



Cruising Along *a note from the director*

Our May meeting was held at Right Stuff Detailing in Westerville. Dave Roberts, President and Jason Hire, General Manager were our hosts. They provided pizza and beverages. Our first agenda was to partake of the food and drinks then we took a tour. Right Stuff Detailing's primary business is Break and Fuel Lines, Disc conversions and Brake Cables for restoring America's muscle cars "Ford, General Motors and Chrysler". During our tour, Jason showed us how they make their parts. He proudly explained that if they don't already have the part for your vehicle and you can provide them with an old one they can make a new one for you (i.e. break and fuel lines will have all of the correct bends and curves). You can shop online anytime at "getdiscbrakes.com" or call 800-405-2000 and join them on Face book. They also have a catalog for 2011. The end of our tour took us to a special area that showcased Dave's spectacular collection of Cameros.

Kim Fields is fighting cancer. I spoke with her husband, John and he said that she has chemo therapy on Fridays and her most recent CAT scan showed mixed results. Your thoughts and prayers are appreciated.

I trust that you had a GREAT Memorial Day.

Hey, Dan Coleman sold 50 patches to the New York Niagara Frontier Chapter for their annual car show at Cheektowaga Town Park. For more information on the NY Chapter, contact Director, John Marriott 716-895-2183.

Don't forget our new meeting date for June, Monday June 20. Where? No other place than Jeff Brashares' home 2205 Wingate Dr., Delaware, OH 43015 (614-361-7299). His pool will be open at 5 PM, dinner at 6 PM and our meeting will follow dinner. We need your input at this meeting for planning a trip to one of the following:

- Carillon Historical Park, Dayton, OH
- Marietta, OH
- Portsmouth, OH

Check out the May minutes for a full list of our meetings and activities. We need to add that our October 23rd meeting will be at the Air Force Museum, 100 Spaatz St, Dayton, OH 45433. We must be there NLT 10 AM. For more information contact Coordinator, Bill Griffin, (griffinbuick@hotmail.com or 937-884-7401).

The Arthritis Foundation will have their 29th Annual Classic Auto Show and Cruise-in July 8th and 9th, 2011 (Dublin Metro Center, Dublin, OH). Don't forget to pre-register.

There will not be a meeting in July but mark your calendars as our August meeting will be on Saturday, August 27th. Check the minutes for more detail.

Thank You
—Larry Robinson, Director

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June Birthdays

William Probst	2
Sherri Zaiser	4
Marie Fields	5
Dan Coleman	6
Hank Shields	7
Kim Fields	11
Brian Stone	18
Maryethel Hunkins	23
Bob Lochmeyer	27
Jack Mecham	27

Anniversaries

Gary and Lynn Goldenbogen	
Kevin and Cheri Moore	18
Ed and Maryethel Hunkins	21
Sam and Bev Harrison	25
Bill and Ruth Pacey	27

Buick Insignia Patches

Support the Central Ohio Chapter with your purchase of a 3 inch cloth patch with the BCA logo. \$5.00 each

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Mail to: W. Dan Coleman
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1964 Buick Special Convertible:

My brother Tom was tragically killed riding his Harley on May 12. I am helping his kids deal with some of his belongings. We would like to sell this car ASAP for what ever it is worth. It's an all original V-6, Auto, convertible but in need of restoration. It hasn't run in 20+ years but has been stored inside. It's intact and a good candidate for a complete restoration. If you or anyone has any interest please feel free to contact me. The car is located in Goshen, Ohio just East of Cincinnati off I-275 and can be inspected most anytime.

—Tony Fritz, 513.616.3503.



On a recent trip to Düsseldorf Germany I began to notice several vintage American cars and motorcycles on the road. Most were from the early to late 60s and in very good condition. As it turns out, there is a growing interest among Europeans to own and drive American cars and Buicks are one of the more desirable brands.

I stumbled across this book at an outdoor market entitled *Dream Cars*, printed in German. Prominently displayed on the cover is The Buick Y-Job, widely recognized as auto industry's first concept car.



Join us for the 29th annual Arthritis Foundation Classic Auto Show and Cruise-In! Our featured Marques for 2011 will celebrate 100 years of Chevrolet, 75 years of Volkswagen and 50 years of the Jaguar XKE.

29th ANNUAL CLASSIC AUTO SHOW & CRUISE-IN JULY 8th & 9th, 2011

DUBLIN METRO CENTER, DUBLIN OHIO (COLUMBUS AREA)

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Saturday's show is a concours format featuring 50 classes, along with several show-within-a-show specialty classes. Judging takes place in the afternoon with an awards parade at 4:30 p.m. Following the awards parade, Phil Dirt and the Dozers will rock the house with music from the 50's, 60's and 70's. You won't want to miss this show!



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FOR MORE SHOW INFORMATION, VISIT OUR NEWLY REDESIGNED WEBSITE AT: WWW.ARTHRITISAUTOSHOW.COM

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May Meeting Minutes

The meeting was held on May 19 at the Right Stuff, 200 Intek Way, Westerville, OH.

Meeting opened by Larry Robinson.

Minutes – Sam Harrison absent. Sabrina Robinson volunteered to take the minutes.

Minutes from the April meeting were read - Approved
Treasurer's Report - \$4,374.95 - Approved

Tom Kromer audited the treasurer's books (January 2009 – March 2011) including the Buick Regional Meet that was held in 2010. Everything was found to be in order.

The attendees thanked Bill Griffin for his accuracy with the books.

Old Business

- Sunshine Committee
 - Acknowledged Richard Well's death
 - Rob Herr thanked the club for the sympathy card regarding his father-in law's passing
 - Kim Fields is fighting cancer. Sunshine Committee will send a card.
 - The Westfalls thanked everyone that sent cards and attended their 60th wedding anniversary.
- Patch Sales – (51 = \$205) Fifty from Niagara Frontier Chapter and 1 from an individual
- Arthritis Foundation – 628 currently registered. QFM-96 radio will be broadcasting from the Arthritis auto show on Friday, July 8th.
 - June 7th (Tuesday) is the Annual Arthritis Foundation Golf Classic – Tartan Field Golf Club starting at 10 AM.

Events/Meetings:

May 21st - Our BCA Chapter is invited to join the Hurst Olds Club for the Hurst Olds Club Day Out. They will visit the pedal car museum in Newark at 2 PM then travel to Granville to Steve and Susan Hunkins' camp ground for a cookout. Please take a side dish and chairs. More

information can be found in the Horn or by contacting Steve or Susan Hunkins (eddieh455@earthlink.net /614-268-4491).

May 30th is the Mt. Victory, OH car show. Please join us at the Marysville Bob Evans (8 AM) for breakfast then caravan to Mt. Victory for the car show. It is free, the car show that is!! Call John Westfall for more details (home 937-747-3742 cell 937-243-3915).

On Friday, June 3rd we plan on cruising to Circleville and participate in the Roundtown Cruisers' cruise-in. Drive your Buick to the cruise-in. Steve Hunkins, Our Assistant Activities Coordinator will provide us with more details.

June 4th & 5th – Lancaster Car Show at the Fairgrounds. Those that have attended say this is an EXCELLENT car show!

NEW DATE FOR JUNE MEETING - Due to a travel conflict Jeff Brashares needed to change the meeting date at his home. The new meeting date is Monday, June 20th. Jeff is still hosting at his home 2205 Wingate Dr., Delaware, OH 43015 (614-361-7299). His pool will be open at 5 PM, dinner is at 6 PM and our meeting will follow dinner.

Saturday, June 25th 8AM – 3 PM – Cruisin' Tommy's Diner, 914 W. Broad St., Columbus (next to the Florentine Restaurant). Judging at noon to 2 PM, Award at 2:45 PM (best corvette, best street rod, best muscle car, Tommy's Pick, Best Rat Rod, Judge's picks (5).

July 4th is the Urbana car show. John Westfall said to take RT 68 North out of Urbana and the car show is between Skelly Lumber and the airport, you can't miss it. Drive your Buick and let the gate keeper know that you are in the Buick Club. The club will pay the registration fee if you advise the gate keeper that you are with the Buick club.

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August 4 – 6 Great Lakes Regional Meet 2011 – Westlake, OH sponsored by North East Ohio Chapter. Registration forms can be obtained on our web site www.centralohiochapter.com or by calling Larry Robinson 614-206-4591.

Our August BCA Meeting will be on Saturday, August 27th. We are going back to Mt. Victory, OH. This time we will have dinner at the Mt. Victory Restaurant, 481 S. Main St. Dinner will be at 5 PM and our meeting will follow dinner. During our April meeting the membership voted to have our treasury pay for our dinner. We will pay for BCA Chapter Members and their immediate family. Note: Others are welcome but they must pay exact change for their own dinner, \$17 each, which includes tax and tip. Exact change is appreciated as our Treasurer, Bill Griffin must write one check for our meals. Please RSVP to Steve Hunkins (eddieh455@earthlink.net or call 614-268-4491) No Later than August 20.

Our September BCA Meeting will be hosted by Tom and Dana Kromer on Sunday, September 11th. You can arrive for social hour at 3 PM and chow, a carry-in please, will begin at 4 PM. Their address is 6450 Martin Place, Dublin, OH 43017-1444 (614-791-9668).

Our November will be on November 17 – 6 PM Dinner at Der Dutchman, 445 S. Jefferson Ave., Plain City, OH 43064 (614)873-3414

We Are Still Need Of A Committee Chairman for Historian/Librarian. Notify Larry Robinson if you are interested.

- o Tom Schoener donated some history of the club for 1986 – 1988. He will assist the committee chairman.
- o We are looking for the total history of the club from 1974 and beyond. If you have anything to contribute notify Larry Robinson.

New Business

Cruising Magazine (May/June Issue) Ohio Section is on pages 42–45 - Our own STEVE HUNKINS is featured in the Ohio section on page 43. In the article Steve shares how he became interested in cars. Page 44 includes a picture of Steve's '69 Hurst Olds and Larry Robinson's '72 Buick Electra 225. Copies of the magazine were disseminated to the attendees. Additional copies are available at Steve and Larry's shops. Meeting adjourned at 8:50 PM.

Thank You

—Sabrina Robinson, Acting Secretary

Sunshine Corner

Kim Fields and Phil McKittrick are fighting cancer. Please keep them in your thoughts and prayers.

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