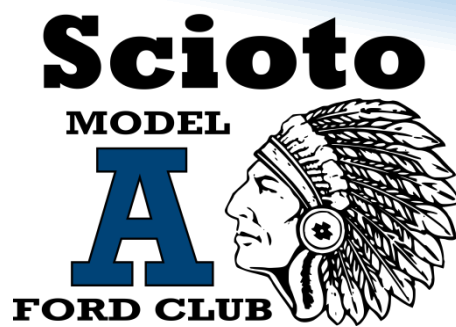


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## Cover Photo

This month's cover photo was taken on last month's tour down to Amanda, Ohio to participate in the Miller Family Farm 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration.



# The Chief's Corner

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## ***Hello Everyone!***

Our thanks go out to Steve and Jaci Rohner for filling in for Rick Lindner at our last tech meet. You both did a wonderful job on the presentation and it is greatly appreciated!

Please note that our next tech meet will be held on a Saturday afternoon instead of the usual Wednesday evening. The meeting will be on Saturday, October 9<sup>th</sup>, at noon. We will have our tech meeting at Monroe Harbage's farm. We will be having a cookout. Hot dogs will be provided, but we are asking everyone to please bring a covered dish and a chair to sit on. Per our bylaws, we will be nominating officers for next year at the October meeting as well.

We will be taking our final tour on October 16<sup>th</sup>. Bill & Winnie Minor will be leading us down around the Laurelville, Ohio area for a Fall Foliage Tour. Hopefully, the leaves will be turning and it will be beautiful.

Election of Officers will take place at our November tech meeting. This meeting will be held south of Columbus in Commercial Point.

With the year coming to an end, it's our last chance to put some more miles on our Model "A"s. Pat will be asking for your mileage very soon. Enjoy this fall season.

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

*Clark*

## Our Next Meeting

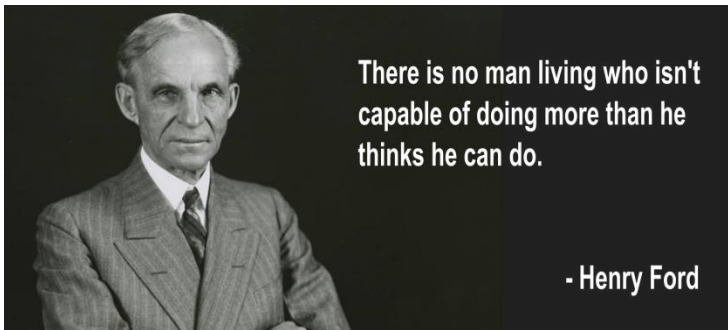
**DATE:** October 9<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
**TIME:** 12:00 noon  
**PLACE:** Monroe Harbage's Farm  
**LOCATION:** 6325 Lucas Pike NE  
Plain City, Ohio  
**TOPIC:** "Nomination of Officers"

### **DIRECTIONS:**

1. Take I-270 around to the west side.
2. Get off at Exit 8 – I-70 West.
3. Take I-70 West for 7 miles to Exit 85 – Plain City.
4. Go north on NE Plain City-Georgesville Road for 2 miles to Lucas Road.
5. Go west on Lucas Road for 2 miles.
6. Monroe's Farm is on the south side of the road.

### **ADDITIONAL INFO:**

Be sure and bring your own chair to sit on. Monroe & Roseann will be providing hot dogs and baked beans. Monroe will have a fire going to roast your hot dogs. Feel free to bring a side dish and beverages to share with everyone. This is always a fun "Down on the Farm" day that you don't want to miss! If you have some little ones, bring them with you. They will enjoy cooking a hot dog over an open fire.



## October Birthdays

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



## FALL FOLIAGE TOUR

Our final organized tour for 2021 will be a Fall Foliage Tour on October 16th. The starting point will be the Marathon gas station located at 2560 London Groveport Road (Ohio Route 317) at the intersection with Alum Creek Drive (*this is across from the entrance of Rickenbacker Air National Guard Base*). Gathering time will begin at 9:00 a.m. with a drivers meeting at 9:25 a.m. and the tour leaving promptly at 9:30 a.m. This will be a slow paced rambling tour of back roads as we enjoy the natural beauty of Ohio's fall foliage. We will have stops for lunch, apples & cider, and perhaps ice cream. Be sure to plan on joining us for our last tour of the season!



FROM THE DESK OF

**Pat Liston**

**SECRETARY**

## Secretary's Report for September

We had a great meeting on September 1<sup>st</sup> at Rick Lindner's Garage. We had 14 members attend. Thank you, Rick, for the use of your space and to the club for providing pizza as our refreshment for the evening. Also, Thank you to Jaci Rohner for the cookies she brought to our meeting.

President Garn thanked everyone for coming. He also thanked Bill Minor for the suggestion of Smeck Park for last month's meeting and his talk about spark plugs that was well received.

Treasurer Liston gave her financial report. She also stated that Dan Bickley had given the club some insulators for our Model A's. They can be used under the floorboard to help hold down some of the intense heat that comes off the engine that makes long trips a little warm. Thank you Dan! (*We tried them out and they worked on our Amanda tour.*) She also read a note from the Southern A's, thanking us for coming out, enjoying the day with them, and our donation to help defray the cost of all the food.

President Garn thanked everyone that participated in the Nelsonville Tour on August 28<sup>th</sup>. We had 12 members, 6 Model A's and one modern car. We had great weather and the food at Millstone BBQ as well as the ice cream at the Old Man's Cave General Store was great. He also thanked everyone for all the push starts he needed on his car. (*Hopefully he has that fixed before the next tour.*) Great teamwork everyone!

Vice President Rohner announced that she has things under control for our Christmas Party, but with the covid numbers going back up again and companies having problems getting people to work, she will have to let us know if it is a go or not. Of course, we are all hoping to have it. She also reminded people that at the October meeting, we will be nominating officers for 2022. She is hoping to get some volunteers for the Treasure and Vice President position.

On September 18<sup>th</sup>, the club took a tour to the Miller Family Farm located in Amanda, Ohio. Harry Spieker led the tour. We had 11 Model A's, 3 modern cars, and 24 members participate. We got to see a large collection of antique signs. We also saw a collection of antique tractors, many of which had been completely restored. We had a very lovely ride in the county as the weather was very cooperative. We saw lots of corn fields, bean fields and some wheat fields that had already been harvested. We were served a very nice lunch with BBQ beef, shredded chicken, chips, and homemade cookies. They also served water and lemonade, all at no cost to us. They were celebrating their 100 years of family farming. Mr. Miller explained their farming business. He said they were in their 4<sup>th</sup> generation and were currently farming about 500 acres of land. It was a very pleasant day. Thank you Harry for a lovely trip!

President Garn announced that our next meeting will be held on Saturday, October 9<sup>th</sup>, at noon. We will be having a cookout at Monroe Harbage's Farm. His farm is located at 6325 Lucas Pike NE., Plain City, Ohio. Everyone is asked to bring your chair and a covered dish to share. We will be holding nominations for new officers at this meeting.

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## Secretary's Report (continued)


Also, remember dues for 2022 are due in December. You can send me your payment any time after October 1<sup>st</sup> if you like. Please mail your payment to Treasurer Liston, 751 South State Route 605, Sunbury, Ohio 43074.

President Garn then turned the meeting over to Jaci Rohner, who was filling in for Rick Linder. She did a powerpoint presentation and spoke to us about Ford Manufacturing in the early 1900's in Columbus, Ohio. It was a great topic. It was interesting to learn that Henry Ford gave his workers a \$5.00 a day paycheck opposed to the normal \$2.40 elsewhere. It was also interesting to learn that the salesmen's job was done using catalogs and flyers. Customers had to order their automobiles instead of picking out a car on a dealership lot like today. Salesmen had to sell 100 cars a year to keep their jobs. Thanks for a great presentation!

We had our normal 50/50 drawing and Jim Jones was the winner. Jim donated all of his winnings back to the club. Thank you Jim, that was very generous of you and it is greatly appreciated.

*Please check the calendar for events, we look forward to seeing you!*

## 2021 SCIOTO MODEL "A" FORD CLUB SCHEDULE

<b><u>October</u></b>	<b><u>November</u></b>
<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> Fall Foliage Tour Laurelville, Ohio</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>
<b><u>December</u></b>	
<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>	

# September Tech Meet

On September 1<sup>st</sup>, the Scioto Model "A" Ford Club held a Tech Meet at Rick Lindner's Ford Garage in Columbus. There were around 17 members present. Jaci Rohner provided some cookies and the club furnished pizza for those in attendance. After the business portion of the meeting, Jaci & Steve Rohner did a power point presentation on the Ford Plant that was located in Columbus, Ohio. This was a very interesting presentation. A big "Thank You" goes out to Jaci and Steve for their efforts and also to Rick Lindner for allowing us to meet at his garage. Our next meeting will be held at noon on Saturday, October 9<sup>th</sup> at Monroe Harbage's farm. There will be a cookout around an open fire. Everyone should bring a chair and a covered dish to share. Monroe will be providing the hot dogs and baked beans. We will be nominating officers for 2022 at this meeting.



## Where's Henrietta?

As many of you know, Henrietta is the Scioto Model "A" Ford Club's official rubber chicken. Henrietta has the very important job of keeping track of any member that happens to break down while on a club tour. If you have trouble while on a tour, it becomes your responsibility to take care of Henrietta. You must provide her a nice home and give her a ride on every tour until someone else takes over that responsibility. Henrietta had been living with Steve & Jaci Rohner. On the August 28<sup>th</sup> tour to Nelsonville, President Garn's car would not turn over. Members had to push him twice, and tow him once. He is now responsible for taking care of Henrietta. Every time you see him, be sure to ask about his newest friend, Henrietta!



# LOCAL EVENTS



## Tolles Fourth Annual Car & Craft Show

Date: Saturday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>

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.

## Trunk or Treat Car Show

Date: **October 16, 2021** (Rain Date: October 23, 2021)

Registration: **11 am to 1 pm** Registration Fee: **\$10** Awards: 3 pm

Location: **Hilliard Presbyterian Church**  
**3600 Leap Rd Hilliard, OH**

*All makes, models & years welcome*



**100 Dash Plaques & 50 Awards,**  
**Best Halloween Costumes & Best Decorations**

Door Prizes, Music, Food & Drinks

**Trick or Treating 1 pm to 3 pm** (*Cruisers don't forget to bring candy!*)

Proceeds benefit EPC's Childrens Charities



# 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.



# NATIONAL EVENTS



*We'll keep runnin' in 2021!*

# HERSHEY

**AACA EASTERN FALL MEET**

**HERSHEY, PA OCTOBER 6 - 9, 2021**



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## Save the Dates!

April 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2022

2022 MARC Membership Meet, Plymouth, Indiana

June 5<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022

2022 MARC National Meet, Morgantown, Pennsylvania

## VETERANS DAY PARADE

Our club will be participating in the Veterans Day Parade held on Friday, November 5<sup>th</sup> in downtown Columbus. We will line up between 9:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. facing eastbound 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 be driving down to Plank's on South High Street for lunch.

Please plan to join us as our club will proudly honor the service of our veteran's and salute those currently serving in the military. In addition, we wish to offer a warm welcome to all of the troops who have bravely served our country in the Fight for Freedom since the attacks on September 11, 2001.

The theme this year is to welcome home the troops of Operation Enduring Freedom, Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation New Dawn. The grand marshal for this years parade is Lt. General Ferriter.

Be sure to mark this date on your calendar and plan to attend. We need as many Model "A"s as possible in this year's parade. We want to show the City of Columbus that the Scioto Model "A" Ford Club proudly supports the fighting men and women of this great country!

### *A Note From Our Vice President*

***Hello all!***

As the year wraps up, my focus is turning to the 2021 Christmas Party. It is set for December 4<sup>th</sup> at the Hickory House in Gahanna, Ohio. As time gets closer, I will be sharing more information (cost, etc.) but what I am going to ask you is how you feel about having it with the COVID cases rising. Therefore, I will be asking you in person for your thoughts, plus for those of you who are on Facebook, I will be putting out a survey. Please be honest with me...it will work, even if we have to have a Christmas in July next year. One thing is for certain, this year has definitely flown by! Talk to you soon!

*Jaci*

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

On Saturday, September 18<sup>th</sup>, Harry Spieker led the Scioto Model "A" Ford Club on a tour down to Amanda, Ohio to the Miller Family Farm. The Miller family was celebrating their 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of farming. Their family consists of four generations of farmers. They currently farm over 500 acres a year. Our first stop was at a barn filled with antique signs of all shapes and sizes. Mr. Miller started collecting signs five years ago, but he already had one barn full. After looking over his sign collection, we got back into our cars and headed over to his other place. Once there, we were treated to a sit-down dinner by the Miller family. The food was great! After dinner, we wondered around his farm and got to see his antique tractor collection. Just about all of his tractors are completely restored. While we were checking out his tractors, they were checking out our cars. We also saw his newest hobby interest, converting antique sewing machines into toy tractors. The drive to Amanda was beautiful, the weather was great, and the Miller Family hospitality was outstanding! A big THANK YOU goes out to Harry Spieker and the entire Miller family for providing the Scioto Model "A" Ford Club another great tour!





The membership enjoying a good lunch provided by the Miller family.



Mr. Miller's Ford collection.



Our membership's Ford collection.





## BACKYARD TECH TIP



# FUEL STABILIZER

It is recommended that you should use a fuel stabilizer. Marine Sta-Bil is an excellent product, but it has a one year shelf life. Star Tron does not. With ethanol in the gas, 'phase separation' in the gasoline will begin in 30 days and be complete in 90 days. The alcohol binds to the water and it settles in the bottom of your tank. The way to mitigate that is to keep the tank FULL and use fuel stabilizer. Less air means less moisture in the tank for the alcohol to absorb. Clearly, using non-ethanol gas is not a reasonable option for most folks. And gas blends not only vary from one state to another, they vary from season to season.



Bruce Haynes  
Old Dominion Model "A" Ford Club

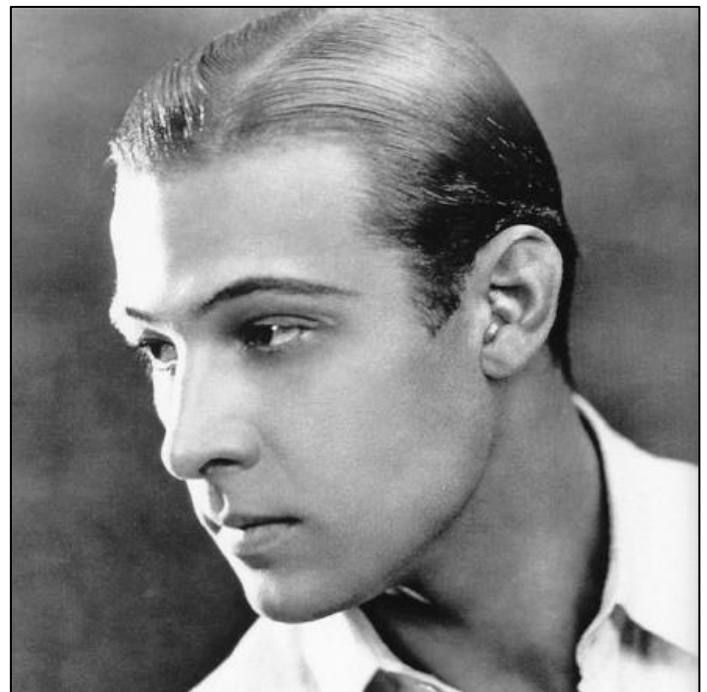
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## "A" Word on Fashion

### Men's Hairstyles

In the 1920s, men were almost always wearing a hat. While the trend faded with the young collegiate men, the hairstyle for both hatted and unhatted men were the same. The look was for flat, slicked, shiny, medium length hair. The helmet like appearance of men's hair produced a few nick names for the style such as "Patent Leather" hair or "helmet head." What we might call "hat hair" today would have been the style to wear throughout all of the 1920s. Only minor changes occurred in men's hairstyle during the decade.



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# FLAPPER of the MONTH



This month we feature Bessie Love. Bessie was born Juanita Horton in Texas in 1898. At 14, her family moved to Hollywood. As the family needed money, Bessie's mother sent her to Biograph Studios, hoping she would become an actress. In 1915, she met film director D. W. Griffith, who put her under personal contract. It was decided her name was too long for theater marquees so she was given the name of Bessie Love. She became popular with audiences and worked with Douglas Fairbanks. She performed the first screen "Charleston" dance in 1925. In 1929, she appeared in her first feature-length sound film. Her performance earned her an Academy Award nomination and a five-year contract with MGM, where she appeared in several musicals. When the popularity of musicals waned, she shifted focus to her personal life, marrying in December 1929. While on tour, she learned she was pregnant with her daughter, who was born in 1932. Love stopped her stage work to raise her daughter. She moved to England in 1935 and entertained the troops during World War II. She played in a handful of low-budget films from the 1950s through the 1970s. In 1981 she appeared with James Cagney and later that year with Warren Beatty. After several years of declining health, Love died in London from natural causes in 1986.

THE END

