



Ford Lines

June 2021

From the Blue Oval Office

June is already upon us and boy is this a busy one!

The Tulsa RG #39 group has officially entered the National Ford V-8 Club 2021 Membership drive, which runs from May 1 through August 1. We are entered in the medium club group and have a chance to win \$1000.

The winner will be the regional group that increases their membership percentage the most in that time frame. Get your cars out and spread the word and try to increase our membership. Don't forget that in order for a new potential member to count, they also have to join the National Ford V-8 club as a full member as well as joining the Regional club.

By the way, after entering this membership drive contest, the National Membership Board informed me that we have 22 members listed on our roster that are not registered on the National data base. Some of these could be Honorary members that do not know but most are Tulsa members that have just not paid their dues to National. Please get your National dues paid up as soon as possible.

I would like to invite anyone interested to attend the next board meeting on June 8th at 7:00 PM at Rick Rogers' office on Peoria across from the Harley-Davidson Dealer. We have some tough decisions to make in the very near future as a club and we need your help. We will be discussing the future of the Swap Meet, problems we face, and a potential new location for 2022 or alternative ideas.

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Rick and Marisa Claybaugh and Kim Taylor came to the breakfast meeting to introduce our newest and youngest little V-8'er, Leon Ray. Congratulations on your new family member! Rick also had some official business to take care of as well. He presented a 50th Anniversary Award to the Tulsa Regional Group #39 from the National club and fittingly gave it to Sam Simpson, our only founding member. Sam shared some nice thoughts and memories with us on the club's beginnings; this was a very special moment.

We don't have a tire kick planned for this month, but we do have National Drive Your Ford Day on June 19th. Plans are still sketchy but we will be meeting at the Crystal City Shopping Center at 10:00 AM, park our cars out by Route 66 where passing traffic can see them, and hopefully generate some interest and maybe even sign up some new members. This is the same location as last year and I understand there are several good places to eat close by, like Arnold's Hamburgers. Don't forget your chairs and anything else you will need for the day. You can drive on your own or join up with some other members and travel together, it's up to you. I think there are also some good photo spots near for some good shots of your car. Look forward to seeing you there.

Monday, June 21st, is the Great Race lunch stop over at The Heart of Route 66 Museum. Volunteers are needed. Please contact me if you want to help and I will pass the list on to the Loretta at the museum.

A few other events are June 26th after our breakfast meeting is the Bixby Green Corn Festival and parade in the afternoon, and Harlan Ford 4th Annual Car Show in Okmulgee. Lots of activities to participate in so get your cars ready, pick the events you want to attend, and help promote our club every chance you get.

Finally, we had a really nice turnout at the general breakfast meeting with 29 in attendance! Hope to see you and your Flatheads at some of these upcoming events!

-Layton Dozier



May General Meeting

Sam Simpson is received the 50-year anniversary award for our regional Early V8 Ford #39 fifty year anniversary.



Kim Claybaugh Taylor and son Leon Ray Taylor attended the breakfast. He is being held by Kim's mother

Marisa Claybaugh. I remember when Kim was that age and attended the meeting with Rick and Marisa.



Wayne Wilson brought a poster that he had put together of the front side sections of cars from 1937. He can identify all but one can anyone identify all of them?

Gary A.



Here is the poster that Wayne Wilson brought. The cars are all from the same year. I believe they are 1937. One is a Ford.

Let Wayne know if you can identify all of them.



JUNE BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Jerry &	Sandra	Whitt	6/1
Wallace	& Lillie	Henry	6/3
Jim &	Christy	Thomas	6/5
Jane		Johnson	6/7
Ralph		Johnson	6/9
John &	Sally	Neas	6/10
Randy		Spaulding	6/11
Tom		Sawyer	6/14
Rick &	Marisa	Claybaugh	6/15
Gary		Arnett	6/17
Gerald &	Deronda	Admire	6/17
Marisa		Claybaugh	6/19



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Tire Kicking

Aprille, Gail, Jerry,
Helen & Ralph



Jayne, Debi, Gary &
Layton



RIP Lloyd Freeman



hanging out in the old
workshop

Tire Kicking

Rick Rogers'
37 Ford
Coupe



Lloyd Freeman's
final project



Would you
believe....the three
Stooges?





Do You Remember?

May 8th 2021 Tire Kicking

May 8th was a beautiful morning at Helen Freeman's place. The house setting with its patio deck is a neat place to sit outside and eat and enjoy the yard and country. We had donuts and coffee in a neat new shop that replaces their old building where Lloyd did hard boiled eggs and wood carvings. He also had a model Ford that was quite a sight to see. The Freeman's had Halloween parties and many other things to do with us. I can tell many stories about their place. I would like to thank Helen and her family for hosting us. It was good to see her kids and their children. She also has a special dog that stays by her side. Thank you again Helen.

Club members drove old and new cars on the old Route of 11th St. to Highway 66, to Charles Page BLVD. and then to Highway 64 through Sand Springs and then took the old highway 64 along the Arkansas River arriving about 9:30 AM. Those driving in the caravan were Ralph Johnson 49' Ford F-1, Jim and Gail Sinclair- 46' Ford Club Coupe, Mike and Joan Denney with Bob and Aprille Krah. These four were in Mike's 52' Lincoln. Layton and Debi Dozier-1940 Ford Convertible and Rick Roger in his 37 Ford Coupe.

Helen still has Lloyd's little red wagon Dodge Pickup. Also in attendance were Burl Breedlove in his Jeep, Jerry and Sandra Whitt, Tom & Jayne Trimble, Ilona Snell, Jim & Gary Strode, Richard Stiger, Chief Eaton, Paul & Anita Hardy, Pat & Ed Broughton, Bruce Hardy, John David & Kelly Hardy & Mia & Kash, and Jim McCartney and Joyce Bell.

Thank you Helen, for hosting our car club and for being you!
-Jim McCartney and Joyce Bell

June Tire Kicking

There will not be a Tire Kicking in June but we will have plenty of other events to attend. There will be Drive Your V-8 Day, Bixby Corn Festival Parade, Harlan Ford in Okmulgee Car Show, Mecum Auction and The Great American Race.

-Jim McCartney

June 26 is going to be a busy day. There are a couple of activities happening for members:

1. Breakfast meeting at Union Square Café
2. Bixby Green Corn Festival Parade
3. Harlan Ford 4th Annual Car Show in Okmulgee

**The parade is in downtown Bixby at 10:30 and lineup starts at 9:15 at the Bixby Ninth Grade Center.

If you are interested in participating, contact Joan Denney (918) 366-2034 or (858) 245-4730 by June 23 to sign up.

The route is short, and you will be finished by 11:15.

**We at Harlan Ford are excited to announce our 4th Annual Car Show! We will be back this year after we canceled last year due to Covid. Our car show will be June 26th at Harlan Ford in Okmulgee, OK. Gates open at 8 and judging starts at 10. Our judges will be Professors from the different automotive schools at Oklahoma State Institute of Technology here in Okmulgee. We will be announcing trophies around 3 and we will have the top 3 winners from each decade as well as Kids Choice, Peoples Choice, Overall Winner, and Top Ford. The overall winner will get their name and vehicle added to our cup trophy we have here at the dealership. We will have 4 food trucks: Boss'n Hoggs BBQ, Raven Rock Pizza, Jay's Original Hoagies, and Calaveras Mexican Truck. We will have plenty of vendors from local entities including the Woods Brothers Motorcraft Nascar, Medflight Helicopter, and some racing bikes from Jandebours Motorsports Park. We will have raffle prizes that we will sell tickets for and draw throughout the event. Our DJ will be playing tunes and announcing the raffle prizes and winners through the day. The local Humane Society will be setting up for an adoption drive as well. They had such success with the drive last year they were excited to come back again. Email or call for details, a flyer, or an entry form.

Thank you Early Ford V-8
Family for the beautiful
pink azalea plant. It is
in full bloom & just gorgeous.
I am doing much better, just
trying to adjust doing everything
with one hand & arm. It is
 alot harder than it looks.

I have my first Post-op doctor
appt Monday. I've already
done my X-rays of shoulder for
appt. Sure all is going well.

Thank you for your prayers, flowers,
love & thought.

Love to you all.

Charlene Arnett





VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

The Hemmings Motor News Great Race 2021 is coming through Tulsa on June 21. The race begins in San Antonio, TX on Saturday, June 19 and ends in Greenville, SC on Sunday, June 27.

The lunch stop on June 21 will be at the Heart of Route 66 Museum in Sapulpa. Volunteers are needed to assist with directing parking. Lunch is at 12:15, and the cars are expected to arrive around 11 am, so an arrival around 10:30 for volunteers would probably be ideal. **150 pre-1972 cars are expected to be participating in the race!**

No experience necessary! If you are available and interested in helping out, please contact Layton Dozier by the June 18 - 407-314-0498

To read more about the Great Race: <https://www.greatrace.com>

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