

DRIVIN' THE DIXIE
SATURDAY, JUNE 18, 2016

*Enjoy a leisurely drive all day, along the historic Dixie Highway.
Visit historic sites and community events.
Tour with the A's R Us Model A Ford Car Club of America with your own vintage cars or contemporary vehicles. Stop where you please for as long as you like. Receive a free raffle ticket at the Dixie Booth on Island Park in Momence for each town you visit.
Winners must be present for drawing.*

To pre-register send name, address, vehicle make, model, year, color, tag #, proof of license, proof of insurance and check for \$15.00 for each car by June 8, 2016.

Registration day of event is \$20.00 each car.

Make checks payable to
A's R Us Model A Ford Car Club
PO Box 3
Crete, IL 60417
or register online at
www.drivingthedixie.com

Registration required to participate in car events and to have passports stamped. Participants must begin in Blue Island.

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2016

Sponsored by the following communities

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★ **POSEN**
★ **MARKHAM**
★ **HAZEL CREST**
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★ **CHICAGO HEIGHTS**
★ **STEGER**
★ **CRETE**
★ **BEECHER**
★ **GRANT PARK**
★ **MOMENCE**

DRIVIN' THE DIXIE
GENERAL INFORMATION
Elaine Egdorf 708.798.9535
www.drivingthedixie.com

For information on each town's events call the town's number listed.

Communications by
Tri Town Amateur Radio Club

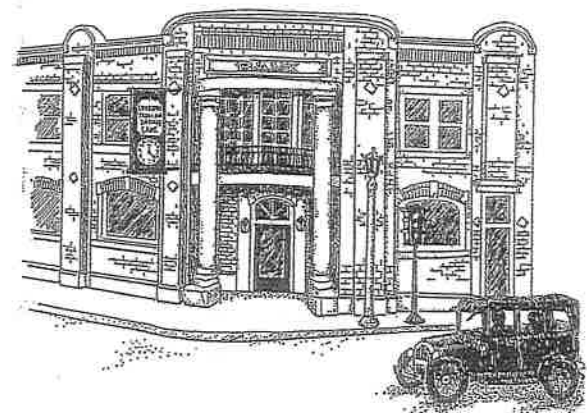
A's R Us Model A Ford Club of America
708.596.6302



15TH ANNUAL
DRIVIN' THE DIXIE

Participants follow tour guide and map to historic points of interest and new destinations. Explore historic Dixie Highway.

Celebrating 101 years
1915-2016



Drivin' the Dixie won a Superior Achievement Award from the Illinois State Historical Society for its innovative way of promoting history.

Sat., June 18, 2016

BLUE ISLAND

- 8:00-10:00 Register vehicles. Union St. & Western Ave. (Dixie Hwy.). Enter at High St.
- Registered cars will receive tour guide, map, passports to be stamped, and Dixie Highway windshield sticker.
 - Coffee & rolls
 - See variety of architecture in homes
 - Visit oldest hardware store in Illinois
 - Garage sales
 - Information: 708.388.1000

POSEN

- Cars travel south on Western/Dixie.
- Village Hall
2440 W. Walter Zimny Drive
Blessing of cars
- Information: 708.385.0139

MARKHAM

- Tour Markham Roller Rink
16630 Dixie Hwy.
Live Jazz Band
Car show
- Information: 708.331.4905 ex. 314

HAZEL CREST

- Mi-Jack Products on 167th St.
See Indy 500 Racecar, Busch Series Nascar, and classic car displays
- Information: 708.335.9600, ex. 107

HOMEWOOD

- Tour historic 1935 former Bank of Homewood now boutique La Banque Hotel and La Voute French Restaurant.
- View 15 world famous Richard Haas Trompe l'oeil (Fool the Eye) murals including Dixie Viaduct, Dixie Diner, Dixie Service Garage, Homewood Theatre
- See the Illinois State Historical Marker for Dixie Highway and Dixie Highway

national mileage post one block south of Ridge Rd.

- Farmers Market: produce, cheese, baked goods, flowers, entertainment
- Information: 708.798.9535

FLOSSMOOR

- Flossmoor Family Automotive Repair,
2733 Flossmoor Rd.
Special car display
- Sculptures
- See Flossmoor Station Restaurant & Brewery, Caboose Ice Cream Shop
- Information: 708.798.0806

CHICAGO HEIGHTS

- See Bloom High School, on National Register and one of 150 most significant architectural structures in Illinois.
- Note "Crossroads of America", Arche Fountain, Lincoln statue: "On the Road to Greatness", Our Lady of the Way, Veterans Mound, at Chicago Road/Dixie Hwy. & Rt. 30/Lincoln Hwy.
- Information: 708.755.3106

STEGER

- Free hot dog lunch for registered participants
K-Mart parking lot
- Information: 708.243.4705

CRETE

- Note Dixie Hwy. mural on right side of road across from library.
- See Hubbard's Trace marker at 1221 Main St.
- Visit Lincolnshire Country Club
- See Craftsmen houses
- Visit Crete Park
- Information: 708.672.9216

BEECHER

- Visit historic train depot/Washington Township Museum & caboose, 573 Reed St.
- Visit Tri Town Radio Club Special Event Radio Station broadcasting around the world
- Information: 708.946.0291

GRANT PARK

- Visit Old Village Hall
- Grant Park Historical Museum
- Ice cream, baked goods for sale
- Information: 815.514.0343

MOMENCE

- Tour Momence Heritage House
117 N. Dixie Hwy.
- Scavenger Hunt Contest
\$250 prize
- Live Music
- Participating cars arrive at Island Park. Bring lawn chairs or blankets for seating. Passports validated for raffle tickets.
- Raffle drawing at Island Park Bandstand for registered Drivin' the Dixie participants. Winner must be present.
- Poker Run
- Information: 815.472.3861

Take a selfie at a historic site!

**CELEBRATING 101 YEARS
ON THE DIXIE HIGHWAY**

**See newly installed centennial signs
in each participating town featuring
the national map of Dixie Highway
and historic photographs.**