

Wednesday, May 04, 2011 To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is to respectfully request your assistance in helping raise money to benefit autistic children throughout Central Ohio. We are holding two events again this year. The first event, *The Ohio Ride For Autism* (see attached flyer) on July 30th, 2011, will be the second annual event. The second event is the 5th Annual All About Autism Car/Truck/Motorcycle Show on August 20th, 2011 (see attached flyer). The purpose of both events is to raise money for several Autism-related charities right here in Central Ohio. Among those organizations: Autism Speaks, Recreation Unlimited, The Lettuce Work Foundation and the Autism Society of Ohio (ASO). The proceeds from these events will be distributed through a blanket 501c3 organization called Beat Autism Now (B.A.N). Their 501c3 # is 26-1765966.

A percentage of our proceeds will go toward the "Walk Now for Autism Speaks," which will be held here in Columbus at the Schottenstein Center on October 9th, 2011.

Recreation Unlimited is holding much needed camps for children with Autism Spectrum Disorders in 2011. We support their efforts to give these kids the summer camp experience.

The Lettuce Work Foundation provides the training and employment opportunities adults with Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD) need in order to have a brighter future. The Lettuce Work Foundation is a 501c3 non-profit organization and is an approved provider for the Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities. Their vision is to be recognized as the best in the world at providing vocational training and employment opportunities for adults with autism.

The Autism Society of Ohio (ASO) serves to improve the lives of all individuals affected by autism in Ohio. The ASO includes persons with autism, parents and professionals, all working to improve services and support at the state level.

We are looking for gift cards and/or other higher-valued merchandise that can be sold at our silent auction, as well as any items that may be raffled off. Monetary donations are also greatly appreciated. Any donation, regardless of amount or dollar-value that you may be able to provide will go a long way in assisting us in our mission...to continue to improve the lives of kids with autism and their families in our community.

We appreciate your time and look forward to hearing from you soon. Please call me with any questions.

Sincerely,

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Dad of two boys on the Autism Spectrum

Donations may be sent to: Autism Speaks or Beat Autism Now c/o Boyd's Northgate Tire & Service 7038 Northgate Way Westerville Ohio 43082



Ohio Ride For Autism Second Annual Poker Run Central Ohio



Date: Saturday July 30, 2011
Proceeds Benefit Autism

Time: Registration starts at 9:00 AM

Music

50/50

Starting Location-AD Farrow Harley Davidson 7754 St. Rt. 37 E. Sunbury, OH 43074

Rain or Shine \$10.00 per person Everyone is Welcome First Bike Out 10:00 AM Last Bike Out 11:30 AM Last Bike In 4:00 PM

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Food

Final Stop- Quaker Steak & Lube 8500 Lyra Drive
Columbus, OH www.quakersteakandlube.com
At the Intersection of Polaris Parkway and Lyra DriveDrawing starts at 4:30 PM

Proceeds will be going to Autism Speaks, Recreation Unlimited, The Autism Society of Ohio and The Lettuce Work Foundation



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ALL ABOUT AUTISM CAR, TRUCK, MOTORCYCLE SHOW & CRUISE-IN









FIFTH ANNUAL EVENT **100% OF PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT CHARITIES FOR CHILDREN WITH AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS**

WHEN: AUGUST 20, 2011 - 1:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M. Registration Fee is \$10.00

Registration begins @ 11:00 A.M. T-Shirts & Goodie Bags to the 1st 100 Registrants

WHERE:

8500 Lyra Drive, Columbus Ohio www.quakersteakandlube.com At the Intersection of Polaris Parkway and Lyra Drive

SPONSORED BY:





Music by "Six Pack Theory", DJ, Karaoke, T-Shirts (1ST 100), Trophies (Top 40 Cars and Trucks. Top 10 Bikes) Dash Plaques (1ST 100), Many Great Raffle Items, Great Food & Drinks, Peoples' Choice Judging, Kids Activities, and Much More **MANY GREAT SILENT AUCTION AND RAFFLE ITEMS**

st to be a sponsor, a volunteer, to make donations, or have any questions about the eventstPLEASE CALL MIKE HOOVER AT 614-580-7300 OR SEND AN E-MAIL TO

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