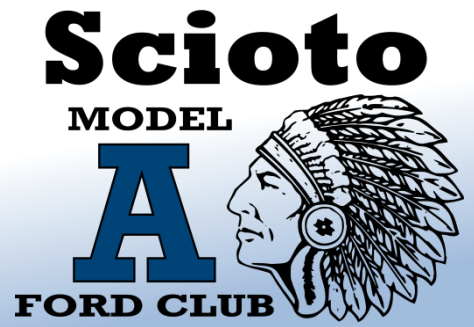


The Scuttlebutt

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MARC Central Ohio Region
Columbus, Ohio

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Cover Photo

This month's cover photo features the lunch time line-up taken on last month's tour in Dayton, Ohio. The club was on their way to America's Packard Museum.



The Chief's Corner

Hello Everyone!

I am pleased to report that September was another good month for the Scioto Model "A" Ford Club. We continue to have big turnouts at our meetings and on our tours. A big "thank you" goes out to Dan Bickley. He did an excellent job making arrangements for the September north-side dinner meeting. The meeting was held at the Big Walnut Grill up in Sunbury, Ohio. The food and service was great. We had thirty four people attend the dinner meeting. There were also eight Model "A"s driven to the meeting. This is the type of membership involvement that we like to see in our club.

During the month, we also received a few email inquiries about how to become a member. This shows that there are potential members out there in the central Ohio area who are looking at our website. We have already gained quite a few new members this year. This is a trend that we also like to see. In order to keep the membership growing, we all must continue to work together and reach out to people showing interest in our cars. Whether you're running to the store in your car, stopping at a gas station, or out on a tour, people notice our cars and always want to ask a question or make a comment. This is when you need to mention that you are part of a club that is based right here in central Ohio with over ninety members. Most people are surprised to hear that there are that many local Model "A" owners in our area.

I would also like to thank John Baker for leading the tour over to America's Packard Museum in Dayton. Once again, we had a good turnout with 14 people and nine Model "A"s on that tour.

As I said, September was a good month, so let's keep it going in October. This month, our meeting will be held in Hilliard. Harry Spieker will be showing us how to safely crank-start our Model "A"s. We also have our fall tour scheduled this month. We will be taking a drive throughout Union County to see some amazing covered bridges. Remember, an active membership makes for a strong club.

I'll see you out there!

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October Birthdays

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Monroe Harbage
Darlene Jones
David Kauffman
Jeri Kennard
Dick Luckhaupt
Barbara Luckhaupt
Stanton Prior
Dave Rothert
Brian Tucker
Ann Wade

Our Next Meeting

- DATE:** October 2, 2019
- TIME:** 7:00 pm
- PLACE:** Franklin County
Fairgrounds
- LOCATION:** 4100 Columbia Street
Hilliard, Ohio
- TOPIC:** How to Safely Crank
Start Your Model "A"
- DIRECTIONS:**
1. Take I-270 on the west side to Exit 13, Cemetery Road.
 2. Go west on Cemetery Road to Norwich Street. Turn right (northwest) onto Norwich Street.
 3. Take Norwich St. to Columbia St. Turn right (northeast) onto Columbia Street.
 4. Columbia Street will take you straight into the Fairgrounds parking lot.

UNION COUNTY

COVERED BRIDGE TOUR

On October 19th, Steve Rohner is leading the club on a covered bridge tour of Union County. We will meet at the Der Dutchman in Plain City, Ohio. We will leave there promptly at 10:00 am and will be stopping for lunch in Marysville at 12 noon.

Union County is home to seven covered bridges, with six of them still in service. Hopefully, the leaves will be starting to turn and will provide a beautiful backdrop for pictures of our Model "A"s rolling through these old bridges. This will be the clubs last Model "A" tour of the season, so be sure not to miss out on the fun!



2019 SCIOTO MODEL "A" FORD CLUB SCHEDULE

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>October</u></p> <p>2nd – 7:00 <u>Tech Meet:</u> Franklin County Fairgrounds 4100 Columbia Street Hilliard, Ohio</p> <p>19th – <u>Tour:</u> Union County Covered Bridge Tour</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>November</u></p> <p>6th – 7:00 <u>West Side Dinner Meeting:</u> York Steak House 4220 West Broad St. Columbus, Ohio</p> <p>8th – <u>Event:</u> Veterans Day Parade Columbus, Ohio</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>December</u></p> <p>7th – 12:30 <u>Christmas Party:</u> Clintonville Woman's Club 3951 North High Street Columbus, Ohio</p>	

Use Car's Exhaust to Clean Cushions



Using the exhaust gas of the automobile to clean the upholstery is the accomplishment of a recently invented device. An aluminum attachment is fastened to the exhaust pipe and the engine is allowed to idle. As the exhaust gas passes through this device suction is created at the inlet hole. Collected by a

nozzle, the dust and dirt are drawn through the hose and expelled into the air at the rear of the car. It is made in three models, for cars of different size.

With the car's engine idling, gas from the exhaust creates a vacuum that cleans the cushions.

Popular Science Magazine - February, 1932



FROM THE DESK OF

Dan Bickley

SECRETARY

Highlights of the September Meeting

Meeting called to order by Allan Goldhardt. Treasurer's report by Jaci Rohner shows a balance in our account of \$4,417.25 as of September 4. Jaci reported proceeds of \$507.00 from the Club Auction, of which \$150.00 was donated to the Firehouse.

Allan Goldhardt thanked everyone for their participation and donations to the Club Auction again this year.

In terms of Old Business, the August 17th tour to the Armstrong Air & Space Museum included 12 participants and 8 Model A's. A big thank you goes out to Clark Garn and Steve Rohner for planning and leading this tour.

New Business included the following:

1. John Baker will be leading the America's Packard Museum Tour on Saturday, September 21. All tour participants should meet in the Kroger parking lot located at 5800 West Broad Street for a 10:00 AM departure.
2. Steve and Jaci Rohner will be leading the Union County Covered Bridge Tour on Saturday, October 19. Tour participants should meet at the Plain City Der Dutchman. Time has yet to be determined.
3. Steve Rohner has made arrangements for our Club to participate in the Columbus Veteran's Day Parade on Friday, November 8. As per previous years, we plan to meet on Nationwide Blvd. at 10:00AM, with the parade beginning at 12:00 Noon. Lunch will be at Plank's on South High after the parade.
4. Jaci informed the group that we received a Thank You note from Bill Hall at the Firehouse for our donation of \$150.00 from our auction proceeds.
5. Kathy Bickley won the 50/50 Raffle of \$30.00.

Our next Tech Meeting, which will be hosted by Harry Spieker, is scheduled for Wednesday, October 2, at the Franklin County Fairgrounds. The address is 4100 Columbia Street, Hilliard. Harry will be presenting the Tech topic that evening...."How to Safely Crank Start Your Model A".

NATIONAL EVENTS

SHIFTING GEARS FOR 65 YEARS.



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2019

OCTOBER 9 - 12
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FALL NATIONALS

Save the Dates!

April 3rd - 5th, 2020

2020 MARC Membership Meet, Plymouth, Indiana

June 1st - 5th, 2020

2020 MARC National Meet, Oshkosh, Wisconsin

LOCAL EVENTS



Tolles Third Annual Car & Craft Show

Date: Saturday, October 5th

Time: 8:00 am – 2:00 pm

Location: Tolles Career & Technical Center
7877 US Highway 42 South
Plain City, Ohio

All proceeds from the event will raise funds to support students and their activities in career-technical student organizations (CTSOs), including FFA, SkillsUSA, Business Professionals of America (BPA), HOSA and FCCLA.

The Georgesville Community Center Spooky Spectacular Event

October 5

Fish Fry

Car & Bike Show

2-6pm

\$10/Vehicle



Raffles

Scare @ the Square
6:30-10pm

On Stage 3-6pm

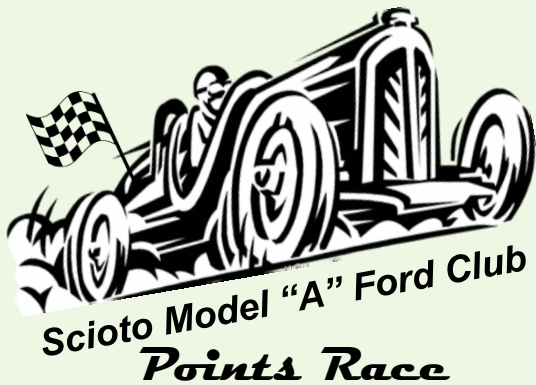
Decoration

Awards

Trunk or

Treat 6:30

8020 Rush Street



The 2019 Scioto Model "A" Ford Club Points Race is just about over. All club members are automatically entered into the race. If you have collected 16 points by the end of the race, you will receive a FREE Membership next year. Some of you are very close to getting a free membership, so get out there and earn those points now!

10 Laps Completed

2 Laps to go!



1st Place (with 31 points):

Goldhardt



2nd Place (tied with 25 points):

Minor & Rohner



3rd Place (tied with 22 points):

Garn & Spieker



Still Running

Jones, J.	21					Rader	2
Bickley	18	Lindner	8	Kennard	4	Rase	2
Kauffman, E.	18	McBride	8	Dunn	3	Reither, M.	2
Harbage	16	Rothert	8	Hare	3	Rowland	2
Davis, W.	15	Damewood	7	Janosik	3	Schultz	2
Baker, J.	14	DiThomas	7	Oberst, B.	3	Whiteley	2
Ardit	13	Miller, D.	7	Oberst, R.	3	Baldwin	1
Baker, R.	11	Ruede	7	Pavkov	3	Christensen	1
Luckhaupt	11	Galden	6	Stout	3	Freeman	1
Szakelyhidi	11	Brown	5	Adams	2	Gilmerr	1
Gibbony	10	Doherty	5	DeAndrade	2	Gould	1
Kauffman, D.	10	Kleinhans	5	Griffith	2	McAllister	1
Liston	9	Leonard	5	Jones, D.	2	Roberge	1
Fields	8	Reither, D.	5	Liberto	2	Weaver	1



Damewood Public Auction!

Club member Bill Damewood, is holding a public auction on Saturday, October 12th. He will be selling his 3 Model "A"s and lots of Model "A" & "T" parts. There will also be tractors, tools and guns for sale. The auction will start at 10:00 am at 4600 N. Urbana Lisbon Rd./Rt.54 Mechanicsburg, Ohio. For information and pictures, go to www.mumma1910.com and click on upcoming auctions.

America's *Packard* Museum

Last month, John Baker led the club on a wonderful tour over to Dayton, Ohio to America's Packard Museum. The weather didn't cooperate as well as we would have liked it to on the way over, but driving home was fine. There were 14 people and nine Model "A"s that made the trip. We stopped and had a good lunch at Fricker's on the way there. After lunch, we headed on to the museum. Once there, we quickly realized why it is ranked as one of the top ten auto museums in the country. The collection is housed in a building that was once an original Packard dealership. It was the perfect setting for those beautiful cars. There was only one Model "A" mishap on the tour. When we stopped for lunch, Harry Spieker realized that one of his headlight lenses was missing. He quickly got some tape and secured the headlight reflector to make sure that he didn't lose it as well. A big "Thank You" goes out to John for leading us on a great tour!







A Word About Our National Organization

Over the past few years, we've had quite a few new members join our club. We sometimes forget to take the time to explain to them about the national organization we belong to. First of all, there are two major national Model "A" organizations in the country. One is called the Model "A" Ford Club of America (MAFCA). The second one is called the Model "A" Restorers Club (MARC). Both national organizations are made up of local Model "A" clubs. MAFCA calls the clubs that belong to their organization "chapters". MARC calls the clubs that belong to their organization "regions". The Scioto Model "A" Ford Club has been a member of MARC for 52 years. Our MARC name is the Central Ohio Region. Although not required, our members are encouraged to join the national organization. As a member of MARC, you will receive a bi-monthly edition of their magazine, the Model "A" News. You are eligible to attend their yearly membership meetings, national meet and yearly tour. You are also eligible to participate in their mileage program.

This year, two of our club members are celebrating milestones as MARC members. With 30 years as a MARC member is Jerry Dunn of Galloway. Also celebrating 25 years as a MARC member is Ellis Kauffman of Westerville. Congratulations gentlemen, that's quite an accomplishment.

THE MILITARY/VETERANS EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION PRESENTS:
VETERANS DAY PARADE

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CELEBRATING THE GREATEST GENERATION!
NOVEMBER 8, 2019
BEGINS DOWNTOWN AT 12 NOON

PLEASE BRING A GIFT TO DONATE TO THE MARINES TOYS FOR TOTS PROGRAM

FOR MORE INFORMATION GO TO MILVETSOHIO.ORG

Mark Your Calendars

Our club will be participating in the Veterans Day Parade held on Friday, November 8th in downtown Columbus. We will line up between 10:00 and 10:30 am on Nationwide Boulevard, just east of Neil Avenue beside Nationwide Arena. The parade will step off at 12:00 noon. At the conclusion of the parade we will drive down to Plank's on South High Street for lunch.

The theme of this year's parade is "The Greatest Generation". Please join the Scioto Model "A" Ford Club in celebrating the 75th anniversary of D-Day. By attending this parade, we choose to honor the service of our veterans and to salute all of our current military men and women.

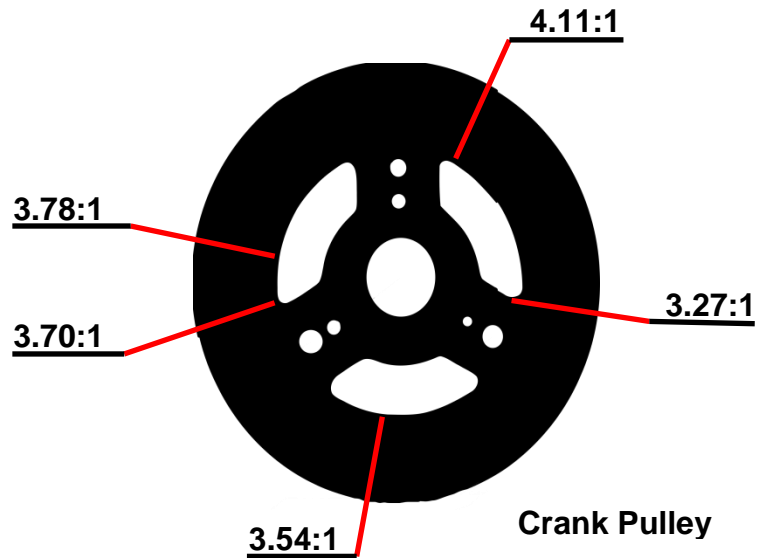


BACKYARD TECH TIP



How to Determine Your Rear End Ratio

Park on a flat surface with several feet of clear space in front. Remove all four spark plugs. Put a chalk mark on a rear tire at 6 o'clock. Mark the front of the crank pulley at 12 o'clock. With the help of a friend, and the transmission in high gear, push the vehicle forward and watch the mark on the crank pulley. Count the number of times the mark on the pulley reaches 12 o'clock and stop when the tire mark is at 6 o'clock again. Note the position of the mark on the crank pulley. The mark you made will be at approximately the area of the gear ratio as shown. With a standard 3.78:1 rear end gear, the crank pulley will



have made three complete revolutions, then a little past 3/4 of a turn. With a 4.11:1 rear end gear, the crank pulley will have made 4 1/8 revolutions.

Dan Ritt, Mt. Arab, Ohio

“A” Word on Fashion

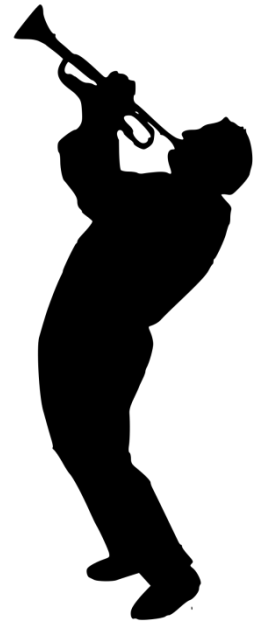
As much fun as the beach can be, there was a time when wearing a bathing suit meant a woman could be arrested or warranted for indecent exposure. Swimsuits were said to be sinful according to the Vatican; they were even banned in the United States for decades.

In the 1900s, there were laws put in place to ensure people were modest when it came to the way they dressed. At that time, it was required for women to wear a long, one piece bathing suit, with stockings as well. As swimming and other beach activities became more popular, people started to push the limits of those laws.



In 1922, if you wore a bathing suit that was too short, you could receive a warrant from the police. They even had “bathing suit” patrolmen who would measure to see if a bathing suit was of proper length standards. Bathing suits back then could not be more than 6 inches above the knees.

Presenting
The
FLAPPER of the MONTH



The creator of "the Shimmy" was a voluptuous dancer born Marianna Michalska of Poland. Her parents died tragically and her foster-parents brought her to the U.S. at the age of 8 in 1909. She later changed her name to Gilda Gray. After singing in Chicago saloons and working as a cabaret dancer in New York, she appeared in the Ziegfeld Follies of 1922. She made her first film in 1923. This photo features Gilda in the 1926 silent comedy "Aloma of the South Seas". The film grossed over 3 million dollars and was the fourth most successful film of the 1920s. The film is now considered to be a lost film. Gilda died of food poisoning at the age of 58 in 1959.

LOONEY TUNES



"That's all Folks!"