

“The Headliner”

Newsletter of the Northern Ohio Regional Group #20
Early Ford V-8 Club of America
Our 54th 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

Hi Blue Oval Collectors,

Members, please make a note of this announcement!!! The August meeting has been rescheduled for SAT. AUG. 23 WHICH IS OUR CORN ROAST. During the afternoon we will have a short meeting. Please make a note of this.

As I begin, I would like to thank Ron and Karen Mihalek for hosting the multi club breakfast again this year. This yearly event has been hosted and put on by Ron and Karen for the enjoyment the Early Ford V-8 club, the Nifty Fifties Ford Club and the Lincoln Club. Thanks Ron and Karen for your generosity.

Now, I would like to recognize a member of our club that acted on a dream that was in his bucket list. As this gentleman started on his quest many years ago, he stayed diligent and kept his nose to the grind stone and finally completed his task. By keeping his dream, he has become our very own Casey Jones the railroad engineer. Regis Schilling is now a full-fledged railroad engineer on the Cuyahoga Valley Railroad. Congratulations Regis for a job well done!!!!
A couple of announcements

The Sept. general meeting on the Sept.13 has been rescheduled to Sat. Sept. 23 which is our corn roast. Information is in the newsletter.

On Oct. 7 we have been invited to join the Lincoln Club to tour a huge train display (suppose to be the largest family owned lay out in the state). We will meet at the museum at 11:00. I am sure we will be stopping at an Amish restaurant seeing we will in the Middlefield area. More details in this newsletter.

Looking forward to seeing you all at the corn roast.

Stay safe and will be seeing you down the road;

Jack



NO MEETING THIS MONTH
A Brief Meeting Will Be Held After the Corn Roast



Officers & Board 2023

President: Jack Bukszar
Vice President: Frank Posar
Secretary: Neal Garland
Treasurer: Dan & Diane Francis

Directors

Rick Jandrey
Steve Kronen
Ron Mihalek
Beth Schilling

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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MINUTES FOR THE MEETING OF AUGUST 18, 2023

The meeting was called to order by president Jack Bukszar. He asked members to introduce themselves and say a few words about their cars. Secretary Neal Garland presented a summary of the minutes from the previous meeting and said a few words about future locations for lunch outings. Details will be provided in future newsletters. If you have suggestions for interesting lunch places please tell Neal or Jack or Frank about them.

Treasurers Dan and Diane Francis estimated that our treasury is still solvent, probably.

Newsletter editors Craig and Annette Gorris were not able to attend tonight's meeting. President Jack encouraged members to submit items for the newsletter whenever they find things that might be of interest to the club.

National vice president Steve Kronen reported that there were 102 show cars at the Grand National meet in Dearborn and there were 289 people at the awards banquet. In spite of some problems--such as the weather--the Grand National meet can be considered to have been a very successful meet.

Five NORG members brought their cars to an informal get-together at Country Maid ice cream shop on State Route 303, organized by Rick Jandrey.. Attendees agreed that the excellent ice cream and the beautiful weather made it a good outing.

Ron Mihalek announced that 27 people have signed up for the breakfast at the Mihalek farm on Saturday, August 26. President Jack reminded members to be sure to RSVP to any member who hosts a club activity. In this case, Ron needs to know how many people will be attending the breakfast so he can order the appropriate amount of food.

Rick Jandrey welcomes suggestions for speakers for our club meetings. The speaker does not necessarily have to be car-related.

President Jack encouraged members to suggest ideas for club activities and to help with organizing and carrying out such activities. We should take advantage of the remaining summer weather before the winter sets in--which it is going to do all too soon.

After many years of service Georgene Iacobucci is retiring from her duties as Sunshine Chairperson. President Jack asked for volunteers to take over this office. Beth Schilling volunteered to do so. Thank you, Beth!!

Rick Jandrey reminded us of the Marshallville Car Show that will be held on October 21. If there is enough interest among club members, he can organize a special parking area in the show for NORG members to display their cars. Please let him know if you are interested.

Steve Kronen gave a brief report on Dave and Nancy Collette's picnic/car show. In spite of a rainstorm that made things a bit soggy, it was a very good event. A wide variety of vehicles showed up and as always there was plenty of food to enjoy! Thanks again, Dave and Nancy!!!

We adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Neal Garland, Secretary

Very Important Message From National Vice President Steve Kronen

Members of Northern Ohio Regional Group. This year is my third year on the Board of Directors and I serve as the Vice President for the year of 2023. This year is also my final year on the Board as I have decided to not run for a second term at this time.

I've enjoyed my time on the Board, serving to keep this great club running.

Any NORG member interested in serving on the National Board please contact me and I will send it to President Rick Claybaugh for consideration.

Steve

Message from NORG Newsletter Co-Editor Craig Gorris

NORG members, This is an opportunity to become active in the National Club. I served on the National Board from 2003 ~ 2008 and was National President from 2006~ 2008. NORG has had three members serve on the National board. Beside myself, Dave Collette and Steve have served.

In my opinion, it is a great way to support the national organization, meet members from all over the world and have the satisfaction that you "will have made a difference". If any member is interested, please contact Steve or myself and we will answer any questions and/or provide answers to your questions. ,

New NORG Sunshine Person

Our new Sunshine Person is **Beth Schilling**. If a member knows of another member who needs a "Get Well" card, Birthday card, Congratulations, etc, please contact Beth. Her cell number is 330-221-4625 or email schillingregis@att.net.

Note: Throughout the year we will have "non planned events. These will be suggestions from members. Members, please let your Newsletter Editors know and we will send a blanket e-mail informing them where and what time to meet. If you would to join us, great, if not, there will be



NORG COOKIE BAKERS 2023

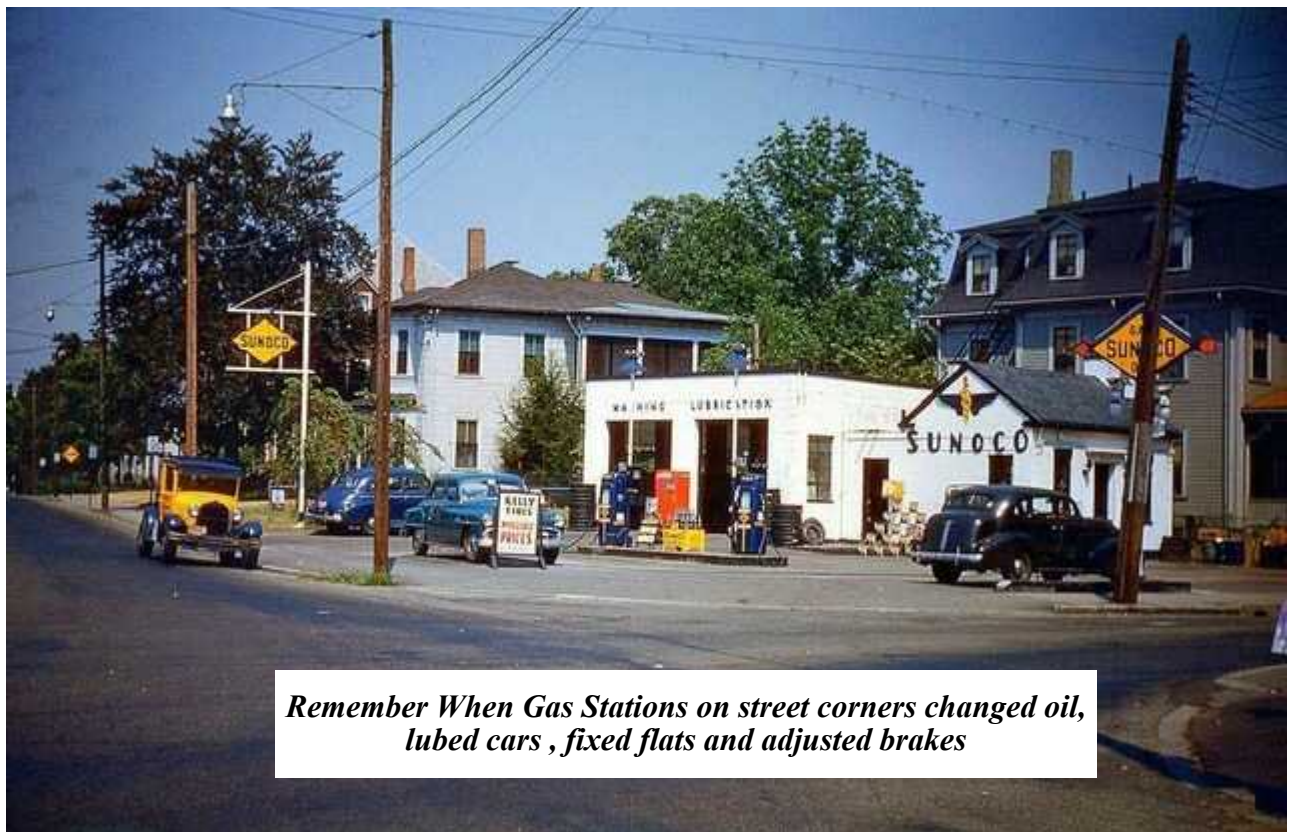


September	Kathy Kessler
October	Bonnie Sykes
November	Diane Francis

2023 Activities At A Glance



- **Wednesday, September 13th** Regina Health Center Car Show **See page 5 for more information** **NOTE DATE CHANGE**
- **Friday, September 15th** **NO MEETING**
- **Saturday, September 23rd** Corn Roast at Mihalek's Farm **See Page 6 for more information**
- **Friday, October 20th** NORG Meeting Stow City Center 7:30



*Remember When Gas Stations on street corners changed oil,
lubed cars , fixed flats and adjusted brakes*

2023 Regina Health Center

Annual Car Cruise!



Wednesday, September 13th

5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

NOTE DATE CHANGE

Show open to all Classic, Specialty or Modified Vehicles.

\$5.00 entrance fee, per vehicle entered and payable at the Registration table on the day of the show. Cars may begin arriving at 4:30 p.m.

We will be selling “Dog Baskets” with a fresh grilled hot dog, choice of snack chips & beverage. Ron Takach will once again be onsite with his fantastic homemade ice cream!

Cash only

One Meal Ticket will be provided to our Residents, Donors & Volunteers

Music and Announcements by The Polka Pirates!

50/50 and Raffle basket tickets will be available for purchase.

Proceeds to benefit Regina Resident Activities Fund.

Please email Vicky Putt, Activities Director at: vicky.putt@reginahealthcenter.org
to register a classic vehicle.

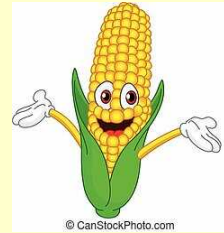
NORG Corn Roast

Saturday, September 23

Ron & Karen's Farm, Bath Ohio

1020 Medina County Line Road

\$10.0/Person

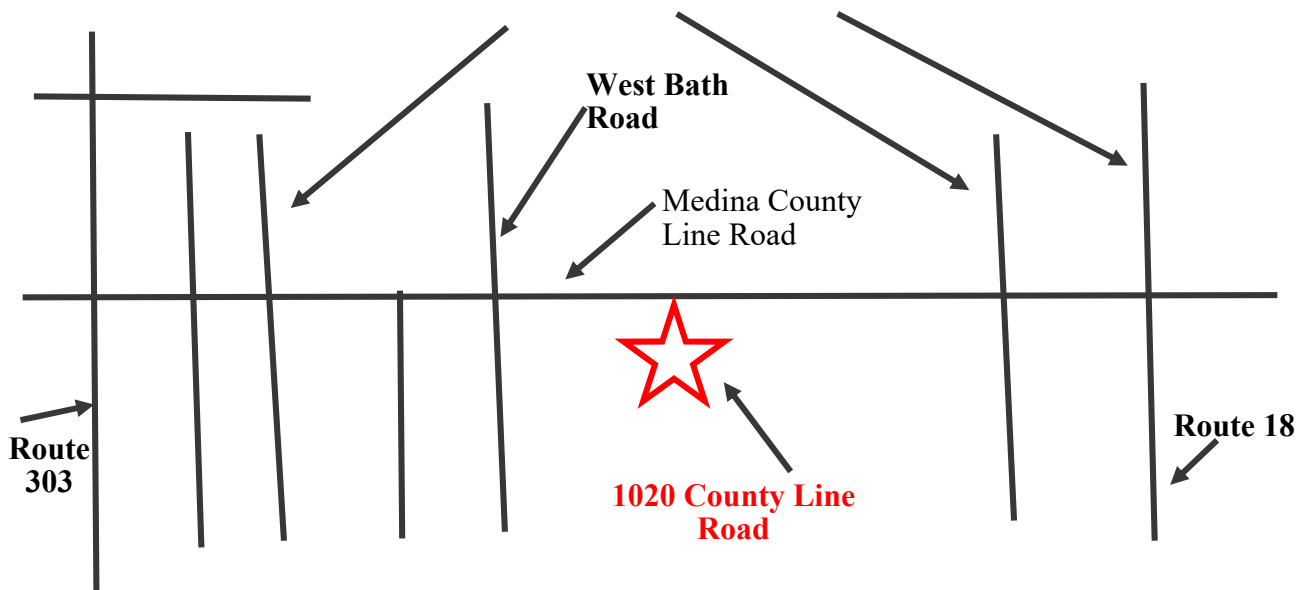


This event has been a NORG social for many years. The Club will provide Fresh Sweet Corn roasted on the grill and Bratwurst and Hot Dog sandwiches and Dinner ware. Please bring your drink of choice, lawn chairs and your appetite

We need a headcount by Friday 9-15.

Call Craig at 216-215-7266 or e-mail c.gorris@prodigy.net

Map (Not to Scale) Lines Indicate Cross Roads



First Responders Monument

This is a drawing of the “First Responders Monument “ to be constructed in Stow Ohio. Last year NORG made a donation to the City of Stow towards the development and creation of the memorial



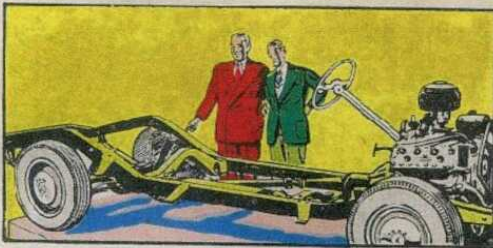
FORD'S CHIEF TEST DRIVER

AL ESPER GIVES JOE THE Safety Angles of the '49 FORD



IT'S THE BEST LOOKING CAR I'VE EVER SEEN

AND PLENTY SAFE TOO, JOE. LET ME SHOW YOU



AL: THE NEW FORD HAS "MAGIC ACTION" KING-SIZE BRAKES WHICH USE PART OF THE CAR'S FORWARD MOTION FOR EXTRA STOPPING POWER. THEY OPERATE 35% EASIER, JOE

JOE: MY MOTHER WILL LOVE THAT— ESPECIALLY IN TRAFFIC.



THE COMBINATION OF NEW LOW-HUNG BOX SECTION FRAME AND "LIFEGUARD" BODY OF HEAVY GAUGE STEEL IS ACTUALLY 59% MORE RIGID!

I GET IT—AND I'LL BET BODY RATTLES ARE A THING OF THE PAST!



AL: ANOTHER SAFETY POINT, JOE. THE WINDSHIELD IS BIGGER AND THE CORNER POSTS ARE NARROWER FOR INCREASED VISIBILITY. FRONT DOOR WINDOWS ARE BIGGER, TOO. THE REAR WINDOW IS ACTUALLY 88% BIGGER.

JOE: YOU DON'T HAVE TO CRANE YOUR NECK TO SEE WHAT'S COMING!



NOW NOTICE HOW THE PASSENGERS RIDE IN THE LOW-SLUNG "MID SHIP" SECTION YOU GET GREATER ROADABILITY AND MORE RIDING COMFORT

I CAN SEE THAT, ALL RIGHT. WHAT ABOUT THE SPRINGS?



NEW "HYDRA-COIL" FRONT SPRINGS AND NEW "PARA-FLEX" REAR SPRINGS HELP THE DRIVER TO CONTROL THE CAR BETTER ON ALL KINDS OF ROADS. LET'S TAKE A DRIVE

WONDERFUL!



In the new Ford all instruments are "Black Lighted" for safe no-glare night driving. For at-a-glance reading, these safety-lighted instruments are grouped in front of the driver

in one single compact cluster. The two-spoke steering wheel makes these instruments easier to read. And Ford's "Finger-Tip" Steering adds to driving ease and safety.

From HOW TO BE AN EXPERT DRIVER by Al Esper Published by Ford Motor Company, 1949

Thanks to Hoosier Views for this article

Ladies Daisy Page

At the August Meeting, Beth Schilling brought in a batch of very delicious "My Man" cookies. A number of members requested the recipe. We have included it in our Ladies Daisy Page.
Thanks Beth !



Here's what's cookin':
My Man Cookies

Serves: _____
350° (NOTABLE)
1 C. Shortening (USE CRISCO)

1 Egg
 $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. Salt
 $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. Baking Powder
 $\frac{1}{2}$ C. Shred. Coconut
1 C. Quick Oatmeal
 $\frac{1}{2}$ C. White sugar
 $\frac{1}{2}$ C. Brown "
 $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. Soda
1 tsp. Vanilla
 $\frac{1}{2}$ C. Chopped nuts
1 C. Flour

Recipe from the kitchen of:
Mom Ripley

Cream shortening and sugar; add well beaten egg. Add flour which has been sifted with bak. pw., soda, and salt. Blend in oatmeal, coconut, and nuts, and vanilla. Place on cookie sheet in small spoonfuls. Bake for 12 minutes.



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

September Birthdays

4	Pat Rooney
7	Richard Jandrey
13	Steve Kronen
16	Pat Hergenroeder, Ken Thomas
17	Carol Neidert



**September
 NO
 Meeting**

No Meeting This Month