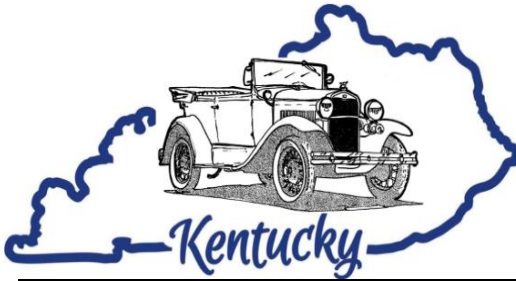


OUR 60TH ANNIVERSARY 1959 - 2019

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FALLS CITY REGION MODEL A FORD CLUB

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For changes or the latest info on upcoming events visit us on the web at www.kymodela.org

➤ NEWSLETTER DEADLINE: **April 16th**

MARCH 2019

“A” REMINDER:

The next monthly club meeting will be Saturday, March 23rd at 7:30 PM at the Central Government Center located at 7201 Outer Loop Road. Meetings are on the 4th Saturday of each month, January through October.

Last month there were (25) Members present. There were no Model A's driven. The 50/50 drawing was worth \$35.50 and was won by **Connie Bowlin**.

Our next Coffee Run will be 9:00am on April 6th at **High Grove Grocery** at 12780 Louisville Rd, Cox's Creek, KY. Their phone number is (502) 348-3515. They are approximately 6.5 miles south of Bardstown Road and Hwy 44. Check the cover of this newsletter for future coffee runs.

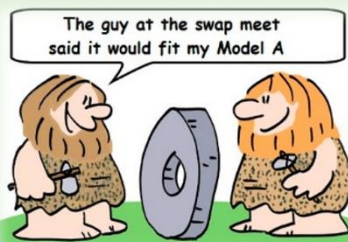
Remember it's always more fun when you **DRIVE YOUR MODEL A!**

PROGRESSIVE DOOR PRIZE:

At the February meeting, **Harold Levay's** name was drawn, and he WAS NOT present. The Progressive Door Prize was worth **\$33.75**. The estimated worth for this month's drawing is **\$51.50**.

CLUB HISTORY WANTED:

If you have any information on the history of our club or old pictures of club events you think would be interesting to share, please send it to **Emeric Howell**.



VALENTINES DINNER REPORT:

The weather was not the best but the turnout was great! There were (45) members and (1) guest but No Model A's.... I guess they are waiting for better weather!



60th ANNIVERSARY CLUB ITEMS:

A couple of items with our club logo are available this time:

★ Club license plates for your car or to display however you like. Members are eligible for (1) plate while supplies last. We are starting with 40 plates and may order more if need be.

★ Shirts with the club logo embroidered on the front only. For each member, the club will pay \$20.00 towards one apparel item and the member pays the balance. **Marty** will have a list of items to choose from at the meeting Saturday. If you want to order an apparel item that is not on our list, you can purchase it yourself and give **Marty Burke** a copy of the receipt so he can reimburse you the \$20.00 club portion.

WHOOOOPS!
Clayton
Hensley's zip
code is incorrect
on the 2019
roster.... Please
update his zip
code to **40269**.



TOUR TO FORDSVILLE:

PLEASE NOTE – this tour was originally
scheduled for May 18th has been moved up to March 30th.

Tour leader **Roy Armstrong**

We will leave the Shepherdsville CVS Drug store parking lot (157 S. Buckman St, Shepherdsville, KY 40165 at the corner of Hwy 44 and Hwy 61) at 8:00 AM on March 30th. We will drive to the Fordsville Diner where we will meet the Owensboro Club. There we will have a coffee break/restaurant break or lunch there if you want. Then **Vince & Irene** will take us on country backroads in and around Fordsville/Rosine, KY. **Irene** said they plan for us to stop to eat lunch at an old country store called the "Slick Back" (beside the Rosine Barn on highway US-62, Horse Branch, KY). Then to go to the Bill Monroe Museum, close by. Also, **Irene** plans for us to stop by L.C. Midkiff's chicken houses, for us to see how many chickens are housed and chance to ask him questions. Then plan to stop in Whitesville to eat ice cream on the way back. On the way back home, we can stop by the Fordsville Diner if anyone wants too. That way if anyone has ordered a pie or two to take home with them, we can pick it up then. **Irene needs to know who how many will be coming. Falls City Members, Please RSVP to me, Roy Armstrong by 3/27/2019 to let him know you plan to go on this tour.**

You can contact me at Home 502-543-4189 or on my cell 502-644-3582 or email me at royra@windstream.net

NASHVILLE TENNESSEE TOUR:

April 11th - 14th, 2019

We will leave the Shepherdsville CVS Drug store Parking lot (157 S. Buckman St, Shepherdsville, KY 40165 at the corner of Hwy 44 and Hwy 61) on April 11th at 6:00 AM Eastern time. **Roy Armstrong** will lead the tour to Chaney's Red Barn (9191 Nashville Road, Bowling Green, KY). Always leave with a full tank of gas. We will take 31W and drive about 57 miles to take a restroom/gas break at Sonora KY. Then we will drive about 74 miles on to Chaney's Red Barn (9191 Nashville Road, Bowling Green, KY).. There we will meet up with the Owensboro Club.

Jeff Everly will lead us to Nashville. At this time, we plan to visit the following attractions:

- (1) Bill Stypes place, (Auburn, KY) who is an avid Model A owner/Motor A Mechanic/Machinist.
- (2) American Pickers store. 1300 Clinton St #130, Nashville, TN 37203 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZDIPb_BHYts
- (3) The Parthenon 2500 West End Ave, Nashville, TN 37203 <https://www.nashville.gov/Parks-and-Recreation/Parthenon.aspx>
- (4) Lane Motor Museum 702 Murfreesboro Pike, Nashville, TN 37210 <https://www.lanemotormuseum.org/>

(5) The Hermitage/Andrew Jackson Home 4580 Rachels Ln, Hermitage, TN 37076

<https://thehermitage.com/>

As always you are welcome to drive modern if you are not up to driving the Model A.

I will need a head count soon. You can contact me at home 502-543-4189, Cell 502-644-3582 or email me at royra@windstream.net

REPORT ON OUR TOUR TO SAVANNAH:

Submitted by **Roy R. Armstrong**

Since one of our club members got sick and couldn't go to Savannah, I decided that I didn't want to go either. Then a couple days before it was time to leave **Jeff Everly** called me and said that he would like for me to go with him and **Janet**, so I changed my mind and am glad I did.... it was a great trip! We left on Wednesday February 27th and got back home on Sunday March 3rd. Those that went were **Jeff & Janet Everly, Charlie & Susan Armstrong**, and me. The next day **JE & Linda Shofner** came. We all had a good time together.

The trip going through Nashville and Atlanta was good both going and coming back home. Didn't even slow down. We got a motel in Richmond Hill, GA, on Thursday we went onto Savannah. In Savannah we took the trolleys, we could get off and back on a trolley every 20 minutes until 5:00 PM. We got to see so much, too much to mention here. We had a meal at Paula Deen's Restaurant. We got to spend some time at the Fort McAllister State Park Civil War site with museum which was very interesting. Savanna is a beautiful city even in the winter There were small parks all over the city. This one is called Tags Park. This is the large public park which also marks the southern edge of the Historic District-it is crowned with a beautiful fountain.



But the most interesting place to me was The Ford Plantation in Richmond Hills. Ford purchased massive amounts



of land in the area, eventually accumulating 70,000 acres covering 120 square miles. In 1936, Ford broke ground for a beautiful, approximately 7,000-sq-ft Greek revival style mansion on the banks of the Ogeechee River. The grand house, made of Savannah-gray brick, has marble steps, air conditioning, and an elevator. It sat on 55 acres of manicured lawns and flowering gardens. This was his winter home. Henry did so much here in Richmond Hills for people, too much to mention here. I am not finished studying about Henry Ford in Richmond Hills because

he did so much there. Henry Ford once said *"Everybody helps me. If I'm to do my part I must help everybody"*.

At the MARC membership meet **Charlie Armstrong** put on a good seminar on rebuilding a Model A carburetor. He passed around the good original type parts along with the new parts to show the poor quality that you have to deal with today. How the new parts have to be reworked to build a good carburetor. The people couldn't believe the new parts was that bad until they seen it with their own eyes. I believe the people were surprised to learn what must be done to make a good carburetor.

Falls City Region 2019 Activities

(NOTE: This is a tentative schedule, always refer to your most current newsletter or website for more details or added events)

PLEASE MAKE NOTE THE CHANGES ON MARCH 30th and MAY 18th!

March:

- **CHANGE – Moved to March 30th - Tour to Fordsville (Roy Armstrong) See info in this newsletter!**

April:

- 6th Coffee Run – 9am High Grove Grocery in High Grove KY on old Bardstown Rd. (**Charlie & Susan Armstrong**)



April:

- 11th to 14th – Nashville TN Country Music & History Tour in conjunction with Owensboro club (**Roy Armstrong**)
- 20th Frankfort Avenue Easter Parade 10:30 sharp. Lunch at WW Cousins following (**Frank Head**)
- 27th Club Meeting - 7:30pm at Government Center on Outer Loop Louisville KY
- 28th Columbus Model A Swap Meet Columbus IN at Bartholomew County 4-H Fairgrounds

May:

- 4th Coffee Run – 9am Frisch's Big Boy on Bardstown Rd in Fern Creek, KY (**Emeric & Lesa Howell**)
- 4th Derby Day Tour – A Derby Theme tour after breakfast (**Emeric & Lesa Howell**)
- 11th Mt. Washington Spring Festival – Parade & Car show in Mt. Washington (**Moise Napier**)
- 25th Club Meeting - 7:30pm at Government Center on Outer Loop Louisville KY

June:

- 1st Coffee Run – 9am Mimi's Café Hurstbourne Pkwy Louisville (**Moise Napier**)
- 1st Tour to the Louisville water tower on River Road (**Moise Napier**)
- 8th or 15th Mother's/Father's Day Dinner - Place & date TBD (**Frank Head**)
- 22nd Club Meeting - 7:30pm at Government Center on Outer Loop Louisville KY
- 29th Indiana River Tour - lunch at Daisy's Country Cooking in New Albany IN (**Pete Kubala & Jim Norris**)



Pics from the past

COFFEE RUN SCHEDULE: Always at 9am.

April 6th –High Grove Grocery at 12780 Louisville Rd, Cox's Creek, KY (**Charlie Armstrong**)

May 4th - Frisch's Big Boy on Bardstown Rd in Fern Creek, KY & Derby Run (**Emeric & Lesa Howell**)

June 1st - Mimi's Café Hurstbourne Pkwy Louisville (**Moise Napier**)

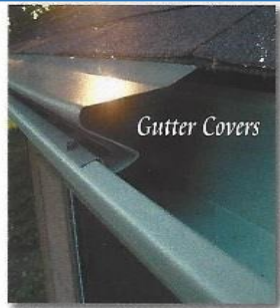
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WANTED & FOR SALE:

FOR SALE: (6) 19" Goodyear Diamond Tread White Wall Tires (Tires Only, NO rims or tubes included) The (2) spares have never been ran on the road and the other (4) are used. They are still on my Fordor if you want to see them before I mount the new tires. I am still recovering from hand surgery so it will be another month or so before I take them off the car. Asking \$450.00 for all. To discuss purchase, contact **Emeric Howell** at 502-550-2797.