

1903-1909 EARLY FORD REGISTRY



Member Announcements

August 23, 2018

Paynesville and NLNB Tours were great success!

By now you have probably read **Rick Lindner** and **Bruce Van Sloun's** article about the Minnesota tours in the Fall Newsletter. The number of Ford's completing the **NLNB Grand Run** is impressive. Our participating members know what they are doing and will certainly look forward to your participation.

Bruce sent me an email, "Now that this year's Paynesville and New London to New Brighton have been completed, it's time to start planning for next year. I can tell you that the NL- NB board is already meeting for next year's event. What the EFR really needs is for YOU to participate! There are really only a couple of reasons, pie and ice cream, libations, it's a wonderful opportunity to hang with other EFR nut cases, AND WE NEED TO PUT THOSE INFERNAL MAXWELLS IN THEIR PLACE!! So plan on getting your Early Ford tour ready or



your Early Ford project bolted together and start making plans to be in Central Minnesota next year!"

Good Luck and keep us posted.

Eugene Kristoffy Memorial Library is alive

The area where anyone may go to research and observe items has some items already. Included are a few pictures and Gene's obituary.

Any member whose dues are current may login and research, download items of interest from the **Members Area**. The material is now being cataloged, scanned and digitized. We will add material as it becomes available so you will have access bit by bit. We will keep you posted about this project and let you know when new material becomes available

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Important Dates to Remember

September 6th & 7th, 2018: Annual 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 8th & 9th, 2018: Old Car Festival, The Henry Ford features a Century of Factory-Built Pick-up Trucks this year. Registration is not closed but you can still attend the Friday night mixer, historic vignettes from every decade, family activities, pass-in review, unusual and rare vehicle collections, Saturday night music and dancing.

October 9th thru 13th, 2018: AACA National Fall Meet, Hershey, PA. Visit the HCCA Booth at RWO 30.

February 15th thru 21st, 2019: HCCA National Convention, Tampa, Florida, Havana Adventure, for only \$899 per person double occupancy for inside cabin, all meals (except dinner first night), all transportation, Cuban VISA, Cuban shore excursion, Social gathering onboard ship, Tours and entry fees, final dinner and awards. You will likely need to book 2 nights stay at the host hotel for the start (2/15) and the finish (2/21), Holiday Inn Tampa Westshore.

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Information about the Horseless Carriage Club - How to Join.

Any person interested may join the Horseless Carriage Club. Annual dues are \$45.00 for US members, \$55.00 for members outside the USA. Membership includes six issues of the Horseless Carriage Gazette. You can contact the HCCA Office by writing: HCCA, 1301 N Manship PL, Meridian ID 83642. Telephone: 626.287.4222. E-mail office@hcca.org. Website is www.hcca.org