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ADVANCED TIMING SCHEDULED EVENTS FOR 2011

April 10	Spring Start Tour - Hosts Stan & Pat Larson See page 3
May 15	May Tour - Hosts Bob & Sandi Davisson See page 4
May 30	Memorial Day Parade - Host Bob Sonnen See page 6
May 28-30	Memorial Day Overnight Trip - Hosts Dave & Donna Boucher and William & Sandi Ford See page 5
June 5	Sharon Days - Hosts Bob & Sandi Davisson See page 7
June 12	June Tour - Hosts Ken & Cheryl Baewer
June 18	Virginia Highlands Car Show - Wally & Sally Kaufman
July 4	Parades: Greendale - Paul & Pat Piotrowski Franklin - Dave & Linda Huenink
July 17	July Tour - Hosts Gene & Betsy Taurman
July 23	South Milwaukee Heritage Day Parade— Host Carl Doro See page 9
July 29-31	Rapids Reunion - Host Eric Haban See page 9 & 10
August 14	Annual Club Picnic - Host Cheryl Prochnow CO-HOST is NEEDED. See page 8
Sept. 11	September Tour - Mark Ackermann
Sept 17	Mitchell Manor Car Show - Host Dave & Linda Huenink
Sept. 17 & 18	Richfield Threshree - Hosts Ron & Diane Smith
Sept. 25	September Tour - Hosts Dave & Linda Huenink
Oct. 9	Fall Tour - Hosts Marty & Jo Lene Janssen
Oct. 30	Last Outdoor Tour - HOST NEEDED
Nov.	Veterans Day Parade - Host Neil Besougloff
Nov. 20	Waukesha Christmas Parade - Hosts Dave & Linda Huenink

SPRING TOUR, APRIL 10TH 2011

ST. JOHN'S NORTHWESTERN MILITARY ACADEMY
DELAFIELD, WISCONSIN.

We will be given a guided tour of the school and the facilities. St. John's was founded prior to Wisconsin gaining statehood. What other neighboring school is older? Any ideas?

VISIT THE WEB AT WWW.SJNMA.ORG.

*****Meeting Place*****

McDonald's just west of Hwy 164 on
Capitol Drive.

Departure Time is 1:00 P.M.

We will tour some scenic back roads.
When we leave St. John's we will tour down town Delafield to

*****Reveres Wells St. Tavern*****
At 505 Wells Street.

Beer and soda will be furnished by the club. Other drinks can be purchased. If you care to have a sandwich or other food it is available.

Questions please call the Larsons
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LET'S DO THE MAY TOUR SUNDAY, MAY 15, 2011

WHERE ARE WE GOING? To visit The American Champion Aircraft Corp., Wisconsin's only aircraft manufacturing facility, located outside the Village of Rochester. Here, we'll see how they build what is known as a classic in aircraft design.

WHERE ARE WE MEETING? At McDonald's on South Moorland Road one half block north of West National Avenue (County ES, formerly Hwy 15) in New Berlin.

WHEN ARE WE STAGING? 12:30 p.m. Grab a burger before we leave.

HOW WILL WE GET THERE? As usual, we'll "take the scenic route" to Rochester. Driving instructions will be provided.

WHAT HAPPENS AFTERWARD? We'll tour back toward Milwaukee via a different route and end up at CALLANAN'S PARKWAY PUB, 11503 West National Ave. in West Allis (Phone 414-543-2255).

Beer, soda and "snacks" will be provided by your chapter. The PUB's truly home made "kettle chips" are great! If you're hungry for something more substantial, the PUB has a really great menu of sandwich offerings. Menu selections will be at your expense.

Come "fly" with tour hosts; Bob and Sandi Davisson (414-543-2424)




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Model "A" Get A Way

May 28th, 29th, 30th 2011

Fond du Lac, Wisconsin

Model A or modern it doesn't matter. This is close enough to home to be a perfect tour for first time over-nighter Model A'ers.

Departure – McDonald's on Capitol Dr. Just west of Hwy 164 on the north side of the road. Drivers' meeting is at 8:30 a.m. sharp.

Lodging – Comfort Inn, 77 Holiday Lane. **RSVP Phone 920-921-4000**. Model "A" Ford Club room rate is \$55.00 plus tax per night. The Motel offers pool, hot tub, game room, exercise room and hot breakfast. Thirty-five rooms are on hold.

Saturday – Lunch and driving sculpture tour in Waupun. Then, In Fond du Lac we will tour Jim Baldauf's car collection. A pizza party at Schmitt's Oar House is at 5:30 p.m. for \$7.00 a person.

Sunday - We will have different tours to area attractions. Some of the attractions are the EAA, Villa Loretto, Kristmas Kringle Shoppe, Galloway Village, Lakeside Park and Lighthouse, Antique Mall and Ma & Pa's Express on the million dollar mile and more. Sunday night will be the banquet buffet at the Holiday Inn at 5 p.m. for \$20.00 per person. The guest speaker will be John Gunnell, former editor of Old Cars Weekly.

Monday – The return trip home.



Name _____

Pizza Party \$7.00 per person _____ **Banquet** \$20.00 per person _____

Make checks payable to **Wisconsin chapter MAFCA** and mail to:

Dave & Donna Boucher
S77 W22620 Sunset Glen Dr.
Big Bend WI. 53103

Any questions please call. Your Hosts are: Dave & Donna Boucher 262-662-2273
William & Sandra Ford 920-923-1437

MILWAUKEE MEMORIAL DAY PARADE
May 30th, 2011

The parade will be held on Memorial Day, May 30. Meet at 1:00 p.m. at the corner of 4th and Michigan Street in downtown Milwaukee. The parade will begin promptly at 2:00 P.M.

Any questions, please call Bob Sonnen 414-771-1692



SUNSHINE REPORT:

Dan Kane is now living at Laurel Oaks Senior Apts., 1700 W. Bender Rd, Apt. 107, Glendale WI 53209 Cell phone number is the same. Dan sounds happy and is glad to be settled.

If you have sunshine to report, please contact Steve Lewis 262-628-4587 or by emailing: awards@model-a-wis.com



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Model A Day In Sharon, Wisconsin Sunday, June 5, 2011 (This is it No rain date



It's the 15th annual Model A Day sponsored by The Sharon Main Street Association and The Rock-Ford Model A Club of Rockford, Illinois. Turn back the clock with your Model A by joining over 250 other "A's" in a little rural community of 1,550 friendly folks located about 50 miles southwest of Milwaukee that has changed very little since your "A" was built.

Plenty of street entertainment and food all day long! Beer, brats, hot dogs, "belly luncker" cheeseburgers... Home made pie with ice cream... Giant sized cones from the little ice cream shop... Be sure to visit the little "mini swap meet" after you register your "A" at the big tent near the Veterans Memorial.

We will meet at McDonald's on South Moorland Road one half block north of West National Avenue (County ES, formerly Hwy 15) in New Berlin. Driving route instructions will be provided.

Officially, the day's activities are from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Because of the approximately 1 1/2+ hours travel time to Sharon and the fact that main street parking becomes almost non-existent by 9:00 a.m., we will depart promptly at 7:15 a.m. Please understand that activities start to "wind down" about mid afternoon, therefore, you can head home early either singularly or in a group(s). The way home is the reverse of our morning tour route.

Some of the "out west" folks may wish to join us "along the trail". You can get the route details ahead of time. Questions? Call Bob/Sandi Davisson at 414-543-2424.

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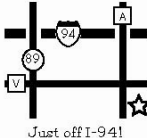
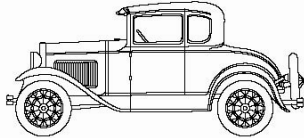
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MODEL "A" PICNIC CARNIVAL



SUNDAY, AUGUST 14, 2011

MALONE PARK-NEW BERLIN
(3953 S. Casper Dr.)

11 a.m. until 4 p.m.

ALL CURRENT MEMBERS ARE FREE, HOWEVER GUEST FEES ARE \$5.00,
KIDS 12 AND UNDER ARE FREE.

PLEASE CALL CHERYL PROCHNOW TO REGISTER NUMBER OF
PEOPLE AND THE AGE OF KIDS AT 262-646-9493
BY AUGUST 1ST OR SOONER.

NO NEED TO BRING FOOD, JUST CHAIRS AND EXTRA TABLES IF POSSIBLE.

SALLY NEUENSCHWANDER (414-412-7317) AND
MARK ACKERMANN (414-477-6302) ARE GAME LEADERS.
CALL IF YOU WANT TO HELP WITH THE CARNIVAL GAMES.

WE NEED HELP TO SET UP AND CLEAN UP, PLEASE CALL CHERYL TO SIGN
UP TO HELP.

IF WE ARE TO HAVE CORN WE NEED VOLUNTEERS TO GET IT AND COOK
IT.

The South Milwaukee Heritage Days parade will be held
on Saturday, July 23.

Meet at 10 a.m. at 9th Avenue and Milwaukee Avenue
In SOUTH MILWAUKEE.

Watch for more information in Wheeling the A and on
the club web site "News" page.

Carl Doro



Wisconsin Model A Reunion

July 29-31, 2011

The same weekend as the Model A Reunion, there are other happening in the Rapids area. Because of this, motel rooms are going fast. If you need a motel for this weekend, make your reservations as soon as you can.

Anyone planning on attending this event is asked to please pre-register. You will save \$5 on your weekend and help the Reunion order the right amount of supplies. You can find the pre-registration form on the Reunion's web site at <http://clubs.hemmings.com/wirapidsmodela>.

As you start to shake cabin fever off this winter, and you head out to the garage to organize your Model A stuff, remember that any items that you no longer need would make a great item to donate to the Model A Reunion auction. Non-Model A items are also needed. Just remember no junk, and nothing that is broken.

Along with the auction, raffle, and 50/50 raffle, there will again be a Silent Auction this year. Clubs are asked to have their members donate items to their club's basket for this. There are three categories, Men's, Women's and Children's. Remember that all income from the auction, raffles, and 50/50 drawings help to offset the cost of the next Reunion, helping to keep this event affordable for everyone.

Help is also needed throughout the weekend. All participants ages 16 and above are required to sign up

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Motel 6.....	911 Huntington	(715) 423-3211
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Best Value Inn	3410 8th St. South.....	(715) 423-8080
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AmericInn	Americ Dr & Cty B.....	(715) 342-1244
Elizabeth Inn.....	5246 Harding Ave.....	(715) 431-4414
Hampton Inn	3090 Village Dr.	(715) 295-9900

for a job duty. Some of the areas to help out include kitchen, car games, garbage and era fashion judging (2 judges per club).

To help speed up the Chapter Team events, all clubs are asked to have their teams - including cars, drivers and passengers, selected **before** the Sunday lunch is over. Help to run these games is also needed to be lined up before these games start.

The club's kitchen duty assignments are as follows:

Food Prep	Saturday	Wisconsin Chapter
	Sunday	Wisconsin Region
Clean-Up	Saturday	Central Wisconsin
	Sunday	Nickle A

For any questions, please see the Reunion web site at <http://clubs.hemmings.com/wirapidsmodela>, or contact the Reunion by e-mail at wirapidsmodela@netwurx.net.

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2011 Wisconsin Rapids Model A Reunion

July 29TH, 30TH, 31ST

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Home Phone: () _____ Cell Phone: () _____
E-Mail: _____

Please Indicate the number of people attending:	
Family Members:	Guests:
_____ Adults	_____ Adults
_____ Children	_____ Children
Are you camping? __ Yes __ No	

Which Model A Club do you belong to:
_____ Central Wisconsin MAFCA
_____ Nickle A MARC/MAFCA
_____ Wisconsin Chapter MAFCA
_____ Wisconsin Region MARC
_____ No club or other (if other, please write club's name below)

Car Information:

Year: _____ Model: _____
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.

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

REGISTRATION FEES

- 1) **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
- 2) **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
- 3) **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
- 4) **Camping Fees** per site: \$15/weekend
**Guests using additional sites will be charged per campsite

Make \$10.00 check payable to Janet Olsen
Send pre-registration fee and registration form by July 1st to:

Janet Olsen
4706 Forest Lane
Racine, WI 53403

Questions?? Check out the website at <http://clubs.hemmings.com/wirapidsmodela/>
or email to wirapidsmodela@netwurx.net

From The President.....

Welcome to another month of Wheeling The A and welcome to the start of the touring season. We have some great events scheduled so I hope to see you at them.



Thanks to the Wagners for hosting our last indoor event the ugly sweater contest and the salad swap. We sure had a great bunch of ugly sweaters there and thanks to all the participants. Thanks again to all the members that hosted events this past season, it sure was fun.

Thank you to everybody that has signed up for the upcoming season. We only have a few events left that need a host, so if you are interested contact Gene Taurman.

As some of you know our club has purchased a paving brick to help support the MAFFI museum. If anybody would like to purchase your own personal brick please contact me, I have the form you'll need.

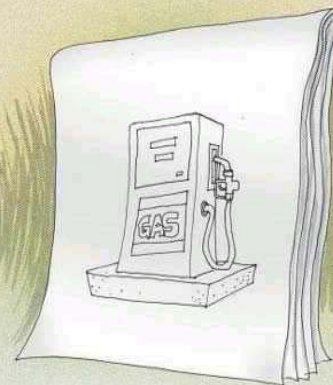
If anyone is interested in the new Revision 3 Model A Restoration Guidelines & Judging Standards book from MAFCA, they will be available after April 30, 2011. We have an offer from MAFCA, buy 5 and get free shipping, so if you are interested let me know and I will put together an order. The cost is \$13.50.

As I said in last month's letter, my project list for this year is fast approaching a full status. As my luck would have it I was walking through my yard the other day when it was so nice out just checking things over and I found a hole in the wall of our swimming pool. So guess what just jumped to the top of the job list? Putting up a new pool. Oh well it could certainly be worse... its only time and money!

That's it for this month, hope to see you at one of our upcoming event!
Mike Quam



POLICE ARTIST SKETCH OF ROBBERY SUSPECT



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**Wisconsin Chapter MAFCA
Membership Meeting Minutes
3/13/2011**

Gonzaga Hall, West Allis, WI

Board Members Present: Mike Quam, Dave Boucher, Gene Taurman, Mike Yokovich, Neil Besougloff, Mike Clinnin absent: Dave Huenink, Paul Piotrowski, Steve Lewis

Mike called the meeting to order at 1:30 PM with the pledge of allegiance.

LETTERS

Revised judging standards will be available 4/30/2011. If we buy 5 shipping and handling is free. Price \$13.50 each.

Lake Superior Model a club is holding a national meet and is looking for volunteers. If anyone wants to help see Mike Quam for contact information

NEW MEMBER REPORT

Dave Boucher reported one new member Lee Jors with a 1930 4 door. Dave passed out new member forms for everyone to keep in our cars so we would always be ready.

SECRETARY

Report delivered by Mike Quam. Minutes presented and approved, motion to accept by Jim Kummer and second by Pat Larson. Total members 266 paid to date.

OUTDOOR EVENTS

Gene Taurman reported all events have hosts except last tour of the year, Sept tour, Virginia Highland car show and the new parade for South Milwaukee.

We have a request to participate in the South Milwaukee Heritage Day parade July 23rd.

Stan Larson reported on the spring tour, it will be a beautiful spring drive. Dave Boucher reported that the Memorial Day tour was about half full and looking good for a full turnout. Bob Davison reported that the May tour is under control as well.

TREASURER REPORT:

The final results on the swap meet are not in due to some open issues on the cost of the fairgrounds. Motion made by Jim Kummer to accept the treasurer's report as read and seconded by Bob Sonnen. It was unanimously approved. Bills submitted \$180.05 for 3/13/2011 indoor event.

Motion made to approve by Mike Brojanac, seconded by Dennis Wagner and it was approved by unanimous voice vote.

INDOOR MEET

Chairman Mike Yokovich summarized the plans for next year; November is the Pizza Party, January is the Ice cream social, Cheryl Prochnow chair, February is Polish Poker by Karen Sukkert, March – to be determined.



TECHNICAL

Chairman Neil Besougloff told us the last tech meeting of the year will be 3/17/2011 at Mail Truck Model A. Tony will set up an engine with problems for the attendees to diagnose.

ACCESSORIES CHAIRMAN

Chairman Mike Clinnin: Buy umbrellas. Our supplier is looking for a new supplier for the all season coat.

AWARDS AND SUNSHINE

Mike Quam presented for Steve Lewis: Dan Kane has moved to Laurel Oaks assisted living apartments in Glendale and seems happier there.

OLD BUSINESS

SWAP MEET: Roger Olson reported that the Swap Meet was a success in spite of the weather forcing a late start. Attendance was over 1,500. Next year the meet will be a week earlier on Feb 19th 2012. Roger asked for a volunteer to manage promotion and advertising for next year.

MAFFI PAVING BRICK: The phrase to be put on the brick we bought will be, "Wisconsin Chapter MAFCA, Founded 1956". If you want a brick, forms for your donation and message are available from Mike Quam. Also the MAFFI Model A to be raffled off, tickets are also available from Mike Quam.

NEW BUSINESS

WISCONSIN RAPIDS: This is Roger & Jan Olsen's last year to represent our club at the planning meeting held in October of each year. Looking for a new volunteer. Our club attendance has dropped from first to third over the years. The reunion will be July 29th, 30th and 31st this year.

Jim Kummer moved to adjourn and Pat Larsen second. Approved unanimously.

Respectfully submitted by,
Eugene Taurman

Reminiscing with the Historian

From April 1956

CONSTITUTION OF MODEL "A" FORD CLUB

Article I NAME, PURPOSE AND EMBLEM

The name of this club shall be MODEL "A" FORD CLUB. The emblem and official seal shall be a facsimile of a 1931 Model "A" DeLuxe Sport Roadster superimposed within the outline of a 1931 "A" instrument panel.

The purpose of this club shall be to promote interest in the preservation of the Model "A" Ford in its original state; and all material pertaining to its history; to provide a source of and exchange of information and related material to same; to provide and regulate events, tours and exhibitions of same, and to own real and personal property incident to such purpose.

Article II MEMBERSHIP AND DUES

- 1 All paid members are active members.
- 2 Membership shall be open to all persons of good character who display an interest in the purpose of the club.
- 3 The Board of Directors shall have the right to bestow "Honorary Membership" at their discretion.
- 4 Dues are paid annually, January 1. Active membership is \$3.00 per year. Members who fail to remit dues before March 1 shall be considered delinquent.

Article III EXPULSION

The Board of Directors shall have summary power by vote of a majority of its members to suspend or expell and terminate the membership of any member for conduct which in its opinion disturbs the order, dignity, business or harmony, or impairs the good name or popularity of the club; or for non-payment of dues, or for any conduct in violation of this Constitution and regulation which may be made from time to time. All Regions shall have the power to expell a member of their own Region by the Regional Officers. The Board of Directors shall also have the power to expell any member, nationally or locally. Any member shall have 60 days in which to present his defense before any action is taken against him. A member can be reinstated only by approval of a majority of the Board of Directors.

Article IV MEETINGS

Meetings of the Board of Directors shall be called by the President or by any three Directors.

Regional meetings shall be determined by the officers of each Region. The Board of Directors shall call any special meetings.

Article V : OFFICERS

The Board of Directors shall consist of nine members as follows:

- Demo Staver	Wm Gunderson	Pat Gahagon	- Joe Komar
- Dale Carlson	Peter Eiche	- Herbert Poetzsch	WES CAMPBELL
- Lee Pagel	Harold Sponholtz	Garford Schulze	

Reminiscing with the Historian continued

The Board of Directors shall be permanent. In case of vacancy, the Board of Directors shall fill the vacancy.

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Treasurer

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Meet Coordinator
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Traffic Control Officer

Article VI DUTIES OF OFFICERS

(Applicable to National and Regional offices where noted.)

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: To govern this organization as provided for in the Constitution.

PRESIDENT: Shall preside at all meetings. He shall appoint all committees; have the power to decide all questions of equal division

and have all the powers and duties usually invested in the President and not covered by the Board of Directors.

VICE-PRESIDENT: Shall serve in the absence of the President.

SECRETARY: Shall record the minutes of all meetings and shall perform all duties normally allotted to an organizational secretary. Regional Secretaries shall report Regional activities monthly to the National Secretary.

MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY: Shall receive and record all applications for membership and turn over all dues received, to the Treasurer. He shall also maintain a complete up-to-date roster of the membership.

TREASURER: Shall collect and disburse all club funds. He shall render a financial report at all National and Regional meetings, or at the request of the Board of Directors. He shall give bond at the expense of the club if required to do so by the Board of Directors.

MEET COORDINATOR: National, shall determine the place and date of National and special meetings in cooperation with the Board of Directors. Regional, shall determine the place and date of Regional meetings in cooperation with his Regional officers.

ASSISTANT MEET COORDINATOR: Shall assist the Meet Coordinator.

TRAFFIC CONTROL OFFICER: Shall make arrangements for the flow of traffic, routs, parades, convoys, parking facilities, etc., for all meets.

Reminiscing with the Historian conitnued

Article VII ELECTIONS AND VOTING

The elections of the following National Officers shall be on an annual basis: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Membership Secretary, Treasurer, Traffic Control Officer, Meet and Ass't Meet Coordinator.

The officers shall of necessity, come from the Headquarters region. They shall be nominated by a nominating committee appointed by the Board of Directors in advance of the annual National meeting. They shall be elected by ballot by all members at the annual National meeting. In the event of no annual National meeting, the balloting shall be done by mail. Officers shall take office on Jan 1 of each year and elections shall be completed by that time.

Regional offices shall have a minimum of four officers: President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer and any additional officers deemed necessary. The election of these Officers shall be determined by each individual Region.

Amendments to this constitution may be made as follows:

- 1 Any Region may propose an amendment by submitting a signed petition, signed by 2/3 of its membership, stating the proposed change or additions, and submitting it to National Headquarters.
- 2 National Headquarters shall publish the proposed changes and/or additions and present them to the membership for approval. Acceptance shall be determined by a two-thirds vote of the membership.

Article VIII MISCELLANEOUS

There shall be no alcoholic beverages at any meet.

~~All members shall be insured individually.~~

The club will not assume any liability for the acts or misdemeanors of any of its members.

All members shall be expected to observe the common courtesies of the road and obey all traffic laws.

All matters not provided for in this constitution shall be decided by the Board of Directors. The Roberts "Rules of Order" shall prevail in all questions of business procedure not provided for in this constitution.

Looking in the Rearview Mirror

February Technical Seminar

Our February Seminar involved rebuilding Jim Blazek's rear end . . . on his 1930 Tudor that is. We found out that his rear end was worn out and needed to be rebuilt. Jim decided that at the same time, he would upgrade to a high speed gear.

All went well until we did the center drive shaft bearing race. We had a problem. We found out the indent for the race wasn't falling into place. We cleaned it out and then all was well. We finished redoing the back plate and brake linings. All was finished and is in good working order.



Trivia Contest

The February indoor meet activity was a trivia contest on the 1920s and 1930s. We had eight teams of anywhere from 3 to 8 people on a team. Questions ranged from weather events, gangsters, cartoons, geography, sports, movies, music, WI history and of course the Ford family.

To clear up one question that brought many “ahhhhs” from the crowd and a letter with an attached document from Stan Larson. Walter Kohler was in office from January 7, 1929 until January 5th, 1931 and Phillip LaFollette took office January 5th, 1931. So if your team said LaFollette was governor in 1931, you were correct.

We had a lot of good feedback on the team trivia contest and we enjoyed presenting it to everyone. Team winners got a gift certificate to Petra's on Hwy 100 for \$100 for first place team, \$75 for second place and \$50 for third place.

Mike & Sue Quam

Looking in the Rearview Mirror

Greater Milwaukee Area Winter Swap Meet

Driving up to West Bend to mark swap spaces shortly before midnight brought back lots of memories of our swap in 2007! We especially appreciated; John, Pete, Paul, Bob, Andy, Lynn and Dennis arriving safely to mark vendor spaces at midnight at Washington County Fair Grounds. A special note of thanks to all volunteers and vendors that drove in the early morning hours on the ice/snow covered highways to West Bend.

There are many factors that go together to make our Greater Milwaukee Winter Swap A success. One would be all our volunteers that give generously of their time to work wherever they see something that needs to be taken care of. Another important necessity is the vendors that come to sell their "stuff". Let us also remember the people that come to see what treasures they can find! Nor can we forget the availability of Washington County Fair Grounds for us to hold our event.

We received compliments from many of the vendors and even some of the general public about our volunteers. The comments heard most often were about the pleasantness and cheerful assistance given by our volunteers.

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Board of Directors Position Description

OUTDOOR MEET COORDINATOR

In this position you are directly responsible for the publicity, planning, coordination, completion and reporting of all outdoor activities of the Wisconsin Chapter. It would help to read the reports from the past meet committees contained in the chapter files, particularly concerning inter-regional meets.

Be sure to start all planning early enough to allow for the successful arrangements of a Meet or parade - at least 10 weeks. Include a copy of the meet expense guidelines for accurate, efficient use of club funds in planning a meet. You should avoid any possible conflict of dates and be aware of events in other areas that our chapter is invited to attend, especially National Meets. You should get as much input from the membership as possible.

Obtain volunteers to run and help with all meets, parades, shows, etc. or appoint members to do many of the jobs in the event. Be sure they are informed of their responsibilities, are following expense guidelines and check occasionally to see that they are proceeding. If a larger than expected expense appears to be in store, approval by the board must be given. In some cases, a committee should be formed to handle all details of a large event, such as the Swap Meet, Picnic and Car Shows.

Contact photographer to be sure all events are covered. If the photographer is unavailable, notify the event chairperson so that they take photos using disposable cameras if they desire.

Remind the event chairperson to submit a follow-up article to the editor before the next deadline.

You are the link between the various meet chairmen and the Board of Directors. Therefore, if the chairman is not on the board, you must inform the board about the meets' progress and be sure the board approves any money or policy involved in the meet.

The meet chairman should handle publicity prior to the meet and a post-meet write-up or you must be sure that the editor has information about the meet. Check with the chairman or committee so they and you are aware of all possible contingencies and possible alternate plans. Be sure the members holding chapter property are informed if an item such as public address system, parade flags, printing, etc. will be needed.

Be sure a map and address (including city and state) of starting location as well as ending location of all tours, etc. is provided to the editor of the Wheeling the "A" along with tour promotion material.

Promotions must be published in at least two newsletter issues prior to the meet.

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