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Membership Meeting & PLOW DAY

Hosted by
TOM & LINDA CLINE



OCTOBER 10, 2026
9595 S. Charleston Pike
South Charleston, Ohio

*Come enjoy a day of
plowing, food, fellowship
and a great meeting!*



9:00 a.m.

Arrive to plow

11:00 a.m.

Director Meeting

12:00 noon

LUNCH

Please bring a
covered dish to share

1:00 p.m.

Membership Meeting

2:30 p.m.

Safe travels home
or plow more!

★ YOU MUST BE A MEMBER OF OHIO CHAPTER 6 TO PLOW. ★

★★★★ Don't Forget! ★★★★★

Ohio Chapter 6 will have our

ANNUAL DISPLAY

★★★★★ at the ★★★★★

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★ Hope to see you there! ★

Ohio Chapter 6 was honored to be invited by the Ohio State Fair to create a display in the Machinery Building. We were told that three organizations were contacted, and Chapter 6 was the only group to respond.

Fourteen members volunteered to display tractors, engines, and other pieces of International Harvester equipment. Setup took place on Sunday, July 26, and the displays will remain throughout the fair before being picked up on August 10.

Director Doug Fisher coordinated the display, which occupied three separate areas within the open-sided building. The Ohio State Fair provided rope barriers around each display area, creating an attractive and safe exhibit for the thousands of fairgoers who passed through the building.

A special thank you goes to Lars Larson, who attended through out the week. He watched over the displays, welcomed visitors, and answered questions about the equipment and the International Harvester Collectors Club.

Members Who Displayed Equipment

- Dave Garrett
- Doug & Connie Etzkorn
- Doug & Sherrie Fisher
- Howard Violet
- Jim Gilkey
- John Willmott
- Lars Larson
- Mark Ingram
- Ron & Deb Lantz
- Sam Price
- Steve Smith



A few fairgoers stop to admire the Ohio Chapter 6 display during the 2026 Ohio State Fair.

A sincere thank you to everyone who volunteered their time and equipment to make the Ohio Chapter 6 display a success. Your willingness to represent our club and share the history of International Harvester with fair visitors helped make this exhibit something we can all be proud of.





STATE FAIR

JULY 29 - AUGUST 9, 2026





Ohio Chapter 6 members who traveled to Huron, South Dakota, for the 2026 Red Power Round Up pose for a group photo on Friday, June 26, 2026.



PHOTOS FROM 2026 RPRU HURON, SOUTH DAKOTA



2026 CLARK COUNTY FAIR

Below are some of the International Harvester equipment and historical items that were on display during the 2026 Clark County Fair, held July 24–31 in Springfield, Ohio.

The display was hosted by the Clark County Heritage Center and organized by Mike Kranz.

Several members of Ohio Chapter 6 were invited to exhibit tractors, trucks, engines, and other International Harvester equipment, helping showcase IH's rich agricultural heritage to the thousands of fairgoers who attended throughout the week. The display was a great opportunity to share the history of International Harvester and introduce a new generation to the company's agricultural legacy.





With Deepest Sympathy

Richard C. "Dick" Rosenbauer, 89, of Wapakoneta,
passed away at 3:29 p.m., Saturday, August 8, 2026

<https://www.schlosserfuneralhome.com/obituaries/richard-rosenbauer>



DIRECTOR ELECTION NOTICE



Three Director positions will be up for election at the International Harvester Collectors Club- Ohio Chapter 6 **Winter Meeting on January 9, 2027.**

The positions are currently held by Steve Smith, Doug Fisher, and Ken Bohman.

Members interested in serving as a Director are encouraged to place their name on the ballot. Candidates should submit a recent photo along with a brief biography for publication in the Buckeye Binder prior to the election.

Submissions must be e-mailed by October 20, 2026 to:

Sherrie Fisher
fishereliteservices@outlook.com

Members who do not submit information by the deadline may still run for a Director position, as nominations will also be accepted from the floor at the Winter Meeting on January 9, 2027.

We encourage members who are interested in helping lead Ohio Chapter 6 and support its future to consider running for one of these Director positions.

2026 IHCC NATIONAL DIRECTOR



Doug Fisher

Chapter 6 Members,

The International Harvester Collectors Club will soon hold its national election for officers. Your ballot will be included in or mailed with your Fall Harvester Highlights.

At this summer's Red Power Round Up, I was honored to be asked to run for one of the three open positions on the IHCC National Board of Directors. I accepted the nomination because I believe in the future of our club and would like the opportunity to represent the interests of all IHCC members.

Serving as a director of Ohio Chapter 6 has been a rewarding experience, and I would be honored to continue serving the organization at the national level.

I respectfully ask for your support and would sincerely appreciate your vote. Thank you for your confidence, your friendship, and for everything you do to support the International Harvester Collectors Club.

Thank you for your consideration and your vote.
Doug Fisher Director, Ohio Chapter 6

PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

I hope everyone is enjoying their summer. Where I live, we just can't seem to get some good rains. Crops look okay despite not getting a lot of rain.



Take time to go to your favorite tractor show, maybe the lake, or take in a baseball game. Don't forget to keep the family happy, too.

Now is the time to start finding your treasures to put in the National Auction in November. Just remember, if you sell some things, it could make for a happy wife.

Hope to see you at the next club meeting.
Steve

MERCHANDISE UPDATE

Ohio Chapter 6 also operated a merchandise booth during the 2026 Red Power Round Up in Huron, South Dakota. Friday was our busiest day, with more than 70 T-shirts sold between 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. By the end of the show, only six shirts featuring this year's exclusive design remained.

In addition to T-shirts, members and visitors purchased hats, books, stickers, and International Harvester fabric throughout the event. The merchandise booth was a great success and provided another opportunity to promote Ohio Chapter 6 while connecting with collectors from across the country.

A special thank-you goes to everyone who helped make the booth a success. Doug and Sherrie Fisher transported and managed the merchandise, with assistance from Vickie Severt, Doug and Connie Etzkorn, and John Willmott. Your time and hard work were greatly appreciated.

The exclusive 2026 Red Power Round Up T-shirts were so popular that we placed another order after returning to Ohio. If you missed getting one in Huron, we'll have them available for purchase at upcoming Chapter 6 events while supplies last.



NEW MERCHANDISE DIRECTOR★★★★★

Ken Bohman has stepped down as Ohio Chapter 6 Merchandise Chairman. We sincerely thank Ken & Diana for their hard work and commitment in helping make our merchandise program a success.

We are pleased to announce that Director **John Yowler has volunteered to assume the role of Merchandise Chairman.** We appreciate John's willingness to serve and look forward to working with him as he continues to expand and manage our Chapter 6 merchandise program.

Please join us in thanking Ken for his service and wishing John the very best in his new position.



OHIO CHAPTER 6

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(\$20 NATIONAL AND \$15 STATE)

MEMBERSHIPS RUN JUNE 1 – JUNE 1



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CALENDAR of EVENTS



SEPT. 4-7, 2026

Summer / State Show

• Membership Meeting – Sept. 5



White Star Park, Gibsonburg, OH



SEPT. 22-24, 2026

Farm Science Review



London, OH



OCT. 10, 2026

Fall Meeting & Plow Day



9595 S. Charleston Pike,
South Charleston, OH



OCT. 20, 2026

Buckeye Binder Deadline



*Submit biographies, photos, articles
& event information*



NOV. 13-14, 2026

IH Collectors Club National Auction



Hosted by Ohio Chapter 6, Neapolis, OH

The Spring edition of The Buckeye Binder took nearly **30 days** to travel from the printer to members' mailboxes. To help ensure you receive the next issue in a more timely manner, I am asking that all articles, photos, announcements, event information, and other items for publication be submitted to me no later than October 20, 2026.

Meeting this deadline will allow me time to design and proof the newsletter, then send it to the printer earlier, giving the U.S. Postal Service additional time for delivery before the Winter Meeting.

31st Annual IH Collectors Club National Auction

Hosted by International Harvester Collectors Club-Ohio Chapter 6



Friday November 13, 2026 @ 12:00 noon
Saturday November 14, 2026 @ 10:00 a.m.



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Membership Number: Ohio _____

National: _____

MEMBER INFORMATION

Date: _____

Full Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES

\$35.00

PER YEAR

(National dues \$20.00
+ Ohio Chapter 6 dues \$15.00)

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION



4 quarterly editions of the national magazine "Harvester Highlights"



4 quarterly editions of the Chapter 6 newsletter "The Buckeye Binder"



4 quarterly meetings a year



A membership card will be mailed to new members.
(I need a replacement card) ☐



Memberships run June to June.



RETURN THIS FORM WITH A CHECK MADE OUT TO:



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