

"A" note from the president:



Hello Everyone,

Where did July go? It seems as though everyone was just preparing and planning for the fourth and the Arthritis Show and now it's almost August. As the cliché goes, "Time flies when you're having fun!" July began with our Tech Meeting at Joel and Barbara Weaver's. Per usual, the homemade ice cream was fantastic, only outdone by the Weaver's hospitality. John Moore's presentation on sound deadening of the Model A was more than helpful to everyone in attendance. I see me putting a checklist together in the future based on the information John shared.

Speaking of the Arthritis Show, the First Place Award in the Model A category went to Bob Brown for the second year running. Congratulations Bob, well deserved for a beautiful example of Henry's Lady! Awards of Excellence were earned by John Moore, Dominic Fondale and Karen Szakelyhidi. Many thanks to John Moore's work before and during the Show. We had a total of 22 Model A's on display this year, thanks to John's recruiting work. We added a new member to the Club this month as well. Please welcome Ed Feeney, the new owner of a nice '31 pickup. When you meet Ed, be sure to ask him how he found his "A". Another example of how so many of our vehicles were discovered.

Due to a sudden work commitment, our tour of Mark Hagan's Packard collection had to be cancelled. However, we will reschedule as a tour later this year. The Gosnell Gathering was held on Sunday the 20th. Our Club was well represented, having Bob Brown, Ken Szakelyhidi, Steve and Jaci Rohner, Chip Stout and family, Ellis Kauffman, Lou Ardit and the Bickley's in attendance. As a side note, Lou brought his '36 Plymouth, but we'll let that slide this time!

Please check the calendar below for a date change. The September Tech Meeting at Steve and Jaci Rohner's has been set back one week to September 10. This has been done in lieu of a number of members driving to the Old Car Festival on September 4.

Don't forget the auction coming up on Wednesday, August 6, at the Firehouse Museum. World famous auctioneer, Daric Galden will be splitting syllables and selling items for the benefit of the Firehouse Museum, the Model A Museum and our Club. This is the largest fund raiser of the year for us, so please bring lots of items to donate to the auction and a pocketful of cash!

Many thanks to everyone for your recruiting efforts so far this year. Let's keep working toward our goal of expanding membership. Have a great August in your Model A!

Dan



The Ladies of the Club would like to start a "Birthday List" for each month, so please forward to Jaci or Karen your date of birth – OK, no year!! We will publish them each month so the proper people can be embarrassed, I mean, honored in their own fashion by the members. Ed

Below – Karen, Ken, and Ellis enjoy the Butter Cow and some of

her "goodies" at the Dairy Barn during the State Fair.



Birthdays during this month:

Kathy Bickley - August 5th



Ladies and Gents:

Do you have any favorite family recipe's that you would like to share with the members. Maybe some special dish that everyone raved about at picnics, family gatherings, or prison cookouts?

Something that can be cooked on a Model A Ford manifold – inside a pot, of course? Let us know, we are a hungry bunch of travelers.





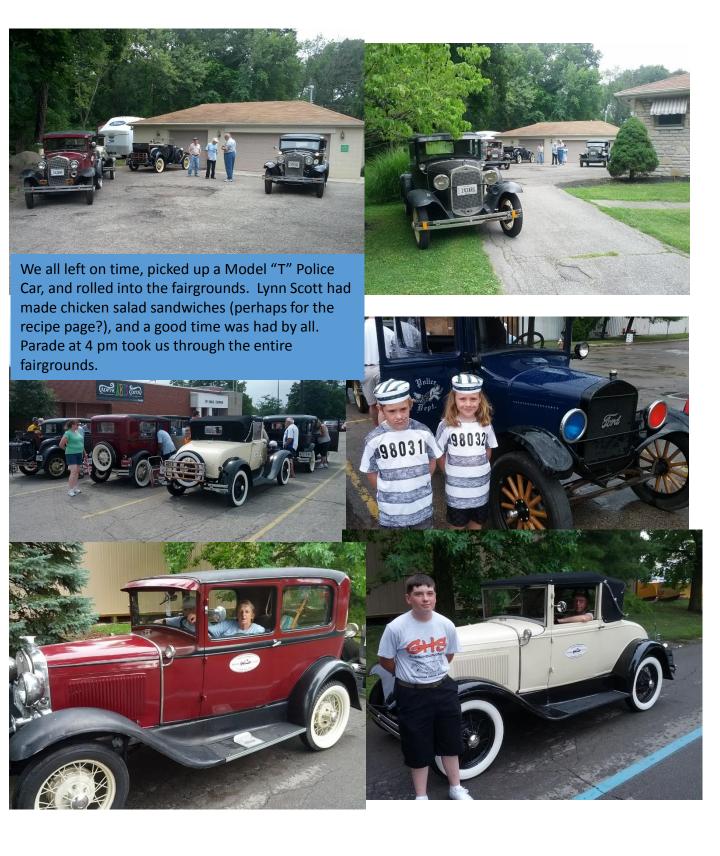
Members of the Scioto Model "A" Ford Club enjoy the sunshine at the Arthritis Show. A good day weather wise and 22 Model A Fords showed we still can outnumber the Corvairs.





Scioto Members enjoying some quiet moments before the wonderful organ music and laughter at Harold Lloyd's 1924 film "Girl Shy" at the Ohio Theatre Thursday and Friday evenings.

Ford Day at the Ohio State Fair



Events for August 2014

WHAT: First Saturdays at Der Dutchman WHEN: Saturday, August 2nd

WHERE: Der Dutchman (445 S. Jefferson Ave., Plain City - corner of US42 and West Ave)

TIME: 8:30AM - 10:00AM

DETAILS: Join us for our casual club breakfast. ALL makes and types are welcomed. Invite your friends and tell them to drive their cars! This event is RAIN or SHINE.



9:00AM - 4:00PM

- Fee: \$7.00
- Registration: 9:00AM 12:00PM
- Judging: 12:30PM 3:00PM
- Awards: 4:00PM

WHAT: Tech Meet / Annual Club Auction WHEN: Wednesday, August 6th WHERE: Central Ohio Fire Museum (260 N. Fourth St., Columbus) **TIME:** 7:00PM – 8:30PM

Germain Ford | 7250 Sawmill Road | Columbus, OH 43235 WWW.GERMAINFORD.COM (614)-889-7777 **DETAILS:** This auction is open to all types of stuff (NOT just car parts) and is a great way to sell some of your unwanted goods so clean out your attic, basement, and garage. Bring CASH because there is something for everyone and lots of good deals. A portion of the auction sales goes to the club.

WHAT: National Church Residence Senior Center Car Display – Points Event: WHEN: Tuesday, August19th

WHERE: We'll meet in the parking lot of TAT Restaurant (1210 S. James Rd., Columbus) at 10:15AM.

Car Display: National Church Residences Senior Center (3341 E. Livingston Ave., Columbus) **TIME:** 10:15AM – 12:00PM

DETAILS: We'll meet in the parking lot of TAT Restaurant at 10:15AM and then drive to the car display which is from 10:30AM – 12:00PM. National Church Residences Center for Senior Health is a health care center for seniors and this display will enable patients and visitors to view our cars and share their stories and memories with us. For Club members who have cars other than a Model A, you are encouraged to drive one of your other cars so there will be lots of different types of cars on display. If you belong to other car clubs, invite them too and tell them to drive their cars! After the display, we'll return to TAT for a delicious Italian lunch.

Upcoming Events for September2014

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WHAT: Tech Meet WHEN: Wednesday, September 10th WHERE: Steve and Jaci Rohner TIME: 7:00PM – 8:30PM DETAILS: Watch next month for more details!!

WHAT: International Model A Day Family Picnic

WHEN: Saturday, September 13th

WHERE: Sharon Woods Metro Park (6911 Cleveland Ave., Westerville) TIME: 11:00AM – 2:00PM

DETAILS: The Scioto Model A Club is hosting a family picnic in recognition of International Model A Day. Watch next month for more details!!

WHAT: <u>Don Mink's Bean Dinner – Points Event #1</u>

WHEN: Sunday, September 14th

WHERE: Don Mink Family Farm (Gallipolis, Ohio)

TIME: Departure Time 8:00AM SHARP

MEETING SITE: Bob Evans Restaurant (3776 South High St.) on Rt. 23 South, a short distance North of I–270

DETAILS: This is our annual bean dinner, one of the highlights of our touring season, and will be held at Don Mink's Farm in Southern Ohio. This is a joint function with the Southern A's, and Don strives to make it better every year. The Southern A's will once again be furnishing the ham, chicken, dessert, and the homemade ice cream. To help ease some of the burden for the Southern A's our club is requesting that everyone please bring a side—dish to share. Watch next month for more details!!



Our Member Spotlight for the month of August is shining on Lou Ardit. Lou has been a member of the Scioto Model A Ford Club since 1991. He's the proud owner of two gorgeous vehicles, a 1930 Model A Todor that Lou purchased way back in 1955, and a 1936 Plymouth Coupe.

Lou met the future Mrs. Ardit in the third grade. He and Martha were married for 38 years and had a son, David, who works as a pharmacist in the Mt. Carmel organization. And, he has two grandchildren.

Graduating from Grandview Heights High School in 1938, Lou joined the Army on May 31, 1943. He served with the 281st Field Artillery as a radio/ morse code operator in the European Theatre, seeing action in France, Belgium and Germany. His military service ended on April 1, 1946, following assignments in Bavaria and Austria.

The majority of his professional career was spent in the consumer lending area of the banking industry as he watched City National become Bank One and then Chase. After retirement, Lou worked in the real estate business for 16 more years.

Lou brings a wealth of knowledge and experience to our Club and we're honored to have him as a long term member. A member of the "Greatest Generation", we salute Lou for his work ethic and the sacrifices he made to defend our great nation.





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