

At the board meeting, we discuss a number of upcoming events. Check Chuck's Activity Report for the great things we have planned for the future. By the way, don't forget to check the website, too, as Jerry continues to update it. You might find some other interesting things there.

Don't forget we are still looking for a few good men or women, as new board members. We are still running one short. This opening is now down to a two-year stint. If you think you want to see how this club operates, let any one of the board members know. Also, consider it if someone asks you.

Lon & I were both shocked with the news of Joe McCaffrey passing away unexpectedly. Although Lon has missed a few Saturday breakfasts, he never thought that Joe would no longer be there. Joe had a good rapport with the waitress and she will also miss him. For those who were in the club at the time, we can't forget the great time we had at the picnic at McCaffrey's home. This is when we revised the LER auction. It was a rainy day, but we all had a good time.

Grant's toy farm was an amazing collection. In addition to seeing more tractors, both big and small, than I have ever seen in one place, it was also our 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary. My mother contacted Dennis Upton and arranged for special cupcakes for our dessert. Thanks to Yaniks & Del for their hand in this. What a surprise!

As we are also in the Model A Club, we attended one of the events they had on the schedule. It was a picnic at the Ford Stamping Plant in Hamburg. We did not attend the year before so I didn't know what to expect. There were already a ton of cars there when we arrived. Lon & I were parked with the Mustang club as cars were parked somewhat together. The Model As were just a short distance from us. There were games to play, booths to visit, and plenty of food. All on such a great weather day.

Now it's on to the Poker Run. Brush up on your poker hands and we will see you there.

Valerie