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Thoughts from the Chairperson

Chairman's Message:

Hi Everyone,

It was great to see so many at our annual Holiday Party held at Villa Olivia in Bartlett once again this year. The brunch was delicious as usual, and the service was exceptional. Thank you, Joyce Colletti, for the festive centerpieces. We appreciate your dedication to finding us the perfect one!

I was happy to see we were able to be back in and fill up our old room this year, the Emerald Room. With the beautiful decorations, it was the right touch for the Holidays!

Our next event is our Kickoff Part/Membership session. Due to the growing number of people in attendance we decided to move this event to Fox's Pizza, located in Mokena, on Feb. 2, 2025. You should have received your flyer via email. I look forward to this new location. Through personal experience, I can let you know that they have wonderful service and great food. I look forward to seeing everyone there!

As usual, your Board of Directors and Officershave been busy planning our Spring/Summer events. We are excited to put together the list of the 2025 events. Please check this newsletter and our website to save the date on your calendars. We have many events scheduled this year.

Many thanks to all the members who make our Chapter exist and make our activities possible. It is teamwork and friendship that make us successful! I look forward to seeing all of you soon!

Bill Braun

ILNCRS Chairman



FUTURE ILLINOIS CHAPTER EVENTS INCLUDE:

ILNCRS Kick-Off Party – Fox's on Wolf, Mokena, IL - February 2nd
ILNCRS Tech Session – Fiberglass Repair, Sandwich, IL - February 15th
ILNCRS Spring Judging Meet – Pontiac, IL - May 16th-17th

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WELCOME NEW MEMBER TO THE ILLINOIS CHAPTER

Joel Emery 52466 (Welcome Back!)

See website! NCRS.org

NCRS COMING EVENTS

01-25-2025 Indiana Chapter Virtual School - Intake Manifolds 02-15-2025 Illinois Chapter IL Chapter Tech Session 02-15-2025 Heart of Ohio Chapter Virtual School - Glass 02-22-2025 Texas Chapter Tech/Judging-C3 Seat Reupholstery 03-01-2025 Carolinas Chapter Make-up Fall Judging 03-08-2025 Southern Arizona Chapter 2025 Spring Judging Meet 03-14-2025 - 03-15-2025 Southeast Chapter Southeast NCRS Spring Meet 03-23-2025 Mason-Dixon Chapter Ron Adams Chevrolet Spring Meet 03-28-2025 - 03-29-2025 Southern California Chapter SCC JESSUP AUTO 03-30-2025 New England Chapter 2025 New England CH Speaker Series 04-03-2025 - 04-06-2025 Carolinas Chapter Carolinas Regional 2025 04-11-12-2025 Northern California Chapter 2025 NCC Spring Judging Meet 04-12-2025 New England Chapter 2025 Spring Mt 04-25-2025 - 04-26-2025 Heartland Chapter 's Spring Judging 04-26-2025 Heart of Ohio Chapter Judging Meet 04-27-2025 Delaware Valley Chapter Delaware Valley 43rd Run 4 Ribbons 05-01-2025 - 05-03-2025 Arizona Chapter Arizona 2025 Regional 05-09-10-2025 North Central Chapter 2025 Spring Chapter Meet & School

05-16-17-2025 - Illinois Chapter IL Chapter NCRS Spring Judging Meet

ILLINOIS NCRS MEMBERS AT MORRIS, ILLINOIS SWAP MEET OCTOBER 6th







Illinois members attend the excellent







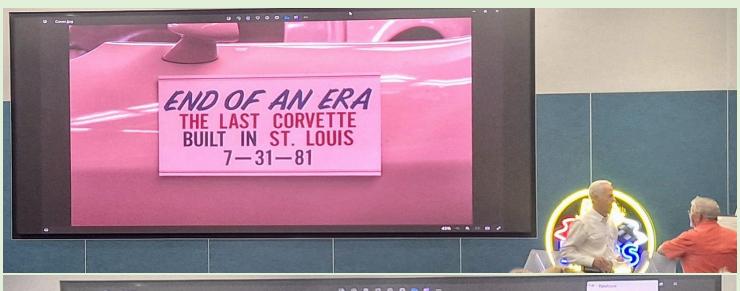


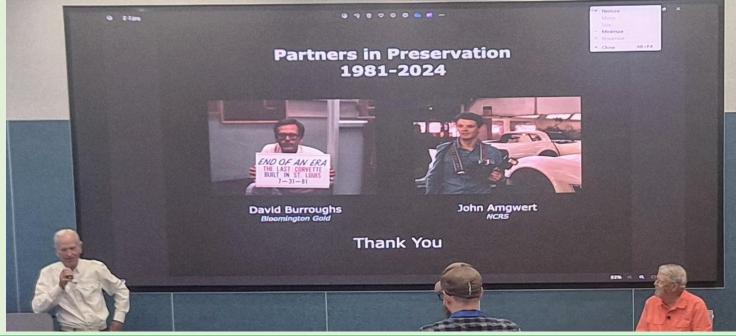






Presentation by David Burroughs and John Amgwert at the Last Blast 2024





ILNCRS Members at MCACN Show November 22-24



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Tim Scheutz 1967

Scott Lindee 1971

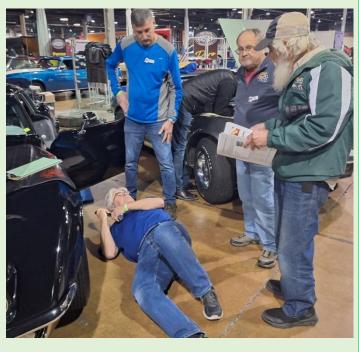
Bob Sinclair 1954

Joseph Verillo 1969

Ron Ciaglia 1959

Mike Durec 1954







Unveiling a 1969 L88 that was reunited with its original engine 54 years later.



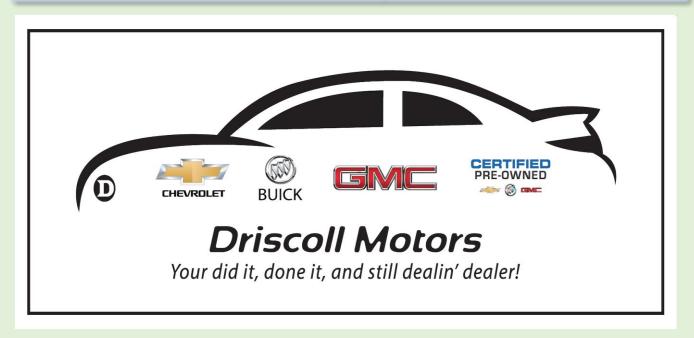
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At MCACN





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