

# “The Headliner”

Newsletter of the Northern Ohio Regional Group #20  
Early Ford V-8 Club of America  
Our 55<sup>th</sup> 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 Ford Folks,

I’m glad to say that summer time is just around the corner. now it is time to roll up your sleeves, dust the old girl off and get it ready for a summer of fun and things to do.

Seeing I was out of town for the last meeting this presidents message has all the details of upcoming events.

Sat. May 25<sup>th</sup>. club display at the Cleveland yacht club, 200 yacht club drive, rocky river, oh.44116. we will meet at Claudette's restaurant, 4499 Detroit rd., Westlake oh. at 10:00 for breakfast or an early lunch. for those that want to go straight to the yacht club meet there at 1:00. if you’re not bringing a display car you must park up the hill and a shuttle will bring you to the display of cars and boats. please bring a chair with you.

Sat. July 20<sup>th</sup> the club will hold a one day tour to Warren, Oh., to view the national Packard Museum, the Medici art museum to view the Norman Rockwell gallery of illustrations of his works regarding the boy scouts of America (it is said to the largest display of his boy scout illustrations in the country). from there we will have a lunch stop at Salvatore's Italian grill. this place comes highly recommended. all three stops are within a 5 mile radius. we will meet at the McDonald's rt. 306 and rt. 422 at 10:00 and leave at 10:30.

There has been a fair amount of time involved trying to put these two dates together. I am hoping that this club shows enough interest to make these two events worth while.

Let’s make this summer a memorable one. This is your club lets enjoy it.

Hope to see you all down the road and stay safe,

Jack



## Officers & Board 2024

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

### Directors

Rick Jandrey  
Steve Klein  
Steve Kronen  
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

### Website:

[www.norgv8club.org](http://www.norgv8club.org)

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Our May speaker is Laura Root who will discuss “Bulldog Bags”. “Bulldog Bags” is a program developed through the Stow-Monroe Falls School District to support needy children



## MINUTES FOR THE MEETING OF APRIL 19, 2024

Tonight's meeting did not go exactly as planned. President Jack Bukszar and Sharon were out of town, so vice president Frank Posar was scheduled to conduct the meeting. However, at the last minute, a situation developed that prevented Frank and Ginger from attending the meeting, so secretary Neal Garland (that's me) was next in line. I have to admit that I did not do the smoothest job of conducting the meeting, but with the help of numerous members who gently reminded me of things I forgot or skipped over we got through it all OK. The chairpersons of our various committees all reported that they were not having any problems.

Rick Jandrey introduced Chuck Loper, our speaker for this evening. Chuck has restored a number of high-end cars and is active in multiple different car clubs. He gave us a very personal and highly entertaining account of his "addiction" to the car hobby, including details on how he acquired some of his special vehicles. Thanks, Chuck, for a very interesting presentation.

Rick Jandrey moved that we adjourn. We did, at 8:50 pm.

**Neal Garland, Secretary**

### Special Request for our May Meeting

Beth Shilling is going to present our Northern Ohio Regional Groups annual donation to Ms. Laura Root from the Stow-Monroe School District in support of "Bull Dog Bags"

Beth requested that **everyone bring to the May meeting a toothbrush and a tube of toothpaste to donate to the Bulldog Bags organization.** It is the organization that the Stow police department recommended we support with our annual "thank you for the use of the meeting room" donation. Bulldog Bags provides meals and health care items for disadvantaged children during the summer months when school lunches and other services are not available

### Bulldog Bags

**Bulldog Bags, Inc.** is an all-volunteer-managed, community, non-profit business that was organized to address food insecurity in children in the Stow-Munroe Falls City School District.

**Bulldog Bags, Inc.** grew out of a movement by members of the Stow-Munroe Falls community, including school district and city officials, who recognized that some children in the SMFCSD did not have adequate meals on the weekend. **Bulldog Bags, Inc.** was incorporated and obtained its 501(c) (3) status in 2015 to seek to reduce hunger on weekends for students on the Federal Free and Reduced Lunch Program, or otherwise qualified, by providing the breakfasts and lunches on the weekend that they miss by not being in school. **Bulldog Bags, Inc.** is dependent on donations and , except for the cost of doing business (insurance, postage, post office box, paper), all funds are used to purchase items for the programs of Bulldog Bags, Inc.

### GOAL

To reduce food insecurity in children in the Stow-Munroe Falls City School District.

## 2024 Activities At A Glance



- **Friday May 17<sup>th</sup>** NORG Meeting Stow City Center 7:30
- **Saturday, May 18<sup>th</sup>** NORG Luncheon Southside Dinner, 10705 W Pleasant Valley Rd, Parma, OH 44130 Parma OH **More Information on page 5**
- **Saturday, May 25<sup>th</sup>** Cruise to Cleveland Yacht Club “Keels & Wheels” with Breakfast at 10:00 Claudette’s Restaurant 4499 Detroit Road Grille **More Information on page 6**
- **June : MEETING ROOM Closed. Looking for place to hold meeting**
- **Saturday, June 15<sup>th</sup>** Drive Your V-8 Day **More Information on Page 7**
- **June 17<sup>th</sup> ~ June 24<sup>th</sup>** Early Ford V-8 Club Central National Meet Auburn Indiana **For Information** on page 8 and <https://2024cnm.com/>
- **Thursday July 4<sup>th</sup>** Participate in City of Stow 4th Parade **More Information to follow**
- **Friday July 19<sup>th</sup>** NORG Meeting Stow City Center 7:30
- **Saturday, July 20<sup>th</sup>** Tour of Packard Museum and Medici Museum in Warren Ohio and lunch at Salvatore’s Italian Grille **More Information to follow**
- **Saturday August 10<sup>th</sup>** All Car Picnic at Dave & Nancy Collette’s Farm Portersville Pa. **More Information to follow**
- **Friday, August 16<sup>th</sup>** NORG Meeting Stow City Center 7:30
- **September 15<sup>th</sup> ~ September 20<sup>th</sup>** Early Ford V-8 Club Eastern National Meet Clayton New York **For Information:** <https://efordv8-59.org/>

### NORG MEMBERS

Your NORG Headliner depends upon contributions from members to be a successful.

Your photos and text on club activities, ladies hobbies and recipes, technical information, and information on your restoration are needed to keep your Newsletter refreshing.

Please send us anything, we can re-write if necessary.

## Thank You Ginger

A huge thank you to Ginger Posar for sending me ,to give to mom ,an Indians blanket that she had made.

What an unexpected, but much appreciated, surprise to receive a package in the mail from Ginger. She wrote a beautiful note that she was doing spring cleaning and came across this beautiful blanket that she had made. She thought of my mom and mom's enjoyment watching the Indians play baseball! Ginger remembered that my mom, Ann Dolyk, still calls the team Indians and not Guardians.

When I gave the present to mom, she was so happy to receive this unexpected gift. By the photo, you can see her pleasure. She immediately asked me to write a thank you to Ginger. Jay and I are blessed to have such a wonderful circle of friends within NORG and Nifty Fifties!

Go Tribe!

Jean and Jay Rounds



### **New Members Too Late To Be Added To 2024 Roster**

Paul & Sherry Ellsworth 4752 W. Streetsboro Road Richfield, OH 44286

Cell Phone: (330) 523-6654 E-Mail: [gntlmnfarm@msn.com](mailto:gntlmnfarm@msn.com)

*Please add to your Roster*



### **NORG COOKIE BAKERS 2024**



**February**

**Steve Klein** Thank You

**March**

**Sharon Bukszar** Thank You

**April**

**Mome/Neal Garland** Thank You

**May**

**Barb Rooney**

**July**

**Steve Kronen**

**August**

**Bonnie Sykes**

**September**

**Beth Schilling**

**October**

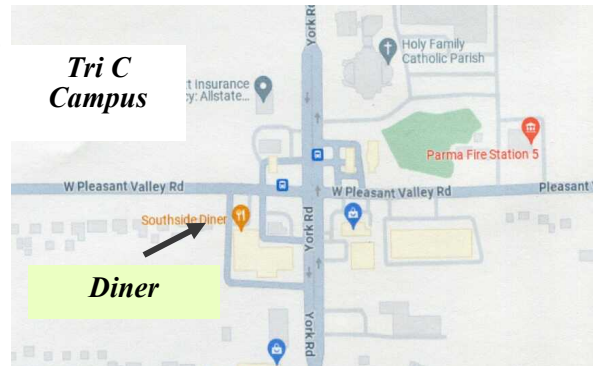
**Ginger Posar**

**November**

**Diane Francis**

**NORG May Luncheon  
Southside Diner  
10705 W Pleasant Valley Rd, Parma**

Our May lunch get-together will be held on Saturday, May 18, at the Southside Diner located at 10705 W. Pleasant Valley Road in Parma. The Diner is just West of York Road across from Tri-C. The phone number is 440-842-6888. Plan to arrive at 11:30 a.m. Bring an appetite and lots of bad jokes. **Hope to see you there**



**For Sale  
1940 Ford Sedan Delivery**

This vehicle belongs to a buddy of Pat Rooney.

He is asking \$29, 500 or a reasonable offer

If Interested, call Pat for more information at 216-389-6135



**For Sale  
1951 Ford Deluxe Sedan**

Neal Garland just received an e-mail from Jeremy Davies--the guy in London who bought Foster Buchtel's 1951 Ford. His wife died recently and he is in the process of reorganizing his life. Part of this process is that he is going to sell the '51. Please put a notice in the next newsletter to let members know the car is for sale. Anybody who might be interested can call me at 330-338-1510.



**NORG—Nifty Fifties Car Club Joint Social  
“Wheels & Keels”  
Cleveland Yacht Club  
Saturday May 25<sup>th</sup>**

This has always been a great event. In addition to a fantastic Car Show there will be numerous beautiful yachts on display. Our plan is to meet at 10:00 am for breakfast at Claudette’s Café & Deli 26485 Center Ridge Road in Westlake. After eating to drive to the Yacht Club located at 200 Yacht Club Drive in Rocky River

**What to Bring:** A chair and your preferred beverage

**Food and Beverages:** Available for purchase at the Yacht Club

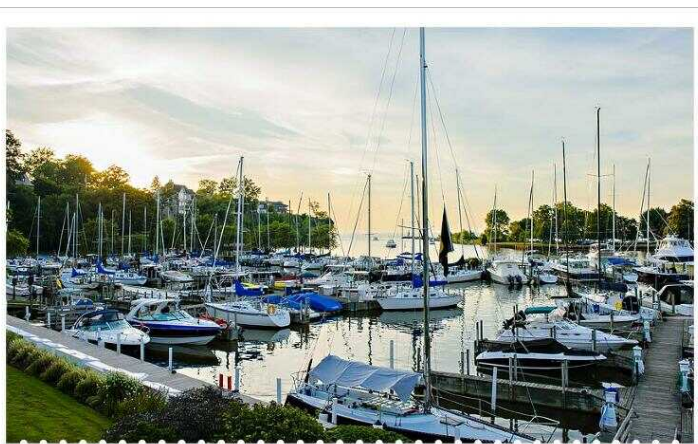
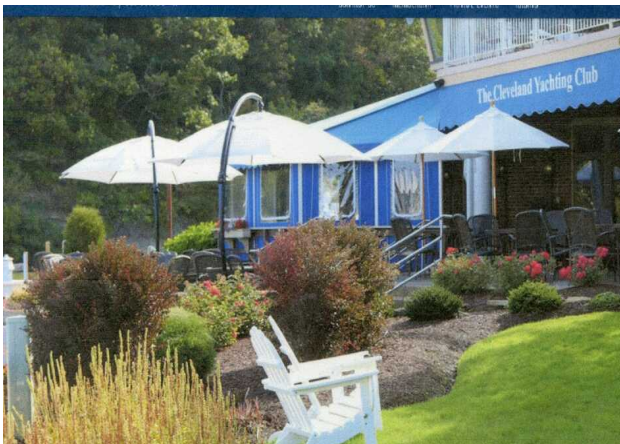
**Alternate Meeting Time:** For those who prefer to skip breakfast, you can join us directly at the Yacht Club at 1:00 pm.

This is always an enjoyable casual day filled with great company, beautiful views, and memorable moments

**Claudette’s Café & Deli 26485 Center Ridge Road**



**Cleveland Yacht Club**



## Drive Your V8 Day: Saturday, June 15th.

Drive Your V-8 Day is suggested by the Early Ford V-8 National Club. It is a day to have fun in your vintage vehicle and NORG has planned a charming daytrip to celebrate. Our plan is to stop for lunch at the famous **Skyway Drive-In** at 2781 West Market in Fairlawn.

**SkyWay Drive-In** is a 1950's style drive in restaurant. You pull in, put your headlights on and get served great food! Visit us at one of our locations for our famous burgers, homemade onion rings and milkshakes!

We recommend their Try the **Skyscraper burger** with their special sauce, and don't miss the fantastic onion rings! 🍔 🍟



Our second stop is just a short drive to **Country Maid Ice Cream**: 3252 W Streetsboro Rd, Richfield.

This old fashioned ice cream parlor that has been in business for over 50 years serves the a abundant selection of the most delicious ice cream cones, sundays, milkshakes and malted milkshakes that will please your most discriminating taste.

We recommend the large pecan covered turtle Sunday made with your selection of ice cream covered in hot chocolate and maple topping with pecans, whipped cream and a cherry on top.



There is an abundance of outside seating overlooking their orchards or you can eat in their comfortable parlor



You are invited to gather with your fellow  
Early Ford V-8 enthusiasts in Auburn, Indiana  
Home of the Early Ford V-8 Foundation Museum

The Early Ford V-8 Club of America  
Presents

[Tentative Meet Schedule](#)

[Hotel information](#)

Events to be held at the newly expanded Foundation Museum



- Meet Registration
- Trailer Parking
- Concourse
- And More

Registration Forms - Click on each form below to download  
You can print out the forms or fill them out on your computer, save them, and e-mail them to:  
[registration@2024cum.com](mailto:registration@2024cum.com)

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[Full set of registration forms](#)  
[Vehicle registration form](#) (included in full set)  
[Invitation to be a judge](#) (included in full set)

[Information Package](#) - includes meet schedule, description of meals, tours  
and merchandise, and more. Use this to help fill out registration forms.

*1992 Eastern National Meet  
Wooster Ohio*



## NORG Historical Events

*2011 Joint tour NORG and Northern Illinois (NIRG) RG*





*July Tour to Packard Museum and Much More  
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 Sat 9 a.m. to Noon

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***www.norgv8club.org***

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

**May Birthdays**

5	Rose Dawson
7	Virginia Herrmann
11	Craig Dawson
13	Frank Posar
14	Elaine Hlavacs
23	Michelle Bruening
25	Karen Mihalek
27	Josh Madden



**May Meeting**  
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**May 17<sup>th</sup>**  
**7:30**  
**Stow City**  
**Center**