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DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

Greetings from your Director!

It has been a long, long winter. I can't wait for some dry, warm, sunny days. I am sure that you all have your cars cleaned, shined and ready for the road. Our first OVR outing is on April 26 in Dresden. That would be a perfect time to try out the old cars. Details are in this newsletter. Hope to see everybody there. The National Meet is getting closer. If you don't have a meet pack, it would be time to send for it now - and don't wait too long to make your room reservations.



Bob DiCarlo, Director

Remember, if you would like to give us a hand with the meet, just give me a call and let me know what you would be interested in doing. We can always use extra help.

Don't forget this year's Eastern National Meet is in Columbus, Ohio, August 14-17, 2008. Hope to see you there.

Bob DiCarlo, Director - Ohio Valley Region LCOC

Our First Outing of 2008!

Longaberger Homestead
in Dresden, Ohio

**Saturday
April 26, 2008**

See page 3 for complete details!



Ohio Valley Region Activities for 2008

-APRIL-

Longaberger Homestead and Downtown Shops in Dresden, Ohio

Saturday, April 26, 2008

See next page for details

-MAY-

OVR Swap Meet and Dinner at the Darlings Plain City, Ohio

Saturday, May 31, 2008

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-JUNE-

Packard Museum and Tom C Toy

Saturday, June 14, 2008 - Warren, Ohio

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- JULY-

New Philadelphia Car Show

Sunday, July 6, 2008 - New Philadelphia, Ohio

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OVR DUES ARE DUE - Please renew today!
Please use the form & envelope that was mailed in the last newsletter!

OVR April 2008

Activity

Our first outing of the year will be on Saturday, April 26th at the Longaberger Homestead in Dresden, Ohio. We will meet there for lunch at the Homestead Restaurant at 12:00 noon. We will browse the Homestead shops for approximately 1 hour and then drive to downtown Dresden to visit the shops there and meet at Popeye's restaurant for dessert. Please call in your reservations for lunch to Ray Smigelski 216-486-3505 or John James 330-364-2408. by April 22nd.



SNEAK PEEK

by J.E. ROLL



Jim & Lolly Roll

Hello again Lincoln fans,

It's spring and Easter has passed. Do you know where your Lincoln is? Still in storage? Well, as soon as the weatherman cooperates, let's get them out and use them!

The '08 season is here and the events will be scheduled around the Columbus National Meet in August. Let's all work to make this a great gathering.

Work at the shop was slower since Christmas due to Jan's being away on tour with his band. We did get a head start on the 5 piles of Continental seats stacked around here – 4 1940's and 1 1941. Looks like Mike Petros, Gerry Richman and Alan Whelihan will have their 40's ready. Alan also has a 42 needing a carpet set. I did a package for a '39 Zephyr Coupe (from Wisconsin) and the owner is installing it himself. Lots of phone calls and pictures but he's getting there!

We did a very nice 1946 Ford Conv. for the Mike Dingman collection in black and red combo like the other 6 projects for him.

The Gerry Richman car is nearly finished. The color combo and trim scheme is very rich looking and the patterns are Lincoln but not all 1940/48. Wait and see! Gerry does not want photos, he wants to be surprised when he picks it up in April. I like it!

We have some brand X projects to do later on – a '64 El Dorado, '48 Town and Country Woodie Conv. (possibly 2), a '41 Mercury Conv. for a top, a '49 Ford Conv. and a custom '39 Buick Coupe made into a hardtop.

For now my medical status is about the same – discomfort 24/7 but no chemo or radiation for now. I don't get up as early as I should but do manage to work 5 – 6 hours a day. Jan is a tremendous help and Lolly still gives me an allowance! Now if I could just go somewhere to spend it!

'Til next issue,

Jim, Lolly and Jan



Eastern National Meet Report

Things are coming along quite well. Reservations are coming from many different states, from Canada and as far away as England. We receive requests for meet packs almost daily and each week we receive some reservations. The Sunday drive tour and farewell lunch is filling up fast. If you want to participate you should make your reservations soon, remember space is limited.

Ed & Joan Harants, Meet Registrars

OVR May Swap Meet & Dinner

Saturday, May 31, 2008 - 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Rain or Shine - Parts, Collectibles & Literature



Kathy & Bill Darling
our gracious hosts

Our May activity will once again be hosted by Bill & Kathy Darling AT A NEW LOCATION in Plain City, Ohio. We always enjoy this relaxed outing with food, parts, literature and conversation. The event will take place at:

Belfor Property Restoration

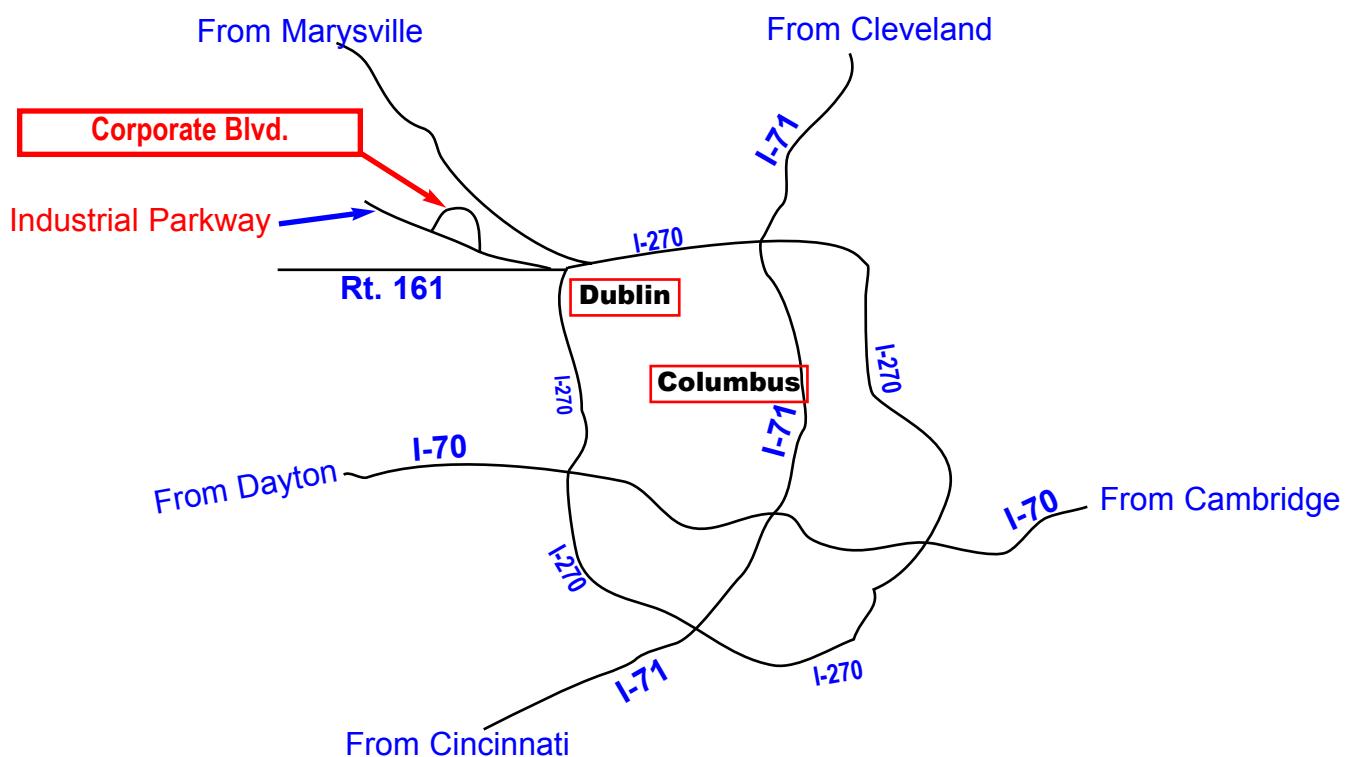
7795 Corporate Blvd. - Plain City, Ohio 43064

(614) 207-7138

Please bring a covered dish that can be shared. Plates, utensils, drinks and condiments will be provided.

Good Times - Good Food - Good People

Map to May Event



Mark VIII Fire

Just when you think you have the greatest Lincoln Mark in the world, the worst thing can happen. We bought our 1997 Mark VIII 3 years ago, the black beauty, it had all the options and was just a sweet car. In the time we had it, the worst thing we had was the oil pan rusted through, but we caught it in time. But then late one night our world came crashing to a halt. November 15th at about 1:30 am I heard a loud explosion and looked out my bedroom window and my Mark was on fire.

The car as you can see was a total loss. The interesting part about this is I did a car fax on the car and it was a 2 owner car with a clean history. After the insurance company looked at the car they hired a fire investigator to find the cause. There was a recall on the cruise control unit, so that was a possibility.

Well after 2 fire investigators and an independent mechanic, they had found this car had been in an accident and compromised the wiring. So the moral to this story is Car Fax is not worth the money, and is very unreliable. So here are the pictures of the Lincoln. It was a very hot fire and even melted the cylinder head.

Tim Gitzinger



MARKET PLACE CLASSIFIEDS

If you or someone you know has a Lincoln or parts for sale, or are looking for a Lincoln or parts, please call John James at (330) 364-2408 or email at j_james@roadrunner.com to place a free ad in our newsletter.

Your advertisement will run for four (4) issues. If your item sells, please contact John James.

FOR SALE - NOS/New parts and literature for 1936-1948 LZ/LC and 1969-1971 Mark III. Reasonable prices and satisfaction guaranteed. Please write your needs and/or ask for my free price lists. Earle O. Brown, Jr., 229 Robinhood Lane, McMurray, PA 15317. Telephone: (724) 941-4567 or Fax: (724) 942-1940.

FOR SALE - Large selection of Lincoln Parts - 1942-1948. Body data plates produced, \$40.00 each. NOS rear flip out ash trays for Lincoln & Packard, \$35.00 each. Richard Hommel, 2473 Giant Oaks Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15241. Please write with your needs.

PEEP MIRRORS - For all Lincoln and Ford 3 window convertibles. These hang on the inside "U" rails to allow vision down right side of blind spot, \$30.00. Please contact Walter Webb, North Canton, Ohio at (330) 433-0255.

LZ & LC FIBERGLASS PARTS - Exact copies! 1936-37 battery cover, \$165.00; 1940-41 air cleaner top, \$70.00; 1940-48 under grill nose pan, \$230.00; 1940-48 under radiator pan, \$230.00; 1938-48 clutch and brake pan, \$200.00, 1936-48; 1942-48 radiator air deflect tray, \$80.00; 1946-48 vacuum tank, \$200.00; 1940-46 hot air preheater (no brackets), \$95.00; 1938, 48, LZ & LC floor pan gasket set, \$45.00. All prices now include US shipping. Akins Service, 8425 Latto Road SE, Uhrichsville, Ohio 44683. Telephone: (740) 922-5738.

FOR SALE - 14.5 pounds of R-12 Freon. Freon is in a 20# tank and comes with gauges all for only \$350. Please call Ed Harants at (330) 225-2877.

FOR SALE - 5 new General dual 90 whitewall tires. 9.15-15. Mounted and balanced on 1968 Lincoln rims. Less than 500 miles on them. \$450. Call Fred Wagler - 614-866-2688.

FOR SALE - 1978 Lincoln Continental Town Car, 70,000 original miles. Dark blue, light blue leather, power sunroof, full dark blue vinyl top, aluminum wheels, new paint, tires, carb, complete brakes, lines, hoses, battery, exhaust, 77 skirts. Very clean excellent running and driving car. 3rd owner, original Lincoln keys. \$3,900.00. Call Tim Gitzinger 937-241-2698 or email at continental40@aol.com. Health forcing sale

FOR SALE - Parts, new and used for 1940 Continental Cabriolet and other 1936-48 Lincolns. For 5-page list, send SASE to Lowell Domholdt, 9339 Buena Vista Dr., Mentor Ohio 44060-7060

FOR SALE - Refrigerant, R-12 in 14 oz. cans. \$30 each, \$100 for four, plus shipping. Contact Lowell Domholdt, 9339 Buena Vista Dr., Mento, Ohio 44060-7060

FOR SALE - 1980 Continental 2-dr. Hardtop, Boxtop. Bad frame, \$750 all or parts. Good engine and transmission. 1965 Lincoln parts car. Red interior leather. \$1,000 with parts. Contact Pat Cisco, 216-214-5024.

WANTED - Complete rear bumper for 1967 Continental. Left and right front fenders for 1963 Continental Convertible. Contact Pat Cisco, 216-214-5024

SERVICES OFFERED - Vintage Automobile Radios (buy, sell, trade, repair). Earl V. Boyle, Jr. W8SRG, 5665 Echodell N. W., North Canton, Ohio 44720, 330-494-4185

FOR SALE - 1996 Diamond Anniversary Town Car. Bright red exterior/light grey leather seats/two-tone grey interior. All Lincoln options including built-in telephone. Has additional warranty until 8-16-09 at no deductible. Always been serviced through dealer. 58,321 miles. Best Offer. Hugh McDevitt 412-882-0854 - PA.



WANTED - '40 Lincoln Zephyr/Continental front bumper or front bumper center section. Al Audette, 550 Covedale Ave. Cincinnati, OH 45238 513-922-0178-H, 513-484-9822-C

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