



Illinois NCRS – Board/Officers Meeting – Sept 1, 2026

GoToMeeting – 6:30pm

Minutes in blue

Attendance:

Board/Officers:

	Board	Officer
☒ Bill Braun – Chairman * (Board member)	1	1
☐ Bob Kleckauskas – (Board member)	2	
☐ Ed Wodniakowski – Membership Director * (Board member)	3	2
☒ Scott Lindee – Vice Chairman */Newsletter Editor (Board member)	4	3
☒ Mike Piecyk (Board member)	5	
☒ Chris Sherman – Judging Chairman/Technical Director		4
☒ Kurt Miller – Asst. Judging Chairman		5
☒ Carol Lindee – Secretary *		6
☒ Sue Braun – Activities Director		7
☐ Randy Merzdorf – Historian		8
☒ Linda Dunlap – Treasurer		9
☐ Open – Co-Activities Director		
☐ Open – Asst. Technical Chairman		

Others in Attendance:

- ☒ Fritz Goetz – Website Advisor
- ☐ Mary Kleckauskas

* denoted elected officer

Tally:

☐ 7 Officers (of 9 votes), ☒ 3 Board Members (of 5)

Quorum? ☐ y, ☐ y

Agenda items:

- Call Meeting to Order (Bill Braun) 6:32pm
- National Convention was in July – any discussion? [Charleston was a good location for the Convention, people enjoyed the area](#)
- Upcoming Events discussion:
 - Tim Mickey Car Barn - **Indiana** Chapter judging meet Sept 11-12
 - IL Chapter to assist
 - Discussion – [13 cars at this point. IL group is planning to be there at 12noon on Friday to assist.](#)
 - MCACN IL NCRS judging Nov 20
[TBD](#)
 - Fall Color Drive – Oct 18 – [Scott and Carol working on this. Chris suggested Silver Springs Park in Yorkville and SideTracks in Sandwich for lunch. Scott will investigate. May consider LongGrove in future years, leaving from Braun house. Starved Rock was also mentioned to do again.](#)
 - Holiday Party – Dec 6
- Nametag order update – nametags ordered, will distribute at Mickey Car barn event or mail them
- Charity donations update
 - Gave \$500 to Wounded Warrior Project
 - Gave \$500 to Mid-America Motorworks
 - Will solicit donations for WWP at the Fall Color Drive
- Officer positions (election 2026)

- Chairman and Membership Chairman voting in August
 - Bill Braun and Ed Wodniakowski won the election – congratulations and thank you!
- g. Officer/Director Reports
- h. Meeting Adjournment approx. 7:25pm
- i. Social Time

Agenda - Reports:

- **Chairman Report** (B Braun): Carlisle was a great event, good attendance
- **Vice Chairman** (S Lindee): Newsletter will be in October (after Mickey Car Barn event)
- **Secretary Report** (C Lindee):
- **Treasurer Report** (Dunlap): Reported the balance
- **Membership Report** (E Wodniakowski): via email: 164 paid members + 4 comps; 2 new members since last report
- **Judging Chairman Report** (Sherman):
- **Assistant Judging Chairman Report** (Miller):
- **Technical Chairmen Report** (Sherman):
- **Activities Director Report** (S Braun):
- **Newsletter Report** (S Lindee):
- **Website Advisor** (Goetz):
- **Historian Report** (Merzdorf):
- **Other/New Business:** Piecyk advised of an Open House at MidAmerica Motorworks on Dec 4 and 5. He plans to go there to talk about SharkFest. May also discuss with them a potential future event for our Chapter. Kurt suggested doing a caravan drive with other chapter members who are interested in going.
- **Adjournment:** approx. 7:25pm
- **Social Time**

2026: IL NCRS Officer/Board Meetings (GoToMeeting at 6:30pm – first Tuesday of the month):

2026: ~~Jan 6, Mar 3, May 5, July 7~~, Sept 1, Nov 3

Event dates for 2026: IL NCRS Chapter events in red

Florida Regional Jan 14-17

Membership/Kickoff – Feb 1 (note date change)

Tech Session – Feb 21 (note date change)

Pontiac Road Tour – May 15

Pontiac Judging School – May 15

Pontiac Judging Meet – May 15-16

Sharkfest - July 11 (rain or shine)

National Convention July 26-30

Mickey Car Barn – Sept 12 – Indiana Chapter judging event

Fall Color Drive/Charity Event – Oct 18

MCACN IL Chapter Judging – Nov 20

Holiday Party – Dec 6 – Villa Olivia

Future Event dates: IL NCRS Chapter events in red

2027:

Feb 7, 2027 Kick Off Party (new location)

May 14-15, 2027 Pontiac Judging Meet

Dec 12, 2027 – Holiday Party - Villa Olivia

2028:

May 19-20, 2028 IL Chapter Judging Meet (50th Anniversary)

12/3/28 Holiday Party – Villa Olivia