



GOING PLACES



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www.modelacolumbus.com

August 2010

Membership meetings are held on the 2nd 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 10th 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

In our last newsletter, I reported that I had fixed the knock in my 1930 coupe's engine, but I was wrong. I thought that the timing was incorrect but with help from two experts, George Titzer and Richard Wolfe, I found that the timing was correct. Last week, a friend of Wayne Rosenbaum's stated that he thought it might be a carbon knock because of the alcohol content in the gasoline. He suggested that I use

higher octane fuel and maybe some additive. Another club member said that I might need to add another gasket on the water pump. It doesn't knock if I run the spark lever almost fully retarded. If you have any ideas please e-mail me at info@hesterhouse.com

Board Meeting

The next board meeting will be Thursday, August 19, at the Riss' house, at 7 pm.

Webmaster Note

The French Lick Model A Meet website will remain active for one more year. I've added over 600 photos from the meet that were contributed by Jeff Franz and Pete Kloosterman. You might be interested to check them out. You'll find the photos here:
<http://www.2010marcmeet.com/meet/photos>

In the Rearview Mirror

Brown County Studio and Garden Tour

It was a great day for the Brown County studio tour with sun and no rain and perfect back roads to travel on. We spent the morning visiting with the artists and admiring their work. We were able to enjoy quite a variety of art including weaving—where we tried our hands at the loom-- book binding and three dimensional art work, exceptional wood furniture design, jewelry making and a final stop at the Spears pottery studio where we purchased some pottery! We also enjoyed the lovely gardens that several of the studios had, with the final garden at

the old Stone Head house—it was fabulous as usual.

We finished up the trip with a lunch at Zaharakos in Columbus.

--Susan Riss

Brown County Park Picnic

The fifth annual picnic for our Model A club was held Saturday July 17 at the Brown County State Park. It was a pitch-in dinner with salads, casseroles and desserts. The pork barbeque was provided by our club. People began arriving about 12:15 for the 1:00 event. It was a beautiful sunny day with 55 attending, including Floyd and Donna Schieck from Drayton, Ontario, Canada. The six couples who made the trip to Nova Scotia in 2004 were present for the reunion, including Bob and Sylvia Butcher from Wadesville, IN and George and Verna Titzer from Evansville, IN. Another couple, Roger and Cheryl Goodman and son Erik drove about 170 miles from Munfordville, KY to attend for the first time. About 20 Model A's and several conventional cars were driven to the picnic. Many enjoyed outdoor games and good fellowship. They departed about 4:15. It looked like everyone had a good time.

--Gerald and Lyn Alexander

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 Thursday, August 19, for the September tours. You can send this information by e-mail, regular mail or phone, to Susan Riss. Thanks!

YES Cinema Event

The Yes Cinema is showing the film Pearl, about a young girl who knows Wiley Post, an early aviator and takes place in the 1920's. The movie includes a lot of vintage cars and planes. The theatre would like anyone in our club who would be interested, to park our cars outside the theatre to add to the atmosphere of the film. The movie starts at 7

pm, Tuesday, August 10 and they would like us to park our A's at 5:30 pm. in front of the theatre.

Tours

August 7, Saturday

Young Eagles

(Morlock)

Anyone interested in providing Model A rides to young kids, meet at the Columbus Airport terminal building at 8:00 am. The kids are given a free airplane ride and really Anyone interested in providing Model A rides to young kids, meet at the Columbus Airport terminal building at 8:00 am. The kids are given a free airplane ride and really enjoy the Model A rides as well. We will be finished by noon.

August 7, Saturday

Rushville Steam

On your own.

August 18-21

Greensburg Power of the Past

On your own.

August 25-29

Tri-State Gas Engine and Tractor Show at Portland

On your own.

August 28, Saturday

Fish Fry

(Sullivan, Jr.)

September 4, Saturday

Columbus Hospice Concert

On your own.

Labor Day Tour

Sept. 3, 4, 5 and 6

(Kathryn Sullivan, Phil Sutton)

This year we are expanding the tour to three days or four days depending on what you are able to do. We are headed to Shipshewana and the sights of the area and Southern Michigan.

Phil will call everyone going on the trip to let them know the time and where to meet.

Columbus MARC-Hoosier Hills

MARC 2010 Vermont and Hershey Tour

September 26 through October 9

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(Ruth Engs and Phil Sutton leaders)

Sunday Sept 26: This is mainly a driving day ending up in the Amish area of Ohio. We will stay in the Sugar Creek area and enjoy some Amish hospitality.

Monday Sept 27: Another driving day through the mountains of Pennsylvania and New York to the Oleon-Hornell area.

Tuesday Sept 28: We will tour through the Finger Lakes region and the Wine Country and end up in the Skaneateles-Cazanovia area.

Wednesday Sept 29: We will skirt the Adirondacks and Lake George ending up in our home for 5 days at Grey Bonnet Inn in Killington, Vermont.

Thurs Sept 30 through Sunday Oct 3: We will have 4 days of touring Vermont. Ruth Engs will take us North and Phil Sutton will take us South. Ruth is from Bethel, Vermont and Phil's great grandfather left Bridgeport, Vermont in 1850. We both have Vermont roots.

Fun Facts from the 2010 MARC Meet

There were 587 registrants, 459 Model A's, 162 trailers, 25 Fine Point cars, 56 Touring Class cars, 23 participants in fashion judging, 60 indoor swap meet/45 outdoor swap meet participants, 821 at the Welcome Party, 520 at the Ice Cream Social, 737 box lunches, 338 banquet attendees, and 1,147 people attending the meet.

FOR SALE: Tony (Zaharakos)
1930 Model A pickup is for sale.
200 CID, 40 HP 4-cylinder
Excellent condition
\$15,000 OBO
Call for more information: 812-378-
1864



FOR SALE: Early 31 Model A
Rumble Seat Coupe – asking
\$7,500.00.

It is disassembled and appears it
would make someone a decent
project.

Solid body, front, rear fenders and
splash aprons in good condition.

He has a basic rebuilt short block
engine that has never been installed
in the car. He bought the engine
about 10 years ago.

Contact Jim Kraeszig at 502-491-
4597 (Louisville, KY area)

SYMPATHY

We would like to extend our
sympathy to the family of Duane
Loy, who passed away recently.

New Member

Add to your roster our new member
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