



MMOCC Newsletter – February 2019

*Mid Mo Old Car Club
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Jefferson City, MO 65102*

MEMORIES

I hope we all have fond memories of our youth, with cars probably part of those memories, and that is why we like old cars today.

I remember mom and dad's gold 1972 Impala with vinyl seats and a rear window deck, suitable for napping, and the 1976 Caprice Classic with white vinyl top and cloth seats. Both had the transmission tunnel hump, so sleeping on the floor never worked very well (seat belts and car seat? Ha! I laughed in the face of danger!).

My youth was after the Drive In craze, but at this month's meeting we will learn a bit about local Drive In Theaters and you can be part of the presentation by bringing your memorabilia, photos, and memories to the meeting on Thursday, February 28 at 6pm at HyVee in Jefferson City. The meeting will be "upstairs" above the dining room. Get your meal downstairs and bring it up to the meeting.

Another great MMOCC Memory is our annual Mid Mo Old Car Roundup and Show. 2019 will be the 50th Show! Connie and Mike Schaefer, and many others, have been busy thinking and planning the show, its logistics, logo, trophy, advertising, sponsors, etc. We will spend some time at this meeting to discuss the September 28 show, which is a mere seven months away to the date!



We can make our own, recent memories, by participating in, coordinating, and hosting MMOCC events. You, too, can make memories for the whole group. We greatly appreciate Ron Clark's many MMOCC outings, Dennis Smith's coordination of the New Year's Day Garage Tour, the Bandelier's Bondo-Be-Que events, Kenny Braun's Braun-Be-Que and fried chicken at the American Legion, Wes Scott's Wes-Scott-Swap, and the Schaeffer's coordination of the car show, just to name a few. Join the ranks and help coordinate an event and make new memories!

Memories demonstrate *Old Cars are Cool!*

MMOCC President Lyle Rosburg

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Car Show Chairs Connie and Mike Schaefer
Immediate Past President Nathan Fuller



Starting on 1949 models, red lights and sirens were placed on the top of cars, instead of on the fenders. Red lights were also placed inside rear windows, marking the first time that warning lights faced the rear. (Pictured is Trooper V. Ohman with a 1950 Ford.)

Upcoming St. Patrick's Events:

PADDY MALONES PARADE:

- Saturday, March 9 at 2pm. (Line up starting at 1pm.)
- Starts at Paddy Malone's on West Main to Bolivar to High to Madison to East Capitol around the Capitol then West Main back to Paddy Malones.
- Walking speed parade, but it will be cooler since it is March, so limited overheating.



ICE CREAM 4 ICE CREAM CRUISE IN

- Sunday, March 17 11am to 10pm with MMOCC meeting up at 2pm.
- Ice Cream 4 Ice Cream at 11800 Farm View Road off 54 toward Eugene.



Auburn Automobile Company

Established in 1903 by Frank and Morris Eckhart, with the patronage of their father Charles Eckhart, the Auburn Automobile Company (AAC) produced some of the most-desirable, aesthetically striking and technologically innovative automobiles.

From its humble beginnings in the corner of the Eckhart Carriage Company factory, Frank and Morris grew the AAC to occupy its own dedicated facility in 1909. Headquartered in Auburn, Indiana, a town of 5,000 people, the company successfully built a reputable automobile that sold nationwide.

In 1924, Errett Lobban Cord became general manager and would save the AAC from an early death. Hired by a group of investors from Chicago who bought the AAC from the Eckhart family in 1919, Cord grew the reputation of Auburn automobiles worldwide. The consummate marketer, Cord knew how to promote racing prowess and in-vogue style, making these attributes synonymous with Auburn to this very day.

Engineers such as James Crawford, Herbert Snow, George Kublin and Cornelius Van Ranst pushed the limits of technical innovation. Alan Leamy and Gordon Buehrig's magnificent body designs earned Auburns accolades for style worldwide.

The journey ended in 1937 with AAC's bankruptcy. E. L. Cord sold the company to AVCO and then headed out west to create new fortunes. Like a dying star, AAC burned the brightest just before its death, with their automobiles earning many speed and endurance records. Even today, Auburns are still revered for their elegance and performance.

<https://www.acdclub.org/acd-history/auburnautohistory>

UPCOMING MMOCC MEETINGS

- February MMOCC Meeting – Thursday, February 28 at 6pm at HyVee Community Room (upstairs) about Drive In Theaters and the 50th Annual Car Show Plans
- March MMOCC Meeting - Thursday, March 28 at 6pm. Annual Scholarship Auction.
- April MMOCC Meeting - Thursday, April 25 at 6pm.

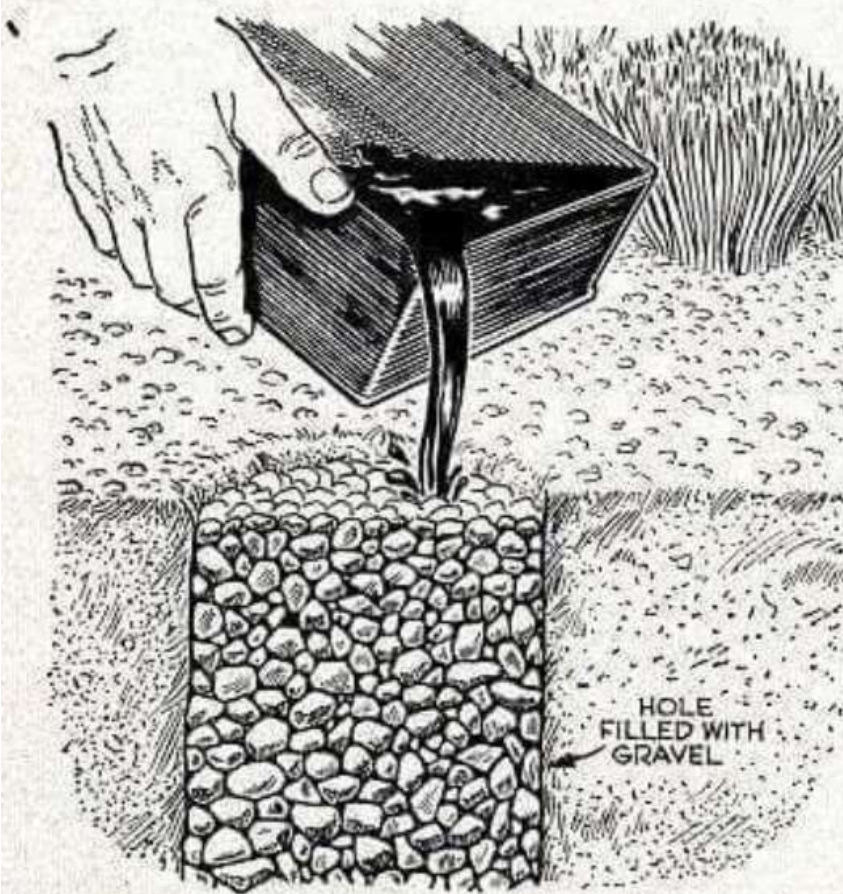


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With the car's engine idling, gas from the exhaust creates a vacuum that cleans the cushions



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2019 Mid Mo Old Car Club Events Calendar

February 28 6pm Jefferson City MMOCC meeting HyVee Upstairs featuring Local Drive In's/ memorabilia

March 2 Waxahachie, TX Sweethearts and Orphans Event (orphan cars)

March 3 Lincoln,NE 46th Rocky Manginilli Swap Meet Sunday

March 8-9 Wichita,Ks 44th Annual Sunflower Swap Meet

March 9 JC St.Patty's Day Parade from Patty Malones 2pm-? details at MMOCC Meeting

March 14-16 Norman,OK Swap Meet

March 15-16 Chickasha,OK Pre-War Swap Meet 1945 & older

March 15-16 Kansas City Mecum Auto Auction -KC Convention Center

March 15-16 Salem -Steelville "100 Acre Wood Rally" (a real Ozark dirt-Woods/Road Rally!)

March 16 Poplar Bluff Kiwanis Car Show

March 23 Jefferson,OH Swap Meet

March 28 MMOCC Meeting (4th Thursday)

March 30 Owensville 1st Car Show at Victorian Place

April 13 Altamont,IL Swap Meet

April 19-20 Branson Collector Car Auction & Show

April 20 Owensville GTA Springfest Car Show

April 25 MMOCC Meeting (4th Thursday)

April 25-27 Fort Worth, TX Pate Swap Meet

April 27 Nevada,MO Elks Car & Truck Show Hot Rods & BBQ Blues Fest

April 27 Owensville Springfest Car Show on Main St

April 28 Imperial,MO Car Show

May 3-4 Lawrence ,KS Swap Meet -MMOCC campout / Wes 694-9221

May 1-4 Jefferson City Shelbyfest-All Mustang Rally

May 3-5 Lake Ozark/ Bagnell Dam Magic Dragon Street Meet Nationals

May 4 +Car Shows at +Clinton +Hannibal +Lebanon +Union ,MO

May 9-11 Chickasha, OK Swap Meet (+and a flea market for the ladies Fri/Sat)

May 11 +Car Shows +Clever Band & +Washington Gear Head Grape Stomp

May 17-18 Hutchinson,KS Sedgwick Swap Meet

May 18 Monroe City Car Show and Cruise

May 24-26 Springfield, MO Mid-America Street Rod Nationals

May 25,26 Aurora Eagles Club Car Swap Meet

May 25-26 Jefferson City Airport "Salute to Veterans Airshow" no cost/free parking

May 30-Jun 1 Auburn,IN Antique Automobile Club of America- Grand National Meet

June 1 +Car Shows +Rolla Summerfest, **+Cole Camp** Chamber of Commerce

June 8 Belle,MO Swap Meet and Car /Bike Show Extravaganza info 573 259-0407

June 11-15 Petit Jean,AR 61st Annual Swap Meet and Car Show - on the Mountain

June 14-15 Sedalia 21st Annual Spring Swap Meet at Fairgrounds

June 22 Jefferson City 5308 Monticello Rd. Midwest Renovation Car Show

June 22 Fulton Drive to Survive Car/Bike Show

June 22-23 Waynesville Cave State Cruisers 32nd Hillbilly Concours Car Show

June 29 Rosebud Benefit Cruise-In Event for Honor Flite at White Mule Winery

July 11-13 Iola,WI 47th "Old Cars" Swap Meet and Car Show

July 27 Rosebud Thrashers Assn. Car Show at the Park info Mike 573 437-6735

August 16-18 Springfield Ozark Empire Fairgrounds Swap Meet

August 22 Brazito MMOCC Meeting Wes & Betty' Annual Club's Trunk Swap

September 28 Jefferson City,MO Old Munichburg Festival(&Weiner Dog Race)

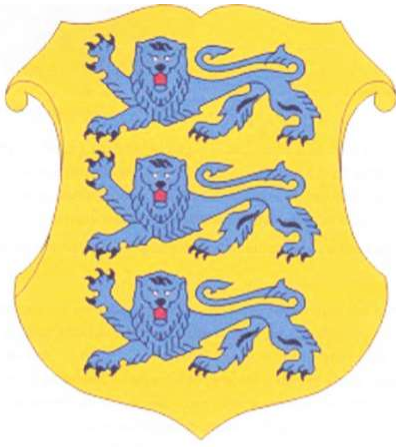
and **50th Annual ! -Mid Mo Old Car Club Roundup and Car Show**

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MMOCC meetings - Typically the 4th Thursday of month (except Nov-Dec)

Additions or corrections? Call Ron 573 893-2553 or email Bondorondo@aol.com

Confirm all Events before making plans!



The Origin of the Royal Arms of England – a European Connection

Juanita Fuller asked about the Ford Crest Logo and its featured Lions during the New Year's Day Garage Tour while visiting Tom Winter's garage. Tom found the following....

The resulting 1949 model was the most redesigned Ford since the Model A. Freed from the constraints imposed by Henry, the engineers added independent front suspension and Hotchkiss drive with parallel leaf springs at the rear. Designer George Walker bid adieu the traditional separate-fender look both front and rear with a sleek new flat-sided pontoon body in the style of the 1947 Kaiser-Frazer.

Apparently, Ford executives convinced themselves that the classic Ford script wasn't suited to this futuristic machine and the famous icon was sent packing. The 1949 Fords bore no logo whatsoever. Subsequently, someone in marketing or advertising decided that the lack of a logo was a not such a good idea.



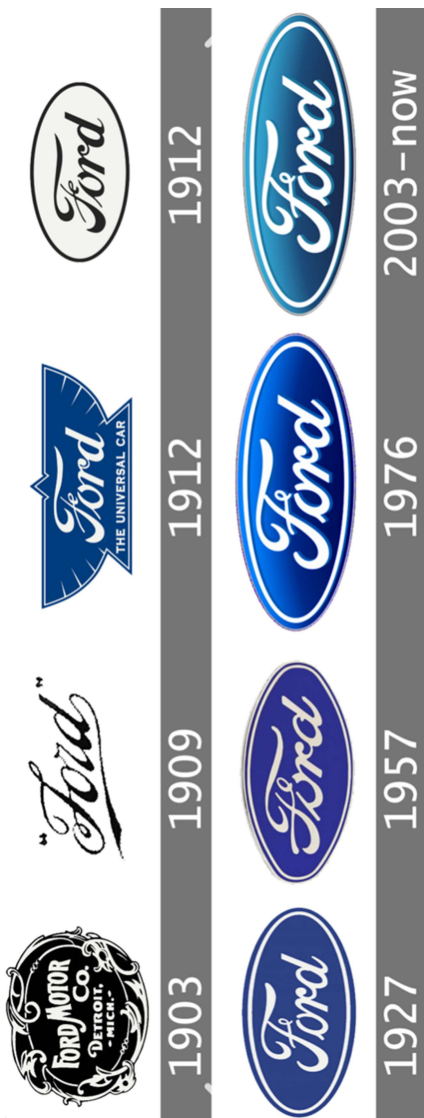
1950 Ford Crest

As a result, the 1950 Ford debuted with a new red, white and blue heraldic crest that according to the company was "derived by Ford stylists from an authentic coat of arms which dates back to 18th century England."

The new badge was indeed filled with traditional heraldic imagery. The shield was divided into three coloured sections by a chrome-edged black chevron that contained five chrome bezants. Each section depicted a chrome passant lion.



1962 Ford Crest. As cars became increasingly lower and wider, so did the new Ford logo



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OPPORTUNITY: MMOCC Member Todd Slanker is looking for someone to pull his motorcycle trailer from Jeff City to Kingman AZ, (on I 40) in the next month or sooner. **Todd says he will pay for the gas plus \$500... and can be contacted at 573-552-1000.** Todd is there thru April and would like his bike to ride. From here to Kingman is 1500 miles, is a very easy trip... once you get on I 44 at Lebanon there is only 1 turn, from I 44 on to I 40 at Oklahoma City, then on to Kingman on 40. The bike and trailer weighs less than 2000 lbs. Anyone interested in this all paid adventure should call Todd direct at the above number.

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