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Spring Overnight

By Sandy Miller

We had beautiful weather for our car club trip to Adams County, Ohio. Sunshine and lovely skies were with us for the entire weekend. After driving through the Blue Grass areas of Lexington, Paris, and Cynthiana, our first stop was at Sutton's Landing in historic Maysville, Ky. There we viewed the murals on the river wall and even got a glimpse of Nick Clooney, who was there with family for a reunion. (an unexpected surprise!)



Crossing over the Ohio River our next stop was at Moyer's for lunch. We were served out on the porch so we all had a view of the river while dining. After lunch we toured through southern Ohio to Manchester and Bentonville. Our next stop was in West Union at the Lafferty Funeral Home to see their carriage display. This funeral home has been in their family for many years and Mr. John Lafferty has been able to collect memorabilia from years past. Leaving the funeral home, we passed the town's Civil War Monument.

Our next stop was at Dunkinsville where we visited Miller's, an Amish community business of a bulk food store, furniture store, and of course, the wonderful bakery where we all enjoyed shopping. After leaving Miller's, we traveled through the Harshaville covered bridge which was used in the Civil War by John Hunt Morgan and his raiders in July of 1863.



The next stop was at the Comfort Inn Motel in Seaman, Ohio where we spent the night. The diner next door was rockin' with a "Cruise In" where people gathered with their old cars. Our own Bob and Lena Cornett entered their car and came away with a cash prize and a trophy. Way to go, Lena and Bob!

On Sunday morning we traveled to the Serpent Mound and spent some time there at the museum and walking the trail around the mounds. Next we returned to Kentucky and stopped at the Blue Licks State Park for a lunch buffet. We had a good trip with good food and friends!



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President's Corner

by Charlie Simpson

We had a great day going to Smith-Berry Winery and Our Best Restaurant. We had a great turnout. The oldest car on the run was Michael and Barbara Tearney in their '39 Packard. It was good to see them on the tour. Thanks to Lo and Phil for laying out a good route.

Our June 2nd tour to Southeastern Ohio was great thanks to Doug and Sandy Miller and Joe and Joan Vice. We got to meet other car enthusiast at the motel and dinner. We also got a contact from Maysville who has a few cars and invited our club to come and visit sometime.

June 16th is going to be the "Picnic" at Tom and Joanne Blanck's place. (See information on pg 3)

On September 7 and 8 (2 nights), our Fall tour to eastern Tennessee (Jonesborough). Mark your calendar. Carolyn has the motel information in this newsletter and she will have more information in some of our next newsletters. Invite a friend to join us.

Thanks to Paul Stewart my plastic car did not leak this time. My mother-in-law says thanks too.

Let us not forget the ones who are having health issues.

Hope to see you on the next tour.

.....*Charlie*

LADIES{ MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR JULY 21 LUNCH AT THE GIFT BOX TEA ROOM

Ladies, while the men enjoy their outing at Keeneland, we will be enjoying lunch at the Gift Box Tea Room in Lexington. If you haven't eaten there, you are in for a treat. In order for me to make reservations, I need you to RSVP to Carolyn Simpson by WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 2012 at 502-867-1560 or ccsimpson2@att.net. Further details will be in the next newsletter.

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Information for Fall Overnight
MARK YOUR CALENDAR
FALL OVERNIGHT
SEPTEMBER 7-9, 2012

JONESBOROUGH, TN

Jonesborough is the oldest town in Tennessee and the Storytelling Capital of the World. We have scheduled a two night stay at the American Lodge. Below are the details:

The two nights are September 7 and 8. CALL 423-753-3100—Ask for rooms under Bluegrass Antique Automobile Club. 15 rooms are being held—2 queen beds; all are non-smoking. Rate is \$79.00 plus tax = \$90.46 per night. The hotel is pet-friendly. They will require a one time fee of \$25.00 and they will give you a room on the first floor. Just tell them when calling that you are bringing a dog. Please reserve your room early. Any rooms not reserved by August 7 will go back into their inventory.

Watch for more details about our Fall trip in the next newsletter. We have a lot planned so mark your calendars.

If you have any questions, please call Charlie or Carolyn Simpson at 502-867-1560.



May Impromptu Tour to Smith Berry Winery and Our Best

By Lo Arnold

We decided at the last minute that we needed a tour in May so Phil and I did a route to Smith Berry Winery and then on to Our Best in Smithfield for lunch. As usual Smith Berry welcomed us and went out of their way to make our tasting enjoyable, even after Dave Estes made his own route at the entrance.



After an enjoyable wine tasting, Carolyn & Charlie led the group on the Our Best for an enjoyable lunch. Phil and I did not go to lunch as we needed to return to Lexington for a retirement dinner that night. (Want to guess who retired?)

June 16, 2012
Leave from Newtown McDonalds @ 10:30



Join us at for our June event on Saturday the 16th. We will leave the McDonalds on Newtown Pike at 10:30 for a tour which will end with a picnic lunch.

Chicken and drinks will be provided and everyone should bring a dish to share. Please contact Charlie Simpson if you are planning on attending so we will know how much meat to purchase.

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