



# GOING PLACES



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## June 2009

There is no membership meeting in June, July or August.

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## President's Corner

I would like to congratulate the three members and their families for their many years of club membership. Membership pins were awarded to Victor and Ellen Rudder (53 years), Cleo Sparks (45 years) and Roy and Lavon Whiteman (45 years). I'm sure they have seen a lot of changes over the years. Maybe the three could get together and write a book about some of their stories!

The club just had its May meeting, and like school children, we are free for the summer. However, the club has many tours and events scheduled starting May 20<sup>th</sup>. Then on May

30<sup>th</sup> the Fish Fry at the Brown's. The club is encouraging all members to attend the grand opening at Zaharakos on June 6<sup>th</sup>. On June 14<sup>th</sup> there will be an historical trip to Madison and on June 17<sup>th</sup>, a trip through Amish country.

By now many members have received news that they have been accepted for the Grand National Tour which will be held Charlottesville, VA this September.

## Board Meeting

The next board meeting is at 7 pm. Thursday, June 18, at Jack and Linda's house in Seymour.

## Membership Meeting Minutes

May 9, 2009  
President Gerald Alexander opened the May 9<sup>th</sup> meeting at the Golden Corral. There were no guests, but the meeting was well attended with 32 people present.

The secretary's report was approved as presented in the newsletter.

Phil Sutton gave the treasurer's report as follows:

Beginning balance:	\$1678.83
Income:	1287.94
Expenses:	392.95
Ending balance:	\$2573.82

## Old Business:

Phil Sutton gave a report on this year's Swap Meet. He said the attendance and income were in accordance with previous years with the exception of 2005 when it rained

all day. Larry Morlock was given a big round of applause for a job well done on the Swap Meet.

#### New Business:

Larry Morlock presented the driving awards. Those receiving awards were:

Alexander	5,000 miles
Bridges	30,000 miles
Morlock	55,000 miles
Sutton	65,000 miles
Titzer	80,000 miles
Sullivan, Sr.	170,000 miles

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Sign up sheets were circulated for the May 30 Fish Fry at Wayne and Joyce Brown's and also ZAHARAKOS grand opening on June 6<sup>th</sup>.

Five cars will be going to the Merrillville Convention June 21- June 26<sup>th</sup>.

President Gerald passed out papers informing club members of the mandatory requirements to host the MARC National Meet at French Lick in June, 2010. The board ordered 1,000 patches to hand out at the Merriville Convention to advertise the 2010 meet.

The 50/50 raffle of \$19.00 was won by Don Wesseler. A motion was made to adjourn by Richard Wolfe and it was seconded by Lyn Alexander.

Respectfully submitted,  
Nita Bridges, Secretary

#### **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 June 18 for tours July 9 through August 5. You can send this information by e-mail,

regular mail or phone, to Susan Riss. Thanks!

### **Tours**

#### **June 6, Saturday** **Zaharakos Grand Opening** (Riss)

Zaharakos 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 would park our cars by 9:30 and leave them there until after the ribbon cutting ceremony at 11 am.

There will be several events that day, including the farmer's market and a movie at the Yes Cinema showing the restoration process of Zaharakos.

If you are local to Columbus and can leave your car all day that would be wonderful!

#### **June 6, Saturday** **Young Eagles** (Larry 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 enjoy the Model A rides as well. We will be finished by noon.

#### **June 14, Sunday** **Lanier Days, Madison** (Bridges)

Meet at McDonalds at US31 and US50 in Seymour at 9:30. Rex will attempt to find Madison. You won't starve!

#### **June 17, Wednesday** **Mid-week tour to Amish Country** (Sutton)

Meet at McDonalds East on E 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Route 46, at 9:30 leaving for Odon and lunch at the Amish restaurant. After lunch we will visit some Amish stores and go to Montgomery and the Wednesday

Amish market at the Gasthof Amish Village. We'll com home by way of 50 and 450 to Bedford.

#### **June 13-20** **Bluegrass Festival, Bean Blossom** (On your own)

#### **June 21, Sunday** **Happy Father's Day**

#### **June 21-26** **MARC National Meet** (Sutton)

If you plan to attend the meet, please call Phil Sutton for details.

#### **June 27, Saturday** **Brown County Studio and Garden Tour** (Riss, Schmelz)

Leave West Hill Shopping Center at 8:30 a.m., tanks and tummies full. Tour several different artists' studios along the back roads of Brown Co.

#### **Labor Day Preview** (Sutton)

The Labor Day trip, Sept 5, 6 & 7, will be to the River Bank Lodge in Petersburg, IL. This is 5 minutes from New Salem, Lincoln's home after leaving Indiana, and 30 minutes from all the Lincoln sights in Springfield. This is the 200<sup>th</sup> birthday of Lincoln and many extras are going on. The July newsletter will have room rates and all the details. Don't miss this great trip, so put it on your calendar!

