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EDITOR NOTE:

Hi! I'm Jay Nutt and I'm your UFO Newsletter Editor. Please feel free to call, email (nuttjay@yahoo.com), or snail mail any comments, suggestions, etc. to the address below.

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The UFO Presidents Corner By Terry Tippett



Hey everybody!

First I need to give a big THANK YOU to Kevin Dearth and Pat Harrington for setting up the banquet, to Sue, John and Morgan for the door prizes, to Hood and Bob for the awards display and slide show and a

big thank you to Kevin for running such a great banquet.

It's time for the Spring Swap Meet, April 5th & 6th. Your UFO club will have a booth and could use your help to man it for a few hours. If interested contact me at 740-607-1451 other wise come and have some fun with the other members and look around. You should be able to find the parts you're looking for or even another car your wife doesn't want you to have!

Cruise-in Director (Bryan Bowen) has our first Cruise In set up for Sat, April 19th same place as last year (Great Southern Shopping Center). Bryan will have flyers at the Spring Swap. Dust off you car and come over and have some fun. Bryan's contact info is on the back of the newsletter.

Autocross Director (Todd Kitchen) is working on the autocross dates, I think the first one is May 25th. Todd will have flyers at the Spring Swap. Todd's contact info is on the back of the newsletter.

Earth Angels informed us that they will not have a show at Ricart Ford this year.

We are working on plans for the Park of Roses Car Show and our All Ohio Ford Show. We will share the info as we get it. Continued from previous column

We need you to take pictures of your car or cars and/or events, send them to Jay Nutt (newsletter editor) and Bob Roush (web wizard) with a short story to share with all of the club. Jay's and Bob's phone number and email address are listed on back of newsletter.

While you are writing your article to send to Jay for your newsletter, don't forget your children are members too. Encourage them to try to win a T-shirt by entering an article, even a drawing or coloring of a car. Please include their name and age. Adults, this is a chance this year to get your name in the hat for a free jacket by entering an article. Please send it to Jay.

The meeting dates for 2014 are April 2 and 16, May 7 and 21, June 4 and 18, July 2 and 16, August 20, September 3 and 17, October 1 and 15, November 5 and 19 and December 10.

Any questions, comments, suggestions please contact me at 740-607-1451 or e-mail at tbucket@columbus.rr.com.

Thank you Terry

Columbus Spring Swap Workers Needed

The club is again in need of volunteers to work the UFO booth during the Spring Swap. Volunteers are needed to help set up on April 4th and man the booth during the show on April 5th and 6th. The shifts are normally 9 to 2 and 2 to 6 on Saturday and Sunday. If interested contact Terry at 740-607-1451 or Kevin at 614-265-9095.

New Link added to UFO Website

Web Master Bob has added a new link to the website. It is for "Nationwide Auto Transport". They ship vehicles to the lower 48 states and offer competitive pricing. They also offer enclosed vehicle shipping which any members might be interested in if they need to ship a collector car. So if you are looking for someone to ship your car or truck here is some one to contact.

















2014 UFO Banquet/Roast

The annual UFO Banquet/Roast was held on Saturday evening March 15th, 2014 at the "Berwick Party House." The banquet was emceed by President Terry Tippett, and Kevin Dearth. Over 120 members, family and friends attended, everyone seemed to enjoy the great food, door prizes galore and festivities. Many thanks to Susan and John Rankin who did an excellent job on the decorations!

One of the highlights of the banquet each year is always the awards and roasts presentation. This year was no exception. One of the first awards of the night was presented to the club by the **Earth Angels** for the support given to their organization over the last year. During the presentation they also stated that the United Ford Owners has donated a total of \$41,000 over the years to the Earth Angels. 'The Enthusiast of the Year' was awarded to both Todd Kitchen and Tom Waibel. 'The Lifetime Membership Award' was given to both Joe Allen and Frank and Opal lezzi, and the 'Newcomer of the Year' was given to George Sweet. Some of the other awards presented were the 'Promoting the Club Award' to Rob Lutz, and the notorious 'Agitator Award' to Bryan Bowen! Sindy Waller received the 'President Excellence Award'. "The Gas Can Award' was accept by Jay Nutt along with the 'Valve Job Award' presented by Tom Waibel. Todd Kitchen came up with some really cool presentations in thanks to various club members who helped out on his club projects. So the next time you see these guys (or gals) ask them about their award -winning stories.

Brian Elder was the lucky member who won the raffle for the custom-made leather UFO Club Jacket. **Kathie Roush** and **Debbie Near** were the winners of the newsletter article submission drawing and will receive the new blue light weight UFO Club Jackets.

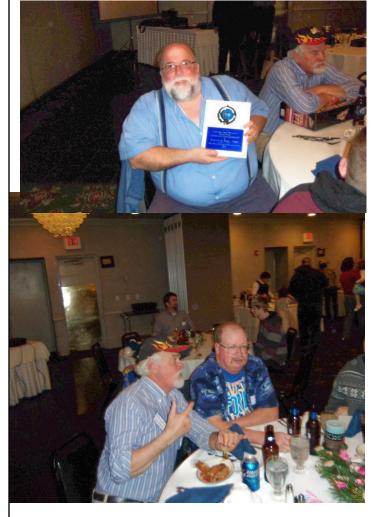
Hey Gang!!

The club wants your opinion concerning the scheduling of next years UFO banquet. Would you prefer to see it during January or during March. Based on the feedback we receive we will schedule the 2015 banquet so if you have a preference please contact Kevin at 614 -265-9095 or Terry at 740-607-1451. Or email Bob at ufowebmaster@yahoo.com

For those of you who couldn't make it this year, you sure missed a good one but there's always next year! I've included several pictures taken at the banquet if you would like to view more pictures of the banquet or other UFO event please visit the UFO website and/or Facebook page. For a copy of the DVD of Slides shown at this years Banquet please contact Bob at 614-451-3199.







Classifieds: For Sale/Wanted/etc.

Attention: United Ford Owners Members!

These Ads are FREE to club members and friends or family. We will run your Ad for 2 consecutive months. You may then re-submit it if necessary. There will be a deadline for ads in future newsletters, usually the first of the month. Mail your classified Ad and any picture you may want to include to UFO Newsletter, C/O Jay Nutt, 6456 Old Church Way, Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068.

(if you wish the picture returned please send a stamped selfaddressed envelope with your ad).

1966 Ford Thunderbird Convertible for Sale

Lt blue metallic paint /dk blue interior 428 engine / power seat, tilt wheel. total restoration done Daytona cover and fender skirts. Price \$18,000.

Contact Kevmohio@columbus.rr.com Or Phone 614 783-7692

Parts Wanted For 1991 Mercury Colony Park Wagon

Wanted one Back seat for 1991 Mercury Colony Park wagon in dk blue if possible. (2) Also want the folding kid seats "cargo area". (3) Looking for a right rear quarter panel "without wood paneling" in rust free/damage free condition. Would consider buying a whole "parts car".

Might be able to use the Ford wagon also. Please call **Greg at (740) 466-5566**

For Sale: 1965 Mustang 289 4 Speed Parts

I am changing my '65 Mustang back to a C4 automatic so I have some used parts leftover. I have a 4-Speed Aluminum Bell Housing, part #C5DA-6394-A (should fit 1965-67 289 6 bolt block), flywheel, clutch, pressure plate, clutch fork and motor plate.

Located in Delaware/Powell. \$150 for all.

Contact Brian, (740) 815-1367 or tbirdbrian@yahoo.com

1931 Model A Victorian 2 door Coupe For Sale

Four cylinder 40 horse power.
Overdrive transmission.
White wall tires.
Frame off restoration
Orange and cream with black fenders
and yellow wheels.
Price \$15,000.

Contact Kevmohio@columbus.rr.com Phone 614 783-7692

1931 Model A Victorian 2 door Coupe For Sale

New Radiator, Glass, Runs. Needs Restoration. Price \$5,000.

Contact Kevmohio@columbus.rr.com Phone 614 783-7692

1965 Ford Mustang Convertible For Sale

Red body and black interior and top.
Frame-off restoration.
289 rebuilt engine / automatic transmission.
four barrel, 600 Holley Carburetor.
Price \$22,000.

Contact Kevmohio@columbus.rr.com Phone 614 783-7692

Parting Out 1997 Ford Custom Van

Parting out doors, side windows, interior, roof rack, possible rims, and door mirrors

If interested contact

Brad at 614-506-1175 or email me at bradm0123@gmail.com

FOR SALE 1994 Thunderbird LX

4.6 V8, AOD, full power, factory sun roof. White Opalescent Clear coat factory paint which still looks nice. Mocha cloth interior also in great shape. Previous owners non smokes who bought it new. Have maintenance records, Heat and A/C works great Price is \$3,750.

contact Greg at 740-466-5566 or email spookyhearse91@yahoo.com

Wanted: Quarter Panel For 1966 LTD/Galaxie

I am looking for a full passenger side quarter panel for a '66 LTD 2 door. I would prefer a quarter from a 2 door but I will consider a full quarter from a 4 door depending on condition. I would also consider both a driver and passenger quarter depending on price and condition.

Contact Brian, (740) 815-1367 or tbirdbrian@yahoo.com

<u>United Ford Owners Cruise-Ins</u> at Great Southern Shopping Center

Good news! Bryan has the 2014 United Ford Owners Cruise-Ins all set up and ready to go. It will again be held at **Great Southern shopping center on South High Street**. This year we will be awarding trophies to the top 40 as determined by participant judging. Start time is 4 pm and last until around 8 pm. The dates for future Cruise-Ins are April 19th, May 17th, June 21th, July 19th, August 16th, September 20th and October 18th.

"Fast Eddy" will supply the music and we will have a table set up if anyone has model vehicles to show. As always, teens and youths are welcome, we would like to see more young people get involved in the events.

If you have any questions please contact our Cruise Dir Bryan Bowen at 614-333-3325

Points & Plugs

By Chris Browning (This was carried over from January)

Winter has seized control of central Ohio since November, and doesn't appear to want go anywhere any time soon. This has given me an opportunity to catch up on some reading, which mostly is comprised of auto magazines. I subscribe to several different titles, and thought I'd share my views of them here. Auto magazines are a good way to keep up with the hobby, and learn about cars, parts and technical issues that you haven't heard of or have never seen. I'm only going to discuss magazines that I subscribe to, so if you have a favorite that I don't mention, let me know! Hemming's: HMN, Classic Car and Muscle Machines: The best reading on paper! HMN is the "bible" of the hobby, and I started reading my dad's issues in the 70s. I enjoy looking through the listings (I always check out the Ford and Merc sections first!), and it usually takes at least a couple of sittings to get through the entire issue. I also subscribe to Classic Car and Muscle Machines, and I feel that these are the best magazines on the market. Variety, great writing and awesome pics make for quality reading, and their issues focusing on one owner or original cars always grab my attention.

Motor Trend & Automobile: I subscribe to these for all my info on the new cars, and also the racing coverage and auction results. Keeping up to date on the new technology and upcoming models is important to me on both personal and professional levels, and these two titles usually hit the mark.

Car Craft: I've been an on and off subscriber to CC since my high school days, but if it wasn't cheap (less than \$6 a year), I'd probably drop it. Most of the articles are Chevy biased, and ads make up a majority of the magazine each month. However, every once in a while they surprise me (the April '14 issue featured a '66 Comet Capri!!!). The tech articles are the best reason to subscribe, as I've utilized a couple of the procedures that they describe. For this reason alone, it's worth the low price of a subscription.

Ohio Auto & RV: This one is free at Kroger's, UDF, etc. I try to pick one up each week, as it keeps me current on used car and truck prices. I bought our Focus after seeing it in one of the issues, and I've sold a couple of cars through their listings.

Hopefully winter is about done so I can get the Merc out, but until then I've got some more reading to do! See you at a car show soon!



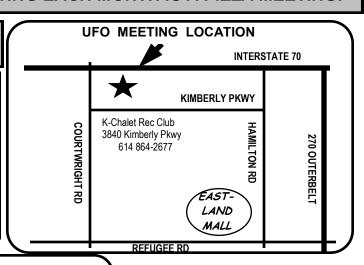
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MEETINGS START AT 7:00PM. FIRST MEETING EACH MONTH IS A PIZZA MEETING!

Upcoming Events . . .

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02	16	19	07
Meeting At K-Chalet	Meeting At K-Chalet	UFO Cruise on South High	Meeting At K-Chalet



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