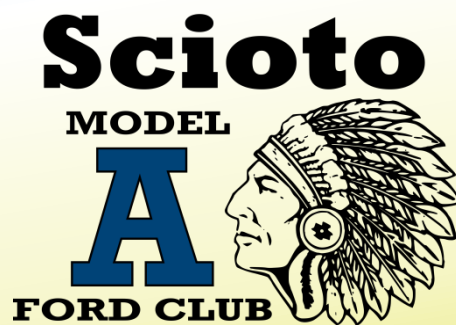


# *The Scuttlebutt*

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MARC Central Ohio Region  
Columbus, Ohio

**September 2021**

## Cover Photo

This month's cover photo was taken on last month's tour to Gallipolis, Ohio. It features club members Don & Marjorie Mink's 1931 Ford Model "A" Phaeton.



# The Chief's Corner

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## ***Hello Everyone!***

Thanks to everyone who helped with the events in August. The Southern "A" picnic looked like everyone had a good time.

At the September Tech Meeting Rick Linder will be talking about the Ford factory in Columbus.

The tour will be on September 18<sup>th</sup> to see an antique tractor and sign collection in Amanda, Ohio at the Miller Farm. This will also coincide with their 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

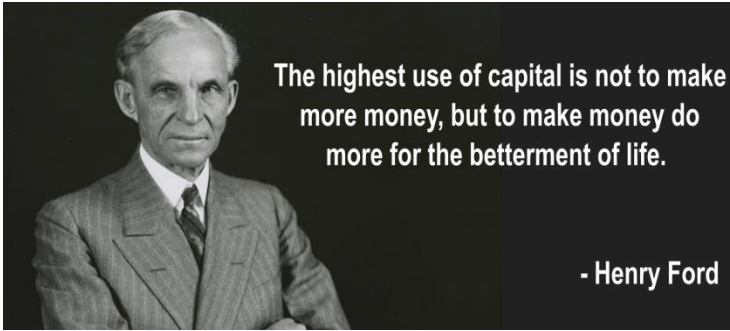
I would like to thank Tom Wickersham for leading us and everyone else who came out and participated in the Nelsonville tour. It was a great tour and a lot of fun.

Be sure and check out the revised schedule. The meeting locations changed for the months of October and November.

We are still looking for volunteers for next year's officer positions. Please let us know if you are interested in helping the club as an officer.

*Stay safe and I'll see you soon!*

*Clark*



## September Birthdays



**Ed Feeney**  
**Dick Liston**  
**Rex Wilkes**  
**Alyce Danielson**

## **Our Next Meeting:**

**DATE:** September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021  
**TIME:** 7:00 p.m.  
**PLACE:** Rick Lindner's Ford Garage  
**LOCATION:** 259 East Tompkins Street  
Columbus, Ohio  
**TOPIC:** Ford Manufacturing Plant

### **DIRECTIONS:**

1. Take I-71 to Exit 112.
2. Go West on Hudson Street to Summit Street.
3. Go South on Summit Street to Thompkins Street.
4. Go West on Thompkins Street.
5. Rick Lindner's Ford Garage is a white building on the South side of the street.
6. You may park around the garage, on the street or in the school lot across from the garage.

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## **MILLER FARM 100<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY TOUR**

On Saturday, September 18<sup>th</sup>, Harry Spieker will be leading the Scioto Model "A" Ford Club on a tour down to the Miller Farm. The Miller Farm is located just north of Amanda between Circleville and Lancaster. We will be departing at 9:30 a.m. from the Marathon Station directly across from Scioto Downs. The Marathon Station address is 5991 South High Street, Columbus, Ohio. Once we get to the farm, we will have the opportunity to view the Miller family's antique tractor collection and their antique sign collection. The Miller Family has also offered to provide a light lunch for all of us. They will have a tent for us to sit under and get out of the sun as well. Be sure to bring a chair to sit on and a cooler with your drinks. Since we are only going to Amanda, this will be one of our shorter driving tours of the season. If you are new to touring or just a little unsure about driving your Model "A" on a longer tour, this is the one for you. Be sure to mark your calendar and save the date. This is going to be a good time that you won't want to miss!



## Secretary's Report for August

We had a great meeting August 4, at Smeck Park. We had 14 members attend. Thank you, Bill Minor, for suggesting such a quiet Park.

Jaci Rohner supplied hotdogs and condiments for the meeting, and Pat Liston brought pop, cookies, and potato salad. Thank you, Jaci, everyone enjoyed your refreshments.

President Garn thanked everyone for coming. He also thanked Dick Liston for the use of his barn and lift at our July meeting. He commented on the fact that everyone seemed to learn something. Howard Turner spoke up and added that he would be willing to let members use his lift to check things out. He would just need to know before you dropped in to be sure he did not already have plans.

President Garn also thanked everyone that went on the Ash Cave tour. We had a good turnout with 16 members and 12 cars. We had great weather and the food at Jim Bo's and the ice cream at the Old Mans Cave General Store was great as well. He also commented on the great job everyone did to pitch in and fix Dick Lickhaupt's flat tire during the tour. Great job guys! Good Teamwork.

President Garn then went over the other events coming up in August:

August 6<sup>th</sup> – Car Show & Band in Commercaill Point. (*Tom Wickersham won a trophy at the Car Show and Clark Garn won an outdoor gas grill at the event.*)

August 7<sup>th</sup> - Commercial Point Go-Kart Races. Model A's scheduled to do a parade lap around track at 12:45 p.m.

August 15<sup>th</sup> - Southern A's 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary at Don Minks Farm. We will meet at 8:30 a.m. at the Marathon Station directly across from Scioto Downs, located at 5991 South High Street. Steve and Jaci Rohner will lead this trip. (*This turned out to be a very good event despite the rain. It was sunny when we started, but the closer we got to Circleville, rain started to dampen our efforts. It finally stopped just miles before we reached the farm and did not start again until we were ready to leave. We had 9 Model A's, a 51 Ford and 4 modern cars participate. We had 27 members from our club make the trip. Everyone had a great time. The food was good and the music by the live band was terrific. Thank you Don Mink, for allowing us to share this event with your group.*)

August 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> – Arthritis Benefit Show at the Dublin Metro Center, 5200 Upper Metro Place, Dublin, Ohio. (*There was a great turn out for this show with people from all over coming. As for our club, we had 5 Model A's, one 1941 Ford and 8 members attend. When you see Jaci, ask her what she won at the car show. Great time, but it did get hot in the afternoon.*)

August 28<sup>th</sup> - Nelsonville tour. We will meet for the tour at the Marathon Station directly across from Scioto Downs at 9:30 a.m. Tom Wickersham will lead this tour and has a lunch stop planned along the way. (*We have not had this tour yet as I am writing this letter, so I will report on it more next month.*)

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## Secretary's Report (continued)

Now back to the August meeting. We had a presentation by Bill Minor, who spoke about spark plugs. Bill had done a lot of research on the subject and was very knowledgeable. The presentation was very interesting and educational. My husband even admitted he learned something he did not know. Richard Baker spoke up and offered a card he carries with spark plug part numbers and manufactures names to use when you go to the parts store. He says it helps to get the correct one you need for your engine. Several members took a photo of the card for their records. If you would like one, please let me know. I can email you a copy. Thanks Bill, great job!

Our next Tech Meeting will be September 1<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 p.m. at Rick Lindner's Ford Garage located at 259 E Tompkins, Columbus, Ohio. Rick will speak about Henry Ford's Manufacturing.

On September 18<sup>th</sup> we will be taking a tour to the Miller Farm in Amanda, Ohio. Harry Spieker will lead us, starting at 9:30 a.m., from the Marathon Station located at 5991 South High Street. We will get to see the Miller's antique sign and tractor collection. We will stop for lunch in Ashville at Blade's Pizza. This should be an interesting tour.

*Be sure and check the calendar for upcoming events, we look forward to seeing you!*

## 2021 SCIOTO MODEL "A" FORD CLUB SCHEDULE

<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>September</u></b></p> <p><b>1<sup>st</sup> – 7:00</b>    <b><u>Tech Meet:</u></b> Lindner's Ford Garage 259 East Tompkins Street Columbus, Ohio</p> <p><b>18<sup>th</sup> – 9:30</b>    <b><u>Tour:</u></b> Miller Farm Antique Tractor &amp; Sign Collection Amanda, Ohio</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>October</u></b></p> <p><b>9<sup>th</sup> – 12:00</b>    <b><u>Meeting &amp; Cookout:</u></b> Harbage's Farm 6325 Lucas Pike NE Plain City, Ohio</p> <p><b>16<sup>th</sup> – 9:30</b>    <b><u>Tour:</u></b> Laurelville Area Laurelville, Ohio</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>November</u></b></p> <p><b>3<sup>rd</sup> – 7:00</b>    <b><u>Tech Meet</u></b> Station House 81 11 Front Street Commercial Point, Ohio</p> <p><b>5<sup>th</sup> – 10:30</b>    <b><u>Veterans' Day Parade</u></b> 200 West Nationwide Blvd. Columbus, Ohio</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>December</u></b></p> <p><b>4<sup>th</sup> – 11:30</b>    <b><u>Christmas Party</u></b> The Hickory House Restraint 550 Officecenter Place Gahanna, Ohio</p>

# LOCAL EVENTS



## New Location SWAP MEET



Antique & Classic Cars, Car Parts, Manuals  
License Plates, Petroliana, Advertising

**ALL MAKES, MODELS, AND PARTS WELCOME**

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7th, 2021**

**Car Corral**

**8 a.m. - 1 p.m.**

**50/50  
Drawing**

### Miami Co Fairgrounds

Duke Lundgard Building, Troy, Ohio

**17 MILES NORTH ON INTERSTATE 75- from I- 70**

**Exit 78-Go 3 miles south on Co Rd 25A to the Fairgrounds**

Sponsored by  
**Dayton Buckeye Model A Ford Club**

**Hot Breakfast & Lunch Stand**

**Heated Inside Spaces & Outside Spaces**

**Sunday VENDORS SET-UP From 6 a.m. to 8 a.m.**

**\$4.00 Donation**

*Miami CO Fairgrounds and Dayton Buckeye Model A Club not responsible for accidents. Flyers printed by The UPS Store, Sidney, Ohio - Ph. (937) 498-0015*

For Swap Meet Spaces, Fill Out and Mail to: Mike Bogart  
175 Marybill Dr. - Troy, Ohio 45373 - ph 8am-3pm M-F (937) 335-9353  
Make Check Payable to: Dayton Buckeye Model A Ford Club

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

I would like \_\_ 10'x 10' inside space(s) at \$20.00 each or \_\_ outside space(s) at \$20.00 each.

# Cruise-In



**EVERY THURSDAY**  
5PM - 8PM

**MAY 6  
TO  
SEPT 30**

	<b>COFFEE &amp; DONUT CRUISE-IN</b>	<b>CRUISE-IN BANQUET</b>
	<b>SEPT 18 9-11:30AM</b>	<b>OCT 7</b>

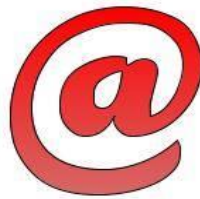


**FOOD · FUN · FRIENDS · OLDIES MUSIC · DOOR PRIZES**  
CAR CLUBS WELCOME

**FREE ADMISSION**

# LABOR DAY CAR & BIKE SHOW

Friday, September 3rd, 2021  
Location: 247 Lafayette St  
London, Ohio



"Family Style Restaurant"

Registration: 4 PM - 8 PM  
Registration Fee: \$10  
Awards @ 8:30 PM



Best In Show  
Best GM  
Best Mopar  
Best Ford  
Best Other Make  
Best Motorcycle

Tony's Choice  
People's Choice  
Favorite 20  
Dash Plaques - First 40

Supporting Local Scholarship Programs  
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## AMERICAN LEGION SOUTHWAY POST 144 CRUISE-IN

SEPTEMBER 6, 2021  
3253 SOUTH HIGH STREET  
COLUMBUS, OHIO



**Registration:** 11:00 am – 1:00 pm

**Registration Fee:** \$15.00

**Awards Presented:** 2:30 pm

50/50 RAFFLE DOOR PRIZES

DJ PLAYING THE OLDIES

\*Best of Cruise\*  
30 Post Favorite Awards

For Additional Information contact:

(614) 491-0159



# SOUTHERN A FORD CLUB

## 20<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY

On August 15<sup>th</sup> the Scioto Model “A” Ford Club was invited down to Gallipolis, Ohio to join the Southern “A” Ford Club in celebrating their 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary. We had around 30 club members make the trip down to Don Mink’s farm. Although we took on some heavy rain on the way down, once there the skies cleared and it was a beautiful afternoon. The Southern “A”s provided fried chicken, corn on the cob and homemade ice cream. Everyone from our club brought covered dishes. They even had a live band playing some good, country music to entertain us. One of the traditions when pulling into Don’s farm is driving your Model “A” through a creek and up the hill to park. A big “Thank You” goes out to Steve & Jaci Rohner for leading our group down to Gallipolis and to Don Mink and the Southern “A” Ford Club for all of their kindness and hospitality.





# NATIONAL EVENTS

## Annual Model A Day

# Swap Meet Fashion, Seminars, Food and Fun!

September 17-18th 2021 9-5pm

The Gilmore Car Museum  
6865 W. Hickory Road  
Hickory Corners, MI 49060



Join us Saturday Afternoon

A SPECIAL Question &  
Answer Seminar

Hosted by Wayne Carini  
From "Chasing Classic Cars"



For more Info 269-615-3719 Jerry Morrissey

✓ Of Swap Reservations or Seminar information

Mark Maron 847-302-7900 / Ken Ehrenhofer 630-697-3906



# Robbins Crossing Historical Village Tour

Last month, on August 28<sup>th</sup>, Tom & Dottie Wickersham led the Scioto Model "A" Ford Club on a tour down to Nelsonville, Ohio. The weather cooperated and it turned out to be a beautiful day. We had a total of six Model "A"s and twelve members participate on the tour. It was a great time driving down through the countryside to Nelsonville, Ohio. We stopped at Robbins Crossing to view the historical village. There were numerous log cabins with a lot of historical information to enjoy. When we left Robbins Crossing, we headed up to Logan, Ohio for lunch at the Millstone BBQ. The food and service was great. No tour would be complete without a stop for ice cream, so we then decided to head over to the Old Man's Cave General Store to enjoy some dessert. The only mishap on the entire tour was with President Garn's car. He had to be towed once and pushed once to get it started. A new battery may be in his future. A big "Thank You" goes out to the Wickershams for leading us on this nice tour.







## BACKYARD TECH TIP



# TURN THE KEY OFF!

If you forget and leave the ignition key on and the points just happen to be closed when the engine stopped turning, the chances are about 99 percent that the battery is dead and the points are burned up. If you are very unlucky, so is the coil. Always turn the key off.

Bruce Haynes  
Old Dominion Model "A" Ford Club



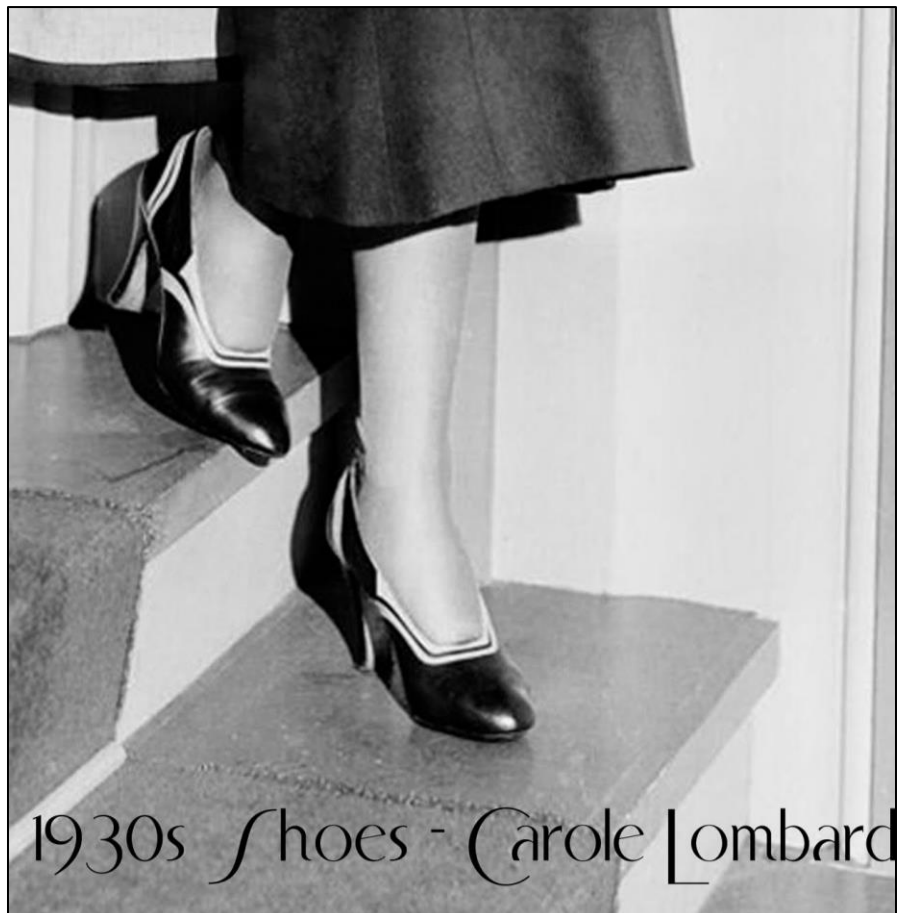
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## "A" Word on Fashion

### Glamour of Women's Shoes

In the early twentieth century women demanded more comfortable, flat-soled shoes – that is until the roaring twenties when higher hemlines encouraged visible, elaborate, high heeled and slender Louis heels. The Depression during the 1930's highly influenced shoe fashion in the USA and Europe as heels became lower and wider. The new heel developed an elegant look and stars' shoes like Ginger Roger's white and glittery heels began to challenge the influence of French shoe fashion. Here you see some examples of shoe styles from the 1930s as worn by various Hollywood Sirens like Carole Lombard.



1930s shoes - Carole Lombard

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# FLAPPER of the MONTH



This month we feature Mary Astor. Mary was born on May 3, 1906 in Quincy, Illinois. Her parents recognized Mary's beauty, so they pushed her into various beauty contests. One of those contest came to the attention of Hollywood moguls who signed her at the age of 14. Throughout 1921-1923 she continued her career with minor roles in a number of motion pictures. In 1924, Mary landed a role opposite John Barrymore. This launched her career to stardom. Mary was the new cinematic darling with each film packing the theaters. By the end of the twenties, the sound revolution had taken a strong hold on the industry and Mary was one of those lucky actresses who made the transition to "talkies" because of her voice and strong screen presence. In 1938, Mary turned out five feature films which kept her busy and in the spotlight. By 1941, her star began to fade. Because of three divorces, the death of her first husband who died in a plane crash, alcoholism, a suicide attempt, and a persistent heart condition, Mary got smaller roles in movies. Mary appeared in a total of 123 motion pictures with her final film in 1964. Mary lived out her remaining days confined to the Motion Picture Country Home, where she died of a heart attack on September 25, 1987 at the age of 81.

THE END

