

PRAIRIE CORVETTE GAZETTE

January 2020

Newsletter

**National Corvette
Restorers Society**

Next Meeting

January 25, 2020

9am - 12pm

**John Osterholm's House
3447 S. 220th St
Elkhorn, NE 68022**

**Chapter Chairman's
Message**

Gary and Chuck have had their first meeting to begin work on the accounting changes required to meet all of the NCRS financial reporting requirements necessary to meet our goal of Top Flying the Nebraska Chapter in 2020. Chuck will continue to work closely with

Nebraska Chapter



Gary to insure a seamless transition in the financial activities of the club....

Brad Hillhouse continues to work on developing an active schedule of events for this year. The technical session at John Osterholm's house this month is a great opportunity to learn about replacing the main wiring harness in a mid-year...

Margie and I will be hosting the annual club social and election of officers at my place on March 21st. This will be a low key event with the opportunity for long term and new members to get to know each other better...

Just a reminder that in 2020, the Rocky Mountain Regional will be held in Loveland, Colorado, the North Central Regional will be held in Rochester, Minnesota, and the National Convention will be held in French Lick, Indiana. All of

these events are within driving distance. Not only does this give Nebraska members a chance to learn from the excellent cars that will be there but also to support the NCRS members who are from these clubs. **Regards, Gene**

Judging Chairman's Message

2019 was a great building year for the NCRS Nebraska Chapter. I want to thank everyone that came to a judging school, judging meet or technical session. I was supported by a great team of NCRS members and it has been fun getting to know many of you better. Our membership is increasing and I am excited about the future of NCRS Nebraska.

I want to thank our December meeting host, John Thomsen, for inviting us to his house for a Judging School on the topic of batteries. It was a great meeting, lots of people in attendance and I hope you all learned a little more about judging batteries and NCRS standard deductions.

Our January 2020 meeting is being hosted by member John Osterholm at his house on Saturday January 25. This will be a Technical Session and the topic will be installing a new dash wiring harness in a C2 Corvette. James West has been very helpful in making the arrangements to get this month's meeting setup and I think it will be very informative for everyone. Using a 1966 Corvette as our subject we will be installing the dash wiring harness and accessories inside the cabin. We will use several GM service and assembly manuals as well as other owners knowledge to install a new dash wiring harness as was done on the assembly line in St. Louis. Even if you never need to replace your wiring harness, every Corvette owner should have some general wiring knowledge, and this will be a good learning experience for anyone that is interested in C2 Corvettes. Join us for a great tech school.

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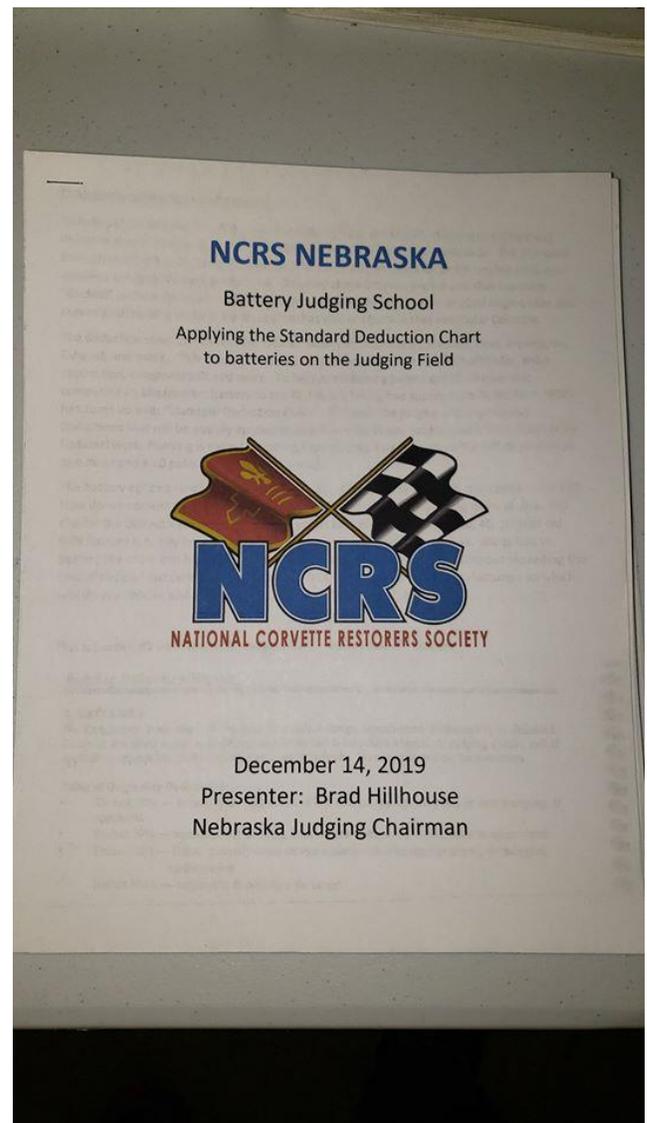
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Please RSVP to BradHillhouse@yahoo.com so that we can plan for coffee & rolls.

**In 2020 I am planning to have an NCRS event once every month so that we can continue to keep you interested in the NCRS Nebraska Chapter and give you plenty of opportunities to get involved. Do you have an interesting idea for a judging school or technical seminar? Do you have a project on a Corvette that you would like advice or assistance with? Part of building the chapter is getting more people involved and I need your help! Let me know your ideas, we just might have our next meeting in your garage! Here is to a great New Year! Brad Hillhouse
NCRS Nebraska Judging
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Photos from the Judging School and Technical Session on December 14th @ John Thomsen's house in Omaha

Freezing cold outside, but warm and friendly inside at the Nebraska chapter battery judging school! Thank you to everyone that attended. John, a great owner and new chapter member shared his 65 Corvette Coupe with us. 14 members in attendance.







The NCRS Nebraska Chapter website is up and running strong! This is a great place to see more photos, stories and information about our chapter and NCRS Nebraska members that

participate in other Corvette and NCRS Events around the country.

I am always looking for more content, photos, stories, etc. to add to the website. If you have pictures and a story of you and your Corvette, please forward them to me at BradHillhouse@yahoo.com to be uploaded onto our chapter website:

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2019 - NCRS Nebraska
Chapter Meetings,
Activities, Functions
and Upcoming Events
Nebraska Chapter
Meetings & Events are
listed below in BLUE.

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February 19-22, 2020 NCRS
Florida Regional in Lakeland,
FL

May 14-16, 2020 NCRS
Adirondack Regional in
Albany, NY

May 28-30, 2020 NCRS Rocky
Mountain Regional in
Loveland, CO

June 11-13, 2020 NCRS
North Central Regional in
Rochester, MN

July 19-23, 2020 NCRS
Nation Convention in French
Lick, IN

August 20-22, 2020 NCRS
Northwest Regional in
Redmond, OR

October 22-24, 2020 NCRS
Texas Regional in Frisco, TX