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EDITOR NOTE:

Hi! I'm Jay Nutt and I'm your UFO Newsletter Editor. Please feel free to call, email (nuttjay@yahoo.com), or snail mail any comments, suggestions, etc. to the address below.

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The UFO President's Corner By Jay Nutt

Hello everyone! I hope everyone had a great time at the Banquet, I know I did. I want to specifically thank Pat Harrington for reserving the venue and selecting the menu, Cindy Waller and Kathie Roush, for checking everyone in, and John and Susan Rankin for being the MCs. I also want to thank Terry Tippett, John Rankin, Frank Iezzi, and Morgan Waddell for buying all of those great door prizes.

The officers have been busy planning the different events for the up-coming year.

Chris Browning the Cruise-In Director has everything set up with Discount Tires so we will be returning there to hold our cruise-ins on the third Saturday of each month starting in May.

Drag Race Director John Rankin has scheduled two drag races, one on July 1th, and one for September 9th at Pacemakers.

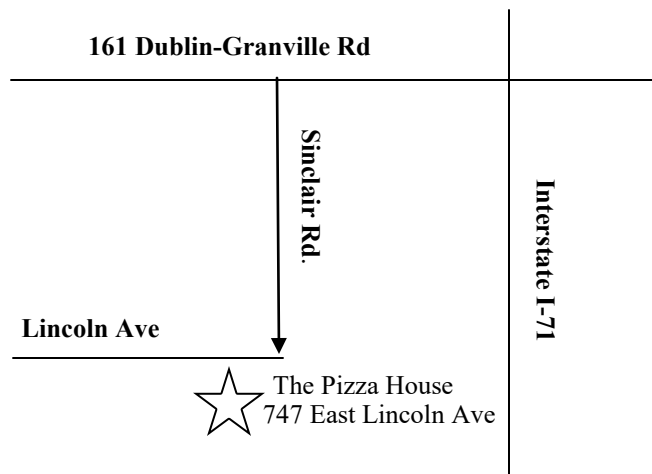
Autocross Director Aaron Batey will again be holding our autocross events near Circleville. The dates are listed further in the newsletter.

The new Web/Media Wizard is Matt Atwood. He and two new members Brandon and Cameron will be working to utilize social media to get the UFO name out to more people. Besides the Facebook page which we now have they are setting up accounts on Instagram, YouTube, and Twitter. Going to any UFO events, but looks like rain, check our Facebook page to see if the event is on or off because of the rain as it happens.

The next UFO membership meeting will be held April 4th at a **new location**. Rather than going to Grand Prix Karting as before the meeting will be held at "**The Pizza House**". Meeting starts at 7PM and is open to all members.

April UFO Membership Meeting New Location

During the February 7th meeting a discussion was held concerning our desire to find a less expensive place to hold our monthly membership meetings. During the March 7th meeting it was decided that we would hold the April 4th membership at **The Pizza House, 747 East Lincoln Ave, Columbus, OH** and see how well this will work for our meetings. The meeting is still a pizza meeting (with the club providing the pizza) and as always will start at 7pm, so plan on coming out and checking the new place out. If you have any questions please contact **Jay at 614-861-0053, or Tom at 614-905-3507.**



All Ohio Ford Show

The club is looking for anyone who would like to be on the All Ohio Ford Show committee. The committee duties will consist of the setup and operation of the All Ohio Ford Show that the club puts on each September. The reservations and deposit for the venue has already been taken care of. If you would be interested please call **Jay at (614-861-0053) or Tom at (614-905-3507)**

2018 UFO Banquet/Roast

The annual UFO Banquet/Roast was held on Saturday evening March 10th, 2018 at The Berwick. The banquet was emceed by Susan and John Rankin. Around 105 members, family and friends attended, everyone seemed to enjoy the great food, door prizes galore and festivities. Many thanks to Sindy Waller and Kathie Roush who handled the registrations and check-ins at the door.

One of the of the highlights of the banquet each year is always the awards and roasts presentation. This year one of the first awards of the night was presented to the club by the Earth Angels Foundation for the support given to their organization over the past year. During the presentation they also stated that the United Ford Owners Club has donated over \$55,000 over the years to the cause.

The '**Enthusiast of the Year**' was awarded to **Sharon Hoover** for all of her hard work and enthusiasm this year.

The '**Lifetime Membership Award**' was presented to both **Chris Browning** and **Brad Mitchell**.

The '**Agitator Award**' was presented by last years winner Tim Lang to every ones favorite agitator, **Tom Waibel**. Anyone who knows Tom knows that he worked very hard all this year to become the official '**Top Agitator**' for 2017.

Matt Atwood was the lucky member who won the raffle for the light weight UFO Club Jacket. **Bob Roush** was the winner of the newsletter article submission drawing and will receive a blue light weight UFO Club Jacket.

Tom Waibel was presented with a trophy by Cruise director Chris Browning for all his help with set-up and running the cruise-ins last season

If you took pictures at the event and would like to share them with your fellow club members please send them to our Web/Media Wizard Matt Atwood.

Open Letter To United Ford Owners From a Vendor

Letter was sent to Terry Tippett

I was very saddened to receive your letter advising you were discontinuing the Fall SuperSwap after 31 years. I have been attending for about 25 of those years.

I know it is a huge undertaking each year for your club, so I do understand.

I just wanted you guys to know how much I looked forward to it each year and how much I appreciated your hospitality each year. You guys made me feel at home each year. I will miss the swap and you Guys.

Thanks for all the years!

God bless you all

Kerry Curry

Going to Ford Show in Carlisle, Pa ?

The club is trying to find out who is going to the up-coming Ford Show in Carlisle, Pa. In the past, the club had been renting/providing a tent for the use of our members attending the show that weekend. What we would like to know is how many members are planning to attend the event this year, and if you think renting the tent is a good idea.

Please contact **Jay at (614) 861-0053 or e-mail at nuttjay@yahoo.com**
or **Thomas Waibel at (614) 444-1504 or e-mail at t.waibel@yahoo.com,**

and let them know if you will be attending and what you think about the tent.

Classifieds: For Sale/Wanted/etc.

Attention: United Ford Owners Members!

These Ads are FREE to club members and friends or family. We will run your Ad for 2 consecutive months. You may then re-submit it if necessary. There will be a deadline for ads in future newsletters, usually the first of the month. Mail your classified Ad and any picture you may want to include to **UFO Newsletter, C/O Jay Nutt, 6456 Old Church Way, Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068.**

(if you wish the picture returned please send a stamped self-addressed envelope with your ad).

For Sale 1961 Econoline parts

Windows for a 1961 Econoline van
Call for Price

If interested

Contact Gary 1-937-869-0351 or For photos
call Jean 614-357-5788 or
email snowflowe@aol.com

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Ford Parts for Sale

C6 transmission for Fe. - Price - \$300
Ford 460 engine, has low oil pressure
Price - \$300

If interested

Contact Jay at (614) 861-0053 or email
nutjay@yahoo.com

07/17

For Sale 1972 Ford LTD

1972 Ford LTD 4 door hardtop, 400 c.i. engine

With 42,000 original miles, gold with brown vinyl top

Asking \$7995.00

Call Randy at 740-453-9431

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Your Ad Here

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Wanted Mustang Die cast

I am looking for a 1/24 scale 1985 Ford Mustang.
If you have one for sale or know where I might find
one please contact
Krista at 614-265-7227

03/18

Wanted: Y block Head

Looking for a head for a 272/292 Y block motor.
Would prefer loaded, if you have one or know
where I can find one please contact me.

Call Donald at 740-816-4284

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United Ford Owners Cruise-Ins

The UFO cruise will again be held at Discount Tire on E. Broad St. in Reynoldsburg (between Rosehill and Lancaster Ave. in the Giant Eagle shopping center). Discount Tires has enthusiastically stepped up and offered to again support our Cruise-Ins for 2018. The schedule for 2018 is the same as last year, the third Saturday of the month, starting in May. The cruise in time would be from noon until 4:00 pm. This year we will be awarding trophies to the top 40 as determined by participant judging. The dates for The UFO Cruise-Ins are **May 19th, June 16th, July 14th, August 18th, September 15th and October 20th.**

As always there will be great music playing. If you have any questions please contact **Cruise Director Chris Browning at 614-367-0908**

Or e-mail at ufocruisein17@yahoo.com

UFO Looking for New Meeting Location

During the February 7th meeting a discussion was held concerning finding a less expensive place to hold our monthly membership meeting. Currently we are paying \$80 dollars for the room and \$118 dollars for pizza for a total of \$198. If anyone has any ideas as to a place for the club to hold their monthly membership meeting, such as churches, library, or clubhouses please contact **Jay at 614-861-0053, or Tom at 614-905-3507.**

Up - Coming UFO Drag Racing Events

Our Drag Racing Director, John Rankin has been very busy. He has set up both of the drag races at Pacemakers.

The first will be on **Sunday, July 1st.** We will be starting at 10:00 am and running until 4:00 pm. The second drag race will also be at Pacemakers on **September 9th.**

If you would like to volunteer to help out during either race or if you have any questions or concerns about either event please contact:

John Rankin at 614-561-5496, or email mustangjohn04@hotmail.com.

2018 UFO AUTOCROSS

Calling all racers!. The 2018 UFO Autocross season is almost upon us! Our Autocross Director, Aaron Batey has everything set up for another great season. The dates for this season are **April 14th, May 6th, June 10th, July 1th, July 14th, August 26th, September 30th, and October 14th.**

All autocross events will be held at the Circleville GO-Cart track. Registration is at 08:00AM, technical inspection at 08:00AM to 09:00AM, drivers meeting at 09:00AM, and racing begins at 09:30AM. The rules are simple for what you can run, any make, model, car or truck as long as it is a motorized four wheeled vehicle. If you have any questions contact:

UFO Autocross Director - Aaron Batey at (614) 563-1848 or email batey.10@gmail.com



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 Yesterday, Today,
 & Tomorrow

MEETINGS START AT 7:00PM. On first Wednesday of each month.

Upcoming Events . . .

UFO MEETING LOCATION

April	April	May	May
04	14	06	19
Membership Meeting at Pizza House	Autocross at Circleville GoKart Track	Autocross at Circleville GoKart Track	UFO Cruise-In At E. Broad

The Pizza House

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