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About The 2010 Ault Park Concours d' Elegance

The Ault Park Concours d'Elegance is one of the most anticipated classic car show events in the United States. In its 33rd year, over two hundred rare automobiles assemble each June in the gardens of Cincinnati's historic Ault Park. The automobile display is heightened by an exhibit of fine automotive art from local, regional and national artists. The 2010 event is themed "International Designers and Coachbuilders".

The 2010 event will also feature special displays of the 100th Anniversary of Alfa Romeo, Historic Hot Rods, and "Life's a Beach" Vintage Beach Cars.

In 1978, Bill and Helen Williams began the first Cincinnati Concours d'Elegance, opening their estate to host the event. Based on the famous Pebble Beach Concours, the Cincinnati Concours d'Elegance featured 105 cars in four classes—antique, classic, milestone, and special interest. Famed wildlife artist John Ruthven donated one of his own paintings of a classic automobile. Also featured was a rare Crosley boat tail Roadster donated by Dr. Jerome Albert.

Since then, the annual Concours d' Elegance has continued to grow in size and in stature, becoming one of the most respected Concours d' Elegance in the United States. After many years of being held in Indian Hill, the Concours moved to Ault Park in 1996 and has called this Cincinnati landmark home ever since.

The Cincinnati Concours d' Elegance Foundation, a 501(c)3 organization, has been established to manage the event with all proceeds benefiting the Arthritis Foundation and Juvenile Arthritis.

2010 Event Contact Information

Tickets, Sponsorship or any other information: 513-321-1951

Key Spokespeople

Sue Willis, Executive Director, Cincinnati Concours d' Elegance Foundation
Rich Frantz, President, Cincinnati Concours d'Elegance Foundation
Fred Jones, Chair, Car Selection, 2010 Ault Park Concours d'Elegance
Dave Sheehy, Executive Board and past Event Chair

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2010 Event Information

Friday, June 11, 2010 – 7:00 p.m.

“Cruisin for a Cure” Welcome Party in the Drees Pavilion at Devou Park Memorial Overlook.

Saturday, June 12, 2010 – 12:00 noon

Countryside Tour – Beginning at Mariemont Square, and Garage Party hosted by Porsche of the Village, Maserati of Cincinnati, Volvo of Cincinnati, and Beechmont Audi at their dealerships located at 4113 Plainville Rd.

Sunday, June 13, 2010 – 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Concours @ Ault Park open to the public – also features Automotive Art Show in the historic Ault Park Pavilion, many sponsor and vendor displays, a food concessions area, and free off-site parking shuttle.

About Cincinnati Concours d’ Elegance Foundation

The Cincinnati Concours d’ Elegance Foundation, a 501(c)3 organization, was established to manage the Ault Park Concours d’ Elegance, the Midwest’s most premier automotive event. The Arthritis Foundation and Juvenile Arthritis are the sole beneficiaries of the event proceeds. To find out more about The Ault Park Concours d’ Elegance, to order discount tickets, or to request a car nomination packet visit <http://www.ohioconcours.com> or call 513-321-1951. For more information about the Arthritis Foundation, go to <http://www.arthritis.org/>.

About The Arthritis Foundation

The Arthritis Foundation is the only national, voluntary health agency dedicated to improving lives through leadership in the prevention, control and cure of arthritis and related diseases -- the nation's number most common cause of disability—through a commitment to research, public policy and public health. For more information about the Arthritis Foundation go to <http://www.arthritis.org/>.

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