @ \$10.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Join the Heart of Ohio Chapter @ \$20.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Meet T-Shirt Size \_\_\_\_\_ Extra Shirt @ \$10 ea. \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**Total Amount Remitted** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**JUDGES INFORMATION**

I would like to judge: 1<sup>st</sup> Choice \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd Choice \_\_\_\_\_  
(Class: C-1 through C-4) /Category: Interior, Exterior, Mechanical, Chassis, Operations)  
NCRS Judging Level \_\_\_\_\_  
I would like to be an Observer Judge: Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_  
I would like to help Tabulate: Yes \_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Make checks payable to: Heart of Ohio Chapter – NCRS and mail to: Herb Harlton; 792 Olenhurst Ct; Columbus, Ohio 43235**

**PLEASE NOTE: WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT THE NUMBER AND CLASS OF FLIGHT CARS. NO JUDGED CAR REGISTRATIONS ACCEPTED  
AFTER APRIL 23, 2011. PREREGISTRATION DATE IS BASED ON POSTMARK DATE. For Questions Contact Herb Harlton: [Herb@Harltons.com](mailto:Herb@Harltons.com)**

**JUDGED/DISPLAY CAR INFORMATION**

Year \_\_\_\_\_ Body Type \_\_\_\_\_  
CI/HP \_\_\_\_\_ Complete VIN No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Insurance Company \_\_\_\_\_ Policy No. \_\_\_\_\_ Expires \_\_\_\_\_

**SCHEDULE:**

9:00 a.m-9:45 am.....Check in at Meet  
4:30 p.m.....Award Presentations

**LUNCH**

Lunch will be provided for all registered owners, registered guests and registered judges

**YOU MUST ENCLOSE PROOF OF INSURANCE WITH YOUR REGISTRATION OR YOUR REGISTRATION WILL BE RETURNED.**

I agree to insure my vehicle against loss, damage, and liability and to provide proof of such insurance to NCRS. I agree to assume the risk of any and all damages or injury and to indemnify and hold harmless NCRS, its officers, directors, agents, employees and chapters for any acts or omissions which may result in the theft, damage or destruction of my property or injury to me or others occurring during or as a consequence of this chapter, wherever located.

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_



Dear NCRS Friend,

I would like to give you some advance information on our upcoming Regional event in 2011.

The Ontario chapter of NCRS has hosted five regional and one National event since 1992. Our membership is committed to make sure that our regional meet will be both exciting and memorable for the attendees. There are only six Regional events per year.

Our Chapter website is [www.ncrsontario.org](http://www.ncrsontario.org). The site will give you some insight into our organization. Our National site is [www.ncrs.org](http://www.ncrs.org).

The site of our event is the private home of Mr. Steve Plunkett near London, Ontario. London is located mid-way between Toronto, Ontario, and Detroit, Michigan.

Steve is an avid car collector. His major marquee is Cadillac with over 30 cars in his collection. Starting from the very early years, of special interest are his V-12 and V-16's. Many one-of-a-kind and special custom bodied cars are present in this collection. Steve's [Fleetwood Farms Country Cruize-in](#) and estate has been featured on the Speed TV show Car Crazy.

The Corvettes will be judged under the cover of a massive 35,000 square foot tent. Tremendous photo opportunities abound on the spacious lawns and gardens that adorn Steve's Fleetwood Farms estate.

The Sheridan Four Points hotel is our host hotel. Jan Griffiths the booking manager, is a Corvette owner herself. There will be a regular shuttle bus service between the Hotel and Fleetwood Farms.

Our Welcome reception and Awards banquet will be hosted in the Fleetwood Auto Salon. The 8,000 square foot custom building replicates the opulent 1930 showroom of the Waldorf Astoria. Its sixteen chandeliers and forty-two wall sconces are enhanced by the pressed tin ceilings and ornate woodwork. You will be entertained in the presence of beautifully restored Cadillacs once owned by many celebrities, including the Kennedy family and Ralph Pulitzer.

London is a very picturesque city with a great history in medical science and home to the University of Western Ontario. With abundant parks, museums, history, great dining choices, and lots of shopping opportunities, there are lots of things for the whole family to enjoy.

You will need a passport or other documents to return back to the USA. See [www.getyouhome.gov](http://www.getyouhome.gov). Detroit Metro is the closest US airport. Airport Shuttle can be arranged from Detroit Metro airport to Four points by Sheridan hotel, 1150 Wellington Road South, London, ON N6E 1M3, (519) 681-0600 the two way rate is \$156.21 taxes inc. Quote discount #2010 for a 15% reduction. Booking can be arranged [www.robertq.com](http://www.robertq.com).

**In closing, I hope that you are as excited about this event as we are. The members of the Ontario Chapter are committed to making your visit to Canada a memorable one! Please mark your calendars for the weekend of June 9 - 11, 2011. We look forward to seeing you!**

**Any Questions please call Scott Sinclair at 905-857-1463 or 416-721-4946 cell**