



May 5th, 2003

Mr. James Mattison  
39538 Urbana Drive  
Sterling Heights MI 48313

Dear Jim:

I am pleased to invite you to bring your **1969 Corvette L88 Coupe** to Bloomington Gold on June 26th to be inducted into the Bloomington Gold **Corvette Hall of Fame**.

Our location is the **Pheasant Run Resort** in St. Charles, IL. We will enjoy a spacious ballroom for the Special Collection and Hall of Fame events, large indoor and outdoor vendor areas, acres of lawn for Certification, and all the facilities of a full resort.

Enclosed with this invitation are: a specification sheet for your car, a photo release / insurance verification / hold-harmless release. Please complete these forms, sign and return. Also enclosed is a sample narrative from our event program - *The Gold Standard*. Please prepare a story about your car, type and return. Finally, send me a quality color photo for the program. Please return all material to: PO Box 265, Dewittville, NY 14728-0265. Please call if you have any questions...716-386-2107 (716-386-2550/fax). Our deadline is Friday, May 23, 2003.

Our Special Collection schedule will begin with set-up on Thursday, June 26th from 9AM-Noon. (Note: Please plan to arrive during that time. Your gasoline tank level should be 1/8th or below.) The ribbon cutting will be Friday at 8:30AM, followed by Certificate and Pin presentation. The Collection will be open Friday & Saturday until 6PM, and Sunday until 3PM. You may remove your car Sunday at 3PM. Additional information, maps, trailer parking and your participant passes & event tickets will be mailed to you in early June.

Special embroidered Polo shirts will commemorate the **Hall of Fame**. They are Outer Banks brand, 100% cotton pique; colors are red, white & navy blue and sizes available are Sm-to-XXL. Cost is \$30 each, pre-paid & pre-ordered. (Checks payable to: Bloomington Gold. Your shirts will be waiting for you upon arrival on set-up day). Event T-shirt cost is \$15.00 each.

This years Collection will bring together a great group of Corvettes. I hope you will be able to join us as we celebrate the **Gold Anniversary of the Corvette** at Bloomington Gold 2003.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "William Locke". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long, sweeping underline.

William Locke, Director  
The Special Collection & Hall of Fame