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June 21 & 22, 2025 - John Hoelscher's 1943 Ford GTB "Popeye" at Thunder Over Michigan.  
Photo taken by Ken Hoelscher.

**Attention:** Next meeting will be held Saturday, August 9, 2025 at the home of John and Pam Cheney outside of North Baltimore, OH. Usual potluck so bring a dish to share and your drink if other than water. Potluck at noon, meeting afterwards. See info for meeting in this newsletter.

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*'Don't watch the clock; do what  
it does. Keep going.'  
- Sam Levenson*

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR 2025:

\*denotes OMP meeting  
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Last update 7/23/2025

**July 25 - 27, 2025:** - **Celina, OH** - The Battle of Grand Lake. Troops in Town. Kids activities including a kids reenactment. Harbor Point State Park, 200 pleasant Ridge Dr, Celina, OH. So much to do and see! For more information email at [troopsintown@gmail.com](mailto:troopsintown@gmail.com)

**August 1 - 3, 2025:** - **Toledo, OH** - Jeep Fest - for more information: - <https://toledojeepfest.com/> or contact Jerry Huber [jerryjeeper@aol.com](mailto:jerryjeeper@aol.com) Will waive fee if interested - contact Jerry!

**\*August 9, 2025:** - **North Baltimore, OH** - OMP meeting at the home of John & Pam Cheney. More in this newsletter.

**August 15 to 17, 2025:** - **Fort Jennings, OH** - 80th Anniversary - This is their website. <https://fjfortfest.com/> or call (419) 286-3533

**August 30 & 31, 2025:** - **Cincinnati, OH** - Lunken Airport Days. Would like MV displays. Lots to see and do. For more information - contact Jim Stitt (OMP member) at 513-289-6277 or [towerjimsk@gmail.com](mailto:towerjimsk@gmail.com)

**September 6 & 7, 2025:** - **Port Clinton, OH** - Military Vehicle & Living History Weekend at Liberty Aviation Museum. Vendors, reenactors & Living History display, For more info call 419-732-0234. (Liberty Aviation Museum)

**\*September 13, 2025:** - **Toronto, OH** - David and Donna Pizzoferrato will host the September OMP meeting at the Toronto Rod and Gun Club, 13824 Ohio State Rt. 152, Toronto, OH. Will have a MV ride around northern Jefferson County after the meeting. More in September newsletter.

**September 13, 2025:** - **Lima, OH** - 46th Annual Rebel Run. Car show at Ottawa Metro Park. \$10.00 entry fee. This year they added military vehicles. Proceeds to Macular Degeneration and Low Vision of Lima and local Autism Charities. For more info: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/9544121872311801>

**September 13 & 14, 2025:** - **Linden, MI** - 4th Annual Military Vehicle Display and Swap Meet. 6036 Lobdell Rd., Linden, MI. For more info - Doug Lentz: [lentzdoug@aol.com](mailto:lentzdoug@aol.com) or 810-513-9920

**September 19 & 20, 2025:** - **Portland, IN** - 34th Annual Salute to the Troops, Indiana Military Vehicle Preservation Association Vehicle Show & Swap Meet. Info and vendor sites contact: Mike Lusty, 765-618-7219

**September 21, 2025:** - **Paulding, OH** - Flat Rock Creek Truck show. For more info contact: - Mike Kauser 419-399-5856.

**October 10 - 12, 2025:** - **Lima, OH** - Lauer Farms 1944WWII Living History event. 800 Roush Rd., Lima, OH for more info: [lauerfarms1944@gmail.com](mailto:lauerfarms1944@gmail.com)

**October 10 & 11, 2025:** - **Shepherdsville, KY** - 2025 Military Vehicle Show & Swap Meet - 2nd Annual Roll Call of Veterans Powwow at Bullitt County Fairgrounds, 964 Clermont Rd. For information or to reserve dealer/vendor/military vehicle display space(s), email Mario Maipid [usgimvhg@yahoo.com](mailto:usgimvhg@yahoo.com)

**\*October 11, 2025:** - **West Salem, OH** - OMP meeting at Tegtmeier's shop at Ethan's house with Dan & Beth Tegtmeier co-hosting. More in October newsletter.

**\*November 8, 2025:** - **Harrisburg, OH** - OMP meeting at Central Ohio Military Museum. No potluck. More info in Nov. newsletter.

**\*December 6, 2025:** - Tiffin, OH - OMP Christmas banquet/meeting at the Amvets Post 48. More info in November.

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR 2026:

**March 27 to 29, 2026:** - **Cleveland, OH** - Piston Powered Autorama at the IX Center. <https://www.pistonpowershow.com/> More info later.

**May 2 & 3, 2026:** - **Mansfield, OH** - Annual Ohio Civil War Show and Artillery Show at Richland Co. Fairgrounds.

### Deadline for next newsletter ads for info - August 19, 2025.

**Ever wondered about those rubber ducks people plant on your vehicle?** Even though we have much older Jeeps, we've found rubber ducks on our vehicles. I've always wondered where this action came from and here is the answer.

This was on the Sleepy Hollow Auto Group's website but I couldn't find who actually wrote it. So here goes...

*Have you ever seen a rubber duck perched on a Jeep, or maybe a flock of them sitting on the dashboard, and wondered what it was doing there? Whether you're a Jeep enthusiast or just curious, read on to learn how "Jeep Ducking" started and why getting "ducked" is a compliment!*

*In July 2020, Allison Parliament had recently moved to a new town and purchased a Jeep Wrangler. After a tough day, she was out shopping and spotted another Jeep Wrangler in the parking lot of the store. Wanting to spread a little positivity, she took out a marker and wrote "Nice Jeep" on a rubber duck she'd just purchased, and she left it on the vehicle for the owner to find. As she was finishing up, the owner of the vehicle – who she described as a "burly, scary-looking, 6-foot-5 guy" – asked what she was doing. She showed him the duck, and he loved it! He told Allison she should post it on social media.*

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## President Says...Hi Folks,

I hope everyone is doing well. I have been busy with things around the property.

John Cheney and I went to the Redstone Arsenal to pickup some treasures. We will have some pictures in next month's newsletter. John has the items on display at his place. You can kick the tires and touch the equipment. It's always an adventure going with John on one of his trips.

We had a great turnout at Don & Ann Winegardner's place. The rain came while Miriam & I were on our way home.

Our next meeting will be at John & Pam Cheney's place. It will be a potluck, so bring your favorite side, salad or dessert. Bring your own drink, if you want something other than water. Plan on spend a little extra time to see the Cheney's collection. There is a lot of vehicles and other things to see. The September meeting will be on the east side of the state. David & Donna Pizzoferrato will be hosting the meeting. I know that is a lot of events coming up in August and September. There are a lot of them listed on our calendar of event in the newsletter. I hope to see you all soon.

Your President,  
**Alan Kisling**



## Editor Says...Hi Everyone!

First I'd like to **thank everyone** who helped setup and teardown at the last meeting held at our house. The weather was questionable so we couldn't really set too much up ahead of time plus we changed where the food was to go because of the possible rain so quickly cleared out the garage and clean it. As it was, the weather was HOT but it did not rain at our house. I heard others had rain on their way home, sometimes heavy, but we had nothing. I had limits as to what I could do as the sciatica that I have decided it was a good time to go ballistic. We really appreciate everyone who helped!

Some of you may have heard the IX Center has been sold and so after a certain time there will be no more Piston Powered Autorama there. At this time, Piston Powered is scheduled to have what looks like the last event at the IX Center in 2026. It is sad that this great venue will no longer be available for large events. We will have to keep watch to see if they do keep it open until the end of March like I have read.

Like Alan said in his writeup the **September** meeting will be on the eastern side of the state. The Pizzoferrato's have given me road directions and also some hotel/motels if you would like to go down early or stay late and you'd like to split up your drive time. It is a beautiful area down there!

Next meeting is at the Cheney's August 9th and again like Alan said, there is a lot to see there so come and spend some time seeing all there is to see. Also, since John is working out of town for awhile, it would be much appreciated for help tearing down for them. Maps and information for the potluck is in this issue.

See you the 9th,  
**Ann Winegardner**



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*She posted the photo that day, and her unique act of kindness spread like wildfire under the hashtag #duckduckjeep. People started buying rubber ducks and leaving them on Jeeps across the nation, inspiring a fun tradition among Jeep owners and enthusiasts alike. Soon, people were buying ducks in different colors, ducks of different sizes, ducks in outfits – all with the intention of giving them away to make someone else smile. And as people collected them, Jeep drivers displayed them on their dashboard – in what's now lovingly known as a "duck pond."*

*Jeep couldn't help but notice, and in 2022, they inflated the world's largest rubber duck (61 feet tall!) at the North American International Auto Show in honor of the "Duck Duck Jeep" movement. People loved the giant duck, too, and now it's been to over 25 locations – a big feat for a duck that weighs over 8,000 pounds. Today, new Jeep owners look forward to both getting their first duck and giving their first duck away, although anybody can participate. And while other trends inspired by Jeep Ducks have popped up ("Buck Buck Bronco" and "Yoda Yoda Toyota"), it's true that only Jeep fans could've turned such a simple act of kindness into an international phenomenon that's still going strong years later.*

*So next time you see a dashboard full of ducks, know that each duck represents a Jeep owner on a mission to spread positivity, kindness, and a few laughs, too.*



**SECRETARY'S REPORT:** Meeting was called to order by President Alan Kisling on Saturday, July 12, 2025 at 1:25pm. Meeting was held at the home of Don & Ann Winegardner.

**Pledge of Allegiance.** Led by Alan Kisling.

**Secretary's report:** Miriam Kisling made motion to accept the minutes as written in the newsletter. Connie Bailey 2nd motion and motion passed. As we are trying to cut costs, if you have an **active** email address please reconsider receiving your newsletter by email to help save costs.

**Treasurer's report:** Report is from June 14 through July 11, 2025. Income is from 2025 and 2026 dues, last wall calendar and 50/50 raffle. OMP expenses this month were for bank service charges, Porto-pot at Kisling's meeting, July newsletter (postage, printing, sales tax) and web site expenses for April and May. Rick Carine made motion to accept the Treasurer's report and Molly Constien seconded. Motion passed.

For a more detailed report, which is available to members, please contact John Cheney II.

**Guests:** Jean Nitzh guest of Rick Forys, Becky (Winegardner-Bohn), Karter and Briella Bohn.

**New Members:** None this month.

**New Business:** Alan thanked the Winegardner's for hosting the meeting.

We made mention that the next day (July 13) was Ned Cole's birthday.

Chip Lytle had a couple of surgeries recently and is doing better. David Shoemaker had eye surgery Wednesday and is doing ok.

John Cheney II will be out of state from July 30th until mid October due to business so will be to their meeting in August but mostly will be in North Carolina, so rarely will be home then in case you need to contact him.

Wrap-up meeting will be held next Saturday (July 19) at Cheney's for AFD.

Tim Robertson brought up that they are working on plans for a Tom Price Ambassador of Achievement Award. Nothing is definite at this time but Tim stated that the principle of the award is the highest honor bestowed annually by the Ohio Motorpool. Named in tribute to longtime member and passionate advocate Tom Price, this award recognizes an individual whose exceptional dedication, leadership, and tireless efforts have significantly advanced the mission of our organization.

This prestigious award honors a member who has gone above and beyond in actively supporting the Ohio Motorpool—not only by helping us grow and thrive in the present but by ensuring the future of our purpose. Through meaningful education, interactive experiences, and enthusiastic event participation, the recipient of this award embodies the spirit of community, history, and service that Tom Price championed throughout his life.

The award will be presented at the Findlay gathering, the award is a symbol of enduring legacy and service. It is reserved for those who reflect Tom's unwavering commitment to preserving military history, engaging with the public, and strengthening the bonds of our membership.

The Tom Price Ambassador of Achievement Award is

not simply a recognition—it's a celebration of excellence, purpose, and the passion that drives us forward. Also, a member(s) of Tom Price's family will be present to present the award.

**Old Business:** Ask Rick Carine about his "pink" vehicle he recently acquired. Not military but a unique 48 Austin. He had 2 dropped off at the Winegardner's and picked up the last one before the meeting today. We awarded him the "Mary Kay" award for unique pink vehicle. Really - it was primer red that has set out in the California sun for many, many years, thus it faded, big time. The other Austin he picked up last week and is his new "race car." That one wasn't bad looking.

July 26 in Celina, OH is the Battle of Grand Lake - Troops in Town. This event will be held at Grand Lake in Celina and will incorporate activities for kids. They will have a "landing" and will have items that kids can use that looks like real items used for a reenactment but really expertly crafted by Mike Haines from everyday items. This event also is trying to bind a couple other groups related to history. August 9th meeting will be at the Cheney II Motorpool. Sept 6 & 7 will be the Living History Show at Liberty Aviation. Sept. 13th meeting will be in Southeastern Ohio with David and Donna Pizzoferrato hosting and David has sent instructions to the meeting place plus nearby hotels/motels for those who may wish to stay overnight. The Portland Show is the next weekend after the September meeting. Sept. 21st is the Paulding Truck Show which is just on your way home from Portland, IN. show. Sandy LeMieux said that the gentleman who started that show passed away not long ago so this show will be in memory of him. The October 11th meeting will be at the Tegtmeier's and the November 8th meeting will be at the Central Ohio Military Museum with Bob Traphagan hosting. He stated he'll have Lasagna, salad and garlic bread so we don't have to bring anything. Our Christmas Banquet will be December 6th in Tiffin, Ohio at the AmVets Post 48.

Molly Constien made motion to adjourn and Tim Robertson 2nd. Motion passed.

**Raffles:** – The 50/50 raffle was won by Lee Stober. Other 50/50 items donated by Alan & Miriam Kisling, Bob Pierce, Barb & JD Smith and Ann Winegardner.

~~~MUSTER: Reminder, if you don't sign the signup sheet we won't have record of you being there for Perfect Attendance year end award.

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| Alan & Miriam Kisling                 | Don & Ann Winegardner     |
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| Georgia Wonderly                      | Mike Matesick             |
| Rick Carine                           | Ned Cole                  |
| Kurt, April, Ryan & Kaleb Winegardner | Kenny Adams               |
| Tim Robertson                         | Jean Nitzh (G)            |
| Becky (Winegardner-Bohn)              | Karter & Briella Bohn (G) |

**MEMBER UPDATES** - OMP hospital report. **Chip Lytle** is now out of the hospital but has had some surgery done due to complications due to his diabetes. He'll be out of commission for awhile so keep him in your thoughts and prayers for a quick recovery. If you'd like to send a card, contact Ann Winegardner for an address.

**David Shoemaker** has had some eye surgery recently and is recuperating from that. I hope by the time this newsletter goes out his eyesight will have cleared up from surgery. His next move then will be his cataract surgery. So hope all gets better quickly and be sure to also keep David in your thoughts and prayers.

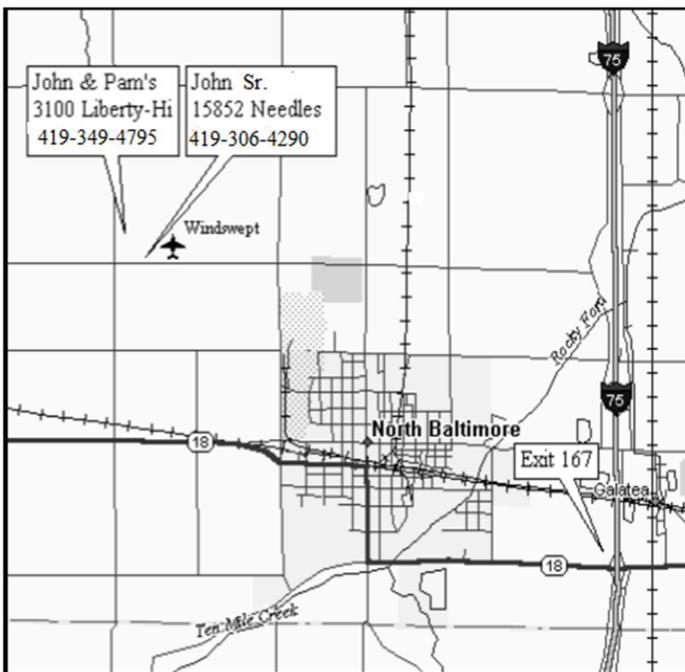
As always we still have those who are dealing with medical issues. Please keep these people in your thoughts and prayers.

That is all I have heard about so I hope that is all. This getting older stuff ain't for sissies.

**Next meeting is August 9, 2025 at the home of John & Pam Cheney, 3100 Liberty-Hi Rd., North Baltimore, OH.** 419-349-4795 (just in case you need to call for instructions). Everyone bring your favorite dish and your own drink if different from water. Sandwiches provided. We'll eat at noon and meeting afterwards. Please park civilian vehicles on the west end of the air strip, and military vehicles up by the barns.

Also, John will be out of town from July 30th to mid October working in North Carolina and will be home only for the weekend. So if you want something from the PX, contact John or Pam so it can be pulled ahead of time from the PX truck. This would save them a lot of hassle while getting ready for the group. The heads up would help greatly.

We don't want to spread out our host & hostess too thin on that day so please help out where ever you can. I know it is enormously appreciated.



These are from last year's August meeting at the Cheney's taken by drone. Thanks Oakland for awesome pictures.





**2025-06-13 Troy, OH** - Mike Haines took Ol' Scout out to the StoryPoint Father's Day car show. Photos by Mike Haines.



**2025-06-20 Vandalia, OH** - Vandalia Flight Fest 2025/Lt. Dan Band concert. Middle two photos plus lower left photos taken by Mike Haines. Lower right of Sgt. Yorkie taken by Lee Garner.



**2025-06-24 Findlay, OH** - Bob Pierce took his jeep and the deuce to the Scoops and Coops car show in Findlay. Georgia Wonderly said that quite a few of the folks asked Bob questions about the equipment and the jeep. Photo taken by Bob Pierce.



Above and middle - **2025-06-28 & 29 Perrysburg, OH** - David and Nathan Parker were asked to help with the 5th Ranger, Dog Co. training at Fort Meigs in Perrysburg, OH. The 1st Army, 518th Military Police Battalion and Signal Co. was also there to help put on training. Photos by David Parker.



**2025-07-04 West Milton, OH** - Staging for the West Milton Ohio Independent Day Parade. Photos taken by Mike Haines.



**2025-07-04 Fairborn, OH** - This bunch of dedicated 4th of July parade attendees had a great assortment of vehicles for this year's parade. Photos above and middle taken by Sam Cottongim.



(8) Photo to left taken by Ken Hoelscher and Sgt. Yorkie above taken by Lee Garner.



**2025-07-04 Findlay, OH** - Hangry Trucker Studios supplied the top two and bottom left photos. Rick Constien supplied the middle right photo. David Thomas was also in the parade but I couldn't find a picture of him.



Above is the staging area for the Findlay 4th of July parade taken by Bob Pierce. Georgia said there were lots of units in the parade and a great crowd cheering for everyone!

**2025-07-14 Ada, OH** - Ada VFW Car Show - David and Nathan Parker participating. Photo by David Parker.



**2025-07-04 Piqua, OH** - Piqua Fest 2025. Nice group of vehicles and Mike Haines won a trophy which was pretty cool using vehicle parts. The chain in the shape of a tank, so neat! Photos on this page taken by Mike Haines.



**2025-07-12 - Republic, OH** - OMP meeting was held on a really HOT day. A/C was available but even as warm as it was, there were shenanigans going on. Rick Carine brought some noise. Well, the neighbors kind of expect noise from us. Photos top group and middle group taken by Ann Winegardner



Kurt Winegardner took some pictures of the roasted corn and the brats we served up at the picnic.



# WANTED & FOR SALE

**CLUB For Sale & WANT ADS:** REMEMBER all ads are free to members and it is easy. Just e-mail your ad to me or call me. I only ask that when you sell the item, please let me know so I can mark sold or remove. E-mail me at [winegard@ezworks.net](mailto:winegard@ezworks.net) or call me at 419-639-3350. Leave a message if we aren't home. All ads should be given to me at least 2 1/2 weeks prior to the next meeting.

**OMP ad policy is that ads will be run four (4) months only. If you want them to run longer, please call or e-mail me at the end of the 4 month period and I'll keep in. (X) designated times that ad has run. Anything with a 1. Etc. is an item.**

## FOR SALE

**(1) FOR SALE:** OMP member selling his collection. Please contact him if your interested in these items.

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**Contact Jerry at [Jbow5222@gmail.com](mailto:Jbow5222@gmail.com), Westerville, OH.** For more information contact Jerry or contact Ann if you'd like to see photos.

**FOR SALE:** Military Vehicle books, you can buy direct from the author (an OMP member). Various topics, ranging from the very large 1100-page two-volume US Dodge to the band new Gun Trucks book (120 pages) to the 80-page M151 book. Visit [www.DavidDoyleBooks.com](http://www.DavidDoyleBooks.com) or request a printed list by sending LSASE to: **David Doyle, PO Box 110 Milan, TN 38358.**

**(3) FOR SALE - 3 ITEMS: Changes**

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3. Complete engine for M151A1/A2. \$275.00

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Vehicle located in Huron, OH.**



**(4) FOR SALE:** Huffman G519 Replica Bicycle, Pre- War Huffman Frame, Fenders, chainguard. Correct Huffman chain wheel, pedals, Front fork assembly. Torrington #12 handlebars, Persons-Majestic seat, Delta front light, rear deflector, and tire pump. \$1400.00 **Bob Whiteaker 313-690-7157, Canton, MI.**



## Vehicles below are not for sale!



**These are NOT for sale.**

Left Rick Carine's new project a 48 Austin 4 door. Nope, not a MV. Cute though.

On the right is the other 48 Austin which is a 2 door he bought at the same time, which is a race car. Both are real conversation starters!



Photos by Ann Winegardner.

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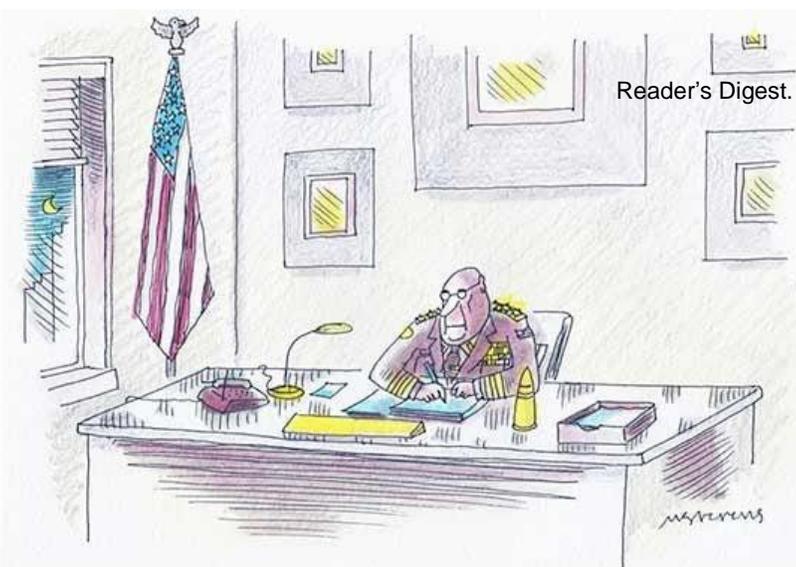
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 (Must be an OMP member)

Reader's Digest.



"How about if I just follow you on Twitter instead?"

Reader's Digest.



"Dear Diary, Incredible news! Unfortunately, it's all classified."

## NEWS FLASH! New for 2025

More activities for kids, including a kids reenactment  
Complete with a real beach landing from amphibious vehicles



# Troops In Town



And Celina post 210 of the American legion, 2510 State route 703, Celina present

## The Battle of Grand Lake

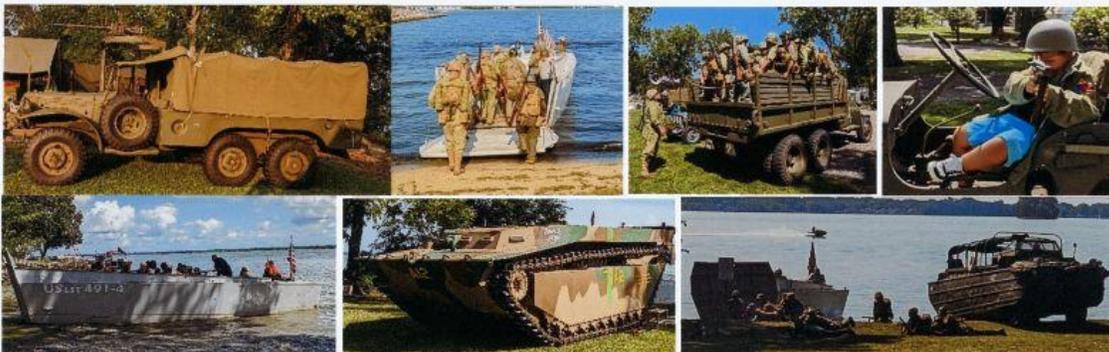
July 25-27, 2025, Harbor Point State Park 300 Pleasant Ridge Dr.  
Celina, Ohio

Reenactments, free rides on the lake in amphibious military vehicles,

And kids' reenactment / activities on Saturday the 26<sup>th</sup> only\*

See beach landings/ battle reenactments on two separate beaches. Explore realistic military encampments and talk with reenactors and living historians. You'll see displays of authentic military equipment and vintage military vehicles. Children's area with military gear they can try on for photo opportunities. We are expanding this year, in addition to Harbor Point State Park, we will have displays and more at the 4H camp, across from the park. Free parking and shuttles at the American Legion.

\*Ride availability is limited due to time constraints, watch our Facebook page for schedules.



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# D-DAY 2025 CONNEAUT ★★☆☆

Premier WWII Living History Event

AUG. 14-16



Visit [www.ddayohio.us](http://www.ddayohio.us) for updates  
and related information.



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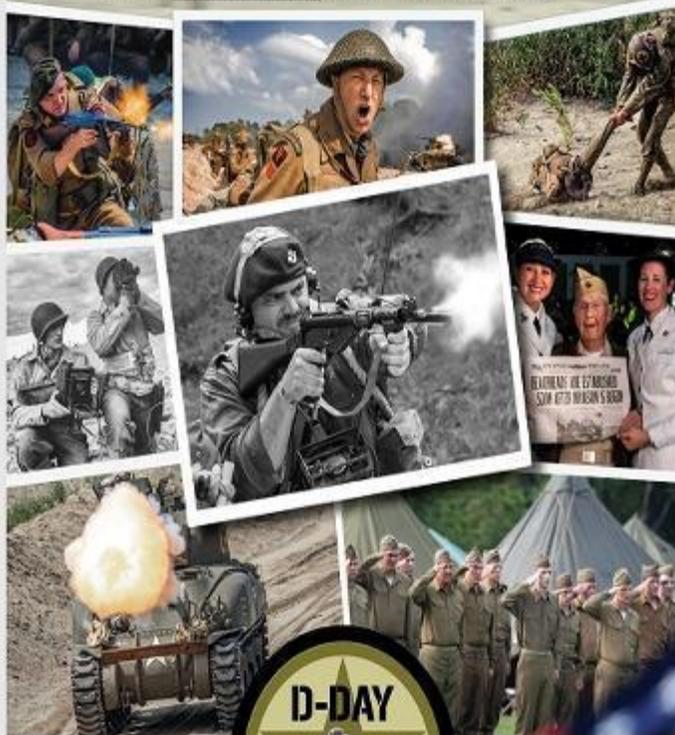
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## D-DAY CONNEAUT

Experience the Largest WWII  
Living History Event in the U.S.

- ★ **Interact** with 1,500+ living history reenactors representing WWII U.S., Commonwealth, and German soldiers, sailors, and support personnel plus French Resistance and 1940s civilians.
- ★ **Explore** Allied, French, and German encampments and their tactical support elements along with historical exhibits.
- ★ **See** training exercises, weapons, living history demonstrations, boats, planes, military vehicles and armor.
- ★ **Experience** 4 historic battle recreations plus skirmishes involving French Resistance forces and German troops.
- ★ **Watch** our climatic battle as Allied troops land via Higgins Boats, DUKWs, and LVTs. Look on as the men and their Armor units assault the German defenses on the bluffs overlooking "Normandy" beach as military aircraft fly cover overhead.
- ★ **Meet WWII Veterans** and honor them in person. Be amazed as they share their personal experiences and sacrifices.
- ★ **Admission, Parking and Shuttle to the Event is Free**

Located in North East Ohio on Lake Erie in Conneaut, Ohio. Visit [www.ddayohio.us](http://www.ddayohio.us) for free tickets, (available starting June 6) complete information, and an up-to-date schedule of events. Admission is free. All donations are welcome.



Aug. 14-16  
2025



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Aug. 13-15  
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**AUGUST 15-16-17, 2025**



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Aug 30 and 31, 2025

Lunken Airport 262 Wilmer Avenue Cincinnati, OH



Ride in a WWII Bomber! Historic warbird rides and cockpit tours!

Helicopter rides ☺ Military vehicles ☺ Color Guard ceremony

Classic cars ☺ Exhibitor booths ☺ Food trucks

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SAT. SEPT 6TH, 2025  
9AM - 5PM  
SUN. SEPT 7TH, 2025  
9AM-4PM



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Event is FREE, Liberty  
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a current Liberty Aviation  
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*34th Annual Salute to the Troops*

# Indiana Military Vehicle Preservation Association

Displays of Military Jeeps, Trucks, & Helicopter. Living History Displays & Helicopter Rides. Military Vehicles, Parts & Militaria for sale.

**MILITARY VEHICLE SHOW & SWAP MEET**  
Fri. 9AM-4PM & Sat. 9AM-3PM, September 19-20, 2025



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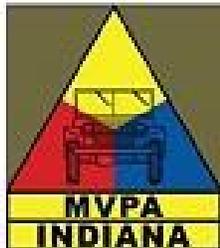
*Jay County Fairgrounds*  
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**FREE Admission**

For Information and vendor sites, contact: **Mike Lusty**  
(765) 618-7219 or [mlusty@indy.rr.com](mailto:mlusty@indy.rr.com)

*Hosted by the Museum of the Soldier in Portland. The annual Museum of the Soldier fundraiser dinner is Friday afternoon. Contact: Jim Woelcher at 260-729-7017 or [museum@bright.net](mailto:museum@bright.net).*



- Outdoor & covered vendor spaces—\$30
- Primitive camping sites
- Vehicle display space—FREE
- Museum of the Soldier—OPEN

Museum  
Of the  
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# ***FLAT ROCK CREEK FALL TRUCK SHOW***

**~ PAULDING, OH ~**

**Sunday, September 21, 2025**

**\*\* 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. \*\***

**24th Annual AHS Vintage Truck Show  
Featuring Antique & Special Interest Vehicles**

**LOCATION: John Paulding Historical Society Museum  
600 Fairground Dr  
(Across from the Paulding Co Fairgrounds)  
Paulding, OH 45879**

**No Admission Charge \* No Entry Fee \* Donations Accepted \* Rain or Shine  
Free Parking \* Lunch Available at the Museum**

**Bring your truck and enjoy! Fun for the whole family!**

*In Memory of  
John Henry Kauser*

**For Information contact:**

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**\* ONLY FIREARMS ISSUED TO KNOWN NATIONAL MILITARY FORCES WILL BE DISPLAYED AND SOLD. THE SALE AND DISPLAY OF LIVE AMMUNITION IS NOT PERMITTED, ONLY BLANK AMMUNITION WILL BE SOLD. THERE WILL BE AN FFL ON SITE. WW-II ERA M5A1**

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# The OMP PX

OMP club shirts, coats, patches, pins, hats, etc.



To order contact Ohio Motorpool, Inc. Treasurer, John Cheney II at [m2hbcrazy@yahoo.com](mailto:m2hbcrazy@yahoo.com) for total cost and shipping or 419.349.4795.



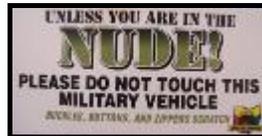
**Club dress golf shirt.** 100% combed cotton, tan only. Sizes left are 2 small. \$10.00



The **First Original Club Shirt.** (the Binkley shirt) 100% preshrunk cotton. Black (original color) and now in dark green. All short sleeved. Small, Med, large, X large, \$18.00. 2X large & 3X large. \$20.00



Ohio Motorpool **Stickers, \$2.00**  
**Patches, \$5.00**  
**LG. Ohio Patch \$20.00**  
**Pins \$4.00**



**Magnets, 2 to choose from. \$8.00 each.**

**OMP Antenna flags.** Have sleeve in end to slide on pole. \$20.00/ea. New style.  
**OMP 3 X 5 flag - \$110.00/ea.**



The **Ohio Shirt** comes in a tee shirt or a sweatshirt. ash or khaki, OD, military green or pink. **Short Sleeve** small, med, large, X large. \$15.00. 2X - 3X - \$18.00.

**Long Sleeve** Besides the colors above this also comes in Forest Green. SM - XL \$18.00. 2X - 4X \$20.00.

**Sweatshirt** in ash, SM - XL \$20.00. 2XL to 4x - \$24.00.



**OMP jackets.** Comes in Sage or Gun Metal Grey. Call John Cheney II for pricing. SM to 5XL. Be sure to ask about availability of size before ordering.

**Proud to be an American shirt** - color is ash. SM - XL \$20.00. 2X - 4X \$24.00



**NEW Youth Short Sleeve Ohio** shirt (same design as the adult Ohio shirt) in Khaki only. Youth small to large, \$15.00

**NEW - OMP name badge.** Contact John Cheney II for ordering. Badge with shipping \$10.00.



**Hat** is in 4 colors, khaki, OD, & dark green, stone wash green or cammo. Has a metal adjustment in the back. For the ladies,

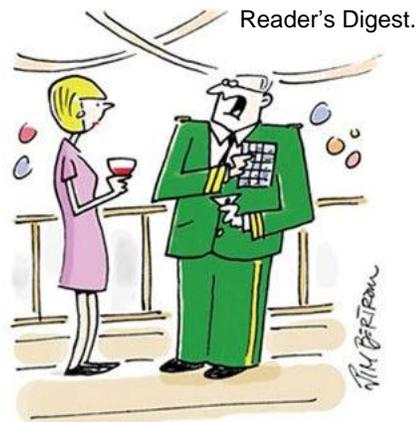


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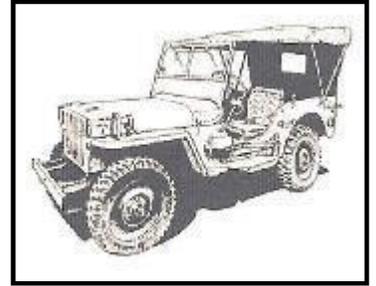
# The Ohio Motorpool, INC.

## Membership application



The Ohio Motorpool Inc. was organized in September 1991 in Findlay, Ohio. It meets monthly, usually on a Saturday afternoon at a designated location which changes monthly.

See newsletter for meeting dates and times.



**Dues are \$20.00 per year for a single membership. \$30.00 for couple/family including children under 18 years of age. Vehicle Ownership is not a Prerequisite for Membership**

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Name if they will also be a member: \_\_\_\_\_

**If you would like to have membership name badge please include \$10.00 for a single, \$15.00 for a couple. Price includes shipping.**

Please check.  ONE  TWO  NONE

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Number & Street City, State & Zip

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Home E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*\*If not marked, newsletter will be sent via e-mail if e-mail address is provided.** We prefer email if possible. E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently a member of Military Vehicle Preservation Association?  YES  NO If Yes, what is your number? \_\_\_\_\_

Please list all military vehicles that you own. Include the M-Number, manufacturer, year, class and any other information you would like to include.

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Do you have any other related interests? (Swap meet vendor: Collect insignias, uniforms or models: etc.) Please list:

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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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| Payment:   |       |
| Membership | _____ |
| Badge      | _____ |
| Total      | _____ |

Please send application and check payable to Ohio Motorpool Inc. to the **Treasurer:** John Cheney II, 3100 Liberty-HI Road, North Baltimore, OH 45872 Cell: 419.349.4795

You can also pay for your dues via PayPal. Just send the money to [treasurer@ohiomotorpool.org](mailto:treasurer@ohiomotorpool.org) Please include an extra dollar for the fees.

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