



# GOING PLACES



## Web Site

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## May 2013

Membership meetings are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month at the Sirloin Stockade in Columbus. The meetings are held September through May. 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

Our annual Swap Meet is coming up Sunday April 28th. We need everyone's help to make it a success, as it's our only money maker for the club. We will need help in the following areas: setup, kitchen, taking money at door, clean up, plus other jobs that I'm not thinking of. Our touring season kicks off this month with a couple of tours: the cob web tour, and pancake breakfast. So get those Model A's ready to go!  
-- Jack

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## Board Meeting

The next board meeting will be May 15 at Jack Sullivan's home at 7pm.

## Minutes for April Meeting

April 11, 2013 Meeting at Sirloin Stockade in Columbus, IN. Jack Sullivan Jr. called the meeting to order with 34 members present. Everyone welcomed Cleo back from Florida and it was nice to see Sinda and Billy Sergent in

attendance and Steve Butler had his wife Jo here for the first time, welcome.

Secretary's report was given by Jane Herbert.  
Treasurer's report was given by Phil Sutton.

Starting balance:	\$2349.10
Income:	\$82.00
Expenses:	
MAFCA Ins. Donation	\$50.00
Dash plaques	\$130.00
	\$180.00
Ending balance:	\$2251.10

April 28 Swap meet business-Jane and Larry updated lists of helpers and donations, and gave everyone a copy of publicity poster to circulate. At the Swap meet, Ron Lawson will be available to take pictures of members with their cars for the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary book.

Phil updated trips.  
May trips need to be in the newsletter by April 22.

July 4 Dual Meet for picnic and car games at Johnson County Fairgrounds, watch newsletter for more information. Ron asked us for people to help with car games.

Larry Morlock handed out mileage awards for driving:

Ron and Susan Lawson reached 10,000  
Ed and Mary Dathe reached 15,000  
Gerald and Lyn Alexander reached 20,000  
Phil and Marge Sutton reached 80,000  
Jack and Linda Sullivan reached 110,000  
Jack and Kathryn Sullivan reached 200,000. They were also presented a nice plaque. They gave us some stories from their travels-200,000 miles. Amazing!

Announcement: Jack and Linda were grandparents, and Jack and Kathryn were great grandparents again.

50/50 drawing of \$16.50 won by Donald Wesseler.

Ron Lawson shared films from the Model A Museum in Gilmore, Michigan.

Whitey made the motion to adjourn, Wayne Arnholt seconded, meeting adjourned.  
Respectfully submitted by Jane Herbert, secretary.

### **50th ANNIVERSARY BOOK**

We would like each member of the Columbus Region to submit a picture of themselves with their Model A to be included in a booklet we will be putting together for the 50th anniversary of our club in 2014. This can be a recent picture or one you think is of historical interest - a specific tour or event, for example. You can also send any group pictures or any other picture you think might be of interest. We may or may not use them depending on space available. Please say where and when the picture was taken and list the names of the people in the picture.

Send your pictures to Larry Morlock. Electronic versions will be the easiest to handle and can be sent to [l.morlock@att.net](mailto:l.morlock@att.net). Send any hard copy pictures to 3407 Woodland Place, Columbus, IN 47203. They will be returned after the booklet is completed.

We would like to have all the pictures submitted by May 1 of this year.

### **GOLDEN JUBILEE SWAP MEET AND CRUISE-IN**

Our 50th annual swap meet will be Sunday, April 28, at the Bartholomew County 4-H Fairgrounds. We're calling this our "**Golden Jubilee**" swap meet in recognition of our 50<sup>th</sup> year of holding this event. We are inviting everyone to make this a **Cruise-In** to celebrate the event and will have **Dash Plaques** for all cars that attend. Please be sure to drive your Model A car to the meet to make a good showing for the Cruise-In.

Everyone is asked to pitch in and help. We need people to help with set-up from 6:00-7:00am, ticket sales at the door all day in 1-hour shifts, kitchen help and food donations, and clean-up from 2:00-3:00pm. All our indoor spaces have been rented, but there is plenty of space outdoors. Contact Larry Morlock at 371-6628 or [l.morlock@att.net](mailto:l.morlock@att.net) if you would like to rent one of the outdoor spaces.

**\*Swap Meet Entrance Changed\***

We have found out that County Road 200S next to the 4-H Fairgrounds (the one that has the traffic light) will be closed for our swap meet on Sunday, April 28. Everyone must use the north entrance to the Fairgrounds, which is Spear Street, about ¼ mile north of County Road 200S. Spear Street starts out to the west, but curves south to our swap meet building. We will have signs to direct traffic.

**SULLIVANS GET 200,000 MILE AWARD**

Jack and Kathryn Sullivan were recognized at our last meeting for reaching 200,000 miles driven in their 29 Roadster in the MARC Driving Awards program. In addition to a driving award emblem provided by the national MARC office, a nice plaque commemorating this achievement was presented to Jack and Kathryn by son and daughter-in-law Jack and Linda Sullivan. The 200,000 miles is still tops of all national MARC drivers. Congratulations, Jack and Kathryn !!!!

MARC Driving Award mileage tabs were also presented to:

Jack & Linda Sullivan	110,000 miles
Phil & Marge Sutton	80,000
Gerald & Lyn Alexander	20,000
Ed & Mary Dathe	15,000
Ron & Susan Lawson	10,000

The above is cumulative mileage. Here's the mileage for the top driving families for the year 2012 (some are multiple cars):

1. Jack & Kathryn Sullivan	9327
2. Ron & Susan Lawson	7509
3. Jack & Linda Sullivan	6031
4. Phil & Marge Sutton	5951
5. Whitey & Jane Herbert	4313
6. Ed & Mary Dathe	3725
7. George & Verna Titzer	3455
8. Larry & Lois Morlock	2378
9. Gerald & Lyn Alexander	1991
10. Rex & Nita Bridges	1724
11. Roy & Lavon Whiteman	1454
12. Wayne Arnholt	1281

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

**Car for Sale**

I have a late 31, 2-door for sale. In storage since 1960. Solid, no rust, a project car. \$3500. Call Dave Winkel 812- 332- 9799.

**Tours**

**May 4, 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.

**May 9, Thursday**

**Membership Meeting**

**May 12, Sunday**

**Happy Mother's Day!**

**May 17, 18, 19**

**Maffi Museum Opening and Dedication, Gilmore Museum, Michigan**

For those who have signed up for the May17-19th trip to the Model A Museum in Michigan Phil will call the week before with meeting times and location. At this point there are 12 people

signed up for the Hampton in Sturgis, and 4 will meet at the Gilmore.

Columbus, Bloomington, and Mid-Hoosiers are traveling Friday the 17<sup>th</sup> to the Hampton Inn at Sturgis, Michigan for 2 nights (17 & 18<sup>th</sup>). After checking in, we will go back into Indiana for a meal at an Amish home and some sightseeing. On Saturday the 18<sup>th</sup>, we will travel to the Gilmore Museum for a day of Model A festivities. On Sunday the 19<sup>th</sup>, we will come back to our homes with some traveling on to Tiffin, Ohio, and several days of touring. The Hampton is \$90 plus tax per night payable at check in. Please contact Phil Sutton (812-336-8672) by April 27 if you plan on traveling with us as we need to release any rooms not needed by April 30<sup>th</sup>.

### **May 17-18**

#### **Hoosier Auto Show and Swap Meet**

(On your own.)

### **May 19-24**

#### **Ohio Heritage Tour**

(Tim Howell)

If you are interested in going on this tour, call Tim Howell (317) 842-0987 and let him know.

### **May 25, Saturday – Note the date change**

#### **Cataract Falls Tour**

(Sutton)

Meet at West Hill shopping center at 9:45 and leave for Bloomington. We will meet the Bloomington folks at McDonalds on east Third St. at 10:30.

We will arrive in Spencer at Chambers Restaurant at 11:15. After lunch we will have a surprise tour in Spencer before heading for the falls. We will tour the falls and the Cataract general store before taking country roads back to Bloomington.

### **May 25-27**

#### **Memorial Day Weekend**

### **June 2, Sunday**

#### **Lawrenceburg Flea Market**

(Bridges)

Meet at 9:00 a.m. at the McDonalds in Seymour at the junction of 31 and 50. We will leave shortly thereafter and pick up anyone at N. Vernon. We will eat lunch after checking out the flea market.

### **Ron Lawson's Mystery Tool - Answer**

#### **Model B Steering Column Ignition Lock Tamper-resistant Bolt Removal**



Pictured above are NOS B-3731 twist-off head screws used to secure the steering column ignition lock to the steering column. These screws are tightened until the hex head twists off, leaving a flush, smooth, round, and tamper-resistant bolt.



Pictured above is the special KR Wilson tool number BV12. This tool is designed to remove the tamper resistant bolt from the column lock housing. The tool has two threaded shafts in a C frame.

One of the shafts has a sharpened and hardened bit which bites into the smooth bolt head. The opposite shaft applies a force to the end of the bolt to keep the bit engaged in the bolt head.

The entire C frame can be rotated relative to the column lock housing to back the bolt out of the housing.



Pictured above is the bolt removed from the lock housing and the housing then removed from the steering column tube.

**One of these was installed on the 1,000,000 Model A Ford.**

### **Help Wanted**

Wanted help for the July 4, 2013 Tri Club picnic and car games. Call Ronnie Lawson 812-343-2434.

### **Ron Lawson's Question of the Month**

Who were the 4 Vagabonds?

Come to the May 9 membership meeting to find out the answer.