

MARK YOUR
CALENDARS!

CLUB EVENTS
(TENTATIVE)

FOR 2010

- April 18
Annual Dust-Off Run
- April 21, Board Meeting
Bill King's
- May 15 & 16
Overnight Tour
Bill King & David Reed
- June 13, 2010
Picnic on the Lawn
Bill King
- July, date TBA
- August, date TBA
Meadow Ridge Picnic
Barbara Herman
- September 11
Annual Fall Meet
- October 17
Fall Foliage Tour
- November, date TBA
Annual Frostbite Run
- December 5
Christmas Luncheon

Note:
**The Model A
Club is invited
to all activities!!!**

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March 18, 2010

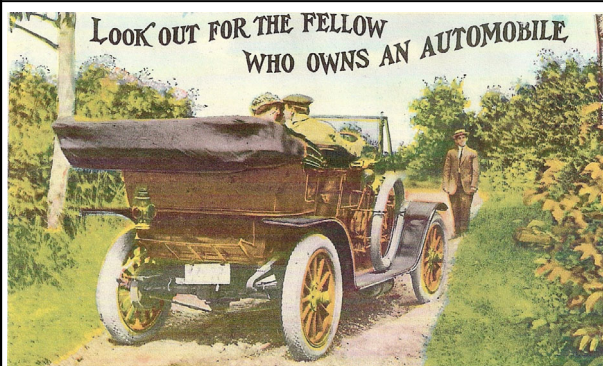
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2009 Annual Meeting and Christmas Luncheon

On December 6th, 2009, 40 members and guests met at Tambascio's Italian Grill, for the Annual Christmas Luncheon and Meeting. The weather was great and there were no concerns for snow. We all enjoyed a wonderful family style dinner with many choices.

We'd like to extend a very special Thank You to David Reed who provided us with a viewing of footage from the "Antique Auto Derby" on July 25, 1942. It was put on by the Veteran Motor Car Club of America at the Fairfield County Hunt Club in Westport, CT. What a treat!

The meeting ended with the introduction of board members and their re-election to the Board. The Board will appoint the officers at the first board meeting.



Thank you to Travis and Priscilla Hopkins for this wonderful old postcard!

April 18th, Annual Dust-Off Run!

Details are not final, but mark your calendars anyway for our annual Dust-Off Run coming up Sunday April 18th!

Annual Dues Reminder

If you see a red dot on the outside of your newsletter near your name and address, this is a reminder that your membership is not current. Please send a check for \$30 payable to Fairfield County Region HCCA/AACA and mail to:

Kaye Gill
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Thanks!!!!





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Advice

*Since our Dust-Off Run is just around the corner, here's some practical advice from the **Dyke's Automobile and Gasoline Engine Encyclopedia**:*

*Polishing body, removing rain spots and grease: A much recommended polish is made by mixing the following ingredients; turpentine 1 gallon, paraffine oil 1 pint, oil of citronella 3-1/2 ounces, oil of cedar 1-1/2 ounces. This should be applied after the car is washed and dried. Apply this with soft, clean cotton waste and rub dry with a clean flannel cloth.

*Metal and glass polish: Mix one part wheat flour, five parts of dry powdered fire or potter's clay, and used with a damp woolen cloth. This will be found the finest polish ever used, and is cheap. It can't be beaten for cleaning fly specks, grease, paint and other stains from glass and metal.

*All vehicles must be driven in a careful manner with due regard for other vehicles and persons. If overtaking another vehicle, pass it on its left side (except street cars); in meeting another vehicle, pass it to the right; keep to the right side of the street.

*Drivers of horses must have reins in hands at all times; if walking, must keep within reach of bridle.

*The flashy driver, who makes quick turns and sudden stops, attracts attention, but ruins the car.

Boothe Memorial Park & Museum's First Annual Antique & Classic Car Show, May 16th

Thank you to Gwen Ackley for providing information on this event!

The Friends of Boothe Memorial Park in Stratford will be hosting the Park's Opening Day on Sunday, May 16, with a car show presented by the Connecticut Seaport Car Club and the Eastern Packard Club, Inc. Boothe Memorial Park sits on an idyllic, 32 acre site located in the north end of Stratford by the Housatonic River. All 20 buildings in the Park will be open from 1-4 pm, are free to the public, and many will be manned by knowledgeable tour guides.

For this first car show, all Show Vehicles will be welcome, with no cut-off year. Dash plaques and goodie bags will be given to the first 200 registrants upon their arrival. Trophies will be determined by ballot voting. Personal Touch Catering at Murphy's Law in Bridgeport will serve grilled food and sandwiches at reasonable prices. Facilities at the Park include plenty of picnic areas, a new handicapped accessible playground, and restrooms.

For information and to pre-register Show Cars for only \$10, contact Rich Iannucci at 203-610-3330 or go to CTSeaportcarclub.com. You may also email at info@ctseaportcarclub.com. The car show is free to the public and open from 9:00 am to about 4:00 pm. In the event of rain only the car show will be rescheduled to the following Sunday, May 23.



Happy Motoring!!!