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Quilts on Barns Tour

Most every year many of the Milwaukee Model T Ford Club members participate in an overnight tour. This year Sharon Venski organized the "Quilts on Barns" overnight tour.

Sharon Venski & Dan Nogalski (& kids), Frank and Nancy Daily, Mark and Marge Kranz, Bob Wirth, Ruth Wegener, Tim and Michel Kirst, Mike and Dan Zahorik attended. We traveled the rural roads of Racine County in Southeastern Wisconsin to see some color that Mother Nature offered and the bright quilt patterns mounted on historic barns. We found about 20 barns sporting 8 x 8 foot square painted plywood quilt patterns, all visible from the road. This ambitious project is cosponsored by the nonprofit Racine Arts Council in conjunction with the Racine County Convention and Visitors Bureau. We spent Saturday finding the first 10 barns, plus stopping at a car show in Raymond and a tractor show at the Racine County Fair Grounds. At our hotel, we grilled hamburgers and brats for a nice picnic style supper. The next morning we had breakfast at the "Apple Holler", then we toured to last 10 barns. In between we stopped at an old cemetery where we investigated many old graves and monuments. We also stopped at a Caledonia County Park where an old railroad station house was being restored and later an antique shop where you could find almost any item from the past. We all enjoyed the tour and want to thank Sharon for organizing it. See page 7 & 11 and the website for more pictures.



Model T Disc Brakes *Part 1*



1]— Quilts on Barns --- The annual overnigher tour through Racine county.

5]— Model T Coach House — Working on Franks rear axle.

8]— 10th YMCA Car Show — Kent hosts another excellent YMCA car show fund raiser.

9]— Paw Paw Speedster — Kent's Trip Part 1.

10]— 2011 Michigan Jamboree — August 16th, our first day out.

14]— 2011 President's Dinner — November 12th, Dinner and Elections.

4]— President's Message — Recent tours, Elections and the President's Dinner.

6]— I did it, So can you! — Model T Disc Brakes -- Part 1.

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