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the  
road again.....*

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## Advanced Timing Events for 2017

<b>May 7</b>	May Tour - The Yokofichs and The Rozmans
<b>May 26-29</b>	Memorial Day Overnighter - Mark & Deb Zimmer
<b>May 29</b>	Memorial Day Parade - Ed Krug
<b>June 4</b>	Sharon Model A Days - Randy & Ellen Kind
<b>June 11</b>	June Tour - Gene & Betsy Taurman
<b>June 21</b>	Car show at LindenGrove Men. Falls- Stan Larson
<b>July 4</b>	Glendale 4th of July parade - Dave & Linda Huenink
<b>July 22</b>	<u>Saturday</u> July Tour - Karen Schmiechen
<b>July 28-30</b>	WI Rapids Reunion - Dave Rozman
<b>August 12</b>	Waukesha Bluefest - Bob Schmiechen
<b>August 20</b>	Club Picnic - Chris & Kate Rozman
<b>Sept. 10</b>	Sept. Tour - Gene & Betsy Taurman
<b>Sept. 16?</b>	Richfield Threshereer - Ed & Lorraine Schultz
<b>Oct. 15</b>	Fall Foliage Tour - Dave & Linda Huenink
<b>Nov. 4</b>	Veterans Day Parade - Dave & Donna Boucher
<b>Nov. 12</b>	Pizza Party - Dave & Linda Huenink INDOOR
<b>Nov. 19</b>	Waukesha Christmas Parade - Dave & Linda Huenink
<b>Dec. 10</b>	Christmas Party - Karen Schmiechen & Ellen Kind INDOOR
<b>Jan. 14, 2018</b>	Custard Social - Rozmans INDOOR

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# *May Presidents message...*



Chitty Chitty Bang Bang! Chitty Chitty Bang Bang! Believe it or not, that is where my passion for Model A's all got started. We watched this movie nearly every year when I was very young. I knew my dad had a broken down, rusty, old "Chitty" that he kept in a storage garage and someday we were going to have our own special car. Fast forward 20 years when I found a copy of this movie in a store one day and bought it to share with my children. Imagine my disappointment while watching it, realizing the real Chitty, an early 1920's Grand Prix racer, looked nothing like our "Chitty", a 1930 Model A Town sedan, as it had been etched in my memory all this time! Our car did have the "Bang Bang!" part down pat, but it definitely looked very different! I know my kids never connected the two cars like I had when I saw the movie. They had already driven in our Model A and knew the cars were not the same. For me, I had to just rewind my memory back a bit, to where the town sedan looked like Chitty and I still believed that someday my magical car might be able do things that no one could imagine.

So you can bet this is an exciting time of year for me, when the old cars are all getting tuned and tweaked. All fluid levels are topped off. Tire air that escaped over the winter is replaced. Full body massages are performed so fenders and doors shine as if they were brand new. All in preparation for that first of the year test drive around the neighborhood. Then you hop up into the seat and roll the window down. You turn the key on and adjust all the necessary knobs and controls, and then step on the starter. If you are lucky, it starts without much effort and down the road you go. If not, well the tweaking continues and maybe some cussing occurs, but eventually she starts and you are off. What a day, what a car!

There are a lot of different events planned for this outdoor season. If you haven't joined us in a while please do so as you are really missing out on some interesting and fun times. The camaraderie, creativity and knowledge of this group is hard to find elsewhere. Please start putting those dates in the newsletter on your calendar. Show off those cars as Henry intended us to. Many of those snowbirds that we missed over the winter are flocking back. I am so looking forward to seeing everyone out on the road again driving in their own magical Chitty's.

Ahooga!!!

Deb



# WINGSPREAD...THE MAY TOUR

We invite you all to travel with us to Racine in Model A Style to discover a National Historic Landmark "Wingspread", the 14,000 square foot, iconic, 1939 Prairie-style home Frank Lloyd Wright designed for SC Johnson's third-generation leader H. F. Johnson Jr.

**When:** Sunday, May 7th.

**Starting Point:** The Dairy Queen/Jetz Gas Station located at the corner of Moorland Rd and Janesville Rd in Muskego.

**Time:** Cars depart at 1:00 p.m. (You can get there a little early if you want lunch, a cone or to gas up the jalopy).

Cost to tour Wingspread will be \$0.00....that's right, free! Please come prepared and dress appropriately for the weather that day because the tour will involve both inside and outside viewing. After the Wingspread visit, we will continue on and end with snacks, fun and refreshments at The Hideaway Pub, 9643 South 76th Street, Franklin, WI

See you there!

Dave and Carol Rozman 414-333-9705

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## ***Memorial 2017 weekend route and Agenda***

### **Milwaukee area Model Aer's:**

**Dave and Carol Rozman will be hosting a group of any Model A'ers who wish to travel together from the Milwaukee area to Eagle WI where we will rendezvous with the Model A group from the North.**

- **We will meet at McDonalds located at the corner of HWY 164 and National Avenue, Big Bend, WI**
- **Departure from McDonalds will be at 8:45 AM (come a bit early if you wish to have a coffee or some breakfast before we depart)**
- **If you need to contact Dave Rozman for any reason, call his cell phone at (414) 333-9705.**

The northern Model Aer's will meet Milwaukee As at St. Theresa Catholic Church, 136 W. Waukesha Rd/WI 59W, Eagle, WI around 9:30 AM. There is a tavern/restaurant and gas station right there, and it's not on the intersection with plenty of parking. We will then take WI-59W towards Janesville. (Approx. 44 miles) following 59 -w thru Whitewater. At the a 4-way stop, make sure to turn left onto WI-59W to eliminate going thru the business district of Whitewater. Follow 59-W until the stop sign and the HWY 12/59 intersection. Turn right. Then turn right onto HWY-59-W once again. Continue to follow 59-W approx. 24 miles towards Milton. Go thru about 4 round-a-bouts. Last one before the Milton welcome sign, take ramp for 26-S towards Janesville. Follow 26-S thru Janesville where 26 will turn into 51-S. Follow 51-S until stop light. Then turn right onto 11-W to Monroe. Approx. 1 hour 35 minutes from Eagle to Monroe. We should arrive in

Monroe about Noon. Stopping at the World Famous Baumgartner's Tavern for Lunch (1 hour). Then if anyone wants to spend an hour in Monroe, go to the Brewery or take a mini trip to the Cheese factory we can do that. We would depart no later than 2:30 for Dubuque (60 miles) arriving by 4 pm check in with the Hospitality room opening at 5:30.



Saturday Morning will be our morning trip to Dyersville departing at 9:15, arriving there at about 10, there we can go to the Farm Toy Museum (Admission is \$6 adult, the Antique Mall Next Door (Free). We will have lunch at Country Junction, known for their home style cooking and pies



***It's still not too late to join us, look at last month's newsletter for reservation information. You have until April 20<sup>th</sup> for the Boat, and April 28<sup>th</sup> for the Best Western!***

Around 1 p.m. we will depart for downtown Dubuque, arriving in about a half hour. There, we can tour the historic 4<sup>th</sup> street and Bluff avenue. There are several unique and fun shops and Boutique's in the



Saturday night is entirely up to you. There is the free shuttle downtown to the Casinos where you can "Get Lucky", with excellent dining on site and Restaurants within walking distance. Those that will drive at night are welcome to join your hosts who will be leading a group to one of the premiere Supper Clubs.

Sunday morning, we will depart for the Potosi Brewery in Potosi, Wisconsin, for a few hand-crafted



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and possibly watch the start of the Indy 500 in the beautiful Rathskeller.

We will meet for the Sunday Night Banquet, for those attending, at 5:00 at the port for the Spirit of Dubuque, boarding at 5:30 for a great cruise and a wonderful meal.



We are once again invited to join the **Memorial Day Parade** on Monday, May 29.

The parade is to remember our brave soldiers who gave their lives while in service to our country, so we can enjoy the freedoms and securities we have.

The parade will gather at 1:00 p.m. at the corner of North 4th and West Clybourn Streets in downtown Milwaukee. The parade should start about 2:00 p.m. It will then proceed to Veterans Park on Milwaukee's lake front. Let's make this a great tribute to our Veterans who gave so much of themselves for their country.

It is a day to "HONOR THE DEAD BY SERVING THE LIVING."

Ed Krug  
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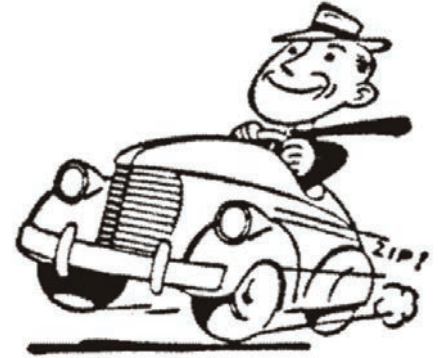
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# JUNE 11<sup>th</sup> TOUR TO THE TERRACE in SHEBOYGAN



We plan to meet at the Mequon McDonald's, drive to the Terrace nursing home in Sheboygan, show our cars to the residents for about an hour, then proceed towards home with a stop at a pleasant place for refreshments, to exchange pleasantries and jokes, then hug and proceed on home. Coming and going will be back country roads.

**Start time** will be 12:00 p.m. from the McDonald's on Port Washington Road just north of Mequon Road in Mequon.

**End time** approximately 5:00 p.m.

**Destination:** Terrace Place, 1231 Eisner Ave., Sheboygan  
Refreshments location TBD

## LINDEN GROVE CAR SHOW

JUNE 21, 2017



It's a Wednesday evening

Arrive at 5:30 p.m.

Model A Ford Club will be displaying our

"A"s for the residence to admire

At Linden Grove, W180 N8071 Town Hall Rd., Menomonee Falls. Next to the Hospital

One Call\*\* Bring you're A\*\* That's All.

Root Beer Floats will be served. Bring your own snack.

Stan & Pat Larson 262-251-1655



## Village of Greendale, 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade

Date: Tuesday, July 4<sup>th</sup> 2017

Time: 9:00 a.m., line up

10:00 a.m. parade start

*Come and join Linda and Dave Huenink, along with Morgan the wonder dog, in the Village of Greendale, 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade. We will meet at the southwest corner of the Southridge (near Macy's) parking*

*lot and proceed together, as a group, to the staging area on eastbound Grange Ave. Please, feel free to bring decorations to put on your car to celebrate the holiday. We will have some refreshments for the group while we wait.*

*Please consider participating in this parade!! It's fun and downhill all the way. Plan on attending?*

*Give us a call with questions or to confirm.*

*Thanks Dave and Linda Huenink and Morgan too!*

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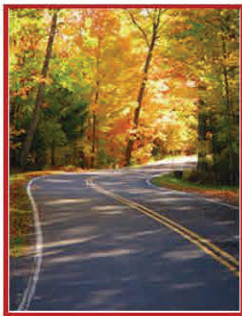
Record and register the date on your calendar:

**Saturday, July 22**

(Yep, that'S SaturDay, Not SUNday!)

FULL RUnDOWn IN Next Wheeling the A.

Rally HOSTS For the day: **Bob and Karen Schmiechen**

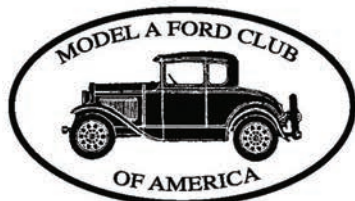


## Sunshine Report..... April

*Bette Schlesinger, former long time member, fell and broke her pelvis on March 21. Hope you feel better soon.*



*Please notify Linda Huenink with all sunshine needs. Call 262-378-4216 or email [linda214@wi.rr.com](mailto:linda214@wi.rr.com)*



*55th Annual  
Model A Reunion  
July 28th-29th-30th, 2017  
YOU AND YOUR FAMILY ARE INVITED...*



**This Model "A" Reunion** is the greatest gathering of old Fords and old Ford enthusiasts in Wisconsin. The Reunion, originated in 1962, is sponsored by 4 clubs: Central Wisconsin Chapter MAFCA, Wisconsin Region MARC, Nickle A Region MARC, and the Wisconsin Chapter MAFCA.

The meet consists of a weekend of enjoying Model "A's" and Model "A" fellowship, and includes Tours, People's Choice, Kids' Games, Hubley Derby, Car Games, Chapter Team Events, Women's Rolling Pin Toss, a Dance, Fund-Raising Auctions, Shoe Box Swap Meet, as well as lots of surprises and fun.

**The Reunion is held** the last full weekend in July, unless it conflicts with a National MARC or MAFCA meet. The Central Wisconsin Chapter MAFCA hosts the reunion on their privately held 10-acre site, which includes a club house, wooded campsites, and is close to many nice motels and restaurants. These ground were developed and maintained for Model "A" activities.

**Location:** The club grounds are located 4 miles east of Wisconsin Rapids, or 11 miles west of Plover, just south of state Highway 54. Turn south on 72nd Street (a dead end road). Watch for signs.

**Weekend Activities**

Refreshments are available throughout the weekend for registered participants.

**Good Food:** A potluck lunch is planned for Saturday and Sunday. Guests and members are asked to bring 2 dishes to pass (one for each day). Friday and Saturday evening, you may want to roast hotdogs at your campsite or go out for a relaxed dinner at one of the nearby restaurants with a group of your new friends.

**Friday** afternoon the registration table opens. An Auction will be held in the evening of Model A related items, as well as other donations for kids, ladies, and men.

**Saturday** morning starts with a Shoe Box Swap Meet, Technical Seminar, then a noon potluck, followed by a driving tour. A Silent Auction will be held throughout the day. There will also be a Hubley Derby and kid's games. A dance will be held at the club house for the evening's entertainment.

**Sunday** is a day of car games, potluck lunch, Chapter team events, and a ladies rolling pin toss, followed by the awards presentation.

**Where to Stay**

Primitive campsites are available on the grounds. Camping is open the Wednesday before the meet through the Monday after the meet. The fee per campsite is \$15 for the entire weekend. For those who prefer a few more comforts of home, the following motels are located only a few miles from the reunion.

Register early, as the motels fill fast.

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AmericInn (Plover) .....	(715) 342-1244
Best Value Inn .....	(715) 423-8080
Cozy Inn Motel .....	(715) 423-1220
Elizabeth Inn & Convention.....	(715) 341-4414
Hampton Inn .....	(715) 295-9900
Hotel Mead.....	(800) 843-6323
Maples Motel.....	(715) 423-2590
Motel 6 .....	(715) 423-3211
The Fern Hotel .....	(715) 423-5506
Rodeway Inn .....	(715) 423-7000
Sleep Inn & Suites .....	(715) 424-6800

**Pre-Registration:** A \$10 non-refundable advance registration fee (through July 1st) is encouraged to help us plan the weekend, and it saves you \$5. **Pregister with Martha Sillman; 680 Knowlton Street Apt A; Waterloo WI 53594-1400.**

**Registration Table** will be open Friday afternoon and Saturday morning.

**Registration Fees**

- 1. Club Member<sup>1</sup>, family, and one Model A**
  - Pre-Registered (\$10 + \$20).....\$30
  - Non-Pre-registered, the total fee is .....\$35
  - Each Additional Model A.....\$ 5
- 2. Non-Club Member, Family, and one Model A**
  - Pre-registered (\$10 + \$25).....\$35
  - Non-Pre-registered, the total fee is .....\$40
  - Each Additional Model A.....\$ 5
  - Wooden Award Plaque.....\$10
- 3. Guest<sup>2</sup> Fees**
  - Each Guest, 21 or older .....\$15
  - Each Guest, ages 6 to 20.....\$10
  - Each Guest, ages 5 and under .....FREE
- 4. Campsite Fee<sup>3</sup> (per campsite).....\$15/weekend**
- 5. Daily Pass (One day registration).....\$10/person**

<sup>1</sup>A **Club Member** is defined as a member of the Wisconsin Chapter MAFCA, Central Wisconsin Chapter MAFCA, Nickel A Region MARC, or Wisconsin Region MARC.

<sup>2</sup>A **Guest** is anyone who is not an immediate member of your family, which includes married children. Your immediate family is your spouse and unmarried children who live with you. Parents, baby sitters, brothers, sisters, grandchildren, friends are all guests - and will be charged accordingly.

<sup>3</sup>**Campsites** are reserved for registered participants.

**Full weekend Registration Fees include** lunch on Saturday and Sunday, and all kid and car games. A participation ribbon will be given to each registered family member and guest, and must be worn at all times to take part in the weekend's activities. We also ask that everyone please wear their local club's name badges.

**For more information:**

**E-mail: [wirapidsmode@a@gmail.com](mailto:wirapidsmode@a@gmail.com)**

**Web Site: <http://clubs.hemmings.com/wirapidsmode/a/>**

**Tony Sillman: (920) 478-4541**

Register Early **SAVE** \$5.00

### Registration Form

Register Early **SAVE** \$5.00

# 2017 Wisconsin Rapids Model A Reunion

July 28<sup>TH</sup>, 29<sup>TH</sup>, 30<sup>TH</sup>

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**List ALL Registrants below:**  
This part can be filled out at Registration

Family*:Adults ___ Children ___
Guests*:Adults ___ Children ___
Number over 16 years old _____
Are You Camping? ___ Yes ___ No

<u>Member of which Model A Club?</u>
___ Central Wisconsin MAFCA
___ Nickle A Region MARC
___ Wisconsin Chapter MAFCA
___ Wisconsin Region MARC
___ No Club/Other
<small>(If other, please write club's name below)</small>
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**Car Information: Year/Model:**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Participation Ribbons will be issued for this event and must be worn at ALL times to enjoy the free drinks and meals over the weekend. We also ask that you wear your club's name badge.

## ***PRE-REGISTER FOR ONLY \$10, AND SAVE \$5 ON THE WEEKEND!!***

### **REGISTRATION FEES**

- Club member:** family and one Model A (pre-registered \$10 + \$20) .....\$30.00  
*For participants not pre-registered*..... \$35.00  
Each additional Model A .....\$ 5.00
- Non-club member:** family and one Model A (pre-registered \$10 + \$25) .....\$35.00  
*For participants not pre-registered*..... \$40.00  
Each additional Model A .....\$ 5.00
- Guest Fees** \*Guest is anyone who is not an immediate member of your family, which includes married children.  
\*Your immediate family is your spouse and unmarried children who live with you.  
Each Adult, 21 and older .....\$15.00  
Each Child, ages 6 to 20.....\$10.00  
Each Child, 5 and under is free, but must be registered..... N.C.
- Camping Fees** per site: \$15/weekend .....\$15.00  
\*\*Guests using additional sites will be charged per campsite
- Day Pass** .....\$10.00  
*This is the cost for a day pass for one person. Early registration discount does not apply for Day Passes.*  
*Day Pass registrants ineligible to participate in Car Games and Kids Games.*

Make \$10.00 check payable to **Martha Sillman**.  
Send pre-registration fee and registration form by July 1st to:

**Martha Sillman**  
**680 Knowlton St Apt A**  
**Waterloo WI 53594-1400**

Questions?? Check out the web site at <http://clubs.hemmings.com/wirapidsmodela/>  
or e-mail to [wirapidsmodela@gmail.com](mailto:wirapidsmodela@gmail.com)

## Model A Ford Club of America – Wisconsin Chapter

### Board Meeting April 8<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Board Members Present: Deb Lewis, Dave Huenink, Steve Lewis, Randy Kind, Karry Kultgen, Bob Schmiechen

Deb called the meeting to order at 7.01 p.m.

**President** – Deb – A thank you note was received from the Drillsam Cornell family. Also received a thank you note from MAFFI for the clubs fifth and final donation of \$500.00. The club was contacted by a member wanting to sell a sound system for \$180.00. The board would like to try it before making a commitment to purchase it. The Memorial Day overnighter has more space available for people to sign up. Deb has reached out to the clubs web master to check on the progress of the web site. She has not heard back.

**Vice President** – Randy - There are no new members this month. Randy is going to call the new members from last month and invite them to the next club event.

**Secretary** – Dave – A motion was made by Bob and seconded by Steve to accept the minutes as written. The motion was put to a vote and it carried. A discussion was held regarding the critical motion history and the by-laws. It was decided when a critical motion is added and it supersedes a previous critical motion, the phrase “supersedes the critical motion dated ...” will be added. The record retention policy was discussed and one piece of information is needed from our bank which the treasurer will be getting. Also, an audit form needs to be created so the annual audit of our financial records can be signed off on by those doing the audit. Linda Huenink will be creating this. Once these pieces are received by the secretary, the retention policy will be updated and distributed to the board. A discussion was held as to whether the club needs a job description for tour hosts. It was determined the club does and Bob will be creating it.

**Treasurer** – Steve gave the treasurer’s report, motion made by Karry and seconded by Dave to accept the report. The motion was put to a vote and it carried.

Bills were handed in. A motion was made by Dave to pay the bills and it was seconded by Randy. The motion was put to a vote and it carried. There was no income. A final financial report was given for the swap meet. The club had a very successful swap meet.

**Outdoor** – Bob – All the outdoor events have hosts. All the sixtieth anniversary window clings have been dispersed.

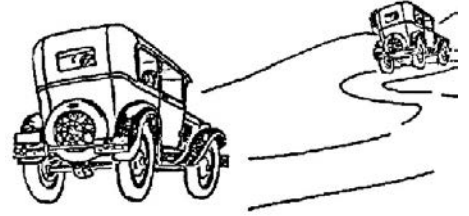
**Indoor** – Karry – A host is needed for the indoor meeting March 2018.

**Old Business** – A thank you lunch for the volunteers has not yet been held. It was decided it will be held in May of each year for the previous year. The October board meeting was moved from October 14<sup>th</sup>, 2017 to October 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017. The July board meeting was moved from July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2017 to July, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2017. A discussion was held regarding the spring donation. The disabled Vets fishing outing will be the spring donation and Vest –A-Dog will be the fall donation. Steve and Dave will be putting together a list of what donations the club has done in the past.

**New Business** – Dave Boucher came up with a list of names who may not have been MAFCA members and could possible qualify for MAFCA’s 2017 free membership program. The suggestion was made to do a mailer or put an article in “Wheeling the A” advertising the free membership program to MAFCA. Also it was suggestion the club could give a free membership to MAFCA to those who join the club this year. The club will not be offering free MAFCA membership to new members. The board also discussed submitting articles to the local newspapers about past events to attract new member interest. After some discussion, the board is going to check with the Milwaukee Journal and Waukesha Freeman about publishing the events prior to them occurring.

Steve made a motion to adjourn meeting and it was seconded by Dave. The motion was put to a vote and it carried. The meeting was adjourned at 9:06 p.m..

Respectfully submitted,  
Dave Huenink  
MAFCA – Wisconsin Chapter Secretary



## 'A' Trip Back to 1959

President – Wally Klager.

The second annual dinner dance (banquet) will be held at KOSMUTH Hall, 92<sup>nd</sup> and Beloit Road, February 8<sup>th</sup> at 8:00. Music by the Polka Chips Orchestra with liquid refreshments on tap all evening and a lavish lunch will be set up. This affair will be open to the public, so bring your friends. There will be a \$2 charge at the door to any human being able to walk. Harold Spoonholtz and Joe Komar are the chairmen for this event. We expect to have truly GOOD TIME.

Coming event – Sunday, June 14<sup>th</sup> we will caravan to Fond du lac. This will be a well publicized tour. We will caravan with the ORSON CAMERA CENTER'S scenic tour bus. Publicity will be handled by Mr. Orson. At Fond du lac we will be part of the Horseless Carriage Club's car exhibit at the fairgrounds. There will also be on display 15 – 20 large steam traction engines as well as threshing machines powered by steam. Also there will be a Woman's Hobby Show. Plan to attend – we will be photographed and this is a good opportunity to obtain needed publicity.

Coming event – Monday, June 21<sup>st</sup> our monthly meeting will be held at the Hales Corners Airport. General problems, etc. will be discussed as well as a new editor elected. For a fare of \$2.15 per person, pilot Al Sabbota (a pilot since 1932) will provide tours of Milwaukee in his Cessna Model 170, an all metal, 4 passenger plane. You will see the Muskego Lake area, West Allis, Allis Chalmers Mfg. Co., the Braves stadium, Lake Michigan, Mitchell field etc. We will have a small grassy area where refreshments will be served.

June 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> Door County will be our destination. We will overnight in Ephriam. Door County is known as "America's Air Conditioned Playground", so plan for swimming, fishing, etc. Joe Komar will be your chairman.

October - it has been a very busy summer, your club has held eleven events from April thru October with the twelfth, the annual picnic in West Bend, having been rained out. Your club participated in five exhibitions and club members won at least one trophy at each meet. In addition we participated in the Waukesha 125<sup>th</sup> Jubilee Parade where we won a third place ribbon. Your club has purchased 10 radiator emblems and 50 windshield decals from National Headquarters which we sold to members at recent meetings and resulted in a small profit to the club. We have also prepared a complete roster of all paid members for the current year.

Word from National is that the yearly dues will be raised from \$3 to \$4 to cover the increased costs of publishing the "Restorer".

Our November meeting will meet at club headquarters (3905 W. Greenfield) on November 8 at 1:00.

As a group we will travel to Brooks Stevens Automotive Museum near Donges Bay Road. We will see over 30 antique and classic automobiles. Weather permitting – bring your 'A'.

## **Historical Events for 1959:**

*Jan 3 Alaska admitted as 49th US state*

*Jan 5 "Bozo the Clown" live children's show premieres on TV*

*Jan 8 Charles de Gaulle inaugurated as president of France's 5th Republic*

*Jan 9 "Rawhide" with Clint Eastwood premieres on CBS TV*

*Jan 22 USAF concludes that less than 1% of UFOs are unknown objects*

*Jan 29 Walt Disney's "Sleeping Beauty" released*

*Jan 29 'The Great Smog' hits London, many die of chest and lung-related illnesses*

*Feb 1 Texas Instruments requests patent of IC (Integrated Circuit)*

*Feb 2 Vince Lombardi signs a 5 year contract to coach Green Bay Packers*

*Feb 3 "The Day the Music Died" plane crash kills musicians Buddy Holly, Richie Valens, J. P. Richardson and pilot near Clear Lake Iowa.*

*Feb 6 1st successful test-fire of Titan ICBM*

*Feb 7 Cessna lands in Las Vegas after 65 days without landing (refuels in air)*

*Feb 9 Coasters's "Charlie Brown" peaks at #2*

*Feb 14 \$3.6 million heroin seizure in NYC*

*Feb 16 Fidel Castro becomes the 16th Prime Minister of Cuba after overthrowing Fulgencio Batista*

*Feb 22 1st Daytona 500: Lee Petty wins (135.521 MPH)*

*Feb 27 Boston Celtic Bob Cousy sets NBA record with 28 assists Boston Celtics score 173 points against Minneapolis Lakers*

*Mar 3 SF Giant's rename their stadium Candlestick Park*

*Mar 8 Groucho, Chico & Harpo's final TV appearance together*

*Mar 9 Barbie makes her debut at the American Toy Fair in New York. Over a billion have been sold worldwide since.*

*Mar 11 "Raisin in the Sun", 1st Broadway play by a black woman, opens*

*Mar 29 "Some Like It Hot", starring Marilyn Monroe, Tony Curtis, and Jack Lemmon, is released*

*Apr 6 31st Academy Awards: "Gigi", Susan Hayward & David Niven win*

*Apr 7 Oklahoma ends prohibition, after 51 years*

*Apr 9 NASA names 1st 7 astronauts for Project Mercury*

*Apr 13 Vatican edict forbids Roman Catholics from voting for communists*

*Apr 21 Alf Dean using a rod & reel hooks a 2,664lb, 16' 10" white shark*

*Apr 25 St Lawrence Seaway linking Atlantic, Great Lakes opens to shipping*

*May 1 Floyd Patterson KOs Brian London in 11 for heavyweight boxing title*

*May 1 West Germany introduces 5 day work week*

*May 11 "Kookie, Kookie Lend Me Your Comb" by Byrnes & Connie Stevens hits #4*

*May 13 Kraft Music Hall with Milton Berle last airs on NBC-TV*

*May 20 Ford wins battle with Chrysler to call its new car "Falcon"*

*May 20 Japanese-Americans regain their citizenship*

*May 24 1st house with built-in bomb shelter exhibited (Pleasant Hills, Pa)*

*May 25 US Supreme Court rules Louisiana prohibiting black-white boxing unconstitutional*

*May 30 Indianapolis 500: Rodger Ward wins in 3:40:47.470 (218.641 km/h)*

*Jun 5 Bob Dylan graduates from Hibbing High School in Minnesota*

*Jun 9 1st ballistic missile sub launched (George Washington-Groton, Ct)*

*Jun 11 Charlie Sifford becomes the 1st African American to play in a US Golf Open*

*Jun 13 "Sammy Kaye Show" last airs on ABC-TV*

*Jun 18 Governor of Louisiana Earl K. Long is committed to a state mental hospital; he responds by having the hospital's director fired and replaced with a crony who proceeds to proclaim him sane.*

*Jun 26 Ingemar Johansson TKOs Floyd Patterson in 3 for heavyweight boxing title*

*Jul 14 USS Long Beach, first nuclear powered cruiser launched at Quincy, Mass*

*Jul 15 The US steel strike of 1959 begins, leading to significant importation of foreign steel for the first time in United States history.*



Jul 17 "North by Northwest" directed by Alfred Hitchcock and starring Cary Grant and Eva Marie Saint premieres in Los Angeles  
 Jul 21 Red Sox are last team to use a black player (Pumpsie Green)  
 Aug 7 Explorer 6 transmits 1st TV photo of Earth from space  
 Aug 7 The Lincoln Memorial design on the U.S. penny goes into circulation. It replaces the "sheaves of wheat" design  
 Aug 12 1st ship firing of a Polaris missile, Observation Island  
 Aug 17 7.1 quake strikes Yellowstone National Park  
 Aug 17 USSR & Iraq signs contract for building Iraqi nuclear reactor  
 Aug 21 Hawaii becomes 50th US state  
 Aug 31 Sandy Koufax breaks Dizzy Dean's NL mark of 18 strikeouts in a game  
 Sep 11 Congress passes a bill authorizing food stamps for poor Americans  
 Sep 12 "Bonanza" premieres on NBC-TV  
 Sep 15 Soviet Premier Khrushchev arrives in US to begin a 13-day visit  
 Sep 19 Nikita Khrushchev is denied access to Disneyland  
 Sep 26 Milwaukee Braves Warren Spahn becomes winningest NL lefty  
 Sep 26 Typhoon Vera, hits Japanese island of Honshu, causing the deaths of 4,580 people with 658 missing  
 Sep 28 Explorer VI reveals an intense radiation belt around Earth  
 Sep 29 Little Anthony & the Imperials record "Shimmy Shimmy Koko Bop"  
 Oct 2 Rod Serling's "Twilight Zone" premieres on CBS-TV  
 Oct 7 "Pillow Talk" film directed by Michael Gordon and starring Doris Day and Rock Hudson is released  
 Oct 9 Ex-soldier, drifter Lee Harvey Oswald arrives in Southampton, England  
 Oct 15 "Untouchables" premieres  
 Oct 21 Guggenheim Museum, designed by Frank Lloyd Wright, opens in New York  
 Oct 27 Rare Pacific hurricane kills 2,000 in Western Mexico  
 Oct 31 Lee Harvey Oswald announces in Moscow he will never return to USA  
 Oct 31 USSR & Egypt sign contracts for building Aswan Dam  
 Nov 1 Jacques Plante becomes the first goaltender to wear a mask during a NHL game  
 Nov 15 Richard "Dick" Hickock and Perry Smith murder four members of the Clutter Family at their farm outside Holcomb, Kansas (subject of Truman Capote book *In Cold Blood*).  
 Nov 18 "Ben-Hur" directed by William Wyler and starring Charlton Heston premieres in New York City (Best Picture 1960)  
 Nov 19 Ford Motors cancels its poorly received Edsel model  
 Dec 1 12 nations sign treaty for scientific peaceful use of Antarctica  
 Dec 21 Tom Landry accepts coaching job with Dallas Cowboys (stays until 1988)  
 Dec 25 Sony brings transistor TV 8-301 to the market

### *Bob & Karen*

In celebration of the 60th anniversary of the Wisconsin Chapter of MAFCA, we will have one drawing a month through-out the 2017 year for a \$60 gift card. The drawing will take place at the monthly indoor meet and outdoor tours. You must sign in at the meet/tour to be included in the drawing. Increase your chances to win by being active in your club and attending these events. Sorry, you may win only once during the year. April's winner will be determined at the April 29<sup>th</sup> Spring Tour!

**OUTDOOR EVENTS** – a note of thanks to all of you who volunteered to host an outdoor event. It is through your generosity of time and talent that this club remains viable. Those of you who did not volunteer, please take the time to thank your hosts for their events and consider volunteering to host an event yourself next year. Also, it would be helpful to let your hosts know in advance if you are planning to attend an event rather than just showing up. Thanks to all, Bob Schmiechen

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**FOR SALE:** 1930 Model A Fordor Town Sedan Dark Green and Black Has: Twin Sidemounts, 6 Firestone White Walls, Period Correct Green Mohair Upholstery, Mounted Trunk, Directionals, CB Radio, Modern Shocks, 12-V, Balanced Touring Motor, Fully Synch 4 speed Trans. with 4th gear "OVERDRIVE" from '83 Ford F-150, Great Touring Car, Older complete Resto. Still very sharp. \$17,500 Call Bob 608-839-0550 [staylor53527@charter.net](mailto:staylor53527@charter.net)

**FOR SALE:** 1930 Model A Fordor Town Sedan Maroon and Black, Twin mounts, Mounted Trunk, Directionals, Modern Shocks, CB radio, Professionally restored mechanically front to rear by Jeff Templin. 10k mi on new engine and drive train. \$15,000 obo Ken Vodak 608-241-1801 [kvodak1801@charter.net](mailto:kvodak1801@charter.net)

**FOR SALE:** Early 1929 Tudor. Solid driver, new radiator, total mechanical rebuild--transmission forward, incl. brakes and front end. Counter-balanced crank, high compression head, 6v alternator, insert bearings. Turn signals. Seats good. Interior panels from LB not installed yet but on site. Top is sound but tired. Cream and Brown with orange stripe and wheels. \$11,200 negotiable. My sport coupe is almost road ready and I do not have room for two hobby cars. Richard Concklin, (608) 221-2198, [rconcklin@tds.net](mailto:rconcklin@tds.net). Madison, WI

**FOR SALE:** 1929 Model A, frame off restoration \$18,000. Call David 262-488-4665

**FOR SALE:** Barn full of Model A parts and some other old car parts. Must sell, Call for your needs. Calls only, to Mike at the Brake Shop 414-464-7814



### **Stars and Stripes Honor Flight**

If you are or know of a World War II, Korean War or terminally ill veteran from any era, please contact Stars and Stripes Honor Flight at [www.starsandstripeshonorflight.org](http://www.starsandstripeshonorflight.org) or call 262-238-7740 to fly with other veterans to

Washington DC to see your memorial. If unable to fly, there will be a special Tour of Honor in Milwaukee on Saturday, July 15. It will be local and a shorter day for veterans who can't travel, but still have the magic of an Honor Flight without a flight.

# Club Property

**The following items are club property and can be used for any club function.**

Contact Steve Lewis 262-573-9821

- 2 Coolers
- Charcoal-Several bags and Large Charcoal Grill 2 ft x 6 ½ ft
- Misc. picnic supplies and Serving Utensils
- Projector and Projector Screen
- Club Banners (Approx 2 Ft x 4ft)
- Megaphone

Remember to let the club secretary know if you have a change of address, email or phone number.

**Please remember:**

- To contact the club secretary if you have change of address, email address or phone number!
- To submit an article before and after your event.
- Deadline to submit articles and ads is the 15th of each month and remember the editor is always working one month ahead. Example= January issue is being created in December.
- Check out [www.model-a-wis.com](http://www.model-a-wis.com) for more pictures of club events.

**New Membership Application**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**City** \_\_\_\_\_ **State** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone**(\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**E-Mail** \_\_\_\_\_

**Model A's** \_\_\_\_\_

Send my newsletter via email \_\_\_\_\_ or US MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

*Dues for 2017 for the Wisconsin Chapter, MAFCA:  
Receiving the newsletter & roster via the internet is \$20.00  
To receive the newsletter and the roster via the US Mail (first class)  
the dues are \$30.00 New member applications are approved at  
the monthly Board of Directors meeting, which is the second  
Saturday of the month. You will receive a welcome letter upon  
approval. Dues include membership only in the  
Wis. Chapter MAFCA until the end of the current calendar year.*

**Send To:**  
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