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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: Wednesday, **September 3rd, 2014- 7:30pm** at Jack Putnam's shop 1215 Hancock Rd 28; Bluffton (fourth house east of Anderson Tractor Supply), Phone (419) 306-3966.

I was unable to attend the July meeting but was able to gleam this information.

17 members present.

Discussion centered on past events and tours.

Bob Torbet mentioned a possible upcoming tour to Indian Lake late September with a boat ride.

Jack displayed the Silver award for his '12 torpedo received at the MTFCI national tour in North Carolina.

Bob Torbert passed around pictures of a 1929 Model A roadster with rumble seat that he had purchased a few days before.

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.

The Hancock Historical Museum's Back Street Festival was held on Saturday August 16 with a good selection of vintage cars to see. The picture on the right is inside the new transportation building.

Below is Wayne Coffman with his 1912 Abbott. Other pictures are from the lineup on Sadusky Street.

Revolution War re-enactors were also on site.

High wheel bicycle riders were on hand to demonstrate that skill. The picture on the right is of Tim Lucius and a replica of Henry Ford's first engine he has made. Tim is only 15 year's old and is from the New Riegel area.