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## HENRY HORTON WEEKEND DRIVE

By: Carolyn Williams

The second annual Henry Horton Weekend was hosted by:



Jerry & Diane Waller



Charlie & Jana Swann

By noon time on Friday the parking lot of Henry Horton State Park began to fill with Model T's. During the afternoon everyone enjoyed catching up on the news with old friends and meeting new club members. Friday evening we gathered at one of the park pavilions and after a moment of silence in remembrance of deceased chapter member Jack VanBruggen, Linda Eden's brother, David, Charlie Swann's brother, Bailey and Ernestine Flowers stepmother, we enjoyed a wonderful barbeque banquet thanks to Jana and Diane. There were thirty-eight chapter members and twenty visitors present. After the meal and a short business meeting, Charlie and the Rainey Night Boys entertained us with great music. And a rainy night it was!

Saturday morning dawned with fog but with the promise that the sun would burn the fog off and we would have a beautiful day. We did have a wonderful day but little did we know what a trick Mother Nature would play on us late in the afternoon. At breakfast Charles & Ann Corlew and Mac & Ernestine Flowers had to return home but two more club members, Don and Jeri Hiner from Columbia, TN, joined us.

Soon after breakfast there were eighteen Model T's chugging off through the winding country roads of Bedford, Fayette and Lincoln counties. Being in Tennessee horse country our Model T's excited several fields of horses and cows. We wondered if the horses were saying to each other, "That thing replaced me"? We arrived in Fayetteville and parked our T's on the Court House Square. As usual we soon drew a crowd checking out each car and asking the usual questions: "How fast will it go?" "Where do you get tires?" What kind of gas mileage do you get? As always most everyone's grandfather had one just like it. As long as they are admiring our Model T we are happy to answer.



Pictured in front of the Fayette County courthouse are Brian & Kathy Nelson's truck, Gary & Annette Tillstrom's & Gary and Frances Curtis's car.

After antique shopping we gathered for lunch at the Old City Jail, now Cahoots restaurant. Lunch was served in the old cells. Check out the thick rock walls. Makes you want to walk the straight and narrow path.



Brian & Kathe Nelson & Mike & Maria' Sumerall



More bad hombres, Bob & Nell Harris, Jerry & Diane Waller

After lunch we drove to Lynchburg where some toured the Jack Daniels Distillery and others just sat on the square and enjoyed ice cream.

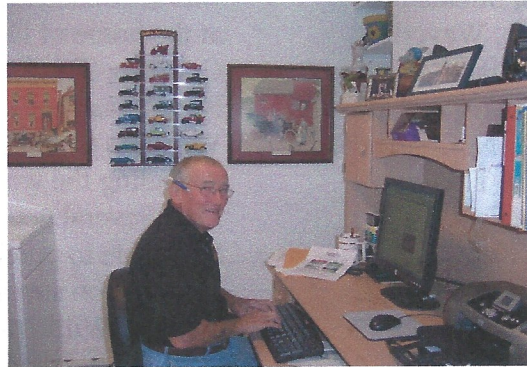
As we started our trek home Mother Nature decided to play her trick. All of sudden the sun was gone, the sky darkened, it began to rain, it began to hail, the wind began to blow, lightening flashed and thunder rolled. Some of us found shelter under an awning at a school; some of us ended up in a horse barn and after the storm received a tour. Some of us, however, missed all these places of shelter and just plowed straight ahead back to Henry Horton thinking any moment that we would wake up in the "Land of OZ" with Dorothy. Everyone made it back safe and sound and a wonderful time was had by all. After dinner everyone shared his or her war stories for the day.

Charlie was overheard to say that maybe next year the tour would be called the "Tornado Tour". The important part of that statement was NEXT YEAR.

After a late Sunday morning breakfast we were on the road back home already looking forward to that promise of next year.

Thanks Charlie and Jana and Jerry & Diane for a great weekend.

#### From the President's Desk:



By the time you are reading this Carolyn & I and Lynn & Sue Cook will be touring in the Wild West. Our war stories next newsletter.

The Henry Horton weekend lived up to and even surpassed last year. This was the largest group we have had for a weekend tour and the Swanns and Wallers did an outstanding job planning and coordinating. Two visiting couples joined the Chapter after the weekend, Dennis & Ginger Bobel and Tom & Patsy Taylor.

Also, welcome to new members Hubert Garland, Ray Alexander & John & Charlotte Tidwell. Check their address on your new chapter list. We are glad to have you folks on board. It is always good to meet someone interested in preserving Henry's Model T for posterity. Remember to share news of cars or parts for sale. Someone is always looking. See you in Ripley. **Larry**

#### **FOR SALE:**

Coker Tire has a GoodGuys Event scheduled for June 29-July 1 in Nashville, TN. You can save freight charges by calling in your order and picking up the merchandise at the show. 1-800-251-6336 or [www.coker.com](http://www.coker.com)

Mr. Charles Corlew has a starter generator for sale. (Dodge brothers) call: 931-387-3594

## MINUTES MAY 4, 2007 MEETING

After a delicious barbeque dinner club President Larry Williams called the Tennessee T's to order. Williams thanked the tour host Charlie and Jana Swann and Jerry and Diane Waller for hosting the second Henry Horton weekend and for preparing our great meal. Since so many new members were present everyone was asked to stand and introduce themselves and others in their party. Present were Larry and Carolyn Williams, Waverly, TN. Lynn and Sue Cook, New Johnsonville, TN, Mac and Ernestine Flowers, New Johnsonville, TN, Bob and Nell Harris, Southside, TN, George and June Ross, Waverly, TN, Ralph and Teresa Williams, Nesbit, MS, Gary and Annette Tillstrom, Atoka, TN. Bill Butner, Bartlett, TN. Charles & Ann Corlew, Cunningham, TN, Jerry and Diane Waller, Whites Creek, TN, Bryan and Kathe Nelson, Smithville, TN, Bill and Linda Eden, Plainfield, IL, Charles & Jana Swann, Unionville, TN, Tony, Yvonne & Emily Cook, Arab, AL, Mike and Maria' Sumerall, Athens, AL, Gary and Frances Curtis, Waverly, TN, John & Bonnie Ohlrogge, Corydon, KY, Bill & June Dunning, Jackson, MO. Hubert Garland, Lawrenceburg, TN. Also present were visitors Bill & Patty Taylor, Muscle Shoals, AL, Dennis and Ginger Bobel, Whites Creek, TN, Timothy & Bree Garland, Kathy Garland, several members of the Rainey Nights Band and Jana Swann's two sisters and brother in law's. Williams asked for a reading of the minutes. George Ross made a motion to accept minutes of the December meeting as written in the Newsletter. Motion passed.

Treasurer Sue Cook gave the mid year financial report. In December the

Chapter fund balance was \$2009.53. Deposits of \$720.00 have been made. Expenditures to date are \$165.00. One hundred fifty for donations to St. Judes and the ALS Foundation and a \$15.00 refund leaving a Chapter fund balance on May 1, 2007 of \$2,564.53.

Gary Tillstrom and Bill Butner announced a July 6 & 7 tour in Ripley, TN during the Tomato Festival. Information will be emailed and be in the next Newsletter.

John & Bonnie Ohlrogge announced they have a tour in the planning stages to be held at a later date..

A tentative date of December 8 2007 was announced for the Christmas party at the home of Darrel and Ann Carter in Cordova, TN. Watch for details in the Newsletter.

Williams thanked everyone for spreading the word of cars and parts for sale. Several people in the Chapter have been able to purchase cars on information supplied by club members. Carolyn Williams announced that new Chapter membership list were available to be picked up.

A discussion was called for on the practice of sending flowers or making a donation to a charity when a Chapter member or one of their family members dies. June Ross made a motion that in lieu of flowers a charitable donation be made to the charity of the family's choice. Jana Swann seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

After a question by June Ross about the plans for Saturday, Williams turned the meeting over to Charlie Swann to give the time for breakfast and starting the Saturday drive. Charlie then introduced his band The Rainey Night Boys. The meeting was adjourned and we enjoyed music by the band.

## HUMPHREYS COUNTY TOUR

After the Henry Horton weekend Bill and Linda Eden returned to Waverly with the Williams and Cooks for two days of touring in the local area.

Sunday afternoon we visited Lynn Cook's basement workshop for a show and tell on Rod and Main bearing pouring and boring. Afterward we toured to Pilot Knob in Benton County and stopped for dinner in Camden, TN.



Linda watches as Lynn explains his rod boring technique.

Monday we drove through the wilds of Humphreys County to visit the Loretta Lynn Dude Ranch in Hurricane Mills, TN.



Linda & Bill at Loretta Lynn's.

Lynn's car is filled by a group of Mennonite children during a stop in Perry County. They loved it and all took turns sitting in the seat.



Tuesday we were off to the Land Between the Lakes. It was back roads all the way to Stewart County and into the LBL. Along the way we stopped by the only airport in Stewart County. The airport is a very pretty grass strip where the planes come in and take off over the lake.



The plane in the background had just landed and taxied to a stop.

There are no places to eat in LBL so we put our Model T cooker to use for hotdogs and a picnic.



Beautiful day, riding in the Model T, great roads, good friends and hot dogs. What more could anyone ask? Sue thought of something. She treated us all to ice cream on the way home. Yum!

Wednesday Bill and Linda decided it was time to return to IL. We were sad to see them go and already looking forward to seeing them in Michigan in July.

Lynn & Mac working on Mac's Ruckstell.



### JUNE BIRTHDAYS

Tony Cook	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Nell Harris	4 <sup>th</sup>
Yvonne Cook	5 <sup>th</sup>
Bob Easley	7 <sup>th</sup>
William Johnson	16 <sup>th</sup>
Ray Alexander	17 <sup>th</sup>
Maria Sumerall	18 <sup>th</sup>
June Dunning	20 <sup>th</sup>
June Ross	29 <sup>th</sup>

### JUNE ANNIVERSARIES

Don & Marge Krull	10 <sup>th</sup>
Charles & Ann Corlew	16 <sup>th</sup>
Bud & Ginny Scudder	21 <sup>st</sup>
Ken & Joyce Swan	22 <sup>nd</sup>
Bill & Linda Eden	24 <sup>th</sup>
Mac & Ernestine Flowers	29 <sup>th</sup>

### JULY BIRTHDAYS

Teresa Williams	1 <sup>st</sup>
Ernest Morris	4 <sup>th</sup>
Hollie Dote	4 <sup>th</sup>
Elke Longworth	7 <sup>th</sup>

Jana Swann	8 <sup>th</sup>
Judy Kuntz	9 <sup>th</sup>
Darryl Carter	16 <sup>th</sup>
Harold Hutsell	24 <sup>th</sup>
Bill Butner	29 <sup>th</sup>

### JULY ANNIVERSARIES

Dewey & Pat Asher	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Mark & Hollie Dote	9 <sup>th</sup>
Kevin & Brenda Bandy	9 <sup>th</sup>
Ken & Betty Jack	14 <sup>th</sup>
Tommy & Judy Kuntz	20 <sup>th</sup>
Ralph & Teresa Williams	28 <sup>th</sup>

### AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Bill Taylor	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Julian Sides	7 <sup>th</sup>
Pamela Hutsell	23 <sup>rd</sup>
Joyce Swan	24 <sup>th</sup>
Glen Weakley	24 <sup>th</sup>
Anne Alexander	31 <sup>st</sup>
Gary Curtis	31 <sup>st</sup>

### AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES

Jim & Donna Wade	1 <sup>st</sup>
Bob & Katherine Easley	14 <sup>th</sup>
Hubert & Joyce Garland	16 <sup>th</sup>
Waldo & Sharon Emerson	22 <sup>nd</sup>
Jerry & Diane Waller	24 <sup>th</sup>

*Think about this:::*

The Roman Numerals for (40) are XL.

Everyone seems normal until you get to know them.

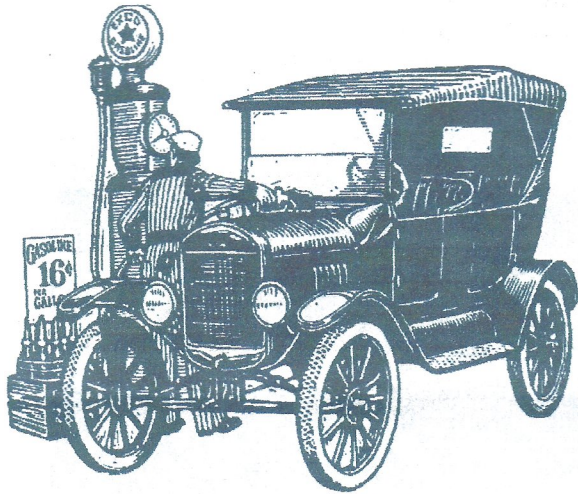
If raising children were going to be easy, it never would have started with something called "labor!"

Brain cells come and brain cells go, but fat cells live forever.

You know you are old when going bra-less pulls the wrinkles out of your face...ouch!

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270-826-6600

Join us - West TN T Fun!



In conjunction with the  
Ripley Tomato Festival  
July 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>

Of course we'll eat, talk and visit, (eat some more), and drive the model T's through some uninhabited landscape and a visit to West TN's most controversial Civil War site.

Come rested, come hungry, but by all means come!

Reservations can be made at the Country Hearth Inn in Ripley, phone number 731-221-8887. Just tell them you are with the old car club (Tennessee T's).

RSVP either by emailing [gtillstrom@aol.com](mailto:gtillstrom@aol.com) or [harpobill@mindspring.com](mailto:harpobill@mindspring.com)  
Phone calls work also.

### Getting to Ripley

Our friends in the Nashville area-take I-40 west until coming to TN-19. Take TN-19 west via exit 60. Ripley is appx. 25 miles from exit 60. The hotel is at the US-51 & TN-19 intersection (actually about 100 yards shy of US-51)

Our friends in the KY, MO, and IL- Once you get to Dyersburg TN, follow US-51 south to TN-19. Hotel is on the east side US 51.

Our friends in Memphis and south of there- Follow US 51 North to TN-19. Hotel is on the east of 51.

Gary's cell-901-496-5527

Annette's cell-901-491-7840

### Kentucky Bluegrass Tour, Henderson KY

August 10 and 11, 2007

Sponsored by: Big John and Bonnie Ohlrogge

Lodging: Ramada Inn

2044 U. S. 41 North

Henderson, Kentucky 42420

Reserve before August 1, 2007. Cost is \$69.95 plus tax. Please let the Ramada know you are with the Tennessee T's.

*August 10, 2007:* We will leave at 6:00 pm to go to Johnny B's for supper.

*August 11, 2007:* At 8:00 am, we will have breakfast in the park, and then we will travel to Audubon State Park. Anyone who would like to tour the museum, the cost is \$3.00 per adult. Then off to Owensboro, KY where we will have a BBQ lunch. We then will go to a bluegrass museum. The cost is \$5.00 per adult. The museum requests a reservation, so please RSVP if you plan to attend. Then we will travel back to Henderson to listen to bluegrass music in the park. (bring lawn chairs for this event) That evening you will have several eating choices within the downtown area.

For more info, please call or write:

Big John Ohlrogge

8564 White Lick Road

Corydon, Kentucky 42406

270-823-3068

The 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual "Cavalcade of Antique Cars"  
June 9, 2007 Lawrenceburg, TN 10:00 am

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[www.lccc.com](http://www.lccc.com)

SCENES FROM HENRY HORTON



NEW MEMBERS DENNIS & GINGER BOBEL "IN JAIL" WITH GEORGE & JUNE ROSS.



NEW MEMBER TOM TAYLOR (WIFE PATSY)



NEW MEMBER HUBERT GARLAND WITH HIS 26' 4 DOOR. (WIFE JOYCE)



GARY & ANNETTE TILLSTROM AND BILL BUTNER.



JOHN & BONNIE OHLROGGE



BILL & JUNE DUNNING