

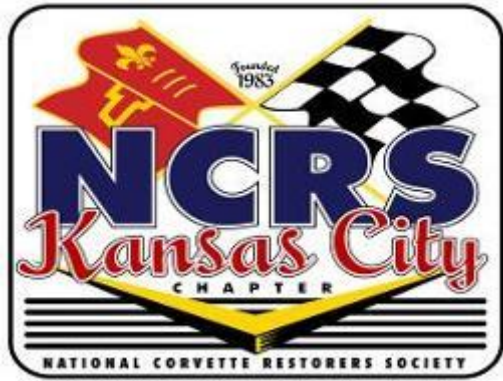
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Message from the Chairman

KC NCRS Chapter Members,

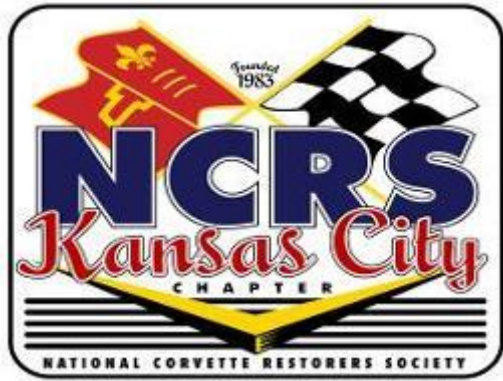
We had a GREAT turnout at the Nominations Dinner last month---for those of you who hadn't been to the Armacost Museum before---I'm sure you will agree that it is nothing less than spectacular! Great friends--Great Presentation---Great food---Great Atmosphere---and of course Great cars! Who could ask for more! Thanks again to Brian and Jennifer Neher for the use of the facility. Thanks also to Jim Cianciolo for coordinating his DIL Alisha for her NASA presentation. And just so everyone knows---we have the museum reserved for next year the same weekend---so if you didn't attend---you can plan 12 months in advance!

Congrats again to Jim Curtis for being elected as our Chapter President for 2025---Jim is a the perfect person to lead our Chapter into 2025, through our Regional Judging Event and beyond! I am the co-chair of the "Show-Me" Regional along with John Foster from our sister St Louis Chapter and will now have more time to devote to planning and executing the event! It has been an absolute Privilege and Honor to serve as your Chapter Chairman first---and later Chapter President these past 3 years! Lisa and I will still be very involved in our Chapter and hope to continue assisting Jim and the leadership team as we navigate 2025 and beyond. Please contact me if you need assistance in anyway.

As the Holiday Season is coming very soon---make sure you spend as much time with Family and Friends as you can. See you at the next Chapter Meeting!

Jon F. Shafer

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Message from the Chairman continued

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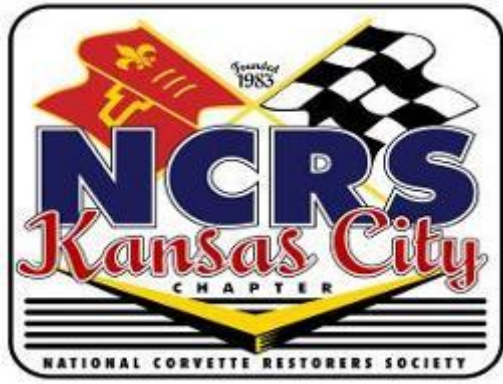
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Message from the Vice Chairman

NCRS Vice Chairman notes by John Hecker

Our club members have been busy for the past couple of months.

Back in October several of us traveled to Lincoln Nebraska for the last Blast event. There were over 100 people attending the event from several states. There was a presentation given by John Amgwert and David Burroughs with over 600 slides on the last corvette made in St. Louis, great to see.

Next event in October was the Frisco Texas Regional where again several members attended. There were several cars there to judge.

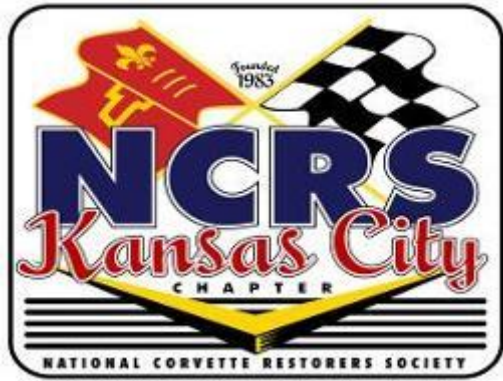
In November we had the Nominations dinner/ Holiday party at the Armacost Museum. Great place to have the event. We had a guest speaker Alicia Dwyer Cianciolo from NASA talking to us about the work being done toward future missions to the Moon.

Bob Henn, Jerry Adams and I have been working with the C6 team lead starting the judging of the next group of cars 2008 through 2010. We have judged 6 cars with 4 being from our chapter members. We are only doing Mechanical and Chassis for Pete the team lead. I want to thank Chapter members Charlie Dwyer, Adam Hoehn, Terry McCale and Brian Schoenfish for letting us look at their cars. We will continue judging cars after the holidays. Let us know if you have a car that we can judge.

The next Regional is in Florida this January.

As a reminder, check the NCRS web site for new upcoming events.

John



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Membership Manager

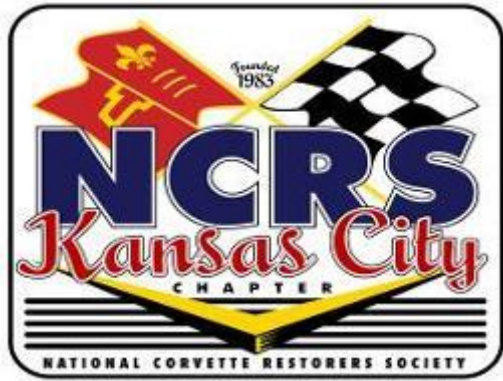
Membership News

We are off to a GREAT start with our membership renewal for 2025!! Thanks to everyone who has already paid. We currently have a roster of just over 100 active and inactive members and as of December 5 we have 33 members who have paid their dues for 2025! That is awesome!

Just a reminder – 2025 membership dues are due by **December 31**. Of course, we don't penalize anyone for going into the next year and during my time as Membership Manager we have not sent out a reminder or notice until February of the following year. I have already sent out a blast to the membership and may send one more before the end of the year. By sending the notice via the Webmaster blast, every member on the roster will receive the email. So, if you get a reminder and you have already paid, PLEASE just ignore the blast – you are good!!!

And on a different note, I will soon be turning this effort over to another member to handle and I would like to thank everyone who has received an email, text or phone call about paying your dues. Even when I have made a mistake, everyone has been cordial, professional and understanding!!! I couldn't make it as a bill collector.

I am excited about taking on a new role with the chapter and I want to thank everyone in advance for your patience, guidance and support as we move forward in 2025. I am sure I will seek advice from many of you – I always want to hear from the long-time members who have been involved in this great hobby for many years as well as the newcomers who have great fresh ideas! Together, we can achieve much, much more!!!



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Message from the Editor

Here we are at the end of another year. I hope it has been a wonderful year for each and every one of you. I know my year has been very busy. Looking at the event calendars it looks like next year is going to be busy too. Now is the time to plan ahead so you don't miss any of your favorite events.

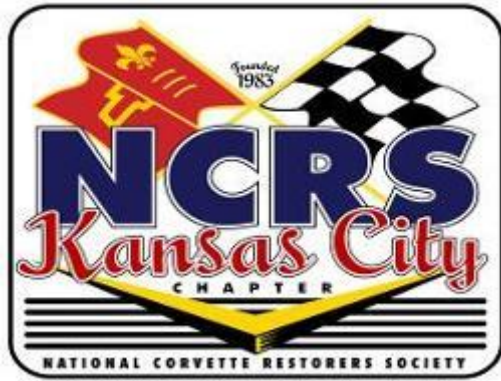
This coming year Kansas City and St. Louis is putting on a joint Regional in Springfield , Mo. This is going to take a lot of work by both clubs. Please volunteer to make this an outstanding regional event. I know there are several groups already planning to come and I would love to hear what a great event this was.

The newsletter is still taking articles, pictures, and advertisements. On advertisements, I will put it in one newsletter and then delete it unless you tell me you want to run it again. I still want articles on events you go to. Share your experiences, good or bad.

Along with the newsletter I am going to attach a link to a spreadsheet Jim Curtis has done for technical articles, judging schools, and publishing the newsletter. I think this is a great idea. I think it gives everyone the ability to look forward to opportunities that will be coming in the next year. Thanks Jim!!!!!!

Until next time,

Cindy



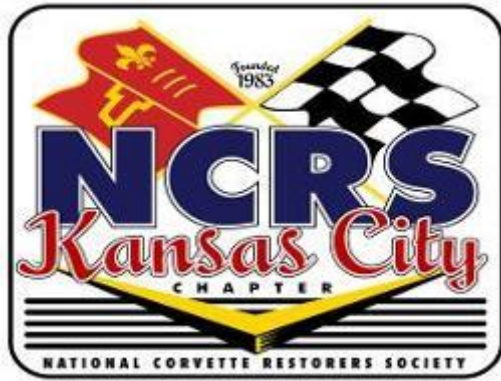
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Monthly Meeting Places and Dates

Start Date	Description	Location	Time	Classification
Tuesday, January 14, 2025	KC Chapter Meeting	1. Old Shawnee Pizza, 6000 Roger Rd., Shawnee, KS		KC Chapter
Tuesday, February 11, 2025	KC Chapter Meeting	2. Smokehouse Barbecue, 1900 E. 39th St, Independence, MO		KC Chapter
Tuesday, March 11, 2025	KC Chapter Meeting	3. Stone Canyon Pizza, Parkville MO		KC Chapter
Tuesday, April 8, 2025	KC Chapter Meeting	4. The Other Place, 22730 Midland Dr. Shawnee, KS		KC Chapter
Tuesday, May 13, 2025	KC Chapter Meeting	5. Pizza Shoppe, 1105 W. Main St. Blue Springs, MO		KC Chapter
Tuesday, June 10, 2025	KC Chapter Meeting	6. Tim's Pizza 17201 East US Hwy 40 Indep MO		KC Chapter
Tuesday, July 8, 2025	KC Chapter Meeting	1. Old Shawnee Pizza, 6000 Roger Rd., Shawnee, KS		KC Chapter
Tuesday, August 12, 2025	KC Chapter Meeting	2. Smokehouse Barbecue, 1900 E. 39th St, Independence, MO		KC Chapter
Tuesday, October 14, 2025	KC Chapter Meeting	3. Stone Canyon Pizza, Parkville MO		KC Chapter
Tuesday, November 11, 2025	KC Chapter Meeting	4. The Other Place, 22730 Midland Dr. Shawnee, KS		KC Chapter
Saturday, November 22, 2025	KC Chapter Nomination Dinner	Armacost Museum, Grandview MO		KC Chapter
Tuesday, December 9, 2025	KC Chapter Meeting	5. Pizza Shoppe, 1105 W. Main St. Blue Springs, MO		KC Chapter



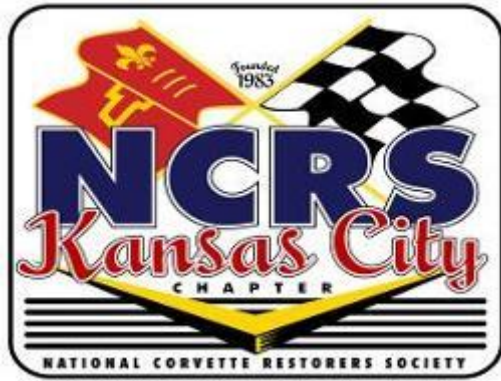
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Upcoming Events Of Interest

Start Date	End Date	Description	Location	Classification
Wednesday, January 8, 2025	Friday, January 10, 2025	Bloomington Gold - Judging Event Only	Kissimmee, FL	Other Chapter
Saturday, May 17, 2025	Saturday, May 17, 2025	Randy Potter Collection Tour	Boonville MO	Placeholder
Friday, June 6, 2025	Saturday, June 7, 2025	Bloomington Gold	Bloomington, IL	Other Chapter
Saturday, June 21, 2025	Saturday, June 21, 2025	KC Chapter Picnic	Shawnee Mission Park, KS	KC Chapter
Saturday, August 23,	Saturday, August 23,	Northwest Ark. 28th Annual	Rogers, AR	Other Chapter
Friday, September 5,	Saturday, September	Bloomington Gold - Judging	Dallas, TX	Other Chapter
Thursday, September 25, 2025	Saturday, September 27, 2025	Eureka Springs Car Show	Eureka Springs, AR	Other Chapter
Friday, November 21, 2025	Saturday, November 22, 2025	MCACN	Rosemont, IL	Other Chapter
Saturday, November 22, 2025	Saturday, November 22, 2025	KC Chapter Nomination Dinner	Armacost Museum, Grandview MO	KC Chapter



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Upcoming NCRS Events

Start Date	End Date	Description	Location	Class
Thursday, January 16, 2025	Saturday, January 18, 2025	Florida Regional	Melbourne FL	Regional
Thursday, April 3, 2025	Saturday, April 5, 2025	Carolinas Regional	Pendleton SC	Regional
Thursday, April 11, 2024	Saturday, April 12, 2025	Kansas City Chapter Judging Event	TBD	KC Chapter
Friday, April 25, 2025	Saturday, April 26, 2025	Heartland Chapter Spring Meet	Des Moines IA	Other Chapter
Thursday, May 1, 2025	Saturday, May 3, 2025	Arizona Regional	Glendale AZ	Regional
Friday, May 9, 2025	Saturday, May 10, 2025	North Central Spring Chapter Meet	Menomie WI	Other Chapter
Thursday, July 17, 2025	Saturday, July 19, 2025	Show-Me Regional	Springfield MO	Regional
Friday, August 1, 2025	Saturday, August 2, 2025	North Central Fall Meet	Long Lake, MN	Other Chapter
Sunday, September 7, 2025	Thursday, September 11, 2025	NCRS National	Las Vegas	National
Friday, September 26, 2025	Saturday, September 27, 2025	Heartland Chapter Fall Meet	Des Moines IA	Place-holder
Friday, October 3, 2025	Saturday, October 4, 2025	Heartland Chapter Fall Meet Placeholder	Des Moines IA	Place-holder
Thursday, October 23, 2025	Saturday, October 25, 2025	Texas Regional	Frisco, TX	Regional

Donation to Children’s Mercy Hospital



Heartland Chapter Meet



Top Flight for Jim's beautiful car

Heartland Chapter Meet



I know it's in there somewhere

Heartland Chapter Meet



Getting up and down isn't getting any easier

Last Blast in Lincoln, Nebraska



Funny looking corvette. Looks like a big fishing lure

Last blast in Lincoln, Nebraska



Awesome place for a judging meet

Texas Regional



Jon doing C3 judging in Texas

Texas Regional



Jim hard at work judging a C4 in Texas

Texas Regional



Our car in Texas for Sportsman Award

Helping write the next C6 manual



Bob, Brian, John and Jerry gathering information to help write the judging manual for the next group of C6's that will soon be eligible for flight judging

Nominations Dinner at the Armacost Museum



Jim presenting Jon and Lisa with a gift of appreciation from the club

Nominations Dinner at the Armacost Museum



The beautiful Armacost Museum

Nominations Dinner at the Armacost Museum



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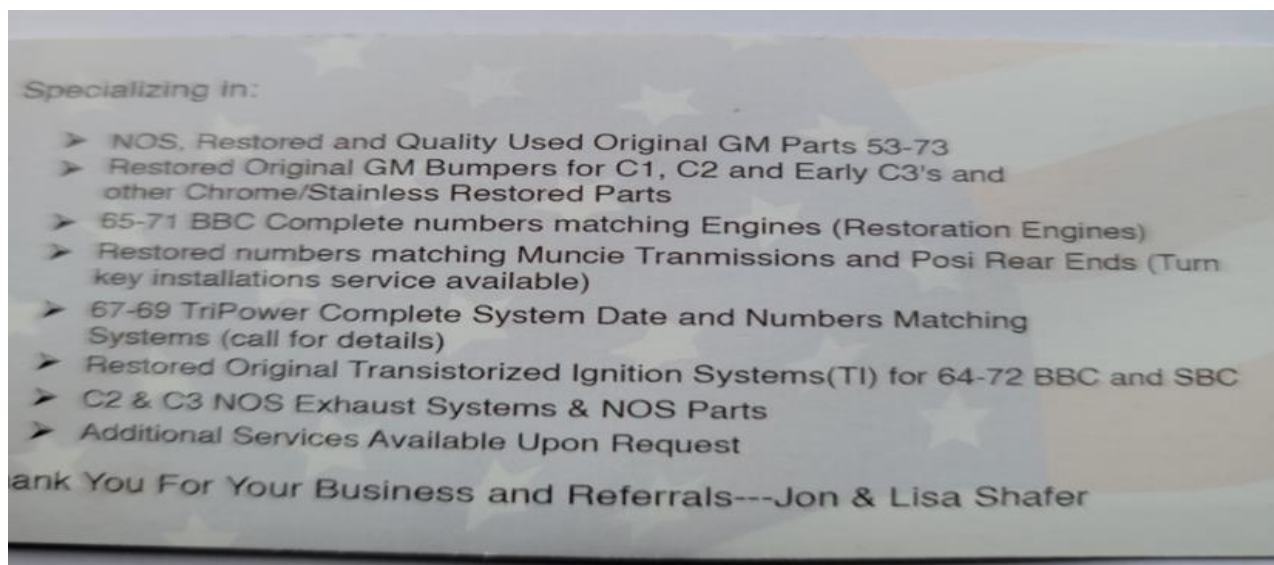
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