

Guest attendee **Ken Jagodzinski** has a 1930 Model A and is interested in joining *Naper A's*. Welcome **Ken**.

Lindy Williams applied for and received confirmation for the 2015 meeting room. All meetings next year will be held in the Lunchroom.

Gene Egert will lead a drive to *White Pines* on Sunday, October 19th. We will meet at the entrance to Fermi Lab on Butterfield and Eola Rds at 8:30. The group will depart at 8:45 sharp. Eight members indicated they will drive with about fourteen people attending. The group may make a stop at the *John Deere Museum* which is on the way to *White Pines*. There is a \$5.00 entrance charge.

The Annual Christmas Dinner will be at the ***Bohemian Crystal Restaurant*** on Sunday, December 7 at 4:00 pm. The cost is \$20 per person. Please try to get you payment to Lindy before the dinner. He will collect at the next meeting and by mail. We will discuss specifics at the November meeting.

Be prepared to **submit your 2014 mileage to Lindy** at the next meeting. He will need beginning and ending mileage which will be recognized at the Christmas dinner.

TECH DISCUSSION

Gar Williams is offering to host a winter tech session at his shop sometime during January to March 2015. Recommended subjects were Transmission Rebuilding, 7 Tooth Steering Box Rebuild.

Brake Adjusting Pins: **Danny Minola** brought in a jig for matching brake adjusting pins. Dan says that even new pins from the manufacturer will not always be the same length and may require grinding them to match. His jig provides the platform to do that consistently.

Brake Shoe Arching: Brake shoes must be central to the adjusters. There are a lot of variables to can affect that. There are a few methods and tools to correct the shoe arch.

Brake Shoes: Bonded brakes are better than woven when working on arching. They also fade less and last longer.

Bell Housing: Bell housing bolts can be too loose because of years of wear. The cotter pin will have too much play and consequently the bolts get lose. The bolts should be replaced when possible.

Dealers to Note

Mail Truck in Oak Creek, WI has Model A parts at good prices. They operate on check only basis. You have to call to make an order and when you get the invoice you send a check for the amount. Then the parts get shipped. The prices make the effort worthwhile.

A break shop in Wisconsin called **Rock Quiet Brakes** that do brakes for a very reasonable cost. The work has been excellent.

Newsletter prepared and sent by Secretary **Nick Mazzarella**

Meetings are the first Tuesday of each month from January through November.

2014 Naper A's Meeting Dates and locations

Meeting Room A:

November 4 – Lunchroom <<<<<<<Next

December – No Meeting (Annual Dinner Dec 7)

2015 Naper A's Meeting Dates

In the Lunchroom:

January 6

May 5

September 1

February 3

June 2

October 6

March 3

July 2

November 3

April 7

August 4

December – No Meeting

