



# GOING PLACES



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## April 2009

Meetings are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat. of the month unless a change is announced. The meetings are held Sept. through May, at the Golden Corral, 1250 N. National Road at the corner of US 31 and 10<sup>th</sup> Street in Columbus. The meal will be at 6:00 p.m. with the meeting following at 7:00 p.m.

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## President's Corner

I'm sure many of you have already started working on your "A's" for this year.

I just replaced the rear end in our 1930 coupe and had to purchase some 600w oil. In a recent issue of the Model A News, Roger Kaufman wrote about blending the 600w oil and STP oil treatment for your "A's". In the winter issue of Model A Times there is an article about a new

product called Lubriplate SPO-228 for the transmissions. It helps in shifting smoothly, and even when downshifting. The phone number is (408) 471-4489 and the email is [bayareaindustrial@yahoo.com](mailto:bayareaindustrial@yahoo.com) for more information. No matter what weight you use be sure and check the oil level.

## Board Meeting

The next board meeting is at 7 pm. Thursday, April 23 at Susan and Larry's house.

## Membership Meeting Minutes

March 14, 2009

The club met at the Golden Corral for their March dinner and meeting. Gerald Alexander welcomed the members. The secretary's report was approved as presented in the newsletter. Roy Whiteman read the treasurer's report as follows:

Balance	\$1619.41
Income	88.12
Expenses	16.96

### New Business:

Larry Morlock reported there are four spaces available for the April swap meet. He encouraged members to make an effort to bring some things to add to the swap meet and fill the spaces.

Jane Herbert circulated a paper for food and kitchen help for the swap meet. If you did not have a chance to sign up, please contact Jane or make arrangements at the April meeting.

The tour schedule was discussed. Gerald invited everyone to participate in the Spring Blossom

Parade at Nashville on May 2nd. Registration is due by April 15th. The cobweb tour is coming up April 18th. Kathryn Sullivan will circulate a paper for breakfast reservations at the April meeting.

Ed Dathe led a discussion regarding the MARC National Meet to be held at French Lick in 2010. As we will be helping host the meet, he encouraged members to begin thinking what committees they would like to chair, co-chair, or help with.

Kathryn Sullivan discussed the 2009 National Tour at Charlottesville, Va. that will be held Sept. 20-23. They will accept 250 cars. The deadline for registration is May 2nd. President Gerald announced there would be a guest speaker at the April meeting.

The 50/50 raffle of \$12.50 was won by Jack Sullivan, Sr.

Whitey Herbert made a motion to adjourn. It was seconded by Gary Lawless. After the meeting was adjourned the club took "The Luck of the Irish" quiz. Prizes were awarded to the top three winners.

Respectfully submitted,  
Nita Bridges, Secretary

## SWAP MEET

Our 46th annual swap meet will be Sunday, April 26, at the Bartholomew County 4-H Fairgrounds. We will circulate the sign-up sheet at the April meeting for people to help with set-up from 6:00-7:00am, ticket sales at the door all day in 1-hour shifts, and clean-up from 2:00-3:00pm. Everyone is also asked to drive their Model A cars to the meet, as this adds a lot to the enjoyment of the event. There are still some indoor spaces left to rent and plenty of space outdoors if the weather allows. Contact Larry Morlock at 372-6475 or

[lmorlock@att.net](mailto:lmorlock@att.net) if you would like to rent one of the spaces.

## DRIVING AWARDS

The 2008 mileage for our club was submitted to the national chairman of the MARC Driving Awards program at the end of February. The mileage awards will be available at the National MARC membership meeting in April, so we should receive them shortly thereafter. Here's the top driving families for 2008 (some are multiple cars):

1. George & Verna Titzer  
8902
2. Jack & Kathryn Sullivan  
6216
3. Gerald & Lyn Alexander  
4022
4. Phil & Marge Sutton  
3187
5. Larry & Lois Morlock  
3045
6. Whitey & Jane Herbert  
2193
7. Jack & Linda Sullivan  
1747
8. Roy & Lavon Whiteman  
1729
9. Larry & Susan Riss  
1334
10. Rex & Nita Bridges  
1144

As a reminder, you need to fill out a form to register your car in this program if you have not already done so. If anyone wants to register, see Larry Morlock.

## April 26 Swap Meet Kitchen Request

We have had such success in the past with our swap meet kitchen because of the cooperation of the whole club. Let's hope that this year can be even greater than in the past!

We need people to help in the kitchen anytime during the hours of 6 am and 2 pm. Please sign up at the April meeting or call Jane Herbert at (812) 663-4211, pick a time and

come help.

We all help with the food--it always goes well when we all do our part to make a big job easier. Each family in our club is responsible for bringing 1 pie to the kitchen. PLUS one thing on this list:

1 pack "bun size" or jumbo hot dogs and buns

or

3 packs of (12 count each) hamburger buns

or

Money for the hamburger and soft drinks, send check to Jane Herbert 434 W. Walnut St. Greensburg, IN 47240.

or

2 dozen rolls or doughnuts

Please sign up at the meeting in April or call Jane.

Thanks so much for your help and cooperation!

--Jane

## Reminder for Tour Leaders:

If you are a tour leader, we **need the information for the tour by the time of the monthly board meeting**. That will be April 23 for tours May 3 through June 6. You can send this information by e-mail, regular mail or phone, to Susan Riss.

## Tours

### April 18, Saturday **Cobweb & Breakfast Tour** (Lawless, Sullivan, Sr.)

Breakfast will be at Sullivan's at 10am SHARP! Depart Columbus Eastbrook shopping center at 8:00am. Meet at the JayC store in Seymour around 8:45am (West on SR 50). The Bloomington group will go separately.

RSVP Kathryn Sullivan your intention to attend by April 13. Call 812-883-8779.

**April 25, Saturday**

**Pancake Breakfast & Flea Market,  
Story Inn Wine Festival**

(Riss, Sutton)

Model A show, pancake breakfast and flea market at the St. Thomas Lutheran Church on the corner of East 3<sup>rd</sup> and Smith Road in Bloomington. Meet at the Westhill Shopping Center at 8:15. Leave at 8:30 for Bloomington, picking up the people from Nashville on the way.

After the activities in Bloomington, the Risses will continue on to the Story Inn with anyone who is interested in going to the wine festival, 1-6 pm.

**April 26, Sunday**

**Columbus Swap Meet**

(Morlock, Herbert)

All members are needed for this event. It is the only fund raiser we have, and we need everyone in the club to work together to make it a success. Please drive your Model A to the meet. See you all there!! And be sure to bring your "A's".

**May 3, Sunday**

**Lawrenceburg Fleas**

(Whiteman, Bridges)

For those going to the tri-state flea market at Lawrenceburg, we will meet at 8:00 am at Eastbrook and head for North Vernon, where we will pick up those coming from Seymour and other areas.

After touring the flea market, we will stop and eat at the Golden Corral before heading home.

**Notice:**

**Zahariko's Grand Opening** is scheduled for June 6-7. They have asked our club to participate by parking our Model A's in front of the ice cream parlor on June 6. We would like as many of us to participate as possible. We'll have more information and discussion at our April meeting. Please add this to your calendar.

## 2009 Tour Schedule

Apr 18	Cobweb Tour (Sullivan, Sr.)
Apr 25	Pancake Breakfast & Flea Market and Yard Sale & Story Inn Wine Festival (Sutton, Riss)
Apr 26	Columbus Swap Meet (Morlock, Herbert)
May 3	Lawrenceburg Fleas (Whiteman, Bridges)
May 9	Membership Meeting
May 15-16	Indy Swap Meet
May 20	Mid-week Tour – Greenwood, Ray Skillman (Bridges)
May 23-25	Memorial Day Weekend
May 30	Fish Fry (Wayne & Joyce Brown)
June 6	Zahariko's Grand Opening (Riss)
June 6	Young Eagles
June 14	Lanier Days Madison (Whiteman)
June 17	Mid-week Tour to Amish Country (Sutton)
June 13-20	Bluegrass Festival in Bean Blossom (on your own)
June 21	Happy Father's Day
June 21-26	MARC National Meet (Sutton)
June 27	Brown County Studio and Garden Tour (Riss, Schmelz)
Jul 9	Mid-week Ice Cream Tour (Alexander)
Jul 11	Young Eagles
Jul 12	Battle of Corydon Re-enactment (Sullivan, Jr.)
Jul 18	Picnic at Brown County Park (Alexander, Riss)
Jul 25	Leavenworth Riverfest
Aug 5	Mid-Week Tour (Sullivan, Sr.)
Aug 8	Young Eagles
Aug 15	Elwood Glass Festival (Morlock)
Aug 13-16	Greensburg Power of the Past (on your own)
Aug 26-30	Tri-state Gas Engine and Tractor Show at Portland (on your own)
Aug 29	Scottsburg Nursing Home Tour (Sullivan, Sr., Riss)
Sept 5	Columbus Hospice Concert
Sept 5-7	Labor Day Tour (Sutton)
Sept 10	Elnora Antique Show (Whiteman)
Sept 12	Young Eagles
Sept 12	Membership Meeting
Sept 12-13	Scottish Festival, Columbus (FYI)
Sept 13	French Lick (Sullivan, Jr.)
Sept 23	Mid-week Tour to Cannelburg & Dinky's Auction (Whiteman)
Sept 17-18	Indy Swap Meet
Sept 27	Hope Heritage Days Parade (Lawless, Burns)
Oct 1-3	Seymour Oktoberfest (on your own)
Oct 7-10	Hershey FYI
Oct 10	Ethnic Expo (Lawless, Sparks)
Oct 10	Membership Meeting
Oct 15	Mid-week Fall Tour (Alexander)
Oct 18	Lake Lemon Wine & Fall Tour (Sutton, Riss)
Nov 14	Membership Meeting
Dec 6	Holiday Party (Sullivan, Sr.)