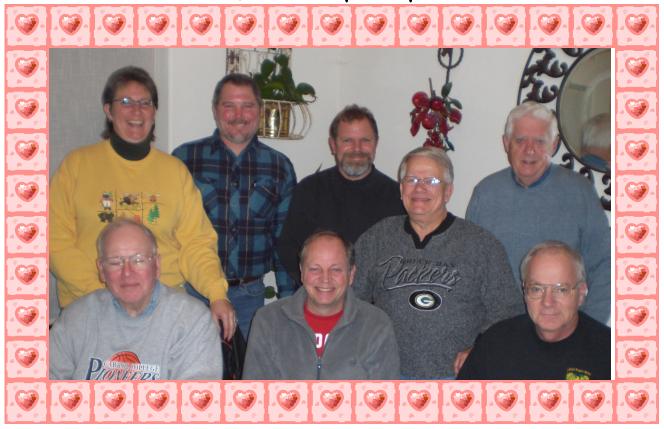


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THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE WISCONSIN CHAPTER MODEL "A "FORD CLUB OF AMERICA

HAPPY VALENTINES DAY



**2008 Board of Directors**— seated from left: Marty Jannsen= Vice President, Dave Neumann=Sunshine & Awards, Paul Piotrowski=Treasurer. Standing, from left: Sue Quam=Secretary, Mike Quam=Outdoor, Neil Besougloff=President, Roger Olsen=Technical Seminars, and Bob Davisson=Club Accessories. Missing is Dan Kane-Indoor Meets coordinator

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# Advanced Timing Scheduled Events for 2008

Feb 10th INDOOR- Antique Valentines Host: Kitty Schaefer

Feb 16th Rapids Reunion Planning Meeting

Feb 21st **Technical Seminar** - Radiator Shells-welding, repair and polishing by Roger Olson & Al Downs held at 7:00pm at

Mail Truck Model A, 8509 s. Howell Ave., Oak Creek, WI.

Feb 24th 43rd Annual Great Milwaukee Swap Meet

Washington County Fair Grounds West Bend,

Coordinated by Roger & Jan Olsen

March 8th St. Pat's Day Parade-Milwaukee

Hosts Stan & Pat Larson

March 9th INDOOR- Fords 20 Millionth Model A

Host: Mark Ackermann

March 20 **Technical Seminar**– Topic to be announced meet at

Mail Truck Model A Parts-Oak Creek

**April 13 Spring Start Up Tour- HOSTS NEEDED** 

May 4th May Tour-HOSTS NEEDED

May Memorial Day Overnighter– Hosts Mark Zimmer and

24-26 Jarius Goking

May 26th Memorial Day Parade-HOSTS NEEDED

June 1st Sharon Model A Days- Hosts Bob & Sandi Davisson

June 8th Flag Day Parade– Hosts Stan & Pat Larson

June 15th June Tour- Hosts: Jim & Marlene Stegner and Dennis

& Ann Wacker

July 4th 4th of July Parades:

Greendale– Pat & Paul Piotrowski Franklin– **HOSTS NEEDED** 

July 13th July Tour-HOSTS NEEDED

July 25-27 Wis. Rapids Reunion-HOSTS NEEDED

Aug. 10th Club Picnic-HOSTS NEEDED

(park permit has been secured)

Mid Aug. Racine Zoo Car Show– Hosts Mark Ackermann &

Mike Ackermann

August 23 2nd Annual Model A Day Circus World Museum in

Baraboo

Aug. Congregational Home for Seniors Car Show-

Carl & Lu Doro

Sept. Mitchell Manor Car Show- Mark Ackermann & Carl

& Lu Doro



# February 10th, 1:30 PM -Indoor Meet-Antique Valentines

by Beverly Fay

Slide presentation and display of antique Valentines. The lecture covers the story of St. Valentine (276A.D.) to the present, but mainly centers on Victorian era (1807-1901). It focuses on handmade Valentines through the Industrial Era and includes many personal, poignant and amusing stories. Beverly Fay is a member of the National Valentines Collectors Assoc. and has collected for over twenty years. She

has over 2000 rare and historic

valentines.

Host: Kitty Schaefer

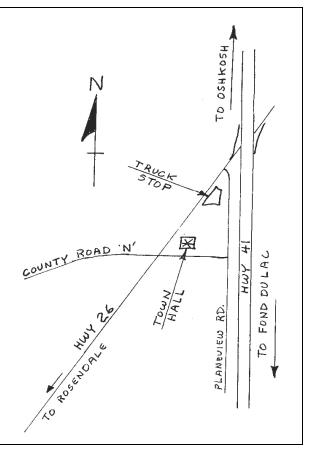
#### 2008 Wisconsin Rapids Planning Meeting

The Planning Meeting for the 2008 Wisconsin Rapids Model A Reunion will be held February 16th, 2008, at 12:00 noon, at the Nekimi Town This meeting brings members from each of the four clubs together to plan for an exciting weekend in July.

The Town Hall is located at the intersection of State Highway 26 and County Trunk N, just south of Oshkosh, and west of the intersection of US Highway 41 and State Highway 26.

If you have ideas and suggestions for this Planning Meet, and cannot attend, please contact someone in your local club who is able to, or e-mail the Reunion's web site at wirapidsmodela@netwurx.net.

As a reminder, the 2008 Reunion dates have been set as July 25th, 26th, and 27th.



# We need A Couple Hours Of Your Time

# Sunday, February 24, 2008

between 5:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

At Our Wisconsin Chapter Swap Meet

Washington County Fair Grounds
3000 Cty Hwy PV West Bend, WI 53095

Volunteer Jobs Available to Choose From Are ...

#### **Vendor Outside Gate Check In 5:00 A.M.-**

We need 5 or 6 more people to help check in vendors in the Wisconsin fresh outdoors. Which hour will YOU be here?

## Park Vendors Sm. Animal Barn/Sheep & Swine Building 5:30 - 7:00 am

Two hours of your time in the early morning AND you can check out all the bargains as they drive in!!

## <u>Door Security</u> 5:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.

Tell people where to go!!

#### Unloading Vendors (& Move Tables for Carl) - 5:00 A.M.- 7:30 A.M.

We need about 10 more people to help unload vendors.

This way YOU get to see the "valuables" first!!!

## Collect Tickets/Stamp Hands 7:30 A.M.

We need 4 more people to do this at 7:30 A.M.

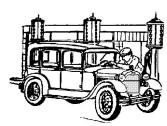
#### Clean Up 2:00 P.M. - Done

Contact Roger & Jan Olsen to sign up 262-554-7058

# TECHNICAL SEMINAR FEB 21st - 7:00PM

TOPIC— RADIATOR SHELLS-WELDING, REPAIR AND POLISHING. BY ROGER OLSEN AND AL DOWNS

PLACE: MAIL TRUCK MODEL A 8509 S. HOWELL AVE. OAK CREEK, WI



# Saint Patrick's Day Parade

Saturday March 8th.
meet at 11:00 AM at
5th Street & Wisconsin Ave.
Drive your "A" and wear some Green
Any questions
Contact Stan Larson





# Riding in your "Cherry A" across Door County MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND, 2008

Saturday May 24<sup>th</sup>, Sunday May 25th, Monday May 26<sup>th</sup>

Plans are well underway for a dynamite trip to Door County for a great weekend Model A getaway.

Possible events could include Winery Tasting, Door County Fish Boil, Shopping and Ferry to Washington Island.

Lodging for both nights at the Best Western Maritime Inn in Sturgeon Bay
(40 rooms only!) The Best Western will provide extended
Continental Breakfast each morning.
Heated Pool and Whirlpool are included.
Price will be \$ 75.56 per night (More on reservations to come)

General Information, Tour maps, all other related material will be handed out at the start of the tour. If you have any questions or would like more information please call:

Mark or Deb Zimmer (920) 565-4271 or <a href="mailto:zimwiz@msn.com">zimwiz@msn.com</a> (after 5 p.m. please)

# Rumor has it that the motel rooms are going fast up at Rapids. Here is the list of area hotels.

#### **WISCONSIN RAPIDS AREA MOTELS**

Not everyone is a camper for the Wisconsin Rapids weekend. Some Model A'ers prefer to rough it, with wall to wall carpeting. This is a listing of the motels close to the clubgrounds. Wisconsin Rapids is a busy city, so call early for your reservation to guarantee a place to stay.

<b>MOTEL</b>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<b>PHONE</b>	<b>MILES</b>
Cozy Inn Motel	2710 Plover Rd Wisconsin Rapids	$(71\overline{5})$ 423-1220	2.5
Mead Inn	451 E. Grand Ave Wisconsin Rapids	(715) 423-1500	4.0
Best Western	911 Huntington - Wisconsin Rapids	(715) 423-3211	5.0
Quality Inn	3120 8th St. South - Wisconsin Rapids	(715) 423-5506	5.0
AmericInn	3010 8th St. South - Wisconsin Rapids	(715) 424-3444	6.0
Econo Lodge	3300 8th St. South - Wisconsin Rapids	(715) 423-7000	6.0
Best Value Inn	3410 8th St. South - Wisconsin Rapids	(715) 423-8080	6.0
Maples Motel	4750 8th St. South - Wisconsin Rapids	(715) 423-2590	6.5
Sleep Inn & Suites	4221 8th St. South - Wisconsin Rapids	(715) 424-6800	6.5
	Americ Dr & County B - Plover	(715) 342-1244	15.0
Elizabeth Inn & Conv	5246 Harding Ave Plover	(715) 431-4414	15.0
Hampton Inn & Suites	3090 Village Dr Plover	(715) 295-9900	15.0





Look who's car was spotted at "the World of Wheels" car show at the State Fair Park on the weekend of Jan 12th. Stan & Pat Larson's 1931 truck.

Thank you to Mark Ackermann for submitting the photos.

# £ebruary 2008 prez notes......

By the time you read this issue of "Wheeling the A" the 2008 board of directors will be up and running. New board members Sue Quam, Dan Kane, Dave Neuman, Marty Jannsen, and Roger in the metropolitan Milwaukee area contains up Olsen are beginning two-year terms. Please congratulate them and help your new board members by stepping forward when volunteers are needed to host indoor events, outdoor events, and other activities on our club calendar in the coming year. As I've said many times before, our club thrives because of volunteers.

Coming up on Feb. 24 is the biggest volunteer event of the year, our annual swap meet at the Washington County Fairgrounds in Jackson, just up the freeway from Milwaukee County. Roger and Jan Olsen are leading the event, which is our club fund-raiser for the year. It's not too late to volunteer, just give Roger or Jan a call at 262-554-7058. Equally as important is to cross your fingers that it won't snow on the 24<sup>th</sup>!

And believe it or not, two weeks later on March 8 is our first outdoor event of the year, the annual Milwaukee St. Patrick's Day parade (yes, the parade is the 8<sup>th</sup> but St. Patrick's Day is the 17<sup>th</sup>; you'll have to ask the parade organizers about that one). Stan Larson is heading up the event and he has declared that it never rains (or snows) on a Model A parade, so put a fresh tank of gas into your Model A and join other club members for a fun event. Look for more information on the parade elsewhere in this month's Wheeling the A.

Speaking of fresh tanks of gas, I read an interesting story in "AutoWeek" magazine that relates to our Model A's. As we know, all gasoline to 10 percent ethanol. We've also heard talk good and bad about using this blended fuel in our cars, since ethanol alcohol as a solvent can attack our gas gauge floats, gas-tank lining materials, and other surfaces given the right circumstances. Personally, I haven't seen any evidence of 10 percent ethanol gasoline harming a Model A, but I'm no scientist.

A story in the Jan. 14 issue of "Auto Week" stated that Hagerty Insurance Co., which provides coverage to more than half a million owners of vintage cars, has commissioned a scientific study of ethanol-blend gasoline and its effect on vintage cars and motorboats.

The study will take a year to complete, but Hagerty reports that preliminary results may be announced this summer. Hagerty's website has other information on ethanol as it relates to vintage cars and boats on www.hagerty.com/ ethanol/. Other information on ethanol and Model A's has been posted on ahooga.com and fordbarn.com. - Neil Besougloff



Don't forget your sweetie on Valentines Day, Feb 14th

# **Meeting Minutes-Indoor Meet– 1/13/08**

**MEETING DATE**: January 13, 2008

MEETING PLACE: St. Aloysius, West Allis, WI

**MEETING CALLED TO ORDER BY**: President Neil Besougloff at 1:30 p.m. with the reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance

**BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT**: Carrie Frank, Chuck Morgan, Bob Sonnen, Bob Davisson, Paul Piotrowski and Mike Quam.

**BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT**: Rick Koepp and Ed Schultz.

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEMBERSHIP MEETING: The minutes of the Dec. 9, 2007 General Membership meeting were approved as written on a motion by Roger Olsen and seconded by Dan Kane.

**SECRETARY:** Bob Sonnen. Bob reports that the Wisconsin Chapter now has 303 memberships. Of those 303 memberships 40 have not renewed their dues for 2008. They will be contacted by phone if possible.

TREASURER: Paul Piotrowski. Paul gave the financial report for December 2007 and a summary report for all of 2007. The report was approved on a motion by Stan Larson and seconded by Gene Engel. Bills were submitted for Technical meets, Advertising for the '08 Swap Meet, the '08 Picnic Permit, Awards for the Banquet, Indoor Meet expenses and for today's Custard Social. A motion to pay the bills was made by Stan Larson and seconded by Gene Engel. Motion carried.

Income from dues was turned in.

VICE PRESIDENT/NEW MEMBERSHIP: Ed Schultz. Bob reporting for Ed said we have two new members this month. They are: Ed & Carol Scheer of Waukesha with a '29 Fordor LBack and John & Sue Secord from Cedarburg with a '31 Tudor. A motion to accept the new members was made by Roger Olsen and seconded by Anne Wacker. Motion carried.

**OUTDOOR MEETS:** Rick Koepp. Neil has been circulating the sign-up sheet for the upcoming year's outdoor events. Stan Larson will be hosting the St. Patrick's Day Parade again this year.

Mark Zimmer of Sheboygan, who will be hosting this year's Memorial Day Overnighter, gave a report about what will be happening that weekend.

**INDOOR MEETS:** Chuck Morgan. Nothing new to report.

**TECHNICAL MEETS**: Carrie Frank. Carrie previewed the upcoming seminar on batteries.

**CLUB ACCESSORIES/NATIONAL CORRE-SPONDENT:** Bob Davisson. Bob has the Club Accessories set for sale at his table today. Bob also announced that Dawn Scholler, owner of "Creations by Dawn" is retiring but her son is taking over the business under the name "Times Custom Apparel".

**AWARDS AND SUNSHINE:** Mike Quam. Mike reports that Carrie Frank's mother passed away, Lafe Nelson broke some of his bones, and Ed Churchill had back surgery.

**NEW BUSINESS:** Roger Olsen, chairman of the Swap Meet, once again asked for help. Roger also received a query from Tony Sillman, from the Madison Region, asking if members of the Wisconsin Chapter want to continue cooking at the Wisconsin Rapids Reunion or have the meals catered. By a show of hands, it was decided <u>not</u> to have catering. Stan Larson, host of this year's banquet, gave his report.

CORRESPONDENCE: We received a thank you note from Joyce Schlueter stating that since Ray has passed away she will not be rejoining the club this year and thanked the club for all the good times. We also received a thank you note from Gary Koser relating to his 40 years in the club. He said he would enjoy attending the banquet, but his work will keep him in Florida at that time. Another thank you note from Roger & Jan Olsen regarding their deceased son.

## Meeting Minutes-Indoor Meet— 1/13/08- continued

**New Business:** Now it was time for the election of officers for this year's Board of Directors, but, since there are 5 openings and 5 nominees, Neil asked for a motion from the floor to accept the candidates for the 2008 Board. The motion was made by Carl Doro and seconded by Mike Yokofich. Motion approved. The new directors are: Sue Quam, Dan Kane, Dave Neuman, Marty Jannsen and Roger Olsen.

**NEXT MEMBERSHIP MEETING:** Sunday, Feb. 10, at 1:30 p.m. at Gonzaga Hall / St. Aloysius Church, West Allis.

**MOTION TO ADJOURN BY:** Pat Larson and seconded by Mary Gurgul at 2:03 p.m. Respectfully Submitted,

Bob Sonnen Secretary Wisconsin Chapter Model A Ford Club of America

# Some Fun facts for the month of February



Feb 2-Groundhog Day (US, Canada & Switzerland

Feb 3- Carrot Cake Day, National

Feb 4-Stuffed Mushroom Day (National)

**Feb 5**<sup>th</sup>- Apollo 14 - the third US manned Moon expedition. Alan Shepard & Edward Mitchell walk on Moon for 4 hours on February 5, 1971. The 5th Emmy Awards take place on February 5, 1953. I Love Lucy, Thomas Mitchell & Helen Hayes win awards.

"The Smothers Brothers Comedy Hour" premieres on CBS on February 5, 1967

Feb 6<sup>th</sup> Massachusetts became the 6th US State on February 6, 1788

Feb 6th- "Pay A Compliment Day" (National Compliment Day)

**Feb 9-** National Weather Service established, February 9, 1870. The photograph of Abraham Lincoln that is used on the US penny and the US \$5 bill was taken on February 9, 1864

**Feb 10-**The first gold record was awarded to Glenn Miller for "Chattanooga Choo Choo" on February 10, 1942

**Feb 12**<sup>th</sup>- Lincoln's Birthday (Traditional) (Now celebrated on President's Day - February 18, 2008) First Barbie dolls are sold in stores, February 12, 1959

**Feb 14**- Arizona joined the Union and became a US State on February 14, 1912. Oregon joined the Union and became a US State on February 14, 1859.

St. Valentines Day.

**Feb 16<sup>th</sup> Nylon stockings patented**, 1937

Feb 17<sup>th</sup> Blondie & Dagwood got married on February 17, 1933

Feb 19- Chocolate Mint Day (National) and U. S. Marines landed on Iwo Jima, 1945

**Feb 21**- Alka Seltzer was introduced on February 21, 1931. First phone book was issued in New Haven, Connecticut on February 21, 1878

**Feb 22<sup>nd</sup>** -Washington's Birthday (traditional) Observed on Presidents Day (February 18, 2008) and Woolworth's, the first chain store, opened in Utica NY in 1879

**Feb 23-** Banana Bread Day (National) and Iwo Jima Day - U. S. Marines raised the flag on Mt. Suribachi (Battle of Iwo Jima) 1945

# **Board of Directors Meeting Jan 19, 2008**

MEETING DATE: January 19, 2008

**HOST**: Neil Besougloff

**MEETING CALLED TO ORDER BY**: President Neil Besougloff at 7:00 p.m.

**MEMBERS PRESENT**: Bob Sonnen, Bob Davisson, Mike Quam, Paul Piotrowski, Carrie Frank and Chuck Morgan.

**MEMBERS ABSENT**: Ed Schultz, Rick Koepp and 2008 electee, Dan Kane.

**GUESTS:** 2008 electees Roger Olsen, Marty Jannsen, Dave Neuman and Sue Quam.

#### MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING:

The minutes of the December 9, 2007, Board of Directors meeting were approved as written on a motion made by Carrie and seconded by Mike.

**SECRETARY:** Bob Sonnen. As of today, we have 305 memberships including 31 who have not renewed yet.

**TREASURER:** Paul Piotrowski. Paul gave the Financial Report last week at the membership meeting. Today bills were submitted for Technical Seminars, mail from the secretary and a phone bill from AT&T. A motion to pay the bills was made by Bob D. and seconded by Chuck. Motion passed. Income was turned in from dues renewals.

**VICE PRESIDENT/NEW MEMBERSHIP:** Ed Schultz. Nothing new to report.

**OUTDOOR MEETS:** Rick Koepp. Neil reports that there are still some scheduled events that need a host.

**INDOOR MEETS:** Chuck Morgan. Chuck has confirmed dates for the indoor meets from Nov. '08 thru Mar. '09 at Gonzaga Hall.

**TECHNICAL MEETS**: Carrie Frank. Carrie reports that Bill Paxson, who was to do the March 20, 2008 seminar about CB radios, cannot make it that day.

**CLUB ACCESSORIES/NATIONAL CORRE-SPONDENT:** Bob Davisson. Bob gave his report concerning some apparel that is no longer available.

**AWARDS AND SUNSHINE:** Mike Quam. Mike has no Sunshine this month. The Awards are all set for the Banquet.

**PUBLICATIONS:** Ed Schultz. Nothing new to report.

**NEW BUSINESS:** Mike brought up a problem with the wording in the letter that is sent to all advertisers each year. The new VP will look into it. A discussion was held about the annual Picnic and how it is conducted. For now no changes will be made.

Roger Olsen, chairman of the 2008 Swap Meet, gave a report about the plans for the 2009 Swap Meet to be held on February 22, 2009 at Washington County Fair Grounds. A motion to approve that date was made by Paul and seconded by Carrie. Motion passed.

**CORRESPONDENCE**: A reciprocal newsletter from The Evergreen Echo's.

**MOTION TO ADJOURN THE 2007 BOARD BY:** Bob D. and Carrie at 7:49p.m.

**OUTGOING BOARD MEMBERS:** Bob Sonnen, Rick Koepp, Ed Schultz, Carrie Frank and Chuck Morgan.

**CALL TO ORDER THE 2008 BOARD:** by Protem President Neil Besougloff at 8:01 p.m.

**ELECTION OF NEW OFFICERS:** Pro-tem President Neil read the procedure for the election of officers. He then conducted the election to the office of president to which he was elected by default. (Nobody else wanted it). He then conducted the rest of the election of officers. The results were:

President- Neil Besougloff
Vice President-Marty Jannsen
Secretary- Sue Quam
Treasurer- Paul Piotrowski
Indoor Chair- Dan Kane
Outdoor Chair- Mike Quam
Technical Chair- Roger Olsen
Accessories Chair- Bob Davisson
Awards & Sunshine- Dave Neuman

# Board of Directors Meeting Jan 19, 2008 continued

MOTION TO ADJOURN THE 2008 BOARD BY: Roger and Dave at 8:27 p.m.

**NEXT BOARD MEETING SCHEDULED FOR:** 7:00 p.m. Saturday, February 9, 2008 at Paul Piotrowski's home, W232 S6070 Charles Drive, Waukesha, 262-513-1089.

Respectfully Submitted,

Bob Sonnen Secretary

Wisconsin Chapter

Model A Ford Club of America

#### 2008 BOARD MEETING DATES AND HOSTS:

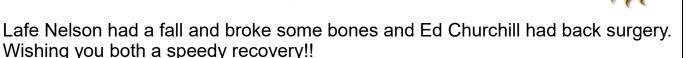
February 9<sup>th</sup> Paul Piotrowski March 8<sup>th</sup> Mike Quam April 12<sup>th</sup> Sue Quam

May 10<sup>th</sup> Dave Neuman at Bob Davisson's home

June 14<sup>th</sup>
August 9<sup>th</sup>
September 13<sup>th</sup>
October 11<sup>th</sup>
November 8<sup>th</sup>
Bob Davisson
Roger Olsen
Neil Besougloff
Marty Jannsen
Dan Kane

# Sunshine Report:

Carrie Frank's mother passed away. Our condolences to Carrie & Jim



**DID YOU KNOW:** The famed German highways without a speed limit actually have a lower death rate than US highways. About half of the German Autobahn has no speed limit - even though there is a suggested maximum speed limit of about 80 mph. In 1973, photo radar units were installed and the accident rate reduced 18-fold. These days, deaths on the Autobahn account for <u>only 10%</u> of national traffic fatalities.

Talking on a cell phone while driving increases the likelihood of an accident fivefold and is actually more dangerous than driving drunk.



#### Reminiscing with the Historian



**FIFTY YEARS AGO, 1958** - There are no club events specified for February. However, a car and body list newsletter sent out by Schulze Restoring in West Allis to potential customers included this official notice. It was located at 1207 S. 91<sup>st</sup> St and sold Model A, B, and T parts.

# NOTICE - THE FOLLOWING POLICY WAS ADOPTED – APRIL 4, 1957 AND HAS BEEN IN EFFECT TO DATE & WILL CONTINUE

Fee—\$3.00... Due to the large number of people that are coming here to 'shop around' — 'fool around' — 'getting prices' — 'just checking' — 'just curious' as well as 'being entertained' — There is now a \$3.00 fee for 'showing & demonstrating' the cars for sale here.. This helps to pay garage rent, advertising, barn facility, gas, anti-freeze, and maintenance of the cars for sale here and above all else MY TIME I spend showing you these cars, as well as transporting you a total of 10 miles to & from storage points. If you are serious & want a more rare and desirable body type, or CLEAN car you will gladly pay this, if not, you are the aggravating type to me and I'd rather not have you here at all. There is no such thing as something for NOTHING here...If you purchase a car here, the fee is refunded... By using this fee principle, the cars can be sold at the same price continually otherwise storage, advertising, etc. must be continually added to cars...

**FORTY-FIVE YEARS AGO, 1963** - February 10<sup>th</sup> was the date of the annual movie meet. 50 people attended. Slides of the 4-Star Lake Geneva Meet were provided by Elmer Zimmerman. Three new members were signed up: Melvin Frank, Francis Dilake and Art Engle and son.

**FORTY YEARS AGO, 1968 -** Plans were being made to attend the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the "A" in Dallas, Texas.

**THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO, 1973** - As of February 1<sup>st</sup>, there were 100 paid members. Also of interest, the club purchased an IBM Selectric typewriter for the newsletter staff to eliminate most of the difficulties in providing a quality newsletter.

**THIRTY YEARS AGO, 1978** - The Technical Seminar for February was on welding and welding equipment. A presentation was made by the Northern Gases Company of Milwaukee. The seminar was held at Avenue Brake Shop.

**TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO, 1983** - The annual banquet was held at Manning's Supper Club. Carl Wusson was the emcee. Entertainment was by the River City Barbershop chorus. The Loose Lug Nuts of the Year award presented to Jim Kummer. Chairperson for the event was Grace Koser.

**TWENTY YEARS AGO, 1988** - The Technical Seminar was presented by Richard Fallucca on babbitting and boring the "A" engine. The annual Swap Meet was held on February 21<sup>st</sup>, chaired by Jim Kummer and Dave Dohmeyer.

**FIFTEEN YEARS AGO, 1993** - Outgoing President Bob Heinrich congratulated Dave Boucher, Tom Bergermeister and Ed Schultz on being elected to the Board.

**TEN YEARS AGO, 1998** - After a short business meeting, there was a shoe box swap meet and a dessert swap. Also in February, Automobile Restoration presented a seminar on how to touch up paint and fix minor upholstery problems.

**FIVE YEARS AGO, 2003** - History of the Gas Station was presented February 9<sup>th</sup> at the monthly meeting. The Board of Directors election results were announced. New board members were Dick Lardinois, Bob Sonnen and Roger Olson.

-Art and Sue Blazek



# Looking in the Rearview Mirror



# Custard Social



Thank you to Cheryl Prochnow for hosting the Custard Social and bring in her antique radio's.

Special Thank You to Leon's Custard (member Ron Schneider) for donating the custard, pecans and hot fudge. Thank you to all the ladies who served up the custard! Everyone enjoyed socializing and have a delicious sundae or banana split.

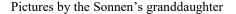














#### \*\*\* NOTICE \*\*\* NOTICE \*\*\*

For several years, Wisconsin Chapter members have been purchasing MAFCA logo embroidered apparel from Mrs. Dawn Scholler, owner of Creations by Dawn, in Random Lake.

Dawn has announced her retirement and effective 1 February 2008, her son Rob Scholler will take over the business. The operation will now be known as *Times Custom Apparel*. The telephone number is 920-994-4396. Business hours will be Monday through Friday, 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

The embroidered clothing operation is a subsidiary of the Scholler family owned, *Times Printing Company*. It will be located at the Times Printing location, 100 Industrial Drive, just off Highway 57, in Random Lake. When you call to place an order, the printing company's main switchboard will answer. At that time, please ask to be connected to *Times Custom Apparel*.

An updated order form can be found on the next page. The information on the form provides you with the ordering details.

Bob Davisson, Club Accessories









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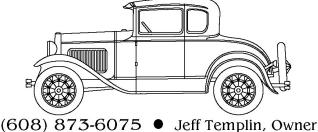
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