



GOING PLACES



Web Site

www.modelacolumbus.com

February 2019

Membership meetings are held on the 2nd Thursday of the month at the Sirloin Stockade in Columbus. The meetings are held September through May. The meal will be at **5:30** p.m. with the meeting following at **6:30** p.m.

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President's Corner

Here we are in a new year. Are you ready to do some Model Aing?

If you are on Facebook type "Columbus Region - Model A Restorers Club" in the search in to see Christmas at the Pines 2018 pictures.

I want to congratulate our board for 2019 they are:

President - Ronnie Lawson
Vice President - Roger Dean
Secretary - Nora Dean
Treasurer - Phil Sutton
For Directors: Gerald Alexander, Wayne Arnholt, Tim Diehn, and Jack Sullivan. Not officers but, Susan Riss newsletter editor, Larry Riss Web Master and membership, Larry Morlock Swap meet Chairman, and Nora Dean news reporter. Be thinking of trips and tours for 2019.

Mileage Awards

For members in the Mileage Award program, please send your year-end 2018 odometer reading to Larry Morlock by next meeting, Feb 14.

Tours:

April 28 - Swap Meet Item

Larry Morlock (THANKS LARRY) has contacted Gaslight Auto Parts and **Gaslight Auto Parts** will be at Our Club Swap meet to serve your Model A or Model T parts needs. If you are planning on picking up new parts at our swap meet, please call **Nick Harrigan at Gaslight Auto Parts** and place your order and they will have it for you at the swap meet in April, saving on the high cost of shipping.

Gaslight Auto Parts can be reached at:
Address: 1445 US-68, Urbana, OH 43078
1-800-242-6491 or 1-937-652-2147
E-mail: gaslight@ctcn.net
Gaslight Web site: www.gaslightauto.com

Board Meeting

The next board meeting is Feb 2 – 11:30 at Longhorn Steakhouse then meet at Phil's at 1. It is the annual tour planning meeting as well.

Meeting Minutes

January 10, 2019 Meeting Minutes
Call to order by Ronnie Lawson at 6:30 pm.
Welcome: visitor Ronnie William Lawson of Austin TX.

Sickness/Deaths: Susan Lawson passed away on December 29, 2018. Her funeral was Friday, January 4, 2019. Whitty Herbert is not doing well. He is using a cane and having his bandages changed on his neck two times a week by nurse. Cleo Sparks is in nursing home. Please keep all of these people and their families in your prayers.

Secretary report: In newsletter. Correction: Board of Director Meeting is scheduled for January 24 at the Riss Home. This had been omitted for the November minutes.

Treasure's Report: Phil was absent. Starting Balance was \$3429.92. Income \$1145.00 (50/50, Christmas Party and Dues). Expenses \$1785.56 (The Pines, Lick Creek Band, and Website). Ending Balance \$2789.36.

Old Business:

-Swap Meet April 28, 2019
-Officers for 2019: President-Ronnie Lawson, Vice President-Roger Dean, Secretary-Nora Dean, Treasurer-Phil Sutton, Board of Directors-Gerald Alexander, Wayne Arnholt, Tim Diehn and Jack Sullivan Jr. Other important people: Newsletter-Susan Riss, Web Master and Membership-Larry Riss, Swap Meet Chairman-Larry Morlock and Librarian-Wayne Arnholt.

New Business:

-Send mileage to Larry Morlock. Register your car for \$1. Mileage awards given by MARC.
-50/50 Drawing: \$26 won by Carmen Huddleston.
-January 12, 2019 35th Annual Falls City Club Swap Meet will be held at the Paroquet Springs Conference Centre in Shepherdsville KY at 395 Paroquet Springs Drive. Admission is \$5.
-August 4-14, 2018 National MARC Meet Dearborn. Host hotel has been changed to the Double Tree by Hilton. Call 313-336-3340 for reservations. Our Grand Tour will be on Thursday. This will take us around the Dearborn area and culminating at the Greenfield Village for the day. A Pavilion Lunch will be served.

Other info:

-Don Wesseler said Coker will start selling radial tires in April. Black wall will be \$200 each and white walls will be \$240. If you have Haggerty Insurance you can get a 10% discount.

Entertainment: Ed Dathe gave a presentation on brakes.

Ed Dathe made a motion to adjourn meeting at 7 pm.
Presented by Nora Dean

Tools

If you have a Model A tool that you would be willing to loan to other members, please let Ronnie Lawson know. We will make that information available on the website and newsletter for other members as they work on their Model A.

Medical Report

The following members could use your support and prayers:

--Randy Huey

--Cleo is now living at Silver Oaks if you want to drop him a line. Cards can also be sent to him c/o Connie and Gary Lawless

--Lyn Alexander

--Whitey and Jane Herbert

Answer to last month's what is it?



Model a seat knob. This knob is for the adjustment on the front seat. It fits the 1929-31 4-Doors, and the early 30-1 Coupes.

What is it?



Answer next month.

While My Oil Drains

Every time you drain the engine oil to change it, while you are waiting for all the dripping to stop, may I suggest you add the following simple items to your oil change routine?

- Check the ignition point gap with a 0.020" feeler gauge. Adjust if required. Look at the points to make sure they still look good (not pitted or burnt).
- Wipe off the ignition cam with a rag. Now put a small dab of fresh cam grease on 2 of the lobes of the ignition cam.
- Put a drop or two of light oil in the little oiler on the side of the distributor. If you have the cam screw with the hole drilled in it, put a drop or two in there, too.
- Put a couple of drops of engine oil in each hole on top of the throttle assembly that is bolted to the back of the engine.
- Check the fan belt for tension. It should have 1/2 inch deflection (don't over tighten it). Also check for cracks in the fan belt. Replace if necessary. That's it!

In the time it takes for the oil to all drain out, you have taken care of several little routine maintenance items on your "A" that will help keep it running well and avoid a problem on the road.

For Sale

1931 pick up with 15,000 miles. If interested call Richard (317) 225-0716