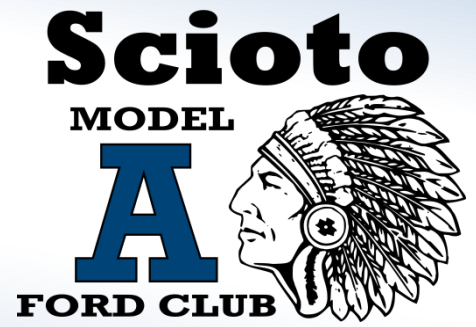


# *The Scuttlebutt*

The Official Publication of the Scioto Model "A" Ford Club



MARC Central Ohio Region  
Columbus, Ohio

**June 2022**

## Cover Photo

This month's cover photo was taken last month on our first tour of the 2022 season. We were all gathered at the WACO Air Museum in Troy, Ohio.



# The Chief's Corner

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## *Hello Everyone!*

It is with very heavy hearts that we mourn the passing of our friend, Barbara Luckhaupt. Barbara was always alongside Dick, no matter how far the journey and in all kinds of weather. Our deepest condolences go out to Dick and his entire family. We are going to miss her!

As we approach the month of June, it's time to say "Gentlemen, Start Your Engines"! We already have one tour under our belts. Thanks so much to Clark Garn for spearheading that one to the WACO Museum.

Also, at our May meeting, Pat Liston had our new club rosters available to all. Be sure to pick one up at one of our upcoming meetings. Pat put a lot of time and effort putting them together and it is very much appreciated!

Our June tech topic will be another great power point presentation by Rick Lindner about the Selden Patent lawsuit that was against Henry Ford...and what happened. We always have an enjoyable time meeting at Rick's Ford Garage and learning so much from him!

And of course our big overnight trip is coming up this month! Be sure to check out the updated agenda in this newsletter and feel free to drive up and visit the beautiful countryside of Holmes County!

Folks, there are lots of fun events coming up this summer! Be sure to check out the calendar. We are looking forward to seeing all of you!

*Ahooga!*

*Jaci*



## June Birthdays

Dan Bickley  
Jenni Cheek  
Spencer Cheek  
Clark Garn  
Jim Janosik  
Bill Lowary  
Kevin McAllister  
Bill Minor  
Adena Pavkov  
Mike Ruede



## Our Next Meeting

- DATE:** June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022
- TIME:** 7:00 pm
- PLACE:** Rick Lindner's Garage
- LOCATION:** 259 East Tompkins  
Columbus, Ohio
- TOPIC:** "Selden Patent Lawsuit"
- 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 Garage is a white building on the South side of the street.

Scioto Model A Ford Club

# AMISH COUNTRY TOUR 2022

June  
23-26



Scioto Model A Club is touring Amish Country!  
Come join the fun!

# Scioto Model "A" Club Amish Country Tour

June 23 – 26, 2022

*Lodging reservations:*

Comfort Suites Hotel and Conference Center

4810 TR 366

Berlin, Ohio

(330) 893-7400

A detailed itinerary with locations/addresses will be provided to members going on the trip.

Call or text Spencer Cheek with questions or for assistance! (614) 404-9683

	Thursday 6/23	Friday 6/24	Saturday 6/25	Sunday 6/26
morning	<p><b><u>Depart @ 9:30 am</u></b> Spencer Cheek's Home: 6227 St. Rt. 752 Ashville, Ohio 43103</p> <p><b><u>Tour to Utica</u></b></p>	<p><i><u>Early Bird</u></i> Coffee &amp; Tech Chat Breakfast at Hotel</p> <p><b><u>Depart Hotel @ 8:30 am</u></b> <b><u>"Donut Run" Tour</u></b> &amp; <b><u>Holmes Broom</u></b> (10:00 am) 4900 TR 369 Millersburg, Ohio 44654</p>	<p><i><u>Early Bird</u></i> Coffee &amp; Tech Chat Breakfast at Hotel</p> <p><b><u>Depart Hotel @ 8:30 am</u></b> <b><u>"Donut Run" Tour</u></b> &amp; Return to Hotel</p>	<p><i><u>Early Bird</u></i> Coffee &amp; Tech Chat Breakfast at Hotel</p> <p><b><u>Depart Hotel</u></b> <b><u>Tour Home</u></b> (Time &amp; Route TBD)</p>
lunch	<p><b><u>Watt's Restaurant</u></b> (11:30 am) 77 S. Main Street Utica, Ohio 43080  (Meet East Central Ohio Model "A" Club)</p>	<p><b><u>Amish Box Lunch</u></b> (catered at hotel) Ordering info to follow</p>	<p><b><u>Order Local &amp; Eat at Hotel</u></b> (Boyd &amp; Wurtman, Pizza, etc.)</p>	
afternoon	<p><b><u>Tour to Berlin</u></b> &amp; <b><u>Check-In Hotel</u></b> Comfort Suites 4810 TR 366 Berlin, Ohio 44610</p>	<p><b><u>Afternoon Tour (TBD)</u></b> (After Lunch) &amp; <b><u>Stutzman Wheel Shop</u></b> (2:00 pm Tour) 33656 County Rd. 12 Baltic, Ohio 43804</p>	<p><b><u>Afternoon Tour (TBD)</u></b> (After Lunch) &amp; <b><u>Age of Steam Roundhouse</u></b> (2:00 pm Public Tour) 213 Smokey Lane Rd. SW Sugarcreek, Ohio 44681  or Free Time to Explore Berlin</p>	
evening	<p><i><u>Dinner:</u></i></p> <p><b><u>Berlin Farmstead</u></b> (behind Hotel) 4757 TR 366 Millersburg, OH 44654</p> <p><b><u>Meet &amp; Greet</u></b> all 3 Clubs (TBD)</p>	<p><i><u>Dinner:</u></i></p> <p><b><u>Mrs. Yoders</u></b> 8101 OH-241 Mt. Hope, Ohio 44660</p> <p><b><u>Group Meeting</u></b></p>	<p><i><u>Dinner:</u></i></p> <p><b><u>Dutch Valley Restaurant</u></b> (5:00 pm) 1343 Old Route 39 NE Sugarcreek, Ohio 44681</p> <p><b><u>Return of the Beatles</u></b> (7:00pm) Ohio Star Theater 1387 State Route 39, Sugarcreek, OH 4468 (for ticket holders)</p> <p><b><u>Closing Chat</u></b></p>	<p><b>Updated: 05/28/22</b></p>



# May Tech Meet

On May 4<sup>th</sup>, the Scioto Model "A" Ford Club held their first Tech Meet of the year at Dan Bickley's garage in Galena, Ohio. There was a great turnout with around 30 members present. There were six Model "A"s, a Model "T" and an early Ford parked in Dan's front yard. Kathy provided the members with hot dogs fresh off the grill, side dishes and brownies! After President Rohner completed the business portion of the meeting, Rick Lindner did a power point presentation on the Ford GPW Jeep used during World War II. This was a very interesting presentation. Rick had recently purchased one of those Jeeps and had it on display in Dan's garage, giving the membership an opportunity to check it out up close. A big "Thank You" goes out to Dan and Kathy for allowing us to meet at their home and to Rick for his presentation. Our next meeting will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 1<sup>st</sup>, at Rick Lindner's Ford Garage located at 259 East Tompkins Street in Columbus.

Editor  
Scioto Model "A" Ford Club







## Secretary's Report for May

We Had a great meeting on May 4<sup>th</sup> at Dan Bickley's Garage. Thank you Dan & Kathy for hosting the meeting and providing hotdogs, baked beans, coleslaw, and brownies. A nice treat! The next meeting will be at 7:00 p.m. on June 1<sup>st</sup> at Rick Lindner's Garage. His garage is located at 259 E. Thompkins Rd., Columbus, Ohio.

Our President, Jaci Rohner, had a little bit of a challenging time getting everyone to come to order to start the meeting. I believe, everyone was so glad to be able to see each other after such a long time that we just could not settle down. But thanks to a couple members with louder voices, they were able to help her get it under way. She thanked Dan & Kathy for hosting and for the refreshments. She also thanked John Baker and Robert Brown for the Tune-Up Sessions they held in April. It seems we had about 10 members at each session. I want to thank Clark Garn and the others that helped Dick find the problem with our sedan. We have not got all of the bugs worked out yet, but have replaced some important parts.

Our Vice President, Wayne Davis, did not have any news to share currently.

Kathy Bickley did not have anything for her Sunshine Report. Please remember, if you know of anyone that is sick, in the hospital, etc., be sure to let Kathy know so the club can have "get well" or "sympathy" cards sent where needed. Thank you Kathy.

President Rohner thanked Allan Goldhardt for our great newsletter. He does a terrific job and we appreciate his challenging work.

Secretary Pat Liston gave out the MARC's Miles Awards. This year's recipients were:

Allan Goldhardt for 2,000 miles on his 1930 Tudor Sedan.

Rick Linder for 2,000 miles on his 1930 Brown Roadster.

Jim Jones for 15,000 miles on his 1930 Coupe.

Congratulations to all of you, hope you keep rolling!

Spencer Cheek, our Treasurer, gave us an update on the overnight tour for June 23<sup>rd</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup>. It seems there are at least ten members from the Oakleaf Club going, six or seven from our group, and at least ten from another group from Michigan. There are several events for each day, including a trip to the Age of Steam Roundhouse in Sugarcreek and a dinner & theatre event on Saturday evening. We will be able to gather as a group each evening for dinner so we can get to know one another. The cut-off was May 20<sup>th</sup>, so I hope you have your reservations set and theatre tickets purchased to be able to attend. We do have an updated agenda of plans for the trip. I have sent that information in my reminder notices. Thanks, Spencer, for all your arduous work on this, it is very much appreciated.

## Secretary's Report for May (continued)

President Rohner shared an article that was in the Grove City Magazine that featured our member, Lou Ardit. It was a remarkably interesting article. Plus, he made the cover page. Looking good Lou, for soon turning 102.

President Rohner reminded everyone that Secretary Liston has printed new rosters and thanked her for a job well done. Please remember to get one when you attend one of our meetings or tours.

Monroe Harbage thanked everyone who sent cards to his wife after her accident. She is not able to drive just yet, but is doing well. He believes she has a little more therapy to do and then she will be able to drive again. Time will tell.

President Rohner then turned the floor over to Rick Lindner. He gave us a presentation and history lesson about the WWII Ford Era GPW Jeep. It was first built in February, 1940 and served mainly in the African arena. He explained the GPW stood for General Purpose Willie Design Jeep. He gave the history of who had the first one, how three companies competed for the military contract, and how Ford's GPW Willie was the one that won out in the end. He explained how the "Jeep" name changed hands several times, but has stayed with the Chrysler Corporation since the 90's. Rick drove his newest conquest, a restored GPW Jeep, to the meeting to share with us. The special significance about his Jeep is that it is one that has the Ford logo stamped in the rear tailgate. They did a beautiful job as the GPW was really looking good. Thank you Rick, we enjoyed your presentation and learned some remarkably interesting information.

We had a tour on May 21<sup>st</sup> to the Waco Air Museum. We met at the Der Dutchman in Plain City at 9:00 a.m. and then traveled several back roads over to Troy, Ohio to the museum. We had a truly knowledgeable tour guide that took us through and explained everything about the Waco's. A couple of the members took a ride in a Waco while we were there. We left the museum and took a short drive down the road to the Trojan Horse for subs and pizza. Everyone claimed the food was particularly good. From there we worked our way over to the Kone Korner for ice cream. Another good choice! From there, we all started going our way home. I believe everyone got home before it started raining. Thanks, Clark, for an interesting day trip.

Please see the calendar in this newsletter for more to come.

Have a Great Day,

Pat Liston, Secretary

# 2022 SCIOTO MODEL "A" FORD CLUB SCHEDULE

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>June</u></p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> - <u><b>Tech Meet – 7:00 pm</b></u> * Rick Lindner's Garage 259 East Tompkins St, Columbus</p> <p>5<sup>th</sup> - 11<sup>th</sup> MARC National Meet Morgantown, Pennsylvania</p> <p>23<sup>rd</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup> <u><b>Holmes County Overnight Tour</b></u> *</p> <p>24<sup>th</sup> - Picnic with the Props Mount Vernon</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>July</u></p> <p>6<sup>th</sup> - <u><b>Tech Meet – 7:00 pm</b></u> * Davis's Garage 117 Balbriggan Lane, Granville</p> <p>16<sup>th</sup> - <u><b>Bicycle Museum Tour</b></u> * New Bremen</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>August</u></p> <p>3<sup>rd</sup> - <u><b>Tech Meet – 7:00 pm</b></u> * Howard Turner's Garage 4191 Fredericksburg Ave, Columbus</p> <p>17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> MARC National Tour Bark River, Michigan</p> <p>19<sup>th</sup> &amp; 20<sup>th</sup> Arthritis Car Show Dublin</p> <p>27<sup>th</sup> - <u><b>Airstream Factory Tour</b></u> * Jackson Center</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>September</u></p> <p>7<sup>th</sup> – <u><b>Tech Meet – 7:00 pm</b></u> * Henry Street Garage 82 Henry Street, Ostrander</p> <p>17<sup>th</sup> - <u><b>The Wilds Tour</b></u> * Cumberland</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>October</u></p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> - <u><b>Tech Meet – 7:00 pm</b></u> * TBD</p> <p>30<sup>th</sup> - <u><b>Fall Foliage Tour</b></u> * Fairfield County</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>November</u></p> <p>2<sup>nd</sup> - Dinner Meeting – 7:00 pm * Big Walnut Grill 175 St. Rt. 3, Sunbury</p> <p>11<sup>th</sup> - <u><b>Veterans Day Parade</b></u> * Delaware</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>December</u></p> <p>3<sup>rd</sup> - Christmas Party – 12:00 noon Granville Inn 314 East Broadway, Granville</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">* Points Events</p>



Did you know that the Scioto Model "A" Club has a Facebook page? It is a closed group, so only our members may view the page. If you would like to see what's going on, just log on to Facebook and go to the Scioto Model A Club. Once there, click on "Join the Group". After the moderator of our group approves your membership, Facebook sends you a notification of the approval and group posts immediately begin to appear in your news feed.



# Morgantown 2022 National Meet

June 5<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021

*Host Hotel*

**Holiday Inn Morgantown Reading Area**

**\$119 per night**

**6170 Morgantown Road  
Morgantown, Pennsylvania  
(610) 286-3000**



**Hampton Inn & Suites Ephrata**

330 E. Main Street  
Ephrata, Pennsylvania  
717-733-0661  
\$129 per night

**Tru by Hilton Denver**

400 N. Reamstown Rd.  
Denver, Pennsylvania  
717-336-5254  
\$119 per night

**Comfort Inn Amish Country**

626 W. Main Street  
New Holland, Pennsylvania  
717-355-9900  
\$89 per night

***Mention code: "MARC MEET" to get these great rates.***

***An Event you do not want to miss...***

The North Penn Model "A" Ford Club is hosting the 2022 MARC National Meet in Morgantown, PA. Most activities will be held at the host hotel and the interconnected Classic Auto Mall. The Meet is packed with many activities starting with a Welcome Party, cooling off at the Ice Cream Social, learning various helpful tips at the numerous Seminars, the thrill of bidding on many items at the Auction, finding that missing part at the outdoor Swap Meet, picking up vintage clothing at the Fashion Swap Meet, joining hundreds of Model A's on the Grand Tour viewing the picturesque countryside, strolling in the Classic Auto Mall that displays and consigns hundreds of Classic and Antique cars, grabbing a bite to eat at the backyard Picnic, competing in the Hubley Derby Race, and wrapping it all up at the Awards Banquet to see the proud Model "A"ers recognized in the Fine Point and Touring Class Judging.

If all the activities at the Meet are not enough, then enjoy discovering Lancaster with a Horse and Buggy ride, shopping at the Rockvale Outlets, jumping on the amusement rides at Dutch Wonderland, sampling the Pennsylvania Fare at the Kitchen Kettle Village, then climbing aboard a steam train at the Strasburg Railroad...just to name a few.

The biggest attraction of all is meeting the hundreds of fellow Model "A"ers from around the country and seeing the Model "A" they drove up in.

A copy of the Registration Form can be found via a link on the Model "A" Restorers Club website at <https://model-a-ford.org/event/13999/>.

***Follow us in your "A" to Morgantown, PA.***



# WACO Air Museum Tour

Last month, on May 21<sup>st</sup>, the Scioto Model "A" Ford Club took their first tour of 2022. Clark Garn led the club over to Troy, Ohio to check out the WACO Air Museum. We had around 18 people, eight Model "A"s and a couple of modern cars join us for the tour.

Our guide at the museum was very good. After going through the museum, we headed down the street for lunch at the Trojan Horse.

On the way home, we kept the club tradition of stopping for ice cream in Springfield, Ohio. This was a good tour and a great way to kick off the touring season. A big "Thank You" goes out to Clark for a job well done!

Editor

Scioto Model "A" Ford Club



Preserving the past...inspiring the Future!









## MAFFI Newsletter Minute

Model "A" Day Days, September 16-17, at Hickory Corners are rapidly approaching. If you haven't made your plans for this event yet, there is still time. You can register for the special events that will have limited participation and/or require payment of fees on the MAFFI Website ([www.maffi.org](http://www.maffi.org)) under Model "A" Days or the Gilmore Website under "Events". Also, be sure to read the articles in the May/June MAFCA, The Restorer and MARC Model A News.

If you have done it all and think there is nothing at the museum that you haven't seen before, try this, camping at the Gilmore. There is nothing like the experience of walking around the buildings at dusk. With very little imagination you are walking a street in Anytown, USA in 1930. It's not crowded. A word of advice, shoot pictures from a stable position. Your camera shutter will be very slow and unless the camera is stable the pictures will be blurry. If you get it right, the photos will be breathtaking in the moonlight.

## Model "A" Youth News!

Print out this page and share with your children or grandchildren! (Or just do it yourself!)

## Henry Ford Word Search

Complete our **Henry ford Word Search**.  
When you have circled all the words, the first **59 uncircled letters** will reveal a hidden message.

AIRBAG	MECHANICAL
ASSEMBLY	MODELA
AUTOMOBILE	MODEL T
CAR	SEATBELT
EXPENSIVE	STEAMENGINE
EXPERIMENTS	STEERINGWHEEL
FORD	TINLIZZIE
HENRY	WATCH
LINE	

*Thanks to the Script "A" News for the puzzle.*

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# LOCAL EVENTS

## **TATTLETALE'S AUTO SMARTS RADIO CRUISE AND RIDE 2022**



*Grove City Baptist Church*

**June 4<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

**3301 Orders Road, Grove City**

Registration: 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Awards: 7:00 p.m.

## **Doughboyz presents ANNUAL FIREFIGHTER POKER RUN**



**ALL MODEL BIKES AND CARS WELCOME**

Come on out on June 4<sup>th</sup> to DoughBoyz Pizza and Pub in Commercial Point, Ohio as they host their annual poker run benefitting the Scioto Township Professional Firefighter's Local 4000. Registration begins at 10:00am with kickstands up at noon. Raffles, 50/50 and some good time's. Come help support the firefighters!!!

# Harry & Mary Wise

**Memorial/Celebration of Life Car Show**

**Saturday June 11th, 2022**

**Big Walnut Grill**

**10-12 Registration-free**

**Awards Presentation at 2:00**



**PLEASE JOIN US IN REMEMBERING THESE HOT ROD ICONS!**

**Trophys/Prizes!  
All Makes &  
Models Welcome!  
Thank You to  
Big Walnut Grill  
for their Hospitality**



**Free Coffee, Water &  
Doughnuts while  
supplies last.  
Lunch available at  
Big Walnut Grill**

**Big Walnut Grill, Kroger Center, 175 St. Rt. 3, Sunbury**

**We will have a donation box in honor of Mary Wise for Ovarian Cancer Research but if  
you would like to donate online please go to [www.sherrystrong.org](http://www.sherrystrong.org)**

**Questions; Danny Wise (614) 832-3556**



Last month, on one of my daily trips to the post office to pick up my mail, I was surprised to find a package from the Model "A" Restorers Club. The package contained a plaque and the following letter. Needless to say, it was quite a surprise to me. I wanted to share this with all of you because I consider this a Club Award, not an individual award. It is all of your beautiful cars that made this award possible. Thank you for allowing me to be your newsletter editor.

Allan D. Goldhardt

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April 4, 2022

**2021 MARC Newsletter Cover of the Year Award  
Scioto Model "A" Ford Club  
Allan Goldhardt, Editor**



Dear Allan,

Congratulations on winning the 2021 MARC Newsletter Cover of the Year Award for the overall best newsletter covers that you produce for the your region's newsletter, **The Scuttlebutt**.



MARC wants to acknowledge and thank you for your outstanding efforts on behalf of all Model A enthusiasts and for continuing to present the Model A in such a professional manner.



It is obvious that you spend a great deal of time selecting great photographs of member's Model As, promoting the Model A hobby.



Again, congratulations on an outstanding job.



*Bill Aupperle*  
Bill Aupperle  
MARC Director of Regions





## BACKYARD TECH TIP



# DO YOU USE A THERMOSTAT ?

Do use a 160\* thermostat in your Model "A"? If you don't, the engine heats unevenly, which means it wears unevenly. The purpose of the thermostat is to quickly get the engine to its optimum operating temperature and keep it there. A cool-running engine does not heat the oil sufficiently and you will get sludge build-up in the pan as a result. Further, water will remain in the oil because the oil never gets hot enough to evaporate the water; that creates acids in the oil leading to bearing corrosion. The Model "A" did not come from the factory with a thermostat, but Henry added one to the V-8 in 1933 or 34.



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## "A" Word on Fashion

### *Did Women Wear Pants in the 1920s?*

#### *Yes! Sort of.... (part 3)*

Women wore knickers for other sports, besides golf, like hiking, riding, and hunting. They were comfortable, sporty, and fit right in with the "boyish" style of the youth culture. Young women wore them on weekends even while not playing sports. Women stagehands working in Hollywood were also wearing knickers as part of their work attire. Adventure-seeking women on vacation in far off places such as Egypt, Africa, and Australia's outback found wearing knickers much more suitable for exploring the rugged terrain.





Presenting  
The  
FLAPPER of the MONTH



This month we feature Leatrice Joy. Joy was born in New Orleans in 1893. She was hired as an actress in 1915. Her mother disapproved of her becoming an actress, but the family needed the money, so her mother accompanied her to California, where she began working in plays and films. Between 1916 and 1917, she was the star of about 20 one-reel comedies. Signed under contract with Samuel Goldwyn Studios, her first role for the studio was in 1917. Her career quickly gained momentum, and by 1920 she had become a highly-popular actress and was given leading-lady status. Her close-cropped hair and boyish persona became fashionable during the era. Cecil B. DeMille signed her to Paramount Pictures in 1922. In 1925, against the advice of studio executives, Joy parted ways with Paramount and followed DeMille to his new film company. After Joy impulsively cut her hair extremely short in 1926, DeMille was publicly angry as it prevented her from portraying traditional feminine roles. Although she regrew her hair after styles changed in early 1927, a professional dispute ended the DeMille/Joy partnership in 1928, and she was signed with MGM. Joy's career began to falter with the advent of talkies. By the early 1930s, Joy was semi-retired. On May 13, 1985, Joy died from acute anemia in Bronx, New York.

THE END

