



GOING PLACES



Web Site

www.modelacolumbus.com

November – December 2017

Membership meetings are held on the 2nd Thursday of the month at the Sirloin Stockade in Columbus. The meetings are held September through May. The meal will be at **5:30** p.m. with the meeting following at **6:30** p.m.

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President's Corner

Now is "A" time to plan "A" Dancin' in Branson National Meet in Branson, Missouri, June 24 - July 3, 2018. See your MARC magazine for more information on the event.

--Ron Lawson

I want to thank the club members for their help at the Indiana & Kentucky Model A gathering Sept. 8 and 9. We had great turnout of Model A's.

Below is a picture of a group that went to see the 1931 Model A Coupe sculpture by J. Seward Johnson Jr. The sculpture is titled "**When I Was Your Age**". It has a man standing outside the car pumping up the tire with a tire pump. A little boy is sitting in the front seat.



We then stopped at the assembly plant in Columbus that built the Model A Hub Caps, Model A Tire Pump, Model A Jacks, Radiator Outlet Pipes, Model A Brake Lever, Model A Muffler, Model A Mirrors, Model A Heaters, Grab Handles, Intake and Exhaust manifolds. We also went to the Exit 76 Antique Mall.

The other tour got lost in Brown County.

Time to prepare our Model A's for the winter.

Winterizing Check List:

1. Change oil. Gets rid of accumulated acids and carbons. Do not leave engine empty – condensation will be a problem. Use oil with zinc substitute additive. Ideally, refill with 15/40 multi-grade oil with detergent.
2. Drain and refill cooling system. Refill completely to overflow pipe with rust inhibitor antifreeze. Run engine to ensure system is emptied of air pockets. Ideally, use antifreeze intended for use with cast iron blocks – glycol. Alternatively, plumbing antifreeze is ok, but may attack rubber (debate). Avoid antifreeze designed for use with modern aluminum blocks.
3. Fill Gas Tank. Use gasoline stabilizer/conditioner. Avoid gasolines using ethanol. Ideally, use Hi Test gasoline.
4. Drain Carburetor and Sediment Bowl. Pull drain plug and clean screen on carburetor. Check gas tank filler screen if you have one.
5. Clean body thoroughly and wax. Use heavy flock cover to avoid abrasion from movement of

- cover. Apply canvas conditioner for soft tops.
6. Clean undercarriage including fenders. Spray entire undercarriage including fenders with Fluid Film (available at all auto supply houses). Include all contact points – brakes, springs, hangers, connectors.
7. Rodent protection. Weather blocks, Lemon Pledge, mousetraps, resident cat....
8. Battery disconnect, top up, trickle charge on a regular basis once a month.
9. Repack front wheel bearings (strong debate)
10. Back off tension screw on horn (optional)
11. Block up vehicle – optional. No need to worry with modern tires.
12. Keep a record of what has been done for the winterizing. Hang it on the steering wheel.

October 12, 2017 Treasurer's Report

Starting Balance		\$4494.95
Income		
9/7	50/50	12.00
9/7	Banquet	125.00
9/9	Banquet	300.00
Total Income		\$4931.95
Expenses		
9/9	Mel Chance	
	KY/IN Entertainment	600.00
9/12	Ron Lawson	
	Media Player Rental	119.00
10/2	Visa Payment	1349.49
	Web	17.11
	Cookies	15.48
	Newsletter	30.53
	Seasons Lodge	1286.37
Total Expenses		\$2068.49
Ending Balance		\$2863.46

Last Month's Answer

What is it? What is it used for on a Model A?



Model A Crank Guide

Used from the start of production until February of 1930. The square top style U-bolts were used on it. From February 1930 to the end of production.

From February 1930 until the end of production, the rounded top style U-bolts were used.

The hole in the center of the Crank Guide is there for a purpose. You squirt oil into it to lubricate the front leaf spring on top. A Model A will squeak if you don't oil it here. This is just one of the many squeaks that the Model A has.

Board Meeting

Next board meeting will be January 2018. Time and place to be determined.

Columbus Model A Tours

Nov 5 2017 Dayton Buckeye Model A Ford Club Swap Meet

Nov 9 Membership Meeting

Dec 10 Christmas Party at Pines (Club Officers)
 The Christmas Party is at the Pines in Seymour at 4pm. Cost is \$10 per person if you are a club member, \$18 if you are not a club member. The club will subsidize the difference. Please provide your dinner payment to Phil Sutton at next membership meeting or mail it to him. Phil will also collect

annual dues at the Christmas party.

Columbus Model A Club Apparel

The Columbus Model A club has ordered shirts and jackets in the past from Stogdill Sports Custom Embroidery. You may order directly from Stogdill by contacting them at:

Stogdill Sports Custom Embroidery
 1244 Hickory Hill Road
 Seymour, IN 47274
 812-524-7081
 812-216-0891
hrstogdill@cinergymetro.net

Here are your options:

		Apparel	Emb.	Price Ea.
Mens Long Sleeve SP10 Denim Faded Blue	S	\$ 19.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 27.48
	M	\$ 19.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 27.48
	L	\$ 19.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 27.48
	XL	\$ 19.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 27.48
	XXL	\$ 21.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 29.48
	XXXL	\$ 25.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 33.48
Ladies Long Sleeve SP10 Denim Faded Blue	S	\$ 19.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 27.48
	M	\$ 19.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 27.48
	L	\$ 19.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 27.48
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	XXL	\$ 21.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 29.48
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Mens Short Sleeve SP11 Denim Faded Blue	S	\$ 19.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 27.48
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	XXL	\$ 21.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 29.48
	XXXL	\$ 25.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 33.48
8800 Polo Carolina Blue	S	\$ 11.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 19.48
	M	\$ 11.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 19.48
	L	\$ 11.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 19.48
	XL	\$ 11.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 19.48
	XXL	\$ 13.56	\$ 7.50	\$ 21.06
	XXXL	\$ 15.56	\$ 7.50	\$ 23.06
JP54 Jacket	S	\$ 39.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 47.48
	M	\$ 39.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 47.48
	L	\$ 39.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 47.48
	XL	\$ 39.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 47.48
	XXL	\$ 41.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 49.48
	XXXL	\$ 45.98	\$ 7.50	\$ 53.48
Logo File Modification (Is completed.)		\$ -		\$ 20.00
Shipping Will Be Added.				

In the Rearview Mirror

We had three Model A's in the Columbus Ethnic Parade, Saturday, October 21.

There were three cars entered: Gary and Connie Lawless driving Cleo's car; Eric Lawless, driving Connie and Gary's car; and Larry and Susan Riss along with Katherine Schmelz..

The weather was perfect and we even won an award! After the end of the parade we spent our time enjoying the festival, especially the food tents.

For Sale

1925 Model T Doctor's Coupe

Very good shape. Off frame restoration 15-20 years ago. Car is in Brown County. The car sat inside Will's grill in Lawrenceburg for 15 years. Asking \$9200. If interested, call John Calhoun at (513) 708-2884.



Library: Roy Whiteman, 812-824-9662

The Columbus Model A Restorers Club Inc.
Library Holdings are:

Video Tapes

- 1 Carburetors and Carbohydrates
- 2 Dial D for Distributor
- 3 How to Avoid Fahrenheit Fright
- 4 The Flasher
- 5 Gennin Along with Lloyd and Floyd (Generator)
- 6 Rebuilding the Three Speed Transmission
- 7 How to stop on a Dime (Brakes)
- 8 Timing the Ignition

DVD's

- 1 Model A lock and Keys
- 2 The Flasher
- 3 Replacing Your Model A Ford Pickup Roof
- 4 Rebuilding a Model A Ford 2-tooth Steering
- 5 Rebuilding a Model A Ford Shock Absorbers
- 6 Rebuilding a Model A Ford Springs
- 7 Installing Flat Head Ted's Brake Floater Kit on your Model A Ford
- 8 Replacing Your Model A Ford Timing Gear While on the Road
- 9 Setting Engine Bearing Clearance on your Model A Ford
- 10 Rebuilding Your Model A Ford Water Pump
- 11 Installing a new cylinder head and head gasket
- 12 Installing a 1930 coupe roof
- 13 Rebuilding a Model A Ford differential
- 14 Rebuilding the Model A front end & freeing a stuck spring perch
- 15 Rebuilding the Model A Ford generator
- 16 Rebuilding Model A starters
- 17 Replacing a Model A Ford engine



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Reichard Chevrolet and Dayton Buckeye Model A Club not responsible for accidents.

THANK YOU! Flyers donated by The UPS Store, Sidney, Ohio - Ph. 937-498-0015

For Swap Meet Spaces, Fill Out and Mail to:

Mike Bogart - 175 Marybill Dr. South - Troy, Ohio 45373 - (937) 335-9353

Make Check Payable to: Dayton Buckeye Model 'A' Ford Club

Name _____

Address _____ Phone _____

I would like _____ 10'x10' inside space(s) at \$15.00 ea OR _____ outside unlimited space(s) at \$15.00 each.