



MMOCC Newsletter –

AUGUST 2023

*Mid Mo Old Car Club
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WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Memorial Name: REX WHITTON EXPRESSWAY (Ironically, the Expressway has Five Stoplights)

Year Established: August 16, 1961

Travelway: US 50 from .057 mile(s) after DIX RD S to .057 mile(s) after CLARK AVE E

Rex M. Whitton, of Jackson County, Missouri, was the Chief Engineer of the Missouri State Highway Department and Federal Highway Administrator under presidents John F. Kennedy and Lyndon B. Johnson. Rex M. Whitton was born on August 7, 1898, in Jackson County, Missouri. He graduated from the University of Missouri in 1920 with a bachelor's degree in civil engineering. He began his forty year career with the Missouri State Highway Department May 1, 1920, as a member of a survey party. Whitton held various positions with the department until his appointment as Chief Engineer on July 23, 1951. Whitton was nominated by President Kennedy to the post of Federal Highway Administrator of the U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Public Roads, in 1961, and he served in this capacity until 1966. During those years he was responsible for major highway activities. Principal among these were the programs of federal highway aid to the states which provided for the construction of the National System of Interstate and Defense Highways and for the improvement of the main highways, secondary roads, and urban arterials included in the federal-aid road systems. Rex M. Whitton died on July 7, 1981.

Memorial Name: C.F. "RED" WHALEY FREEWAY

Year Established: June 1, 1990

Travelway: US 54 from .129 mile(s) after RP US54E TO MO179N N to .172 mile(s) before CST MOKANE RD E

The Honorable C. Forrest "Red" Whaley of Jefferson City, Missouri. He was the former mayor of Jefferson City. Red Whaley was born August 19, 1909, in Callaway County, Missouri. He

was a life long resident of Central Missouri and a graduate of Fulton High School and Westminster College. A registered pharmacist for over 66 years, Mr. Whaley moved to Jefferson City in 1933 where he worked at Tanner Drug Store for ten years. In 1943, he purchased East End Drug Store, and he later opened Whaley's Medical Center Pharmacy in 1974. Mr. Whaley served as mayor of Jefferson City, Missouri, from 1959 until 1963. He was a member of the Jefferson City Park Board, and he was very active on several civic committees, including efforts to ensure passage of important school bond and industrial bond issues. Mr. Whaley was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, where he served as an elder and a deacon. He was a past president of the Jefferson City Lions Club and the 1995 president of the Jefferson City Area Chamber of Commerce. He was a member of the original board of directors at Jefferson Bank.

Memorial Name: HSPD SGT BRYAN HOLOHAN MEMORIAL HIGHWAY

Year Established: July 23, 2014

Travelway: US 54 Holts Summit from .723 mile(s) before RP US54E TO CENTER ST E to .27 mile(s) before RP US54E TO RTAA E

Sgt. Bryan Holohan served with the Holts Summit Police Department from January 2002 until declining health forced him to step down in July 2007. He continued to serve as police clerk until late 2009 and passed away the following year at age 36. Holts Summit Police Chief Kyle McIntyre said Holohan was very thorough as a sergeant, normally reading reports three times before he submitted them. He said Holohan was dedicated to helping out the community, even kissing a pig on the roof of the Bee Line snack shop after Holts Summit police raised \$1,000 for Special Olympics.

Memorial Name: TROOPER DENNIS H. MARRIOTT MEMORIAL HIGHWAY

Year Established: August 28, 2004

Travelway: US 54 from .084 mile(s) before PVT ROCKPORT HILLS RD S to .129 mile(s) after RP US54E TO MO179N N

Trooper Dennis H. Marriott died June 13, 1981, from injuries suffered on June 1, 1981, when he was struck by a vehicle. He had exited his patrol car for a traffic stop. The traffic crash occurred on U.S. Highway 54 south in Jefferson City, Missouri, in Cole County. Tpr. Marriott died from his injuries at the University Hospital almost two weeks after the incident. The vehicle that hit Tpr. Marriott stopped momentarily after the incident and then left the scene. The vehicle was stopped a few minutes later by the Jefferson City Police Department and the female driver, Mary Ann Holzer, was found to be intoxicated and was arrested. The driver later pled guilty and was sentenced to 10 years in prison on a charge of manslaughter. Trooper Dennis H. Marriott, 36, was the 11th uniformed member of this agency to lose his life in the line of duty. He was survived by his wife and four children.

MMOCC MEMBER AND SCHOLARSHIP WINNER UPDATE

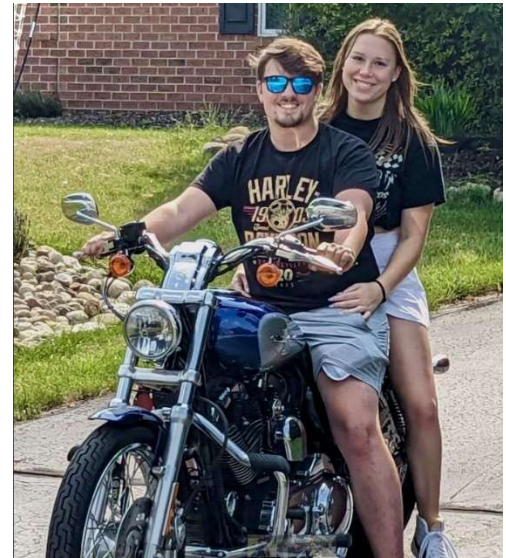
Nikolai Careaga



I just wanted to check in with you and let you know that I will not be applying to the Mid MO Old Car Club scholarship for this year. The club have been very generous towards me and I feel like it is time to let other people experience your generosity. That being said I

still am looking for scholarship assistance for this school year and I was wondering if you or anyone in the club knows of any scholarships I can apply for?

I am in Milwaukee again this summer working as a manufacturing engineering intern at Harley-Davidson. I am currently running a big study on the machining capability for the new Catapult Screaming Eagle Heads. After working here for two summers I decided to buy a Harley Davidson of my own. I found a 2007 Harley Sportster 1200 that I bought earlier in the summer and am excited to start learning how to ride.



Last fall Andretti Autosport called me and asked if I could help them with their LMP3 IMSA team as an engineering intern as well as part of the pit crew fir the Petit Lemans. We ended up winning the race and it was an incredible experience.

I am going into my junior year this fall and will be looking for a co-op for next summer and fall. I am going to be looking at racing teams or the Harley-Davidson design center up in Milwaukee for those co-ops.

I hope all is going well back in Jefferson City, I enjoy reading the newsletters to see what everyone is up to! *Thanks, Nikolai Careaga* SIUE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING (573) 418-

Photos courtesy of MMOCC Member Dana Foster (of Foster's Transmission and Service), who is the granddaughter of Glenn Brenzendine, a MMOCC Founding Member.

TBT...Darla and Dana in the early 1970's dressed in the pioneer dresses and bonnets that I made for them and the '31 Model A Deluxe Coup with a rumble seat that Sam and his dad restored. We went to car shows and parades all through the state. So much fun!!



Feb 1983 for Larry Radman

MMOCC SHIRTS:

We have T-shirts in gray and white, collared polo-type shirts, and a humorous T-shirt addition. If your shirt looks dingy, time to upgrade! Shirts available at future meetings and events. \$20 for collared shirts. \$15 for t-shirts. \$10 for hats. Contact Jim Martin at 573-864-4048.

MID-MO OLD CAR CLUB

A big **THANK YOU** goes out to these businesses and individuals for sponsoring our 53rd Annual Old Car Round Up and Show!

We encourage you to visit these businesses to show them your support in return!

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Upcoming Events that MMOCC Plans to Attend

A. August MMOCC Meeting – The Wes Scott SWAP!

- The Wes Scott Swap!
- Thursday, August 24.
- Wes and Betty Scott's – 7311 Old Bass Road / Eugene. 573-694-9221.
- Swapping starts at early at 4pm with meal at 5:30pm. Meeting at 6pm.
- Bring a chair, items to sell, and money to make purchases.
- Swap is on rain or shine hot or cold and the garage is air conditioned. Do not bring food. Bring old car stuff or other stuff to sell.

B. Callaway Heritage Day.

- Fulton at the Callaway Electric Cooperative / 1313 Cooperating Drive
- Saturday, August 26. 10am to 2pm. Registration starts at 9am. \$10 in advance or \$15 day of.
- Tractor, Car, Truck, and Engine Show.
- Call 573-642-0570 or www.callawaymohistory.org.

C. Monthly Capital Mall (JC) Cruise In.

- Last Saturday of each month from April to September. 3-7pm. (New times for this year.)

D. Sacred Heart Parish Picnic (Eldon) Cruise In.

- Sunday, August 27. 540 N Mill Street / Eldon
- Cruise in – Antiques, Classics, and Street Rods.
- Contact Sonny Evers with questions at 573-338-0552.

E. Westphalia Cruise In.

- Friday, September 8 starting at 5pm.
- Downtown Westphalia.

F. Folk Fall Festival and Car Show.

- Sunday, September 10. Car show at Laura and Dennis Even's house in conjunction with the Church's Fall Festival.

G. Ozark Ham and Turkey Festival.

- Moniteau County Fairgrounds near downtown California, Missouri.
- Saturday, September 16. Registration 9:30-11. Judging 11-2. Awards at 3.
- "Cars and More" Show (Cars, Tractors, etc.) at the Fairgrounds and small-town Parade (optional).

H. All Ford Powered Car Show.

- Sunday, September 17. Registration 9am to noon. Judging noon to 1pm.
- Capital Mall / JCMO.

I. 2023 – Audrain County Historical Society "Walk Back in Time".

- September 22-23, 2023.
- Historical Event featuring pre-war cars (requesting 1940 or earlier).
- 501 South Muldrow / Mexico, Missouri 65265 / 573-581-3910 – Paul Baum at walkbackachs@gmail.com and <https://www.audrain.org/events>
- More details and times to follow.

J. September MMOCC Meeting.

- Thursday, September 28, 2023 at 6pm.
- HyVee Community Room – Upstairs. Get your food as early as 5pm and dine together.
- Topic: Car Show.

K. MMOCC Old Car Round Up and Show.

- 54th annual.
- Saturday, September 30.
- In conjunction with JC Oktoberfest.

L. No November or December MMOCC Meeting.

M. MMOCC Holiday Party.

- Thursday, December 14, 2023 at 6pm.
- American Legion off Tanner Bridge.
- Meal provided by the Club.
- Bring a rob-your-neighbor gift for your gender.

FUTURE AND UNSCHEDULED EVENTS

N. Old School Drive In Theater.

- Date to be determined.
- Newly opened Drive in Theater in Moniteau County.
- 34263 State Highway T near Hwy 87 south of Burghers.
- <https://www.facebook.com/Oldschooldrivein>

O. Jefferson City Fire Museum Tour.

- Date to be determined.
- Fire Museum Tour at 305 East Miller / JCMO and then to Daisy Delight 2715 East McCarty / JCMO.
- Coordinated by MMOCC Member Lyle Rosburg (573-291-7159).

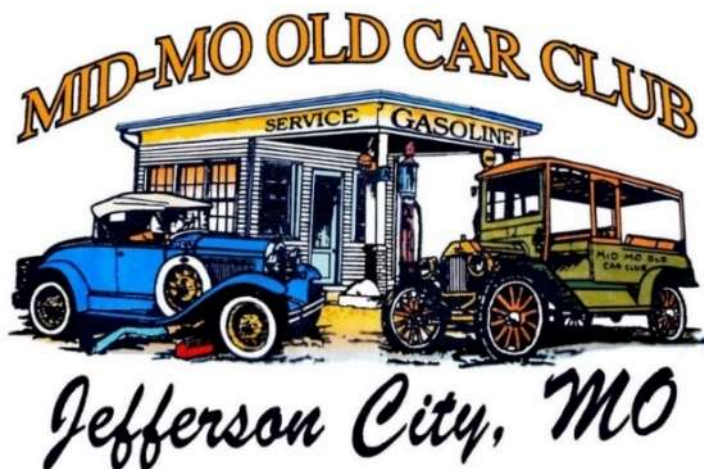
P. Your idea, here. Speak up and plan something!

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Old car roundup planned for April

A spring Old Car Roundup will be held at 2 p.m. April 4 at the Southwest Plaza. In case of rain the event will be held April 11.

For more information, contact Rod R. Ripple at 635-4896 after 5 p.m.



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Immediate Past President Lyle Rosburg

June MMOCC Meeting included an impromptu Ford Tire Changing Tech Session.



Dear Ford engineers, please go back to school and learn to build a 1 piece lug nut. Sincerely every technician ever!



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