



1903-1909 EARLY FORD REGISTRY



Member Announcements

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Website Users Forum

by Dave Dunlavy, EFR 41

Users Forum Re-Registration

During cleanup maintenance, the Users Forum was deleted. When we tried to restore from the GoDaddy backup, we discovered the backups had been going into the unknown.

We have now started the forum with an updated version of the software. I certainly apologize for this loss of data and have changed the backup procedure.

The screenshot shows the phpBB forum interface. At the top, it says 'phpBB The 1903-1909 Early Ford Registry, Inc. A place to talk Early Fords'. There is a search bar and navigation links for 'Quick links', 'FAQ', 'ACP', and 'MCP'. The forum title is 'Early Ford Registry Forum' with a description: 'Post anything you want pertaining to 1903-1909 Fords here. You may place wanted or selling ads here.' The forum statistics show 2 topics and 4 posts. The last post is by 'ddunlavy' with the subject 'Re: I think we're ready to pl...' dated 'Sat Jun 06, 2015 12:26 pm'. Below the forum listing, there are sections for 'WHO IS ONLINE', 'BIRTHDAYS', and 'STATISTICS'. The statistics show 'Total posts 10 • Total topics 3 • Total members 3 • Our newest member cudaman'.

You DO NOT need to register to read the messages. You Do NOT need to be an EFR member to use the Forum.

Looking for a Volunteer

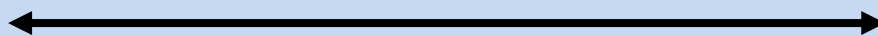
If you have some computer skill, especially with Web operations, it would be a great safety net to our organization to have a person who could assist with the running of our Web Operations. We have an award winning site and it would be wise to have a person who could take over or assist with its maintenance. Please contact Dave to discuss this - (dave@dunlavy.us or 563.387.3736).

It's Summer - Let's Have Some Fun

We hope to see you at some of the Swap Meets, Tours and Events this year. Stay Safe.

Dave Dunlavy

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Important Dates to Remember

March 19-20, 2015, *The 25th Annual National Pre-War Swap Meet* at Chickasha, OK. The meet has the largest selection of brass era parts anywhere. It is limited to automobiles, parts, transportation items pre-1945. There is plenty of free parking, and admission is free. Get complete information at website www.pwsm.com or call Mike or Susie Erslund 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 or rob4holly@hotmail.com

August 5-8, 2015 – *The New London New Brighton tour.* Warm-up tours Wednesday thru Friday. The **Grand Run** will be on Saturday, August 8th, 2015. All vehicles from 1908 or earlier, or any 1 or 2 cylinder vehicles up to 1915 are eligible to participate in the New London to New Brighton Antique Car Run. This includes bikes, motorcycles, steam and electric cars as well. The Grand Run is about 120 miles from New London, MN to New Brighton, MN. For complete rules see the website www.AntiqueCarRun.org

September 10th & 11th, Thursday & Friday 2015: *Lansing to Dearborn Run* for early small horsepower vehicles co-hosted by the Snapper's Brass & Gas Touring Region AACA and the Southern Michigan Motorist Regional Group HCCA & the Northwest Chapter Steam Automobile Club. **John Grace**, 36523 Rolf St, Westland, MI 48186 phone 734.467.7802 jfgrace@peoplepc.com

September 12th & 13th, Saturday & Sunday 2015: Dearborn, MI - *Old Car Festival at The Henry Ford* for pre-1932 vehicles. Go to www.thehenryford.org for more information. Contact: Abby Boggs, 313-982-6058 or participantinfo@thehenryford.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.

The 1903-1909 Early Ford Registry, Inc. (EFR) is a Chapter of The Model T Ford Club of America (MTFCA) and an Affiliated Register of the Horseless Carriage Club of America (HCCA). You must be a member of the Horseless Carriage Club of America and we encourage membership in the Model T Ford Club of America. We welcome anyone with an interest in Ford automobiles manufactured from 1903 through 1909 (those were generally manufactured in the first manufacturing plant that Ford Motor Company built, the Piquette Plant). You do not need to own a car of this vintage to be a member of the EFR. Annual membership dues: \$15 US to receive Newsletters by email - \$50 US to receive Newsletters by USPO in the USA.

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