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2006 New England Meet

I know it's a little late, but thought it might be time to tell you about last year's New England Meet...

As I recall, the weather was gorgeous right up to the day we left for the meet. It rained from the time we put the trailer on the car (and the car on the trailer for that matter) until we arrived in Windsor, Connecticut. With

our usual luck, it finally stopped raining just as we unhitched the trailer. It was also Debbie's mother's 85th birthday; we were going to go out and celebrate, but as luck would have it, it started raining again so we had dinner at the hotel.

The next morning, got up early to do a little work on the

Membership renewal is due! Remember you must also be a member of MARC

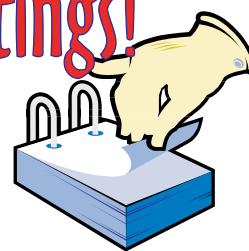
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car and to dry it off from the previous night's rain. Things were a little too wet (yes, it was still raining) so decided to do something more useful, like sleep and besides, its just no fun working in the dark. When the sun finally rose and the rain stopped, went out and dried off the car for the first of our tours. CMARC had arranged tours to a private Ford memorabilia collection. The ride through the Connecticut countryside was beautiful, but the museum was unbelievable. It contained two floors of cars, Ford and petrol memorabilia, and a really great pedal car collection. If this had been the mandatory tour, the visit would have been worth enduring all the rain, but things were just

Upcoming Meetings!



Meetings: 8:00pm
Greenbrook Manor Nursing Home
303 Rock Ave
Green Brook, NJ

March 13 th	June 12 th	September 11 th	December 11 th
April 10 th	July 10 th	October 9 th	2008
May 8 th	August 14 th	November 13 th	January 8 th



getting started. Arrived back at the hotel in time for the ice cream social and would you believe it started raining again? Well, at least the tour was successful, and we weren't planning on going anywhere that night.

Saturday morning was a little overcast, but at least it wasn't raining. Dried off the car and went off to the hospitality room for a little breakfast. We were pleasantly surprised when we went back out to the parking lot to line up for the mandatory tour; the sun was actually shining - no more rain from here on! The tour once again went wondering through the Connecticut countryside and terminated at the Connecticut Air Museum. We only got lost once (as did most other people) since CMARC had cars with people

directing you through the turns. The museum was an interesting sight with Model A's parked between and under some of the planes. Spent the rest of the afternoon looking through the museum and never really got to see everything. I don't know how we managed it, but actually missed seeing the flying fortress (actually, it's in a separate hanger and we didn't know it was there). Got back to the hotel in time for the Hubley derby and of course the banquet.

It's getting time to make reservations for this year's meet in Old Sturbridge Village. Registration forms will soon be available at the Minuteman club's web site.

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Minutes of the meeting

Due to inclement weather, there was no short break, and Lou did not open the 322ⁿ meeting at all!

Upcoming Events

36th Annual Swap Meet & Car Corral (formerly Cowtown), 03/25/07, Sharptown, NJ.

Automatic Switch AACAShow, 05/06/07, Hanover Rd, Florham Park, NJ. Contact Phone: Anne Klutkowski at 732-388-3029.

Millburn Classic Car Show, 05/20/07, Millburn NJ.

American Truck Historical Society Metro Jersey Chapter Show, 06/03/07, Automatic Switch Hanover Rd, Florham Park, NJ. Contact Phone: Tom at 973-539-7145.

Das Awkscht Fescht, 8/03/07 to 8/05/07, Macungie Memorial Park, Main Street, Macungie, PA. You must register by 07/01/07. Contact Phone: 610-967-2317. The Club will be going on Saturday August 4, 2007. Meet at the diner on Rt. 22 at 8:30. Call Lou for info 973-476-4619.

New England Model A Ford Meet, 09/14/07 to 09/16/07, Sturbridge Host Hotel, Sturbridge, MA. Contact Phone: Jo Johnson 978-807-9081.



Treasurer's Report

No meeting, no report..

Secretary's Report

I've pushed all programs forward one month, so check to see when your program is due. Debbie will do the March presentation.

New Business

Membership is due! Either bring your dues to the next meeting, or send a check made payable to "Watchung Valley Region MARC" to John Bedner, 82 Ravine Drive, Colonia, NJ 07067-3225.



Technical

The club decided not to test their winter driving skills and so the meeting was cancelled.



Programs:

March: Debbie Daye **June: Tom Fritz**
April: Vince Delisi **July: Art Hall**
May: Lou Della Vecchia **August: George Harbt**

The member giving the presentation is responsible for bringing the refreshments.

50/50

There was no 50/50.



Adjournment

Adjournment?, From what?



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Debbie Daye