



# GOING PLACES



## Web Site

[www.modelacolumbus.com](http://www.modelacolumbus.com)

## September 2014

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.

## 2014 Officers

### President:

Ronnie Lawson  
Phone: 812-343-2434  
[ronlaw69@yahoo.com](mailto:ronlaw69@yahoo.com)

### Vice President:

Gerald Alexander  
Phone: 812-988-6949  
[Phaeton30@att.net](mailto:Phaeton30@att.net)

## President's Corner

It has been a busy summer. The MARC and the MAFCA clubs have had some fun tours. We had the pleasure to attend the MAFCA National Convention, in Puyallup WA. We hauled Ms. Daisy out to the MAFCA meet, in the Toy Hauler. It was a 7,750 mile and 32 days Road Trip. Actual Model A miles that we drove on the Road Trip, about 600 miles. The Grand Tour was at the LeMay Family Museum. The LeMay

## Secretary:

Jane Herbert  
Phone: 812- 663-4211  
[janeherbert@msn.com](mailto:janeherbert@msn.com)

## Treasurer/Tour Master:

Phil Sutton  
Phone: 812-336-8672  
[pgsutton@indiana.edu](mailto:pgsutton@indiana.edu)

## Board of Directors

Jack Sullivan, Jr.  
Phone: (812) 523-3674  
[roadsterman1929@yahoo.com](mailto:roadsterman1929@yahoo.com)

Nita Bridges  
Phone: 812- 445-3132  
[rjnbridges@frontier.com](mailto:rjnbridges@frontier.com)

Don Wessler  
Phone: 812-663-6228  
[Wessler10@yahoo.com](mailto:Wessler10@yahoo.com)

## Web Master/Membership

Larry Riss  
Phone: 812-342-7644  
[risslarry@comcast.net](mailto:risslarry@comcast.net)

## Newsletter

Susan Riss  
Phone: 812-342-7644  
[susanriss@comcast.net](mailto:susanriss@comcast.net)

## Swap Meet Chairman

Larry Morlock  
Phone: 812-372-647  
[l.morlock@att.net](mailto:l.morlock@att.net)

Family Collection at Marymount in Tacoma, WA is a car lover's heaven! Open year-round 6 days/week for guided tours, showcasing hundreds of vintage vehicles – primarily American-made cars, trucks, buses, fire engines, motorcycles, and more.

I received an email from MARC about their [new web page](#), see below.

We are ecstatic to tell you that after much work, the NEW MARC WEB SITE is LIVE and Functioning.

What you see now is the work of three devoted people, Mark Maron, Myke Amend and our current Web Master, Ken Ehrenhofer.

We want to thank them for the effort and hard work to bring this NEW and exciting site to us. Fast, easy, and loaded with information about MARC and most importantly, the Model A Ford.

PLEASE visit the new Forum, also. Ron Ehrenhofer, our technical adviser, will be answering posts regularly as well as YOU the Model A Community.

By no means is this project completed, many areas that you will visit are still in the working stage, but you can be assured we are listening to your suggestions and input to make this site even better than it is. Please be sure to visit at either of these addresses:

<http://model-a-ford.org>

<http://www.modelarestorers.org>

**Bring your unusual antique or collectable at the next meeting, for a show and tell "What is it?" and test people's knowledge!**

--Ron

\*\*\*\*\*

**Please note the change of date for our October membership meeting!!!**

Instead of October 9, **it will be on Thursday October 16.** This is a change for October only. Our September meeting is at the usual day, Thursday, September 11.

\*\*\*\*\*

### **Board Meeting**

The next board meeting will be Oct. 23 at 7pm at the Riss house.

### **Tours**

#### **Sept 4, Thursday**

#### **White River Valley Tractor and Antique Show at Elnora**

(Whiteman)

Features tractors, steam engines, antique machine shop and huge flea market.

Columbus area participants meet at Columbus West Hill Shopping Center and leave for Bloomington at 7:30 am. Take IN 46 to Bloomington and meet at McDonalds on East Third St. Depart Bloomington at 8:30 am. We will take IN 37 South to IN 58 West, then I 69 to the Elnora exit. If you plan to go, call Roy at 812-824-9662 so he can plan to meet you.

#### **Sept. 11, Thursday**

#### **Spring Mill**

(Lawson)

Tour masters Ronnie and Susan Lawson. Meet at Eastbrook Plaza off National Road (Highway 31) and 25th street, in Columbus at 9:00 AM. We will be driving out to State Road 11 S, to State Road 58 S, to State Road 37S in Bedford, then State Road 37 S to Mitchell. We will take State Road 60 W out of Mitchell and end up at Spring Mill State Park. It has 1,359 acres established 1927.

Anyone wanting to meet with us en route or at the Park, please call Ronnie Lawson, 812-343-2434, and we will meet up with you. We will be eating lunch at the Spring Mill Inn, Millstone Dining Room. Their desserts include granny white cake, fruit cobblers, cornmeal pie (the cornmeal is ground at their mill) and persimmon pudding. Please call Ronnie Lawson if you are planning on going.

#### **Sept. 11**

Membership Meeting

#### **Sept. 13-14**

#### **Scottish Festival**

Columbus, IN  
(FYI)

**Sept. 13-14**

Kentuckiana's 1<sup>st</sup> Annual National Drive Your Model A Day

If you drive your Model A this day, contact Jane who will award you a participation patch.

**Sept. 16-29**

**Fall Trip to Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine**  
(Sutton)

**Sept. 19-20**

**Model A Day at the Gilmore Museum  
Hickory Corners, MI**  
(Larry Morlock)

For those not going on the trip to Maine, some of us are planning to go to the Model A museum in Hickory Corners, MI, for the Model A Day festivities. If you want to go, let Larry Morlock know, and make your own reservations at the Four Points by Sheraton hotel in Kalamazoo, MI, (269-385-3922) for the nights of September 19 & 20. Ask for the special rate of \$89/night for the Model A club. More info on the agenda will be in the next newsletter, but you might want to make reservations early before the block of rooms is used up.

**Sept. 19-20**

**Hoosier Auto Show and Swap Meet**  
(on your own)

**Sept. 21-24**

**MARC National Tour**  
**Cary, NC**  
(FYI)

**Sept. 27, Saturday**

**Hanover Beach**  
(Herbert)

Leave Columbus at 8:00 am from Westbrook Center. Take 7 to North Vernon. We will stop at McDonald's on 3 and 7 to meet with folks from Seymour and wherever. Leave North Vernon at 9 am. On to Hanover on Hwy 7 then to 62. We will stop at the Shell station for a quick break on Hwy 62 before we go on to Hanover Beach. We will

stop for lunch along the way and maybe check out the local flea market in Hanover. We will stop in Osgood to visit the Gilmore and Golda Foundation. Attractions include items from around Osgood, a piece of the corduroy road and a car made in Osgood.

Contact us if you are planning to go so we won't leave anyone. Call Whitey 812-593-8481 or Jane 812-593-1327.

**Oct. 8-11**

**Hershey**  
(FYI)

**In the Rearview Mirror**



**August 23, 2014**

**TRI CLUB PICNIC at Johnson County Park  
Columbus Region-1964  
Hoosier Hills Model A Ford Club Region-2009  
Mid Hoosier A's Region-1985**

We had great weather for the event.

We had over seventy-five people attend the TRI CLUB PICNIC at Johnson County Park on August 23, 2014.

We had members from each club as the car game leaders. I would like to thank the game leaders for their participation.

**Car Game List**

Phil Sutton (Columbus Region) game leader for the Reverse Spot Race: Winners as Susie Gibbs.

Susan Lawson and Susan Lawson Goins (Columbus Region) game leaders for the Wet T-shirt contest and Piston Toss: Wet T-shirt winner,

Jane Herbert and Piston Toss winner, Tim Howell.

Christian and Susan Easton (Hoosier Hills Model A Ford Club Region) game leaders for the Water Spills - Hold it Wilma! Winners are Susie and John Gibbs.

Ed and Mary Dathe (Hoosier Hills Model A Ford Club Region) game leaders for the Bulls Eye game: Winner is Tim Ellis.

John and Susie (Mid Hoosier A's) game leaders for the Wheel Roll: Winner Steve and Sheila Menchhofer.

**Parts for Sale:**

I have some Model A parts and accessories to sell, such as trunks, wheels, tires, engines, hoist, drums, generators, steering sector with shaft, rebuilt transmission, flywheels and more.

Call or text me at 574-612-0066, or email at [gipson726@gmail.com](mailto:gipson726@gmail.com) for a list of the parts. I can send pictures of parts of interest.

Thanks, Don Gipson