



CarClub



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Upcoming Events

July

July 10th Meeting at Saturn West

July 17th Bingo at Villa Angela. We have a good time with the residents and they enjoy our being there. Mark your calendars to join us in July. If you have any perfumes, after-shaves, or small items you think the residents would like, please bring them along or to the meeting. They love these types of things as Bingo prizes.

July 26th

The Columbus Jazz and Rib Fest is being held in downtown Columbus on July 25th - 27th. There are crafts, games, music and great food! Join us on Saturday, July 26th, at 1:00 p.m. at Broad & High in front of the State House. Admission and parking are free, if you can find an open parking meter. Mark your calendar and join us for great fun!

August 9th

The third Adopt-A-Highway cleanup for 2008 will be held on Saturday, August 9th, starting at 10:00 a.m. For more information, see the articles in the June 2008 or August 2008 editions of the ***Monthly Planet***.

PLEASE NOTE: THE AUGUST MEETING WILL BE CHANGED TO THE 3RD THURSDAY IN AUGUST, AUGUST 21ST, AT SATURN/NORTH. PLEASE MAKE NOTE ON YOUR CALENDAR.

Due to a new Owners Clinic being held the 2nd Thursday of August at Saturn/North, it was decided to change the meeting night. It will be at 7:00 p.m. on August 21st. Because the meeting will be held the 3rd Thursday, for now, Bingo will be cancelled for the month of August. We will try to reschedule it for the 2nd Thursday (August 14th). If we are able to change the date, we will call those who usually attend Bingo to let them know the new date. If you have any questions, please call Becky at 457-5945.

August 16th

The activity for August will be the trip to Detroit for the “Woodward Dream Cruise” on Saturday, 16 August 2008. See Separate Article for more information.

Looking Ahead

September 14th

Saturn Day at the Columbus Zoo. Definitely a day you don't want to miss! Enter it on you calendars and wait for your tickets from Saturn of Columbus in the mail for free admission to the Zoo and free food.

October

Several different activities are being considered: a hayride, a trip to the farm in Amish country, and a few other ideas. If you have something specific that you would like to do for an activity, please let us know at a meeting or you can send me an email at rharrass@sbcglobal.net. We do like to offer activities that interest a large number of the club members. Remember, **You** are the club!

Becky Harrass & John Williams

North to Detroit

Woodward Dream Cruise, Saturday, August 16, 2008

I know with the price of gas, a longer trip might not be in everyone's budget, but if you can, we hope you'll join us in Detroit for the Woodward Dream Cruise and a trip to Greenfield Village. The plan is currently for everyone who can to meet at the LaQuinta in Warren, MI on Thursday evening (8/14/2008). On Friday, we'll spend the day at the Henry Ford Museum/Greenfield Village. For those of you who haven't been, Greenfield Village consists of seven historic districts, each with a unique theme, including railroads, a farm, a "Main Street" from the late 1800's, Thomas Edison's workshop, the Wright Brothers workshop and several places where you can see and experience the crafts of yesteryear. There are horse and buggy rides, Model T rides, a train and, of course, a carousel. It's appropriate for all members of the family, and makes for a great day out.

For more information, visit www.hfmgv.org/village.

Ticket prices are:

Adult:	\$20.00
Senior (62+):	\$19.00
Youth (5-12):	\$14.00
Children under 5:	Free
Unlimited Daily Ride Pass	\$10.00

Then on Saturday, we'll be going down to Woodward Avenue for the Dream Cruise. Bring a lawn chair, and we'll set up for a day of "car watching". It beats a car show since you don't have to walk around the cars – they drive by you! And since they tend to only be doing 5 or 10 mph, if you want to have a closer look or ask a question, you can! It's a great way to spend the day, especially if the sun is out, and it's not too hot (this from a non-car person). There are exhibits and events going on all along Woodward, and we'll be walking to some of those as well. For those of you who aren't car fans, Detroit has great shopping, historic homes to tour, museums, boat rides and other attractions. We can point you in the right direction! If you need more inducement, the New York Times just named Detroit as one of its 53 places to go in 2008 (along with such locations as Easter Island and Brazil).

For more information, visit www.woodwarddreamcruise.com.

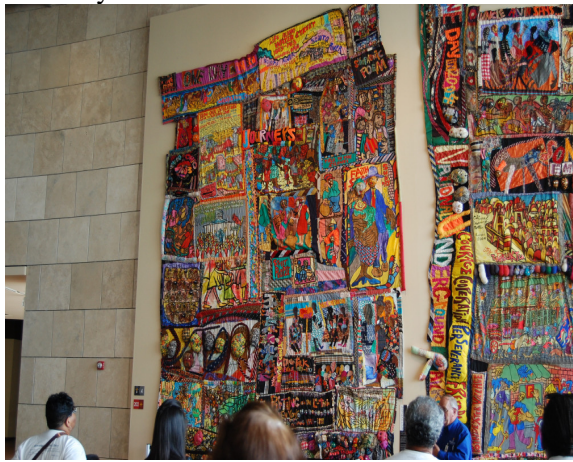
It's always a great time when we go, and we hope you can join us for at least a part of the weekend.

Photos of June trip to Cincinnati

A visit to the National Underground Railroad freedom center



Left to right are Cheryl Lutman, Ruth Albert, Jim Harrass, Becky Harrass and Lowell Lutman
Photo by Bill Smith



A huge patchwork tapestry illustrating the history of the Underground Railroad. Just one of the many exhibits seen by thousands of visitors since opening in August 2004.

The Center is a memorial to the courage of thousands of African-American slaves who both risked and gave their lives in a quest for freedom. The visit was both educational and culturally enlightening.

A photo of our President Ruth Albert presenting a check to Bev Bailey of our quarterly charity 'Susan G. Koman for the Cure' at our June meeting



Central Ohio Saturn CarClub Activities Calendar

Date	Meeting / Event	Location	Time
July 10	Regular Meeting	Saturn West	7:00 p.m.
July 17	Bingo	Villa Angela	7:00 p.m.
July 26	Columbus Jazz and Rib Fest	See article on page 1	1:00 p.m.
August 9	Third Adopt-A- Highway	See article on page 1	10:00 a.m.
August 16	Woodward Dream Cruise	See article on page 2	
September 14	Saturn day at Columbus Zoo	See article on page 1	

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(614) 470-3517**

An officer will call you back, usually within 24 hours. If you don't hear from anyone within that time, please call back and leave a second message. Occasionally a message is hard to understand or gets deleted unintentionally.

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<http://www.centohiocarclub.com/>

Note: the next meeting will be at Saturn/West at 7:00 p.m. on July 10th

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