

# The Scuttlebutt

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**January Technical Meeting/ Awards Dinner** 

Date: Wednesday January 4, 2017

Place: Der Dutchman 445 S Jefferson Ave, Plain City

Time: 6:30 PM

Enter Main entrance and ask for Scioto Model 'A' Club, we will have a separate room.

You may select from the menu or from the salad bar.

Since we did not have an end of the year event in 2015, we will have all awards presentations presented at this dinner.



Are your dues paid? Still only \$25. You may give them to Jaci Rohner at the January dinner, or mail them to her at 7083 State Route 142 SE, West Jefferson, OH 43162.

Little known facts: Upon his death in 1947, Henry Ford took his last automobile ride from the funeral service to the grave site in a Packard hearse.

#### January Birthdays



1 Becky Zimmer 17 Bob Oberst

20 Lisa Galden

21 Daric Galden

27 Bob Brown

28 Sharon Jones

31 Bruce Oberst

## MARC Membership

MARC, (Model A Restorers Club, our National Club,) has just announced an exciting new program to encourage membership in the National club. All new members joining, during 2017, join for \$22.50. That's a half year free. (Or half price, depending how you look at it.) That is a great deal.

To receive this rate, your dues must be submitted through the Club treasury. If you are interested, please send your dues to Jaci Rohner.

#### **Little Known facts:**

In 1899 Mrs. John Howell of *Chicago* was the first women to obtain a driver's license.

### It's that time of year.

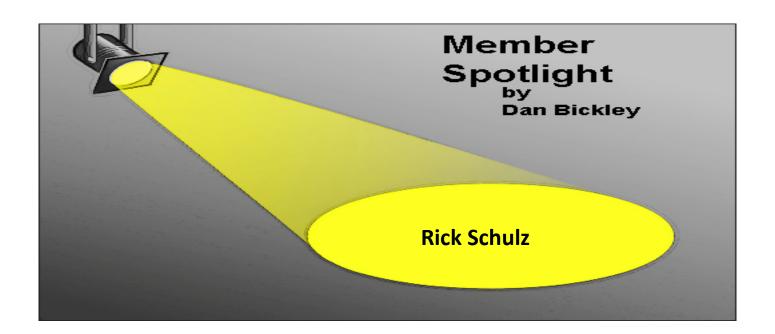
As members pay there 2017 dues, Ellis Kauffman and I start putting together information for the new club roster.

We don't always get the information, and we want your issue of the Scuttlebutt as well as other club communications reaching you.

#### If you have:

- changed your address or email.
- Changed your Phone number (including adding a cell or dropping your "land line".)
- ◆ Added (or subtracted) a Model 'A' to your collection, Please give that information either to me or Ellis. sciotomodela@gmail.com or ellis.kauffman@yahoo.com

Shirley



This month's member spotlight is shining on Rick Schulz. Rick and Helen have been married 40 years and are the proud parents of son Matthew, who resides in Connecticut, and daughter Katherine, a resident of Pickerington. Originally from the Chicago area, Rick and his family have lived in Ohio for the past 35 years.

Rick is a graduate of Hinsdale, Illinois, High School and completed his Undergraduate Degree from Southern Illinois University in Carbondale, Illinois. Rick's career found him working for Ikegami Electronics out of New Jersey. He was in charge of 17 states, overseeing the upgrading of TV equipment for many TV stations throughout the Midwest. The next time you watch Channel 10, think of Rick. That was one of his last projects before retiring.

Throughout High School Rick had too many Model A's to mention. He had a great time buying, selling and trading Model A's in those years, and that's what piqued his interest in "Henry's Lady". Rick has owned his current 1929 Fordor Touring Sedan for over 40 years. The car spent many, many years on blocks in his Father-In-Law's garage. A couple of years back, Rick retrieved the car and began a complete restoration project with it. Now, a new interior and radiator will have it roadworthy and ready for club events in the Spring of 2017!

Rick is a 6 year Club member and a participant in many of our events. Thanks Rick for being in our Club and your dedication to your beautiful Model A!

## Christmas Bus Trip



We had 50 members join for a fun trip to Wheeling West Virginia to view the Oglebay festival of lights. After having a snowball fight on the bus, which resulted in prizes for many, we arrived in Wheeling. We enjoyed a great dinner in a spacious atrium, then we joined the very long line of vehicles headed to the lights. It seems everyone wanted to visit on the same night we were there. We had many laughs, and enjoyed each other's company while we waited in a line of traffic that seemed endless. Once we arrived at the park, we were treated with a great tour of 6 miles of parkway decorated with millions of lights.

While it was a late evening, we had a good time, and everyone received a goody bag and a custom made ornament.

I have received many great comments on the trip, it seemed everyone had fun. Many were asking where we are going next year.

John Baker



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