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HOPEWELL FEDERAL CREDIT UNION'S FIRST EVER CAR SHOW GREAT SUCCESS

Proceeds to Be Donated to Ohio Children's Miracle Network Hospitals

NEWARK, OH – August 3, 2011—Hopewell Federal Credit Union recently held its first ever Car Show in Newark, Ohio. The event held Saturday, July 30th, 2011 at its branch office on North 21st Street benefited the **Ohio Children's Miracle Network**. Nationwide Children's Hospital is a founding member of Children's Miracle Network (CMN), a national organization dedicated to improving the quality of health care for children. 100% of funds raised in central Ohio through CMN benefit Nationwide Children's Hospital. Hopewell Federal Credit Union's Car Show event raised over \$300 dollars for this worthy cause.

The event, sponsored by This Week Licking County, Hasseman Marketing and Communications and Trinity Massage & Wellness Center LLC, was coordinated by Jim Matheny of Kar Shoz LLC and longtime Hopewell Federal Credit Union member John Wallace. The event was host to sixty cars featuring a variety of years, makes and models. The top winners for the day included:

Employees Choice: Tom Roberts of Newark, Ohio for his 1965 Ford Mustang

Directors Choice: Graden Thomas of Frazeesburg, Ohio for his 1950 Ford Pick Up Truck

CEO Choice: Jim Specziale of Pataskala, Ohio for his 1961 Corvette

DJ's Choice: Linda Kibler of Newark, Ohio for her 2005 Corvette

Attendees of the event enjoyed free admission, DJ music, 50/50 raffle and door prize drawings. Food was available from The Grill on Twenty First Street with a portion of the food proceeds being donated back to Ohio Children's Miracle Network Hospitals. "We were pleased that this first ever event was such a wonderful success. The event was entertaining and provided an opportunity for community members to support a worthwhile cause. We are hopeful that we can make this an annual event that continues to grow each year." Jim Johnson, President and CEO, reflected about the recent event.

About Hopewell Federal Credit Union (HFCU):

Hopewell Federal Credit Union, one of the leading credit unions serving Licking County, is a not-for-profit financial cooperative that is owned by its members. They provide a full range of financial services including savings and checking accounts, loan products and business accounts. HFCU operates with the mission of helping its members get ahead financially and serves anyone who lives, works or worships in Licking County.

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