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Chairman's Message

Chairman's Letter-Q4

The summer has flown by and we are now into early fall. Our hobby has been turned on its head as the majority of events and car shows have been cancelled. I have found that car guys are a resilient bunch and the HoO chapter is no exception. Part of the collector car hobby is the cars, but the social aspect is what keeps us looking forward to going to shows and events. Cars and Coffee events here were well attended. In some cases over 200 cars. Cruise in's that used to have 100 cars now have 400. Although they look different now with masks and elbow bumps, these events helped provide some normalcy in this crazy year. **Due to all the cancellations, the HoO board has voted to extend all active members dues for 2021.**

To adapt and keep people safe, our chapter quickly pivoted. With the initiative of Nick Petruzzi and Mike Treece, these members took on setting up and conducting virtual tech sessions. These are open to all NCRS members across the county and have been so well executed and attended I think we should trademark the idea!

In June, Nick and Mike put on a virtual session on Windshield wipers with 59 attending. That session was so well received, they followed with a 2 part series on air cleaners in August and September. Both sessions had over 85 participants. Nick and Mike have another virtual session setup for October on emblems. All participants received 1 judging point per session.

This summer, we sent out a HoO questionnaire



asking about activities and the current environment for safety. Responses were varied but a couple of themes emerged. First, the membership wants more knowledge of judging including the relatively new Concours class. Second, keep the virtual tech sessions coming. People see real value to the info Mike puts together. Finally, if we get together..do it smartly, wear a mask and social distance.

In 2018, we put together a phone directory of all active club members. The new directory for 2020 has been updated and will be passed out at Oct and upcoming events. We've also started a vendor list sorted by category. To date, we have 40 vendors that club members have recommended. This will also be handed out and posted on our website. A side benefit of this list, are vendors we could actually go visit. Most of these vendors are in Ohio.

We have an active quarter coming up. In October, we will be going to Richard Cray's garage in Bucyrus for practice judging on his C2. Also

Chairman's Message, continued

in October, as mentioned above, a virtual tech session on changes in emblems over the years. November, Mike has set up a restoration shop tour of D&D Classics and Glazier Coach and Pattern Works. Both of these shops do outstanding work. More info on date and locations in the calendar page.

Although not an official event, several members and corvette enthusiasts did a beautiful covered bridge tour through central Ohio. It was great to get the cars and see several members of the chapter. Watching a dozen vettes from 1967-to the new C8 winding through the countryside is a beautiful thing.

As most know, we cancelled our Cars and Coffee Charity event this year. To help those in need, we will be making a donation of \$500 from the club to LifeCare Alliance (Meals on Wheels). We will be taking donations as well to increase our support of this great charity that serves 5000 meals daily in 5 counties. With a lot of people being out of work, we believed this was the best way we could give back to our community. More information in the newsletter.

Safe Travels,

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Financials - Pete Hagan

As of September 30, 2020

Beginning Cash Balance 1/1/2020

Fifth-Third Bank	\$2,542.53
Paypal Account	\$211.51
Other Account	\$6,000.91
Beginning Cash Balance 1/1/2020	\$8,754.95

REVENUE:

Membership Dues	\$440.00
Chapter Meet Registration Fees	-\$740.00
Charity Car Show Income	\$0.00
Total Revenue	-\$300.00

EXPENSES:

Operations & Planning	\$787.03
Judging Meet Expense	\$0.00
Charitable Contribution	\$0.00
Charity Car Show Expense	\$0.00
Paypal Service Fees	\$65.93
Total Expenses	\$852.96

Closing Cash Balance 9/30/2020	\$7,601.99
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Closing Cash Balance 9/30/2020	
Fifth-Third Bank	\$7,575.64
Less: Uncleared Checks	\$0.00
Paypal	\$26.35
Total	\$7,601.99

Upcoming Events - Terry Buchanan



Upcoming Events

Saturday, October 17, 2020

Heart of Ohio Chapter Membership/Elections Meeting, Tech Session
 - 66 Corvette Prejudge & more
 Richard Crary's Garage - 10:00 am
 1374 Nevada Wynford Rd.
 Bucyrus, Ohio 44820

Face Masks, Social Distancing & NCRS Waiver Signature Required

Note: Please contact Mike Treece at mltreece@yahoo.com before

October 15 if you plan to attend

Saturday, October 24, 2020

Heart of Ohio Chapter - Virtual Judging School - Corvette Emblems

Presenter - Mike Treece - 400 Level Master NCRS Judge

9:40 am - log in/equipment adjustments School begins - 10:00 am to 11:30 am Eastern Time

Please Note: You must register before October 21 by midnight and be logged in for at least half the portion of the technical talk (not counting the end Q & A and closing remarks) to receive the 1 point (no exceptions).

([Registration](#))

Saturday, November 14, 2020

Heart of Ohio Chapter Meeting - Restoration Shop Tours of Western Ohio - 10:00 am

Tour starts at: D & D Classic -2300 Mote Drive, Covington, Ohio 45318 ddclassic.com

Lunch Break 11:30 am to 12:30 pm

Second tour: Glazier Coach and Pattern Works, 3720 Loramie Washington Road, Houston, Ohio 45333

<https://www.glazierpatternandcoachworks.com/>

Face Masks, Social Distancing & NCRS Waiver Signature Required

Terry Buchanan, Chapter Secretary

Annual Chapter Fundraiser—LifeCare Alliance (Meals on Wheels)

LifeCare Alliance is a 501c(3) nonprofit that delivers **5000 meals per day** in 5 counties. LifeCare Alliance is funded solely by donations and prepares all of the meals in a large kitchen in Columbus, Ohio. They also serve seniors dinner, take people to the hospital, and a host of other programs to help those in need.

In the past, we have donated the monies from Cars and Coffee as well as \$500 from the Chapter. The National NCRS has a matching gift program of 50% of the Chapter donation with a \$1,000 maximum.

This year, the Heart of Ohio Chapter Board voted to donate \$500 for this worthy charity. As we could not do our fund raising event, we would like to ask our membership to see if they would like to donate. We will hold open the donation period to **October 17, 2020** at our next Chapter meeting. If you would like to donate to our selected Charity, we have outlined a few options for your consideration below:

You could make your check payable to

"Heart of Ohio Chapter NCRS" and we will add your donation to the \$500 donation from the Chapter. This will increase the 50% matching gift from the NCRS National Office. **HOWEVER, THIS DONATION WILL NOT BE TAX DEDUCTIBLE FOR YOU.**

Another option is make your check payable to "LifeCare Alliance-Meals on Wheels", send your check to Pete Hagan and he will forward it to LifeCare Alliance with the Heart of Ohio Chapter donation. **YOUR DONATION WILL BE TAX DEDUCTIBLE.**

There are certainly other options for your charity donation dollars but we hope you will consider a donation to LifeCare Alliance (Meals on Wheels).

Email Wes and he will tell you where to send your donation.

Letter from the Editor—Eric Sponseller

Thank you for reading this issue.

We hope that you will find that each newsletter is filled with educational information, helpful hints and tips, events, and news. We want this newsletter to be valuable for you so *please, please* share your feedback and suggestions to help us improve.

Tech articles can be sent to me via email at: dsponz@hotmail.com



Fall Road Tour—Unofficial Event

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Mike Treece and Rick Pfeifer set up a nice fall scenic tour. Several members took an unofficial road tour Sept 20th. Othercorvette enthusiasts joined the group since it was a non-NCRS event. Some details on the tour that they saw:

- 4 Covered bridges
- 1 waterfall
- Great scenic drives, with some nice windy back roads
- Ended at a great barbeque restaurant



We're on the web ! www.ncrs.org/hoo

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