



# BRICKYARD BULLETIN



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A few Indy member braved the rainy (what else have we had) weather to attend a Classic Car Picnic hosted by new Studebaker Avanti owner Dave & Stephanie Limpus. Dave has quite a collection of classic Fords and turned a rainy Saturday afternoon into an enjoyable event in his large car barn with lots of good food and many car enthusiast friends of his that stopped by during the day. Events like this are fun and a good way to enjoy other car collector's favorite brand and share our love for Studebaker's with them.

The July 13th, 1:00 p.m. Indy Chapter meeting will the 4th Annual Bacon Backyard Luau and another outdoor picnic event. We are hoping for the best weather of the summer but once the pork is smoked the luau goes on rain or shine. Bring your favorite dish to share, grass skirts optional! Hope to see everyone & your Studebaker's there!

Nancy Bacon  
President, Indy Chapter

## Picnic at the Limpus Farm June 15, 2019

Studebaker members, friends and other car enthusiast met on the farm of Dave and Stephanie Limpus in Carthage, Indiana on one rainy, *and I mean rainy*, Saturday afternoon June 15. Despite the rain, the farm and buildings were beautiful, the food excellent, the cars cool and the hospitality outstanding. Dave and Stephanie recently purchased a 1963 Avanti and will be joining our club soon. What a great addition. Let's hope they invite us again next year and that the weather will cooperate.



Hosts, Dave and Stephanie Limpus



Mike Bakers 1963 Avanti and the Kennedy's Hudson made it to the party.



Grill masters Dave and Judith Coleman



Roush Mathews is selling Dale McPhearson's 1939 Champion Business Coup for the family.

Here's what I know: New 185 ci motor, new brakes and wiring. Runs good. Asking \$6,600.

Contact Roush at 765-427-7263



## 2019 Indianapolis Cars & Coffee Schedule

#	Date	Location	Times	Notes
17	July 6th	Gator Motorsport	8:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Limited to 275 cars - Please be understanding as parking is LIMITED!
18	July 13th	Indianapolis Motor Speedway Museum	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	
19	July 20th	Zionsville Lions Park	7:30 AM - 10:00 AM	Limited to 150 cars - Please be understanding as parking is LIMITED!
20	August 3rd	Gator Motorsport	8:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Limited to 275 cars - Please be understanding as parking is LIMITED!
21	August 10th	Indianapolis Motor Speedway Museum	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	
22	August 17th	St. Luke's United Methodist Church	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	
23	August 24th	Artomobilia	11:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Located in Carmel IN
24	August 31st	SILO Auto Club and Conservancy	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	
25	September 7th	Gator Motorsport	8:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Limited to 275 cars - Please be understanding as parking is LIMITED!
26	September 14th	Indianapolis Motor Speedway Museum	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	
27	September 21st	K1 Speed Fishers	10:00 AM - 2:00 PM	
28	September 28th	Graham Rahal Performance	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	
29	October 5th	Gator Motorsport	8:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Limited to 275 cars - Please be understanding as parking is LIMITED!
30	October 12th	Indianapolis Motor Speedway Museum	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	
31	October 19th	Zionsville Lions Park	7:30 AM - 10:00 AM	Limited to 150 cars - Please be understanding as parking is LIMITED!
32	October 26th	SILO Auto Club and Conservancy	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Trunk or Treat



All addresses and further information are on the Indianapolis Cars and Coffee Facebook page, <https://www.facebook.com/IndyCarsandCoffee/>



Sure hope this is a joke!

The city of Seattle just installed the new signaling for a roundabout. This, of course, is to help avoid any confusion...



# HOPE, INDIANA

## HERITAGE DAYS

**52<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL**

**SEPTEMBER 27, 28, & 29**

Dear Studebaker International,

The Board of Directors for the Festival & Bandstand Division would like to welcome you to be a partner in the upcoming Hope Heritage Days festival, our town's celebration of the rich, early American history and quality of life in the spirit and values of its founding fathers.

As a gift to the newly relocated Studebaker International team to the town of Hope, we have committed to bring a special exhibit provided by the Indiana Historical Society called "History On Wheels". Their custom trailer provides nearly 1,000 square feet of indoor space and allows guests to take a ride through the state's far-reaching and personal connections to the auto industry.

The exhibit touches on the history of more than 100 Indiana automakers and manufacturers, such as Cord, Duesenberg and *Studebaker*, and delves into the lives of Hoosier innovators and inventors.

To provide some background about our event, each year over 30,000 visitors pour into the historic town square during the two and a half days to enjoy live music, wonderfully prepared food by our local non-profit organizations, more than 90 craft vendors, historic reenactments, and other special events.

The nearly perfect weather during the 2018 festival rewarded our efforts by producing the most attended festival in memory. The food vendors saw over \$150K in sales and our local restaurants and downtown businesses experienced record totals. The Saturday night concert was most attended entertainment event with over 1200 on hand.

The Friday night gospel concert at Hauser High School and the bandstand concert events on the town square were major successes, and the Sunday afternoon parade and fly over continued to be the largest single day draw in the county with thousands in attendance.

Our promotional efforts greatly benefited our sponsors and participants due to our excellent relationship with regional radio stations and newspapers. We also employ digital media in order to provide comprehensive coverage of our event with our Facebook page having almost 5,000 followers.

The Festival Division is also a part of a parent organization, Heritage of Hope Inc., which includes our local digital newspaper, HSJ Online, the area Art Guild, and the Hope MainStreet group. These other organizations provide a support network for our festival that is as invaluable as it is unique. We also work closely with the Yellow Trail Museum and their board to provide the two-day Pioneer Village and other educational, history-focused events.

In the past, a large car show was held on Saturday with many participants remaining in the area to take part in the Sunday parade. We envision a role for Studebaker International and Studebaker car clubs to help create a first-class automotive event that will benefit each of us in 2019 and beyond.

We look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely,

Michael Dean, CEO of HOH Inc.



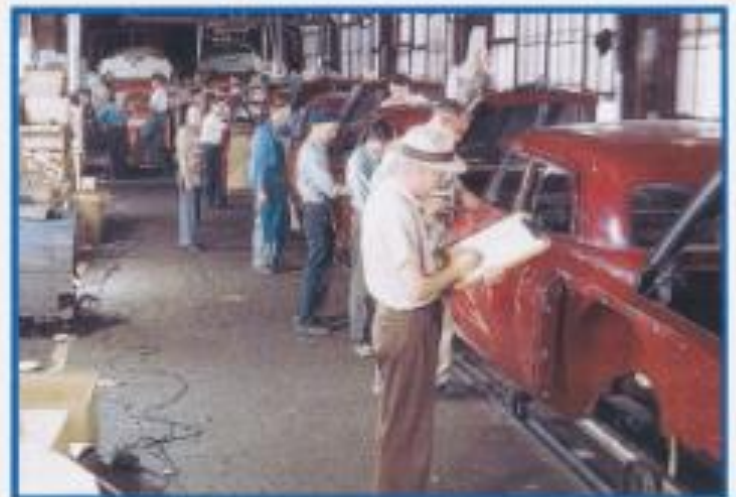
# Why is our Middle Class Shrinking?



The answer is simple. Middle Class jobs are disappearing! Robots are rapidly replacing flesh and blood workers. Manufacturing jobs (the backbone of the Middle Class) are going to Mexico, India and China where workers earn meager wages.

Our greedy CEOs don't understand basic Economics. Here's the formula: **Well paid workers buy products. Robots or overseas workers do NOT buy products!** It's not rocket science...but apparently these billion-dollar executives can't see beyond their expensive penthouses, luxury cars, airplanes, and yachts.

## What do you see in these pictures?



Yes...we clearly see workers building cars...Studebaker cars! Men who worked at Studebaker Corporation would buy groceries, clothes, and even cars with their wages. Any healthy economy needs to be well balanced in order to benefit everyone. When workers prosper, the whole country is in a better place financially.

So, I say send the high-paid executives overseas and bring back manufacturing to the United States!

# Upcoming Events

**July 13 - 1:00 p.m. – Bacon’s Annual Luau.** Joe Bacon will again provide the meat. Bring a favorite dish and eating utensils.



## Mark Your Calendar:



**August – Open.** Any ideas?

**September 11-14** – Studebaker International in Mansfield, Ohio. Refer to *Turning Wheels* for details.

**September 14** –



**September 27 – 29** – Hope, Indiana’s Heritage Day. See page 4 for details. By participating in this event **we show support for the new owners of Studebaker International** that have recently moved to Hope.

**October – Open.** Any ideas?

**Sunday, November 10 – 1:00 p.m.** Thanksgiving Dinner pitch-in hosted by Mike, Yvonne and Lincoln Baker at Mike’s shop in Greenfield.

**Saturday, December 14 at 1:00** – Christmas dinner at The Green Street Pub, 911 N. Green St., Brownsburg, Ind.



# The Brickyard Bulletin

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Regular membership dues in the National Studebaker Club are \$24.00 for new members 1<sup>st</sup> year only. Renewals are \$31.00 per year, which includes 12 monthly issues of *Turning Wheels*, the National SDC Magazine. (Other memberships are available.) Application is available upon request or e-mail [studebakerdriverclub.com](http://studebakerdriverclub.com).

National SDC membership is a prerequisite. Renewal INDY Chapter dues are \$18.00. Renewals are payable January each year. After March a \$5.00 late fee will be added. Application is available upon request.

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