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Some of the Flying Quail cars on tour to Kenton at Brim's Imports and Museum.



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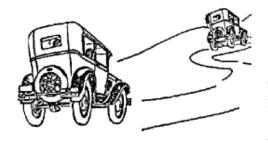
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Notes from the Editor's Desk

Last issue! Diana Stewart will be taking on the title of editor for the next issue. Please still email your correspondence news and pictures to: editor@modelaclub.com as our new editor, Diana Stewart, will receive it. Hopefully, she can freshen things up and have a few new ideas.

Correspondent deadlines:

November 5 Nov./Dec. Issue January 5 Jan./Feb. Issue



Director: Terry Kempke

He must be on vacation.

Announcements

Membership cards will be sent to your chapter officers soon. Dues for 2017 are \$25 (Non-Affiliate \$30) and are due by December 31 to the Penn-Ohio Secretary.

Remember if you have information concerning a meet that you would like posted to the Penn-Ohio website, please email it to: info@modelaclub.com. The webmaster is the only one that can set anything into the website and I have no access to post your items. The only items I need emailed to me are items to be in the Quail. Thank you.

TOOL CARE: Say good-bye forever to rust on garden, garage and auto tools when you apply a coat of car wax to all of the metal parts. Make sure you rub a little wax into the hinges and moving parts to keep them from jamming and sticking.

OUTDOOR GRILL: Apply a good coat of car wax to the outside of the grill to make it shine, repel water marks and to make is so much easier to clean in the future. Make sure the grill is not in the hot sun when you do this.

BACKSPLASH: If you apply car wax to the areas behind your stove and sink, grease and gunk will wipe off easily. Your kitchen will sparkle, too.

Penn-Ohio Meets for 2016

EVENTDATECHAPTERFall BanquetOctober 16NEO

Fall Exec. Board Meeting November 6 P-O Exec. Board

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Copus Hill	5	5	0	0	0	0	10
Cranksters	1	7	3	0	0	0	8
Erie	1	1	1	6	0	0	8
Five Points	2	6	9	11	0	0	19
Flying Quail	10	5	8	0	0	0	15
Keystone	0	0	1	3	0	0	3
Mohican	0	1	0	1	0	0	2
NEO	0	0	1	4	0	0	4
Ridge Runners	1	1	3	3	0	0	5
Rubber City	4	7	4	3	0	0	14
Tri-County	0	1	1	0	0	0	1
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Penn-Ohio Chapter News



Five Points
Correspondents:
Susan Modzel

On Saturday, August 13, 2016, the meeting was called to order by President Ray Razzano. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and a moment of silent prayer was observed for those in the military. Thirty four people attended the meeting at Four Star Restaurant. The club welcomed two new members.

A car show at the Trumbull County Fairgrounds was happening August 12-14. It is a new group sponsoring the event. Please take time and check it out.

August 14, 2016 - will be the Warren Italian Fest. The participants in the parade will be meeting at Harding High School at 12:30 PM. The parade starts at 2 PM.

August 19-20, 2016 - will be a D-Day reenactment in Conneaut PA.

August 20, 2016 - will be the visit to Santa's Workshop. The cruise will begin at the Cortland Moose at noon. After the visit to the workshop, the car show at the Moose Lodge will be from 1PM to 5PM.

August 20, 2016, there will be a 90th birthday party for the owner of the Brick. It will be from 2-5PM at 39 N. Maple St. in Orwell, OH. No gifts please.

August 21, 2016 is the ice cream social.

Labor Day weekend, there will be a car, truck, and motorcycle show on Sept 4, 2016, at the LLV Stadium, 4651 West Market St. in Warren, Ohio.

September 24, 2016, there will be an event at the Trumbull County Fairgrounds.

Hope Festival 2016 will have the RIDE 4 LIFE motorcycle stunt shows at 1PM, 3PM and 5PM. Also, a custom car show will be taking place. Gates open at 10AM for the car show. Judging and awards from Noon to 6PM. Vendors will be on hand. Music with Will Collins. FREE ADMISSION.

There will be lots of activities to attend.

Motions were made and seconded to accept the July minutes and the Treasurer's report as read. There will be two more Penn-Ohio events for this year. So mark your calendars.

August 21, 2016, the Road Runners meet at Cooks Forest in Clarion, PA. Members will be leaving Beau and Marlene's house at 10 AM. A meet in September in Mansfield, OH. Details next month.

Gene and Donna Green are recovering from a car accident. We missed seeing you and you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Roger Yost did not attend the meeting; he did however, send a most entertaining article about those of us born between 1925-1955.

The drawing for the 50/50 raffle was held. Beau and Marlene won. A motion to adjourn was made and seconded. Meeting ended at 10:15AM. Our next meeting will be Sept 10.



Mohican Correspondent: Betty Smith

Dave and Donna Anderson were our hosts on Saturday, August 13 at Buehlers Markets in Orrville. We met earlier than usual as Andersons had set up something special for us. Their grandson, Christopher Buehler, with the use of slides and speech presentation, told us about his trip to Antartica. Christopher is a Wooster man who has traveled much of the world. We all thoroughly enjoyed the information.

Next was to order our meals, either from the menu or the salad bar. Those attending were Norm and Linda Ream, Duane Schie and Margaret, the Sharkey family, Charles and Judy Paquelet, Jim and Liz Fink, Clyde and Ruth Mayberry, Ginnie Herrmann, Gary and Ginny Heckathorn, Dave and Donna plus their guests and Smiths.

Dave called the meeting to order. Donna gave the Secretary's and Treasurer's reports. Ginnie gave us more information for the Penn-Ohio 2017 Spring Banquet. We are making progress with the arrangements. Clyde won the 50/50.

Many thanks to the Andersons for all they did-but especially for sharing their grandson with us!!



Tri-County
Correspondent:
Dennis Kempthorne

The Tri-County Model A Ford Club met at Cibo's Italian Restaurant on Sunday Aug. 14th. Thirteen members and four guests were in attendance. Cibo's is located in the old Mohawk Theater. Plans were talked about for hosting the July 2017 meet. The club also reviewed the Tri County bylaws. Walt and Millie Ebie hosted the event and are also celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary.

Waynesburg was plotted in 1814 and was named after Anthony Wayne, "Mad Anthony", a famous revolutionary war general. A post office was established in 1824 called Waynesburgh and was changed in 1893 to Waynesburg.

On a beautiful, sunny day in September, Tri-County Model A Club gathered at The Bistro, overlooking scenic Atwood Lake. The meet was hosted by Ron Sandy and had eight members present and 3 Model A's driven.

It was announced that Becky Swinehart had passed away. The members voted to send a \$50 donation to the Alzheimer's Association in her memory.

Discussion was held in regards to our 2017 Penn-Ohio event. Per a phone conversation with Debbie Kempke, it was determined that the only meet scheduled for 2017 thus far is the Spring Banquet. Therefore, we decided to request the Fall Banquet. If approved, we will make contact

with Meyers Lake Ballroom to try to secure that facility. Alternatives were also discussed in case Fall Banquet is no longer available.

Those present enjoyed a delicious cake in honor of Walt and Millie Ebie's 60th Wedding Anniversary. Ron Sandy won the 50/50 and donated his portion back to the treasury for a total of \$5. Our next meeting will be hosted by Bob and Joyclin Ely on Oct. 9 at the Manor Restaurant.



Rubber City
Correspondent:
Bruce Rollings

Seems the only cooling off in July is by the Cleveland Indians- now that the "Conventions" are over, we're faced with the camPAINs- that's all I'll say about that! It's a positive to have no rain-out events, but we could use a little wet.

On July 9, Rubber City was treated to a great scavenger hunt and picnic with all the trimmings at John & Mary Menches- particular thanks to their clever daughter for the scavenger hunt guide & clues, and the great grill job by the burger guys. The yard full of A's was complemented nicely by guests from NEO, Chris & Nancy Wolf, with their boat-tail Auburn Speedster, and Jeff & Linda Thirion with their beautiful "slightly street rodded" sedan - excellent top & paint, to be sure! Everyone ate at least their fill (no surprise there), what a great day!

Staying on the good news page, Prez. Gary Martin has succeeded in selling his sedan and no doubt has extra \$ to put into the "other" A!

On the not-so-good news, our Stan Koczur is in the recovery process for a broken ankle - we wish him a continued recovery.

Upcoming Rubber City events include:

9/10 - "Surprise" event hosted by the Menches gang

9/24 - Brimfield Brimfest, hosted by John & Sherri Hall

10/9 - October meeting, hosted by Dave & Barb Weisel

11/13 - Election meeting @ Menches Restaurant, hosted by Dave & Lynda Baker

12/6 - Christmas Party/Santa Visit @ Menches, hosted by Les & Lois Lucas

We'd also like to welcome new members Tim & Karen Wesson of Boardman, Oh, and AJ & Carol Pennington of Warren- welcome to the new Rubber Duckies! (We had the duckie mascot way before the Akron Rubber Ducks, but we're lettin' them use the name - they seem like nice boys! Safe & fun tours to all for the summer/fall season - time continues to fly by!



Flying Quail Correspondent: Susan Sandrock

We have had our share of hot days this summer but still good to be driving those A's. Eleven Flying Quail met in Kenton on Saturday, August 13th at Brim's Imports and Museum. Howard McNish set up this event after they brought the display to Ada during the Penn-Ohio tour in June.

Tom Brim took us on a tour of his three buildings and 450 plus bikes of every make and model you can imagine. You name it he has it or has had it. There are stories attached to a great many of the bikes. He takes some on trade, most are acquired by word of mouth. Somehow it sounds like the "chase" of finding some of them is the best part. He told us they are all for sale, but he may price some of them so no one can afford them because it is something he wants to keep. The "originals" are more often worth more than the restored models.

After our tour, we walked next door for lunch at the Midway Diner. We held a brief business meeting while waiting for lunch discussing upcoming meetings and Penn-Ohio travel opportunities. Al Hartzell was checking the darkening skies and came to say we had better make our way to our vehicles. With to go pie boxes in hand,



we bolted as the skies opened up. We glanced at the Gene Autry mural through the pouring rain as we left town. Thankfully everyone made it safely home.

The following weekend the 20th...Howard had told the group about the Mount Blanchard Heritage Day Festival and vintage car show. (This replaced the Backstreet Festival held in Findlay for many years that our group attended.) Twenty eight antique cars participated in the show this being the first year for the event. Only vehicles 1950 or older were allowed.

Flying Quails members: Howard McNish, Alan Hartzell, Paul and Sarah Neal, Larry and Luella Browneller and Don and Bonnie Rosebrook attended. There were many activities, Civil War Reenactments, an antique auction and lots of food. I did not hear about any of the Quail participating in the 5k glow run held in the evening.

If that is not enough there is always the possibility of an email alerting members of an A drive to Port Clinton for fish at Jolly Roger on any random day. (We had to send our regrets for the last jaunt since we were 2000 miles away, but we were there in spirit..) As President Paul says "it is FUN to be a Quail!"

<u>DE-FOG MIRRORS</u>: There's nothing like a nice hot shower to steam up bathroom mirrors. Car wax is the secret to make them fog-free. Apply a small amount to the entire mirror, allow it to dry then buff it away with a soft dry cloth.

TUB, SHOWER AND SINK FIXTURES: No matter how water spotted and dull your faucets and fixtures are, car wax will make them look like new—and help them stay that way. Rub a small bit of car wax into all of that metal and allow it to dry for a few minutes. Now just polish it away with a soft dry cloth. The wax will prevent new water spots and keep those fixtures sparkling.



NEO Correspondent: Pat Proch

We are getting closer to our 50th Anniversary as a chapter of Penn-Ohio. It won't be long before October 16th arrives. We hope to see many Penn-Ohio members at the banquet to share in our celebration.

After our last meeting at the Lake County Historical Society, a number of our members followed Dan and Debbie Lynch as they led us on a very pleasant backroads "mystery" tour ending at Kay's Restaurant in Kingsville. Many of us who live in Lake and Ashtabula counties had never been on the roads the Lynches selected. It was a fabulous tour.

On August 17th, the following members participated in the Lake County Fair Parade: Grof, Kragers, Bradburys, Wolfs, and Prochs, as a group and the Wilders, who were in a different spot in the parade lineup, drove their Model TT truck.

A few members: Don and Debbie Lynch, Marty Hosta, Bill Schreiber, Chris and Nancy Wolf, and Frank and Pat Proch, drove to the Ridge Runners Penn-Ohio meet in Pennsylvania's Cook Forest. The tour of Kahle's Kitchen factory was most interesting in their use of computer programs and robotic machinery to cut the parts needed from sheets of plywood for cabinets. When they have time they make Model A floorboards for Snyders. From the factory, Dave Kahle led the Model A visitors to his barn and his collection of old tractors and cars. His Border Collie stole the show.

Our next meeting will be at the Thirion's. This will feature pizza and a covered dish while plans for October are finalized and prizes wrapped.

Coming up at the end of the month is the Grape Jamboree Parade in Geneva; our cars will be participating in that event. The next day some of our members will display their cars at the historical society and assist in parking cars for their annual Clambake. Last year the clambake was outstanding and the clam chowder was exceptional.



Copus Hill
Correspondent:
Tom Franzen

On Saturday, August 27th, nine Model A's and two modern cars left McDonald's in Shelby heading north thru Celeryville muck lands, and we took the road over the Willard and Bellevue Switching Yards. Next, we headed for Castalia and then on to Bay Bridge over the Sandusky Bay. Following Route 2, we exited at Catawba Exit. As we sat in the traffic on SR 53, we were entertained by the WWII Vintage Aircraft Show going on at the Port Clinton Airport. The show had vintage aircraft doing aeronautical maneuvers. Our timing was perfect to see it as the show had just started at 11:00 a.m.

Our next stop was the Mon Ami Winery on Catawba Island where we had a nice lunch, great food and good conversation in the outside dining area. This dining section is a wooded area, with many umbrella tables and glider swings with tables to eat on. The winery is a very enjoyable place to sit and relax. We then drove to the tip of Catawba, past Miller's Ferry and then returned to the main land.

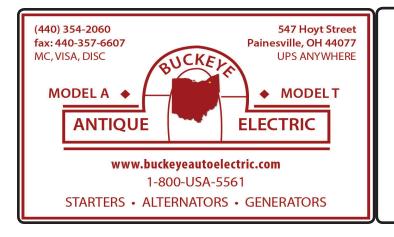
As we headed home on SR 99 going through Willard, we stopped in Plymouth, Ohio for an ice cream cone. In the parking lot at the ice cream stop, Don Cover's car experienced a mystery. The windwing on the passenger's side of the car shattered for some mysterious reason while we were in the ice cream shop. The glass was all over the inside of the car and the parking lot. The temperature was very warm for the trip, but a nice time was enjoyed by all.

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For Sale: 1931 (standard black) Tudor driving Model "A" for sale. Motor was rebuilt 8000 miles ago and insert bearings were installed. The car has an electronic ignition system, an emergency shutoff on the electrical system and when you turn the key off, it automatically shuts off the gas. It has a touring cam bored out 40 over, an S10, 5 speed transmission (the trailing arm, which can bend on this transmission I had engineered beefed up to take care of that problem. However, I have not installed it yet but it comes with the car.) The original "A" transmission comes with the car. For our comfort in touring with this car, I had installed 16" radial tires. The front axle has been bent so the wheels are straight up and down to improve steering and handling. New brakes were installed 2000 miles ago and there are cast iron drums on the front axle only. It has a complete 12 volt system with a CB radio installed over the windshield. It comes with a wolf whistle and an exhaust whistle. Included with the car is a large selection of parts: (3) 16" rims and (2) 19" rims (the 19" rims have Firestone blackwall tires on them). This is a traveling car. It has been from Toledo, OH to Maine and back and from Toledo to Mackinaw and back. It has also been driven to Key West from Lake Wales, Fl and back. This is a driving car not a show car. The condition of the car on a scale of 1 to 10 is about a 7. We are also offering as a package deal an enclosed trailer that we used to haul the "A" to Florida and back. It is a 2006, 24 foot trailer in fair condition. In the front of the trailer is a work bench and plenty of cabinet space for storing things. Also included, is the equalizer trailer hitch. Contact Jerry Hergenreder at 419-878-0969.



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