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President's Notes

It is now mid August, where did the last spring and summer go?? By the time this is read the Orphan Car Show will have come and gone. And the Windy City Show at the Kane county Fair grounds will be around the corner. In Oct. we have a couple more things planned. I hope we can get good response for there events.

At the orphan show we had a good showing of members. Nancy Mackey, Mike & Laila Potts, Bob & Gail Brandys, Bill & Alice Latham, Mark Hardy, Rich Korthauer John Jacobsen, Wayne & Michelle McKenna, Larry Claypool, and Bob Greenlee. We also signed up new members Jeff & Cathy Mathews, R. Scot Thomas, and resigned up Art Misienicz. Welcome to our new members and to Art welcome back.

The Christmas party has been changed to Jan 6 2007 , it was decided among the members at there it would be better at the later date. Dinner will still be at the Viking with gathering at the Potts afterward.

At the Kane county Fair grounds we will do a Electrical and mechanical check, following the form in the May 2006 Met Gazette.

In May 2007 we are planning a Lube session at James Dean Muffler & Brake to be followed by a trip to Del Rays Chicken (to be Called a Greasy Chicken Run).

Happy Metting,
Bob Greenlee
President, Illini Mets

Kane County Fairgrounds Car Show!

Gail Brandys writes:

Hi, All!

Just a reminder that our next club event will be on Sunday, September 10th, 2006—the Rambler / AMC Illinois Club 4th Annual Regional Car Show held at the Kane County Fairgrounds, on Randall Road, one mile south of Route 64 in St. Charles.

It will include a car show, food, parts, swap & flea market - allvendors under tents in case it rains.

We get to park together with dozens of other Rambler / AMCs on the grass - not pavement!

Demonstration by the Model T Club : assembling and driving away in a Model T in 2 minutes flat!

\$7.00 per car to enter - AMC and Nash class trophies from the Model T Club and the AMC club.

Should be a lot of fun. The AMC Club is eager to see our Mets !

Hope to see you there !

Gail

Mets Around the Clock!

Keep up-to-date with the latest news on the Metropolitan Owners Club of North America 2007 International Meet in Rockford Illinois via the official website:

<http://www.metsaroundtheclock.com/>.



Illini Mets Picnic!

Thought I would share a couple of pictures Wayne took at the picnic. The picture of Nancy's grill shows how useful a Met can be. The grill is being supported by my jack. With security provided by the Poodle Patrol (thanks Rick) it proved to be a wonderful day.

Miki McKenna

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The Illini Mets Survivalists Detachment supported the McKenna's BBQ grill with Nancy Mackey's Metropolitan jack handle.



The Poodle Patrol, trained and commanded by Rick Korthauer, provided security for these Metropolitanans, driven by the Intrepid Illini Metters who braved the elements to attend the Illini Mets picnic.



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Tentative 2006-2007 Illini Mets Event Schedule

 DENOTES OFFICIAL ILLINI METS EVENT

Windy City Car Show, Rambler AMC night, Kane County Fair Grounds, September 10, 2006, 8:00AM to 4:00PM

Johnny Apple Seed Run, October 1, 2006: Meet at the Greenlee House, 819 E. Bailey Rd., Naperville, IL, 9:00AM to - ?

Fall Color Tour, October 14, 2006 (Rain Date: October 21, 2006): Drive to Volo, Ill as scenic route to see Old Car Museum. Dinner afterwards. More details to come

 **Membership Meeting**, November 4, 2006: Oak Field Family Restaurant, 27 W. 229 Geneva Rd., Winfield, IL

Holiday Party, January 6, 2007, 5:00PM to ?, Viking Steak House, 27 W 150 Roosevelt, Winfield, IL. Afterwards back to Liala and Mike Potts house for dessert and games. For guests staying overnight, Hotel will be arranged with more information to come. Every couple brings 1 dessert and a \$10.00 grab bag. More details to come.

Sometimes, your Disinformation Editor/Webmaster, who learned his trade a Lucas Electric, has the most recent event information on the website. Sometimes, that information is even correct. Check www.IlliniMets.org for the latest on club events!

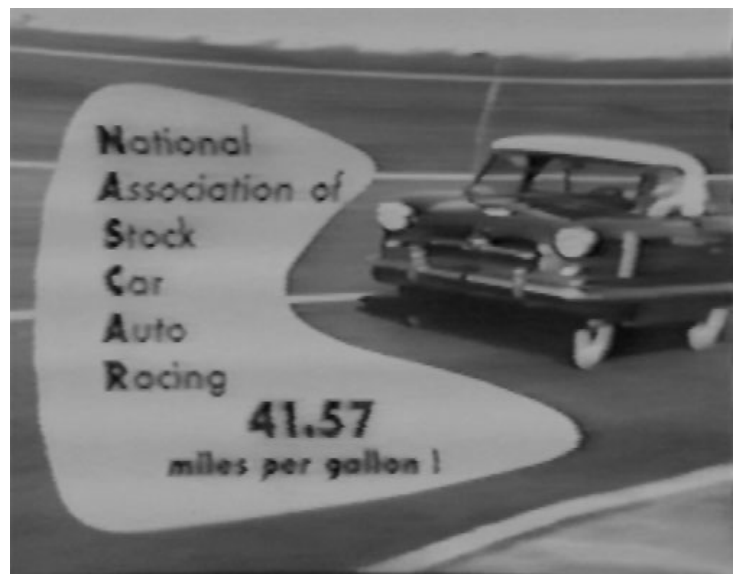
Bits and Pieces

Does anyone have any old Met Exhaust parts laying around?

My Met has been getting louder by the day.

The flange on the exhaust pipe itself where it connects to the manifold is distorted and cracked. If possible I would like to just cut and weld-in a good section of the pipe onto my existing system.

Thank You,
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Newsletter Content

If you have a picture, article, joke, question, answer, part to sell, part to buy, or anything else Met related, please don't hesitate to send it to John Teschky for inclusion in "Be it ever so humble..." the Illini Mets Newsletter. You may mail it to:

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Thank you!

Welcome New Members!

Welcome **Mike Shallenberger, Jerome and Rae Novak, Eugene and Kathryn Sievers, Scot and Tiffany Thomas, Jeff and Cathy Mathews, and Art Misiewicz!** We hope the Illini Mets and the Metropolitan Owners Club of North America adds to your enjoyment of your Metropolitans!