



November 2015 FRONT SEAT NEWS

MODEL T FORD CLUB of NORTHWEST OHIO, INC.



Jim Ballmer, Pres.; Bruce Klepinger, Vice-Pres.; Jack Putnam, Treas.; Gary Nau, Sec/Ed.

NEXT MEETING: Saturday, **December 5th, 2015 - 6:00pm** at Lock Sixteen Steakhouse, 1950 Bellefontaine Road, Lima, OH.

Meeting called to order by President Jim Ballmer at Jack Putnam's garage with 18 members. Treasurer and Secretary Reports were given.

- A flyer for "Heritage Days in the Village" in Mount Blanchard Ohio on August 20, 2016 was passed around. This is replacing the Back Street Festival at the Museum
- Jack has the roster printed and asked members to review/update their entry.
- Jack will setup a date for the Lima Engine Plant tour. It will be during the work week (Monday through Friday) and will be in December.
- Christmas dinner will be Saturday December 5th, 6pm at the Lock Sixteen Steakhouse in Lima. **RSVP to Bob Torbet at 419-227-3305 by December 2nd.**
- Earl Peters brought a flyer in the for 2016 MTFCl Annual Meeting in Dearborn Michigan on January 28 - 30.

Jim Ballmer gave a presentation of interesting facts about Henry Ford and Thomas Edison.

Jack Putnam demonstrated different technics for repairing the Model T's front axle.

The club's website has a Member's Vehicle page. If you would like your car shown, send an electronic version of the picture to Gary Nau (naugary@yahoo.com) or bring the picture to the next meeting.

Remember that this club is dependent on its membership to make it work. Everyone is invited and encouraged to put forward your thoughts and ideas to make this the best Model T club in Ohio.

Respectfully submitted,

Gary Nau – Secretary

Web site: <http://www.nwo-modelt.org/>

I am looking for articles from members of projects they are working on, places they have been with their car, stories about their car, or anything you think the other members might find interesting. What you send me does not have to be print ready. Just a simple e-mail telling the story or supplying the details (with or without pictures) and I'll rewrite it into the newsletter format then send you a proof copy to read before it is published. If you have anything that you feel I could use in the newsletter please email it to naugary@yahoo.com or bring what you have to the next meeting.

A couple pictures from the meeting. Checking the alignment of a front axle.



Reaming the front spindle.

