

“The Headliner”

Newsletter of the Northern Ohio Regional Group #20
Early Ford V-8 Club of America
Our 53rd Year



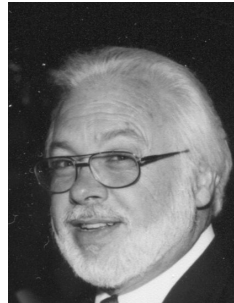
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Mission Statement: “To preserve and authentically maintain vehicles manufactured by the Ford Motor Company for the model years 1932 through 1953 inclusive, and to serve as an accurate and technical source of information concerning these automobiles for the benefit of its members as well as the general public.”

Presidents Message

We have returned from the Eastern meet in Franklin TN. It was so good to meet up the friends that we haven't seen in the past few years. For those that didn't attend you missed a good one. Even though it was very warm the weather couldn't have been better. Along with the national we toured a private museum located in Franklin, TN. The museum is located on the estate once owned by the country singer Alan Jackson. It was a nice piece of property of about 200 acres. The collection consisted of 200 plus cars of modern iron of all makes and models. All were in pristine condition and run. What a toy box.



Our group took home some nice hardware. Dave Collette got an award for 50 years of service and an award for his car, Regis Shilling an award for his car and Steve Kronen an award for his car. Ed Carr won the raffle for a set of tires. All and all it was a fun time.

Also, on Memorial Day weekend we met at the Cleveland Yacht Club for a very enjoyable day displaying our cars. Weather was great and we have a standing invitation for next year.

Sat. June 18th is national drive your old car day. We have a one tank trip planned to a private car collection in Bowling Green, Ohio. We will stop for lunch prior to touring the museum. We will meet up on the Ohio turnpike at the plaza at the 140-mile marker at 8:30 and pull out at 9:00. If your old car isn't able to make it **DRIVE YOUR MODERN ONE**. Let's see if we can get a good turnout.

There are a fair number of things planned for this summer. Our club has been shut down for a couple of years so let's get together and make up for lost time. A club is only as good as the sum of its members

Let's keep old Henry happy by keeping his name rolling down the road.

! Jack



NO JUNE MEETING
We will instead participate in
“Drive Your V-8 Day” .
See Page 6 For More Information

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All Meetings are held at
Stow Community Center
3800 Graham Road
Stow, OH

“Kick Tires”: 7:00
Meeting Begins: 7:30
Ends: 10:00 or Sooner

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hello,
JUNE
*it's been a while since
we seen you last*

MINUTES FOR THE MEETING OF May 20, 2022

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. (probably) by president Jack Bukszar. Your secretary missed the first 15 minutes of the meeting because he had to stop at the bank and take out a second mortgage on the house in order to buy enough gasoline to drive to the meeting and there were 14 other people ahead of him in the line at the loan officer's desk.

Speakers for the evening were Jim Englert and Kim Todd from the Mobile Insurance Agency. They explained a number of details regarding the antique car insurance offered by Hagerty Insurance. They pointed out that Hagerty insures more than just antique cars and that Hagerty encourages owners to drive and enjoy their antique vehicles. Insurance also is available to cover car parts and project cars that are in the process of being restored. Jim and Kim can be reached at 419-271-0049 and they will be happy to answer any questions members might have about insuring their antique vehicles.

Secretary Neal Garland read the minutes of last month's meeting. They were approved as read. Membership chair Craig Gorris reported that we have approximately 90 paid-up members.

National representative Steve Kronen noted that due to a mix-up by the printer, members might have received two copies of the most recent issue of the V8 Times. The printer accepted responsibility for the mix-up and the club will not be charged for the extra copies. Steve reminded us that the Eastern National Meet will be held in Franklin, Tennessee on June 1-5.

Regis Schilling reported that the club's website is doing fine and has not experienced any problems recently. Craig Gorris reported that the Headliner also is doing well. Members are encouraged to send items to him and Annette that they would like to see appear in the newsletter.

President Jack Bukszar thanked Ginger and Frank Posar for this month's coffee and cookies. Discussion was held regarding some confusion over the coffee and cookies assignments for the coming months. Hopefully that will all get straightened out before next month's coffee and cookies are needed.

Discussion was held regarding the scheduling of the club's lunches. It was decided that we will try holding some of the lunches on weekdays instead of always on weekends. There will be no lunch scheduled for June. Instead, members are encouraged to participate in the "National Drive Your Old Ford Day" activity scheduled for June 18. President Jack Bukszar has arranged for a club tour to Snooks Dream Cars Museum in Bowling Green, Ohio. Details are provided in this issue of the Headliner.

President Bukszar noted that there was a very small turnout of members for the steam train event. Those who did attend found it to be a very enjoyable experience and encouraged members to take advantage of such opportunities. Tomorrow (May 21) the cruise in to the Skyway Drive In arranged by the Nifty Fifties club provides another opportunity to enjoy your old car.

A number of club activities are planned for this summer, including the cruise to Bowling Green on June 18, breakfast at the Mihalek's farm on July 16, the Rocky River Memory Lane car show on July 17, the picnic at Collette's farm on July 30, a cruise to the Gilmore Museum on August 12-14, and a corn roast with the Nifty Fifties at Mihalek's farm on October 1. Details will be provided in future issues of the Headliner.

We adjourned at 8:50 p.m.

Neal Garland, Secretary

2022 Activities At A Glance



- **Saturday June 18th** National Drive your V-8 Day **See page 6 for more information**
- **Sunday, June 19th 9:00-3:00** Father's Day Car Show at Stan Hywet Hall Akron **More Details** stanhywet.org
- **Tuesday June 21st** Great Race Participants Drive Thru Medina Square
- **Friday, July 15th 7:30 PM** Monthly Club Meeting, Stow City Center
- **Saturday, July 16th 11:00** Breakfast at Mihalek's Farm **See page 6 for more information**
- **Sunday, July 17th** Rocky River Memory Lane antique car show **See page 6 for more information**
- **Wednesday, July 20th 5:00 PM** Regina Health Center Car Show. **See page 5 for more details**
- **Saturday, July 30th** Collette's Picnic at their Farm in Portersville PA.
- **August 12th - 14th** Weekend Cruise with Nifty Fifties Car Club To Gilmore Museum **See Page 8 for more Information**
- **Saturday, October 1st** NORG and Nifty Fifties Car Club Corn Roast at Mihalek's Farm. **More Details to Follow**



Picture of the Month

Look fellows why does this engine have a valve cover?



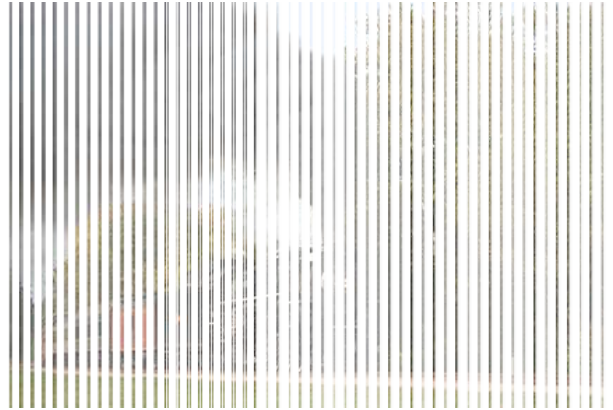
NORG COOKIE BAKERS



June Meeting	NO MEETING ~ Drive Your V-8 Day
July Meeting	Darlene Null
August Meeting	Beth Schilling
September Meeting	Mome Garland
October Meeting	Kathy Kessler
November Meeting	Diane Francis

Steam in the Valley May 13

On May 13, Beth & Regis Schilling invited a number of NORG members to celebrate “Steam in the Valley” an annual tradition at Cuyahoga Valley Scenic Railroad (CVSR). CVSR partners with Fort Wayne Railroad Historical Society to bring the historic Nickel Plate Road Steam Locomotive No. 765 to the Valley for an unforgettable experience. This is a limited opportunity for folks to ride the train being powered by a historical steam locomotive. Many of the riders dressed in vintage 50’s , along with others had the opportunity to de-board the train at the CVSR facilities and join NORG members in light refreshments and 1950’s music. The Bukszars, Lewickis and Gorrises who drove their 1953 Ford convertible along with Pat Rooney who drove his 1950 Ford convertible all enjoyed the evening



Cruise to Skyway Drive In May 21

On Saturday, May 21, NORG members joined the Nifty Fifties of Northern Ohio for an afternoon of food and fun at Akron’s Skyway Drive In. Between the 2 clubs we had 16 members and guests. Nifty fifties president Bruce Lewicki was kind enough to provide hand sanitizer for everyone. The weather was perfect and everyone had a great time.



Keels and Wheels, Saturday, May 28th, Cleveland Yacht Club

On Saturday, May 28, 18 NORG and Nifty Fifty members were invited to the Cleveland Yacht Club to join in their “Keels & Wheels” a gathering of vintage boats and vehicles. WE met for brunch at Claudette’s Restaurant and after eating, drove to the Yacht Club located on the Rocky River. Everyone had a great time and there was a variety of different makes, models and years of vehicles.



Regina Health Center Car Show 5232 Broadview Rd, Richfield, OH 44286 Wednesday, July 20th 5:00 PM ~ 8:00 PM

The Annual Car Cruise-In on Wednesday, July 20th from 5 to 8 p.m. (Rain date July 27th)

Registration for car owners is \$5 per vehicle and is payable at the sign-in table on the day of the event. **Space is limited. Prior registration is required.**

Registration begins on June 1st at Vicky.putt@reginahealthcenter.org. Please include your first and last name, phone number, email address, make, model and year of your vehicle. Registration closes on July 5. !



NATIONAL DRIVE YOUR OLD FORD DAYS

JUNE 18, 2022

Seeing there isn't a meeting in June we will be taking a day trip to the Snooks Dream Cars Museum on June 18th in Bowling Green, Oh... We will meet at 8:30 at the rest stop on the Ohio Turnpike at the 140-mile marker west. We will leave about 9:00 and cruise to Bowling Green (about 100 miles) where we will stop for lunch at **BECKETT'S BURGER BAR, 146 N. MAIN ST. BOWLING GREEN, OH. 43402. PH 1-419-352-7800. Around 11:00.**

After lunch we will tour **SNOOKS DREAM CARS MUSEUM, 13920 COUNTRY HOME RD, BOWLING GREEN, OH. 43402 AT 1:00**

PH. 1-419-535-8338 Admission \$5.00 per person CASH ONLY.

ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CALL JACK AT 216-228-9168

The City of Rocky River presents the 15th Annual
Memory Lane Antique Car Show



Sunday, July 17th 2022

**Open to the public from 12:00pm to 3:00pm
At Rocky River City Hall Park
21012 Hilliard Blvd.**

- Vehicles must be 25 years old or older
- Registered Show Vehicles should arrive starting at 10:00 am
- There will be trophies and door prizes awarded at 2:15 pm for participating Show Vehicles (*you must be present to win*)
- Each Registered Show Vehicle participant will receive two free pool passes for the day (*great for the family*)
- No entrance fee
- Food and beverages available on site
- There will be **NO RAIN DATE**



Show-Vehicle Registration

Please print and complete entirely.

Entrant Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone(Home) _____ Telephone(Work) _____

e-mail _____

Vehicle: Year _____ Make _____ Model _____

RELEASE/IDENTIFICATION
By virtue of this registration and in consideration of acceptance of this entry and the right to participate, entrants and their guests, participants and representatives, I/we hereby unconditionally agree to fully release, discharge and hold harmless the City of Rocky River and their officers, directors, employees, agents, and representatives (collectively "City") together with the Management, sponsors and other representatives of the Memory Lane Classic Car Show (collectively "Management"), from any and all known or unknown damages, injuries, losses, judgments, and/or claims from any cause whatsoever that may be suffered by or to their person or property and the person of antitrust guests, participants, and representatives. Further, each entrant expressly agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the City and Management from any and all liability, damages or resulting from the conduct of entrant, their participants, guests, representatives, or any individual seeking or attempting with entrant or under the direction or control of entrant which may cause injury to the person or property of others, while in attendance or participating in the activities of the Memory Lane Classic Car Show.

For more information call:
Jay & Jean Hounds 440-333-9805
Joseph Tath Sr. 440-331-9460
For more information on events go to www.rcrcity.com

You can deliver registration or mail to:
The City of Rocky River Mayor's Office
21012 Hilliard Blvd.
Rocky River, OH 44116



Come join us!

**Breakfast at Ron & Karen's Farm
Saturday, July 16th 11:00
1020 County Line Road
Granger Township 44333**

This is a joint breakfast including the Lincoln and the Nifty Fifties Car Clubs. The eggs and coffee will be furnished. Please bring a side dish of sausage, other breakfast meat, potatoes, bagels, or other breakfast kukuns, any drinks other than coffee or water as your last name is listed below.

- Last Name A thru K Breakfast Meats
- Last Name L thru S..... Potatoes or other Starch
- Last Name T thru Z Bagels, Kukus Breakfast

RSVP no later than July 11th Call your RSVP or Questions 216-990-0288

Do Not Forget a Lawn Chair



**Progress Report
Steve Kronen's 47 Ford
Convertible**

Steve has sent us photos of the progress on his restoration of the 47 Ford Convertible he purchased a while back. The engine and running gear is finished, body is painted and mounted on the frame. He has been getting support from Regis Schilling and hopes to have it ready for Dearborn next summer. Good Luck Steve !



March 21, 2022

Beth Schilling
Early Ford V8 Club
P.O. Box 1074
Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio 44223

Beth Schilling received this letter from the City of Stow regarding our annual donation for use of the meeting room for our monthly meetings.

Dear Beth and V8 Club Members,

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the Stow First Responders Memorial Fund and the members of the Stow Police Department, Fire Department and Dispatch Center, we would like to thank you for your generous donation of \$250.00 on March 18, 2022.

Your thoughtful gift will directly help us accomplish our goal of building a first responder memorial. A testament to our strong community and appreciation of our first responders, this memorial will honor the men and women who proudly served our community and those who bravely gave their lives performing the duties of their professions. The memorial will also feature the name and dates of service of every first responder who retires from the City of Stow. It will serve as a visual reminder of the hard work and sacrifices that these brave individuals make every day.

Without your support and dedication, this worthy project could not be completed. We are very grateful for and humbled by your contribution.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey E. Film
President
Stow First Responder Memorial Fund

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**WEEKEND TRIP TO THE GILMORE CAR MUSEUM IN
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Ladies Daisy Page

Received these pictures from Beth Schilling, Sharon Bukszar, Nancy Collette and Marie Lewicki of NORG members at the 2022 Eastern National Meet in Nashville TN. All members enjoyed the many attractions including the Grand Ole Opry.



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www.norgv8club.org*

The Headliner Deadline
 1st Day of each month. Please e-mail articles, tech tips, outings, adds, club news and pictures to:
Annette Gorris
 annette.gorris@gmail.com

Happy June Birthday

6 Bill Brown
 7 Jack Bukszar
 19 Dave Colette



**No June Meeting
 Next Meeting
 Friday July 15th
 7:30
 Stow City Center**