



# 1903-1909 EARLY FORD REGISTRY



## Member Announcements

October 17, 2014

### *Board of Directors Nominations*

Each member serves three years. No travel is required. There are usually several optional face-to-face meetings each year - typically:

- Pre-War Swap Meet in Chickasha, OK in March
- New London New Brighton Run, MN in August
- Hershey Car Show/Swap Meet, PA in October

However, attending any of these activities is NOT required. Our By-Laws are written to allow electronic meetings.

There are three Board members with terms completing this year. They are:

- John W. Biggs, President
- John Grace
- Rob Heyen, Vice President

We must have a total of five candidates for the election. The current board serves as the nominating committee.

Please let any member of the board know if you want to be considered. If you know a member who you think would make a good candidate, please let any member of the board know. We have been fortunate in having excellent Board Members with diverse interests and from different area of the world serve our members.

The only requirement to be a Board Member is the person must be a current member of the 1903-1909 Early Ford Register, Inc. They do not need to own an automobile built at the Piquette Ford plant.

The election will be held in November when ballots and dues notices are mailed to current members. A postage paid return envelope is included with the mailing to all members in the USA. Overseas members vote by email.

If you have any questions about nominations or the election, please call or Email any Director listed below.

### *Important Dates to Remember*

**November 2nd, 2014: London to Brighton Veteran Car Run**  
Activities from October 30 thru November 2nd. Details on the web: [www.veterancarrun.com](http://www.veterancarrun.com)

**March 8-12, 2015: Gainesville, FL.** The Tin Lizzie Club of North Central Florida is hosting the **2015 Model T Ford Winter Tour**. Registration forms can be found at [www.tinlizziefl.com](http://www.tinlizziefl.com) or contact Steve Ellis at [ellis-1@embarqmail.com](mailto:ellis-1@embarqmail.com) or call 352.207.1498 with questions.

**March 19-20, 2015, The 25<sup>th</sup> Annual National Pre-War Swap Meet** at Chickasha, OK. Get complete information at website [www.pwsm.com](http://www.pwsm.com) or call Mike or Susie Ersland at 405.224.9090.

**August 1-3, 2015 – The EFR 2015 International Tour at Paynesville, MN.** We are touring again in the Paynesville area for several reasons. The area has excellent roads, easy to drive, and a very nice Motel facility. More details will be available in the Spring, but make your reservation at Paynesville Inn & Suites now – call Peggy at 320.243.4146. Want more now, contact Rob Heyen at 402.643.0235 [rob4holly@hotmail.com](mailto:rob4holly@hotmail.com)

## *The 1903-1909 Early Ford Registry, Inc. Board of Directors*

**John W. Biggs**, 2012-2014  
**Richard Emery**, 2013-2015  
**John Grace**, 2012-2014  
**Rob Heyen**, 2012-2014  
**Rick Lindner**, 2014-2016, just re-elected  
**Paul Mikeska**, 2013-2015  
**Ned Protexter**, 2014-2016, new on the Board this year  
**Dave Shadduck**, 2014-2016, new on the Board this year  
**Jerry VanOoteghem**, 2013-2015



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We are a 501(c)3 Non-profit tax-exempt educational corporation. This means you may make tax deductible donations of material and money to us and receive a receipt letter which may be used to itemize your Income Tax. The corporate office is 2895 Bluffton Road, Decorah, Iowa 52101-7802. The web page is [www.EarlyFordRegistry.com](http://www.EarlyFordRegistry.com) The Webmaster's Email address is [Webmaster@EarlyFordRegistry.com](mailto:Webmaster@EarlyFordRegistry.com). The 1903-1909 Early Ford Registry, Inc. is not responsible for any incorrect technical information contained herein. The opinions expressed in this newsletter are those of the authors and are not necessarily those of the editor or EFR.

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Our web page is [www.EarlyFordRegistry.com](http://www.EarlyFordRegistry.com) You may read or download a brochure about our group here – [www.EarlyFordRegistry.com/about1.htm](http://www.EarlyFordRegistry.com/about1.htm)

## *Important Dates to Remember*

**August 5-8, 2015 – The New London New Brighton tour.** Warm-up tours Wednesday thru Friday. The **Grand Run** will be on Saturday, August 8<sup>th</sup>, 2015. The Grand Run is about 120 miles from New London, MN to New Brighton, MN. For complete rules see the website [www.AntiqueCarRun.org](http://www.AntiqueCarRun.org)

**October 7-10, 2015 – AACA Eastern Division National Fall Swap Meet**, Hershey, PA. We will have a Hershey Meet & Greet with time and place to be announced later.