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2019 Southside A's Club Events

June 1	Summer Social at the Besch's
June 22	Sprewell Bluff Park - picnic lunch
August 17	Moonlight Tour - TBD
September 13-15	Dick & Jane Tour - Columbus, GA
September 14	Int'l Model A Day - Tour TBD
September 28	Dinner & a Movie, the Huey's
October 17-20	CAMAFC - Sweet Home Alabama, Gulf Shores, AL
November 2	Business Meeting, Frank's at the Old Mill for lunch
Nov. 30-Dec. 1	Madison Christmas Tour of Homes

2019 Events of Interest

June 14-15	CAMAFC - Model A Ford Parts Swap Meet, Shorter, AL (info inside...)
August 4-10	MARC Nat'l Meet, Dearborn MI
September 21	Model A Day at the Museum
October 7-11	MAFCA National Tour, Canyonlands.
November 22-24	Moultrie Swap Meet

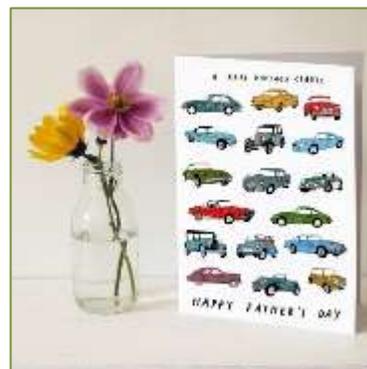
Editor's Note:

Happy Father's Day month...We kick off Summer with our annual Social at Ray & Teri Besch's. Food and fun will be the order of the day. Then we have a chance to tour the KIA Plant in West Lake on June 11. See inside for info.

If you need parts for your "A" consider the Alabama Club's Swap Meet, June 14-15, in Shorter, AL.

We'll also have a tour and picnic at Sprewell State Park. In other words, lots of opportunities to enjoy our Model A's in all sorts of ways. Enjoy, and stay COOL!

—Gwyneth



Happy Birthday!

10th – Sally Jones
13th – Paul Beeghly
20th – Ray Crisp
26th – Drena Miller
27th – Teri Besch
27th – Deborah Pelham
30th – Don Filippone



Happy Anniversary!

14th - Ray & Teri Besch
14th – Sean & Lori Hobbs
17th - Marshall & Marilyn Corley
18th - Benny & Pam Bohanan
18th - Johnnie & Wyvonne Hobbs
22nd - Tom & Betty Miller
25th - Jack & Drena Miller
25th - Don & Arlene Filippone
30th - Jimmy & Alice Parks



Notes from Our Director

Wow! It got hot fast this past month but we still had a great month with another informative technical meeting at the Romine's. We had some members attend the National Tour in Elkins, WV and eleven cars attended this year's Memorial Day Parade in Senoia. I was able to take a ride with my oldest daughter up to Asheville in my Roadster for a long weekend to see the Biltmore and other interesting sites. We also ran into Jason and Tina Carne at Black Mountain.

This coming month we will enjoy another Summer Social that the Besch's home this Saturday, June 1st. Terry Akins and Pat Tyler are working on an exclusive tour of the Kia plant in LaGrange on June 11th. We have some mystery tours planned, so make certain you pay close attention to you emails as these may be short notice depending on the weather. June 22nd, Barbara and Charlie Biggs are hosting a picnic tour to Sprewell Bluff Park for a one day outing. Mark your calendars for this one, you won't want to miss this tour.

Tina Carne has set up a Southside A's Facebook page, if you haven't joined it make sure you go out and "like" and follow the page. We will be putting up interesting stories associated with the hobby. It will be just another way for us to reach out to our members and others concerning our club activities. Interesting articles on Model A's are always welcomed to be posted there.

I hope to see each and every one of you at least once this coming month. Let's start at Ray and Teri's home at the Summer Social!

See you down the road!

~Jim



It's that time of year again!!

ICE CREAM NIGHTS!

Thursdays, 7:00 pm

(come earlier for dinner.....) ...and every Thursday 'till Fall.

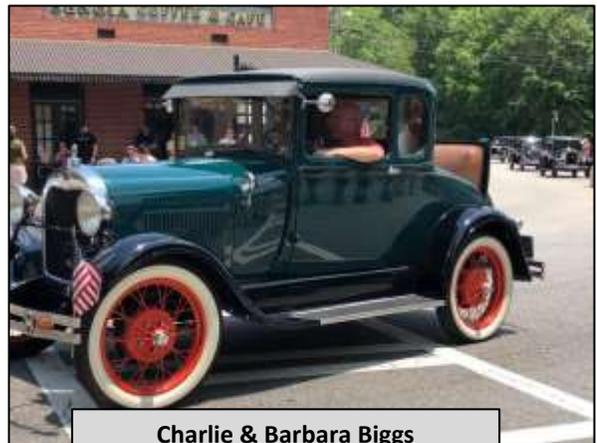
Bring you're A and we'll see you there!





14TH ANNUAL SENOIA MEMORIAL DAY PARADE

May 27th, Memorial Day the Southside A's were represented well at the Senoia, Ga. parade. 11 cars participated in celebration of those fallen that gave their last full measure for their country. Here are a few highlights from the event.



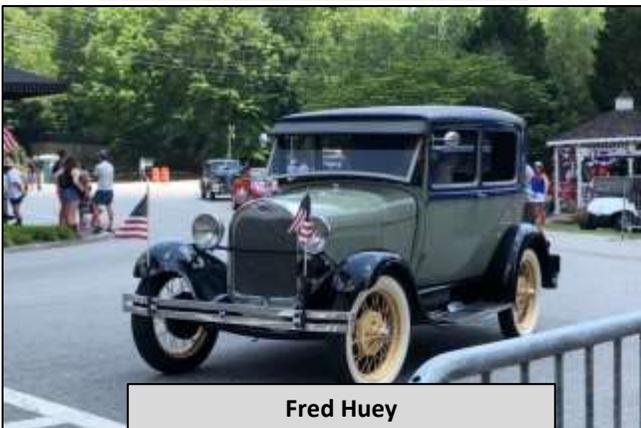
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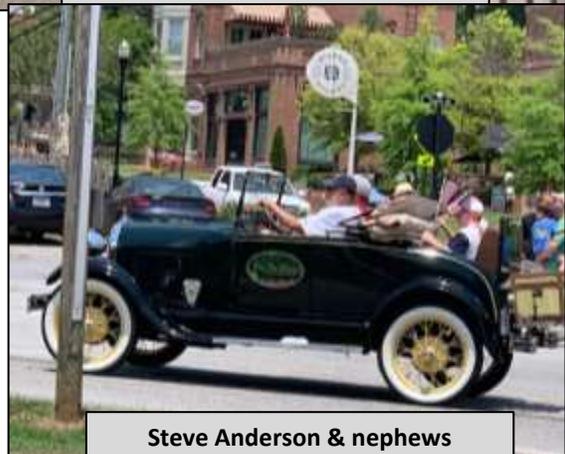
Bob Simpson



Dick & Pam Carne



Fred Huey



Steve Anderson & nephews



Jason & Tina Carne, and Gary



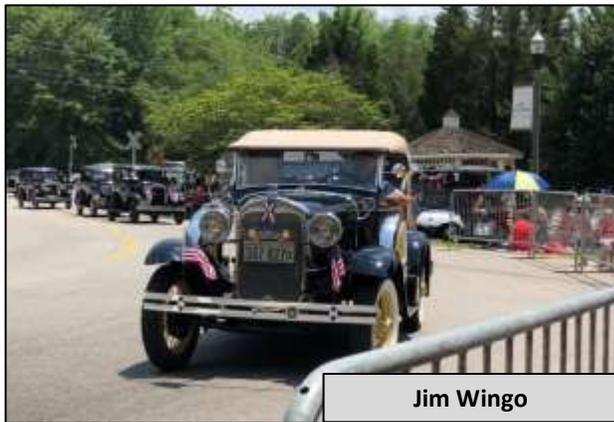
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Jim Wingo



Jim Wingo takes a Selfie!

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KIA Assembly Plant Tour – Tuesday, June 11.

This is a neat opportunity to tour the KIA Assembly Plant in West Point, GA; a fascinating operation. Terry Atkins has arranged this for us, and Pat Tyler is making reservations for an early lunch at The Lemon Tree in

LaGrange. The tour can accommodate 30 people, and we still have some spaces left after our initial information went out by email recently.

RSVP (if you haven't already) as soon as you can. Terry: twa2@charter.net or Gwyneth: gwynshot@aol.com

Lunch: 11:00 AM, Lemon Tree, 204 Morgan St., LaGrange

Tour: 1:00 PM

Information for caravanning to LaGrange will go out shortly.

The one strict rule for the tour is that everyone must wear long pants and close-toed shoes.



Sprewell Bluff, Thomaston, GA

June 22, 2019

We're pleased to have Charlie Biggs organizing a lovely day for us, in the tranquil setting of Sprewell Bluff State Park, along the Flint River. This is a one-day tour that will take us to the park for a **"Bring-your-own" picnic lunch. (Don't forget beverages!)** Charlie has reserved a pavilion for the club, complete with picnic tables, and grills for any ambitious chefs.

Feel free to bring a Frisbee, your baseball mitt and ball, a hoola-hoop, or other whacky gems, if you'd like to show off your athletic prowess....or just a hammock to string to a tree.

DATE: Saturday, June 22

TIME: 10:00 AM for a 10:15-10:30 departure.

PLACE: Flash Foods, corner of GA Hwy 16 and GA 85 in Senoia (one of our usual places)

****COST:** \$5.00/per car, entrance fee for the park.

R.S.V.P.: Charlie Biggs: 470-216-6806 or cbhandyman1948@yahoo.com So we know to wait for you!



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on the website each month. Simply go to the website and click the link under the current Newsletter on the home page, or [click here](#).

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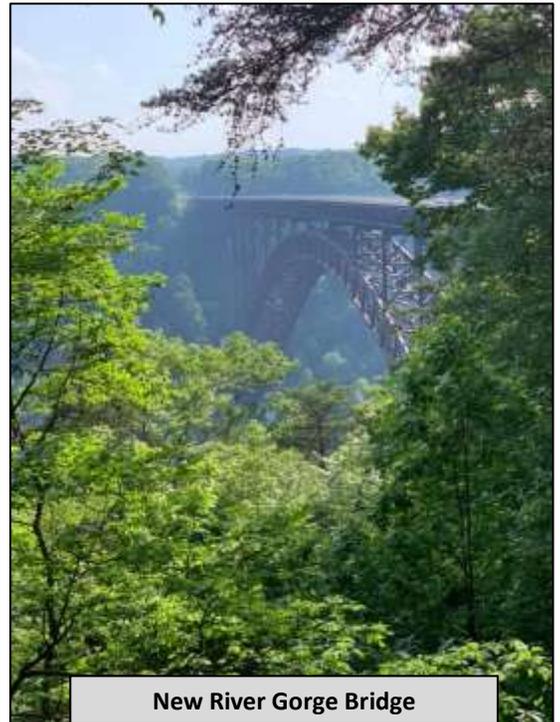
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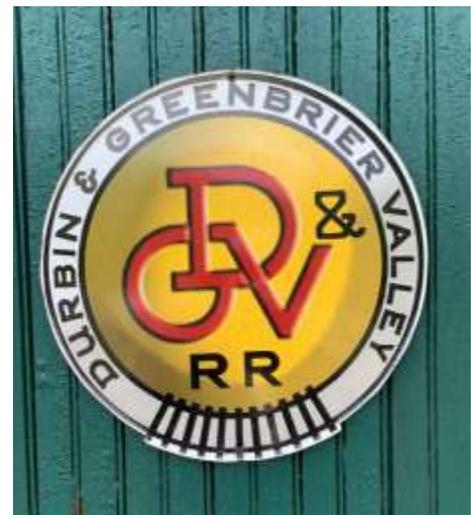
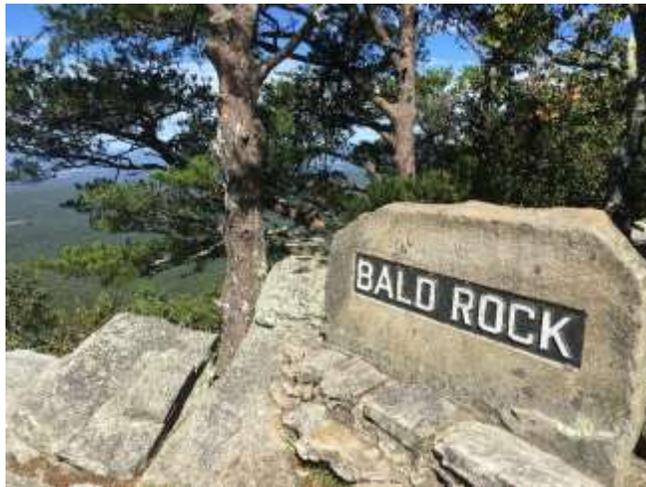
MARC National Tour, Elkins, WVA

Pictures and text from Jim Wingo and Teri Besch

A few members traveled to Elkins, WV to the MARC National Tour. Mark & Marilyn Corley; Tom and Betty Miller; Jim and Mike Wingo made their way to join nearly 200 other Model A's. We appreciated the Mountaineer hospitality and the beautiful state of West Virginia. The Greenbrier Resort, Black Water Falls, The Cass Railway, Droop Mountain Battlefield and the Weston Lunatic Asylum were just a few of the new and interesting places visited.



New River Gorge Bridge



(more pictures, next page.....)



Teri & Ray Besch



Mike & Jim Wingo



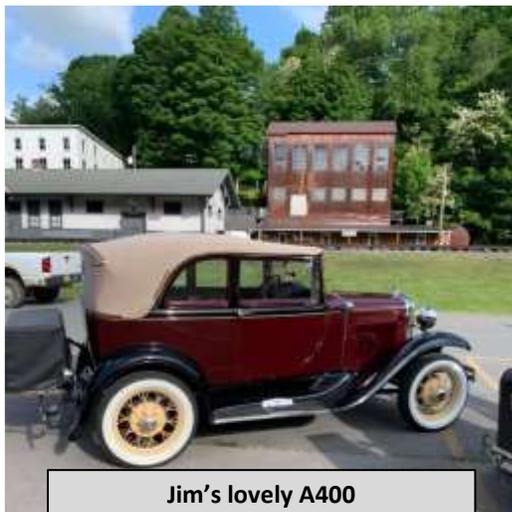
Tom & Betty Miller



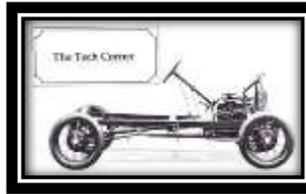
Mark & Marilyn Corley



Tom Miller & Ray Besch
(note Chicken of Shame!)



Jim's lovely A400



The Tech Corner

On May 11, Tom Romine, our resident Tech Guru, held a tech meet at his home that was well attended, as all his meets tend to be. He gets great reviews from attendees, and we're fortunate to have him share his expertise.

Per Tom: The topic was the assembly of the Rear Brake Backing Plate. As we disassembled it back in February, we had everyone come help me remember how to put this thing back together. Duh, you know, a little age seems to go against us. What we set up, in a nutshell, was the modification (I recommend), the riveting of the brake track and checking of the bushings for proper brake assembly.

The photos will give you an idea of what we were all about. And afterwards, of course, we enjoyed a hearty and delicious lunch.



“To do more for the world than the world does for you – that is success.”

--Henry Ford



MAFFI - June 2019

What’s new at the Museum?



The Museum is always striving to keep our exhibits new and exciting but also educational. We recently received a car donation of a 1930 Coupe from the Frank Corey Estate, although beautifully restored, it was a duplicate of one already on display. We wanted to use this car

in some capacity so it was decided to create a “Service Bay” Display near our Part’s Department. Linda Morford, our fashion coordinator, found a mannequin that would bend at the waist, a service coat was donated by Erik Kellner, and now our new display is complete! Make plans today to attend Model A Day, September 21, 2019 to see this and other great displays at the Museum.

Your membership dollars to MAFFI helps keep our Museum what it is today, the most toured of all the museums at the Gilmore Complex. *Thank you for your continued support through membership, the purchase of memorial bricks and donations.*



Treasurer’s Report

Balance as of March 31, 2019:	\$5,137.87
Deposits: Chattanooga registrations; 2019 dues.	\$580.29
Expenses: Chattanooga restaurants.	(\$2,384.19)
Balance as of April 30, 2019:	\$3,333.97





***2019 (not necessarily annual)
Fun with Dick and Jane Tour
September 13-15, 2019***

This year's "Fun with Dick and Jane Tour" is scheduled for Friday, September 13th, and Saturday, September 14th, and will take us to the Columbus, Georgia area. We will be staying at the Marriott Hotel located at 800 Front Avenue in Columbus, Georgia, where we have reserved a total of thirty-five (35) rooms for this occasion. To make reservations, please contact them directly at (706) 324-1800, or (800) 613-4349. Use of the "Group Code Name" of "Fun with Dick and Jane Tour**" will ensure that you receive the benefit of our group room rate of \$129/night plus tax. Check-in time is 3:00 p.m. and departure time is 12:00 noon. Our room block expires on August 19th, after which time any unclaimed rooms will be placed back into inventory, and will be available to the general public on a first-come, first-served basis, so please don't delay in making an early room reservation(s). Trailer parking will be available at the Hotel in its rear and/or side parking lot.**

Highlights of the tour include:

Talbotton, GA: Site of the first female-owned Ford Dealership. See how cars made it to the second level service department – on an automobile elevator.

Columbus, GA: --Lunch at Minnie's Uptown Restaurant bordering Columbus' Historical District.

- The National Civil War Naval Museum, with intriguing tour of the site with a costumed docent.
- "Murder Mystery" Dinner, Sherlock Theatre.
- Historic Westville – completely restored and re-located to the outskirts of Columbus
- National Infantry Museum

Note: Complete information and registration forms were sent via email to past participants recently; the membership will receive the same shortly. In addition, next month's Newsletter will contain complete information and registration form. But don't delay. If you'd like to attend this tour that promises to be spectacular, make your hotel reservations today! Complete your registration form and send it in, too.

NATIONAL TOURS, 2019

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