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‘A’ Note from the President

Hope everyone has a wonderful turkey day. If you eat too much , oh well. We are all looking forward to Christmas. Our dinner will be at Spaghetti Warehouse and I am looking forward to it. Maybe I can restrain myself and not overeat again.

Our year is quickly coming to an end. I hope everyone had a successful touring season. If you did not get out as much as you would have liked my hope will be for a more positive new year. I would like to see everyone sometime next year I am wishing all of you a favorable new year in 2018.

Monroe

CHRISTMAS SONGS QUIZ #2 **Contributed to Swenny's E-Mail Funnies by Lyn Deadmore Taylor, Atlanta, Georgia**



How many Christmas songs can you identify?

1. The apartment of 2 psychiatrists.
2. The lad is a diminutive percussionist.
3. Decorate the entry-ways.
4. Sir Lancelot with laryngitis.
5. A B C D E F G H I J K M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z.
6. Present me naughty but dual incisors for this festive Yuletide.
7. The smog-less bewitching hour arrived.
8. Exuberation to this orb.
9. 288 Yuletide hours.
10. Do you perceive the same longitudinal pressure which stimulates my auditory sense organs.
11. The red-suited pa is due in this burg.
12. Stepping on the pad cover.
13. Uncouth dolt has his beezer in the booze and thinks he is a Dark Cloud's boyfriend.
14. Far back in a hay bin.
15. Leave and do an elevated broadcast.
16. That exiguous hamlet south of the holy city.
17. Behold! I envisioned a trio of nautical vessels.
18. Listen, the winged heavenly messengers are proclaiming tunefully.
19. A joyful song relative to hollow metallic vessels which vibrate and bring forth a ringing sound when struck.
20. As the guardians of little woolly animal's protected

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Congratulations to our 2018 Officers.

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January Tech Meeting

Do to unpredictable winter weather, there will be no January Tech meeting. Instead, the officers will meet to plan the calendar of activities for the 2018 year.

If you have suggestions for tours we should take or other activities to be included in the Calendar, please contact Richard Baker at ford22t@gmail.com.

60th Anniversary of The Scioto Model 'A' Club

We want to celebrate our 60th birthday in style this year. If you have ideas, please send them to Richard Baker.

Was your fire extinguisher recalled?

Carrying a fire extinguisher in our 'A' and storing one in our garage is common. The problem is, Kidde, who makes many of them had a major recall. Don't ignore it. Find the product number and serial number and call Kidde. They take the information, send you replacements and tell you how to dispose of the old one.

Don't Delay or ignore an important safety measure.



Matt and Nicole Reither of Columbus.

Ron and Cyndi Flowers of Dublin who have a 1929 Roadster.

Happy December Birthday to:

9 Rose Harbage

15 Mike Doherty

31 Barbara Marshall

31 Shirley Doherty



IF MY BODY WERE A CAR

(From the Depths of Cyberspace)

If my body were a car, this is the time I would be thinking about trading it in for a newer model. I've got bumps and dents and scratches in my finish and my paint job is getting a little dull, but that's not the worst of it.

My fenders are too wide to be considered stylish. They were once as sleek as a little MG; now they look more like an old Buick.

My seat cushions have split open at the seams. My seats are sagging. Seat belts? I gave up all belts when Krispy Kremes opened a shop in my neighborhood.

Air bag's? Forget it. The only bags I have these days are under my eyes. Not counting the saddlebags, of course.

I have sooooo many miles on my odometer. Sure, I've been many places and seen many things, but when's the last time an appraiser factored life experiences against depreciation?

My headlights are out of focus and it's especially hard to see things up close.

My traction is not as graceful as it once was. I slip and slide and skid and bump into things even in the best of weather.

My whitewalls are stained with varicose veins.

It takes me hours to reach my maximum speed.

My fuel rate burns inefficiently.

But here's the worst of it -my wife keeps threatening to trade me in on a new model.

New
Address!



2018 Roster.

Have you changed your address, email or phone number? Did you drop your land line or add a cell phone. Please send or call email changes to:

Shirley Doherty sciotomodela@gmail.com or call to 614-863-5715

or

Dan Bickley bowser47@yahoo.com or 740-460-0419 as soon as possible.



For sale , Two 1929 2 door Model A's. Owned both approximately 40 years. Kept in garage the whole time. Sold as is. Asking \$5000 each or \$9000 for both.

Price negotiable.

Green Model A – I have never driven. Not sure if it runs. Came with a 1931 Model A engine. Spare tire goes on front left fender.

Red Model A – Last driven approximately 30 years ago. Original engine had a cracked cylinder. I had it welded but never had x-rayed or bored out. Currently has a different motor. Has mechanical brakes, ahoogah horn.

Extras – door, heater, shocks, window trim pieces, 3 original spark plugs (can be taken apart cleaned & put back together & reused). 2 radiators and some other miscellaneous parts.

Call Skip Teaford 614-619-7009. skipt683@gmail.com





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Scioto Model A Club has it's own page. This is a "closed" page, intended for posting by club members only.

Please remember, this is about club activities and our cars. No political or social opinions.

Answers to Christmas Trivia—How did you do?

1. The Nutcracker Suite
2. Little Drummer boy
3. Deck the Halls
4. Silent Night
5. Noel (No L)
6. All I Want for Christmas Is My Two Front Teeth.
7. It Came upon a Midnight Clear
8. Joy to the World
9. 12 Days of Christmas
10. Do You Hear What I Hear?
11. Santa Claus Is Coming to Town
12. Up on the House Top
13. Rudolph the Red-nosed Reindeer
14. Away in a Manger
15. Go Tell it on the Mountain
16. O Little Town of Bethlehem
17. I Saw Three Ships
18. Hark the Herald Angels Sing
19. Jingle Bells



Saluting Veterans at the 2017 Columbus Veterans Day Parade

We Get Results—-and mail

Back around May you put in the newsletter that my friend was looking for his Fathers Model A Coupe that was sold many years ago. A gentleman called with info that led to him finding the car. He was NOT able to buy the car back , but he and his Dad know where it is. We want to tell him THANKS, it's great people like that , that helps our hobby. My problem is I only remember his first name as Gene. I thought that I had his phone number , but at that number I get no answer. Soooooooooo. whenever the next letter goes out can you tell him, The three of us say THANKS.

Thanks, Jack Plecher



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