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A picture of Buster Smith's Huckster. A familiar car at many Penn Ohio Meets.

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July 21, 2013

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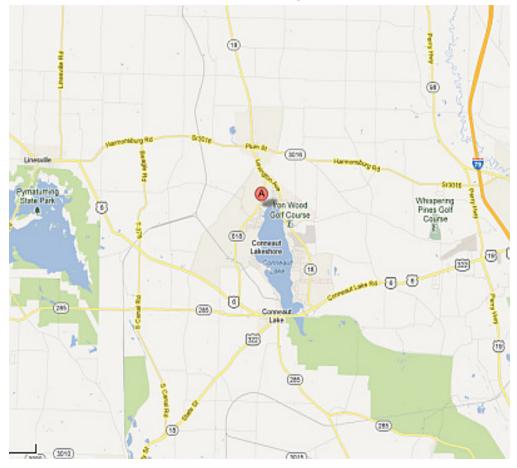
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Notes from the Editor's Desk

We recently returned from the Blue Ridge Mountain Tour that was hosted by the Dallas chapter of MAFCA & 7 Model A's from Penn-Ohio made the trip. It was a very rought trip on the cars. Several cars had blown head gaskets and in the end, three of them were trailered home. The first day was nice and sunny but after that it rained every day at some point and was foggy a couple of days. If the weather had cooperated better, there would have been some breath-taking views along the Blue Ridge Parkway. We visited the

Biltmore Estate and all 200 cars were lined up in front for an impressive photo shoot. The tour ended in Gatlinburg, Tennessee, leaving us a 500+ mile journey to return home. Inspite of the weather, it was a very nice trip.

To all correspondents: if you have email, please email your chapter news. Please email to ModelAJ@NEO.RR.COM. I appreciate those who use this method. If you don't know how to attach pictures, you can send pictures separately in the mail and I will scan them.

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Director: Dave Weisel

I would like to give a special thanks to Terry Zavacky for all his help in making the transition to 2013 Director, and also a special thanks to Valery Johnson for keeping me in line.

It has been brought to my attention that some members are still missing the hard copy of the Quail. I thought this issue had been put to bed and that other chapter members with internet were seeing that all members received

the Quail. I really think that next year when you see how much money has been saved everyone will be happy.

Another issue has come to my attention that the lost consecutive memberships from the late payment of dues has not been settled. If these members or their chapters can show that dues were paid we will attempt to settle this matter. In the future, remember, the dues cards are given to the presidents at the September meet and should be distributed to the members ASAP. This gives three months for on time payment. (December 30, each year)

Our Club is a Model A Fun Club, with a lot of good friends, driving and fun meets. We are not the government with unlimited funds. So lets get these issues behind us and start having FUN.

As Terry always says, (Keep the Model A alive.)

Looking forward to the rest of the season. David Weisel (Grumpy)

Penn-Ohio Meets for 2013

EVENT	DATE	CHAPTER
Penn-Ohio Tour	June 16-23	Hildebrandts
July Meet	July 21	Keystone
August Meet	August 18	Rubber City
September Meet	September 15	Flying Quail
Fall Banquet	October 19	Tri-County
Executive Board Meeting	November 3	Louisville

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We wish to thank all who donated prizes and ask our members to patronize the companies listed below who have been so supportive of Penn-Ohio. Thank you!

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	Fall				Key-		Flying	
	Banquet	Spring			stone	Rubber	Quail	Chapter
	Oct-	Banquet	Neo Meet	P-O Tour	Meet	City	Meet	Cars
	2012	Apr-28	May-19	June-16	July-21	Aug-18	Sept-15	Total
Copus Hill	8	7	3					18
Cranksters	0	8	1					9
Erie	2	3	3					8
Five Points	18	10	12					40
Flying Quail	5	2	0					7
Keystone	0	0	1					1
Mohican	3	3	1					7
NEO	4	1	16					21
Ridge Runners	0	0	0					0
Rubber City	2	6	3					11
Shelman	1	2	0					3
Tri-County	3	2	2					7
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Penn-Ohio Spring Banquet

Reported by Bill McElroy

The weather forecasters started the week predicting April 28 would be a partly cloudy day. As the week went on, the forecast kept changing. By the time Sunday came to be, it was rain all day. But, rain does not deter the Penn Ohio family from gathering and so they did at the 2013 Spring Banquet held in Wadsworth, Ohio. 46 Model A's were registered with 83 members registering.

It was so soggy that Buster Smith resulted in showing us his magic trick of pulling a handkerchief out of his nose. Nice trick Buster!



A very wet Model A line up at the Spring Banquet.



Picture of Jeff Johnson, Buster Smith, Jim Fink and Dan Herrmann.

It is always good to see long time members present like Paul and Rita Eippert and Jim and Marilou Witmer. Jim and Marilou drove their reliable 1930 Coupe. They have owned this car for many years.



Picture of Witmer's Coupe.



Picture of Clyde and Ruth Mayberry, Paul Rowlands and Ray and Natalie Fahrni.

You can tell by the license plate. How many other Model A's have this early style historical license plate?

Also in attendance were 49 year members Clyde and Ruth Mayberry. Clyde sold his Model A last year but still comes to the meets because it is soooooo much fun!



Picture of Mary Jane – selling so fast she is just a blur.

Mary Jane and Herb Saylor were set up to sell Penn Ohio goodies. This accomplished duo could sell ice to an Eskimo. I heard this is their last year as club salesmen. Anybody interested in this position next year?

Our new Penn Ohio officers were announced for 2013:

Director – Dave (Grumpy) Weisel Secretary Treasurer – Valery Johnson Sales people – Herb and Mary Jane Saylor Editor – Carol Pennington

Congratulations to the new officers!

Some very nice raffle prizes were given away including some very nice tools donated by Wright Tool Company. We thank Wright Tool for supporting our club. We hope that Walt Wawzyniak and A.J. Pennington enjoy their new tools. We are not sure who donated the Playboy Bunny pillow but it went to the right person – Mary Jane Saylor. Mohican chapter hopes that all in attendance had a great time despite the weather and wish all a happy and healthy driving season in 2013! Mohican Chapter dedicates this Spring banquet to long time Mohican Chapter member Florence Rowlands who passed away last year. We miss you Florence.



Picture of Herb Saylor showing Director Terry Zavacky his very first dollar bill.



Mohican Chapter President Dave Anderson and Secretary Donna Anderson making sure everything is going as planned.

Penn-Ohio Chapter News



Tri-County
Correspondent:
Jan Baker

The Tri-County Model A Ford Club met on Sunday, April 14th at 2 p.m. at Tim's Tavern in Canton, after a very small gathering in March. After our meal, President Terry Zavacky called the meeting to order with 16 members and two lovely guests—Rebecca Ring and Melinda Shanklin—in attendance. Jan Baker read the minutes from the February meeting. Jayne Zavacky moved that the minutes be approved and Roger Baker seconded the motion. They were approved as read. Candy Shanklin gave the Treasurer's report. Bob Ely moved for approval and Jayne seconded the motion. The Treasurer's report was approved as read.

It was very good to see Jan Weisel at the meeting. Jan and Roger Baker had visited her and delivered a plant, expressing the chapter's sympathy and caring. The Bakers noted the number of organs in her home and learned that Jan had played the Palace Theatre organ for a number of years.

In Old Business, Terry has taken care of making a deposit on the Meyer's Lake Ballroom but stated that we will need to contact them again in August to finalize menu and other plans for the event. The deadline for the Quail is the first of the month, so we'll need to get the information in.

Those who attended the March meeting discussed limiting the number of prizes at the Fall Banquet to have fewer, better prizes. We also hope to have larger sized numbers on the tickets, so there's less need for repetition.

In New Business, Gary Stewart had six copies of the newest Quail for members who don't receive it online. Roger moved and Bob Ely seconded that the club pay Gary \$5 per month for mailing the Quail to members. The Quail is larger now and the members appreciate his efforts to get copies out. The motion passed.

The Elys won \$4.50 in the 50/50 drawing.

Among the announcements offered, Roger Baker shared a book called Tiny Tips and then asked for help from anyone willing to drive over to the house to look at his problem car. Terry had brochures to share with anyone interested.

The next meeting will be Saturday, May 11 at 2 p.m. and Dennis Kempthorne agreed to host the meeting and let everyone know where it would be. The meeting was adjourned at 3:30 p.m.



Keystone Correspondant: Wilda Boyd

On a gorgeous Sunday afternoon in May, the Keystone Chapter met at Safari Restaurant at the Hailwood Golf Course in Meadville, PA. There were 5 Model A's and a Corvair driven. Thirty-five were in attendance including Ed and Carol Mengel, friends of the Ahlquists and members of Presque Isle

AACA club. John and Jean Ahlquist were hosts and were there to greet us and direct us to the tables. We chose our seat according to what candy bar was at that seat. Some of us secretly swapped our candy with another place; since we knew which candy that we and our husbands preferred!! Some people probably sat where they liked the flower best. Jean and John had wrapped marigold plants in brightly colored tissue and placed in cups for each place, which made a very pretty setting. A "first" for us was that the waitress took our food orders on her cell phone!!

After our delicious meals, President John Tucker opened our meeting. Roger Anderson read the minutes from last meeting and Byron Carson gave the treasurer's report. Tucker reported that he, Cathy and Jack Riley, Bob and Wilda Boyd had attended the Penn-Ohio spring banquet at Wadsworth, OH on April 28. Even though it was a very rainy day, there were 45 Model A's registered with 83 people present. New officers were elected with Dave Weisel as the new Director and Valery Johnson as Secretary.

John Ahlquist introduced our speaker, Glenn Peterson, who is the owner of Safari Bar and shared that he has traveled in each of the United States and 38 different countries. His animal trophies line the walls of the Safari Bar/Restaurant and are enjoyable to view.

He also owns many antique cars and last year had told us that he would be driving in the Great Race during the summer. Now he told us "the rest of the story" about the race. It began in Travis City, Michigan and ended in Dearborn, Michigan with many cities in between. Out of over 90 vehicles in the race, he and his navigator came in about 60th. They only had rain on the first day and each evening they visited a museum or local interest and enjoyed much beautiful scenery in their travels. He drove his 1958 Rolls Royce and had no serious trouble. Some of our members were in Franklin, PA to cheer them on as they passed through. The exactness of time and speed requirements was amazing. Glenn said the trip cost him around \$10,000 and there were daily prizes for various accomplishments. The grand prize for the winner was \$50,000 won by a 1932 Ford Highboy. Glenn answered questions from the group and then went back outside to finish mowing the golf course!

Our next meeting will be at the Conneaut Lake Historical Society on July 13. It was so good to have Linda and LaVerne Payne back with us. They had recently arrived home from Florida where LaVerne had spent many weeks in the hospital. Linda thanks us for our prayers and cards while they were gone. Cheryl Anderson won the fifty-fifty AGAIN!! Ha!) We went outside to enjoy driving our old cars home and appreciating the flowering trees, forsythia, tulips, green trees and grass for another season.



Rubber City Correspondent: Bruce Rollings

Thanks to prez Les Lucas and Secretary Sparkie Baker for this issue's info, and a belated Happy Cinco de Mayo to all! I'm told Penn-Ohio Spring Banquet had some 43 cars and 86 attendees, including 11 of our own Rubber City-ers on hand to welcome our own Dave "Grumpy" Weisel as Director. Congratulations!

Next P/O meet is May 19, hosted by NEO Chapter @ Perry Community Center.

Rubber City has been invited to participate in Kenmore Community Memorial Parade on May 25, starting @ 11:00 AM from Kenmore High School. On the 27th there's the New Franklin/Clinton/Canal Fulton parade starting from Grace Bible Church @ 10:00 and the Hudson Parade starting @ 10:00 also, from behind the Acme store off Rte. 303 near the town square. Call Kirk & Dot Reid @ 330-655-4156 for reservations or info. We'll all meet for a picnic at Les & Lois Lucas's that afternoon.

Our June meeting will be on the 9th, hosted by Larry & Linda Norton.

Saturday, June 29 will be our miniature train ride in Medina, hosted by Jim & Martha Knight. July 29 will be a picnic lunch/drive in at Hudson Elms from 10:00-2:00, hosted by Larry & Linda Norton.

Our May birthday list includes Martha Knight on the 10th and Jon Peterson on the 25th.

This weather is ideal for cruising, but also very appropriate for catching up/struggling with rampant growth of almost everything in the yard—try to find some time for both!



NEO Correspondent Laura Gezann

Here we are at the beginning of the driving season and yes, I think spring is here. It's been a wild and long winter and NEO has been busy with the planning of the May meet, Poker Run with a Twist. It should be a fun and exciting meet. Our activities committee has finalized a year of events for the club. You should be reading about them in the coming months.

After our February meeting, we went to the West Woods Nature Center in Chardon for a Recycled Art Exhibition. What a wonderful display of art made with recycled items, from pinecones to bicycle wheels and everything in-between, made into pictures, sculptures and even furniture! After this visit we headed to a favorite restaurant in Newbury, *Mangia, Mangia*. Italian all the way with great garlic rolls!

Our March meeting was held at Maple Elementary School in Painesville for a potluck soup and salad and more. It smelled so good when we walked in that we decided to eat first, meeting last. Chili, chicken noodle soup, many different salads, beer bread and of course lots of desserts. We managed to keep eating while the meeting was going on – just couldn't keep away from the food. Afterwards there was a movie on the Model A brought in by Marty Hosta. Everyone enjoyed the day.

In April we had our meeting at the Lake County Historical Society in Painesville. We meet there at least 4 or 5 times during the year. In exchange for the meeting place, we volunteer at the society doing repair work, display our cars during events, etc. It's a win-win situation. The meeting was all about wrapping the gift baskets. It was a little chaotic at first and then Ron Sieloff took charge and everyone had a job to do. It took only an hour and we were done, maybe too done. I couldn't find my purse and Jeff's briefcase was wrapped up. Found my purse beautifully wrapped with a bow. A couple of guys were a bit enthusiastic in their wrapping! All in fun, we did a great job and then devoured some pizza.

One of our members, Jim Krager II, son of Jim & Jayne Krager, made a donation to our advertising for the club. He had made a huge banner with NEO on it and some magnetic signs for the cars. They are really beautiful and we thank you, Jim. You will see them at the Poker Run meet.

There will be so many car shows, flea markets, parades and tours that no one will complain of nothing to do this summer. Stay right here and find out the exciting details. Keep those A's on the road!

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Copus Hill Correspondent: Mary Jane Saylor

Saturday, April 20th found over 30 Copus Hillers bundled up driving to Joe and Cathy Emminger's near Ashland. The A's all ran very well for the first time out despite the cold, SNOW and HAIL we encountered on the way!!!! But then it IS Ohio, and it IS spring!!!!! The Emmingers provided a most welcome WARM, DELICIOUS and PLENTIFUL brunch to warm even the coldest feet!! Sweet rolls, eggs, sausage, bacon, homemade bread for toast, hash brown casseroles and never ending coffee and a toasty warm garage and house to enjoy it all in!!!! YUMMY!!!! This event has become an annual treat despite the weather.....last year it was RAIN and cold.....hard tell what we'll get next year!!!!! Our merry group enjoyed the hospitality until around 11 AM when we headed to Grandpa's Cheese Barn at #71 and #250....right in our own backyard!!! What a place this has become!!! There are plenty of samples of dips, cheeses, peanut butter, you name it.....even a lunch shop!!! And then there is a SWEET SHOPPE across the parking lot with all sorts of goodies, candy, fudge and other old and new sweet treats.....did anybody lose a filling on the "Mary Jane's"????!! WARNING!!!: do NOT, repeat NOT pop a WASABI anything into your mouth unless your tongue and taste buds have on an asbestos coat......this writer has never had cleaner sinuses or as many tears after NOT reading the HOT sign!!!!! Not everyone had come with us but at least 7 A's and a couple moderns went into downtown Ashland to check out the antique shops. By then, the superb brunch and all the samples had worn off so we headed to the Dairy Queen Brazier place where we "took over" the rear dining room and had a sandwich and believe it or not.. ICE CREAM!!!!! After a leisurely ride through the countryside we all headed home. The Emmingers do a lot of work for the meet and are to be thanked over and over for making our first "A" run of 2013 delicious and entertaining. On a sad note, Copus Hill member Joan Bemiller will now be driving the A up in heaven. She and husband Jim have been faithful members even though they moved to Bluffton to be nearer the kids.....rest in peace and comfort, dear Joan.



Cathy Emminger and Carol Davis



April Meeting at the Emminger's

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