

2016
National Park Service
CENTENNIAL



WELCOME TO THE 66TH ANNUAL OLD CAR FESTIVAL

The longest-running antique car show in the country

For this year's Old Car Festival, we celebrate the centennial of the National Park Service and explore the role the automobile played in the flourishing of our national parks. By the late 1910s and '20s, Americans were quickly adapting the relatively new automobile technology to their need to explore the great outdoors. This era saw the rise of "car camping" and the birth of the travel trailer industry right here in Detroit. It also coincides with the official beginning of the National Park Service on August 25, 1916. What began as an uneasy relationship between the NPS and the automobile eventually found common ground, and by the 1920s, hundreds of thousands of Americans were finding their way to our parks — in cars. Join us as we explore America's passion for camping with a display of early camping vehicles and equipment.



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OLD CAR FESTIVAL

► **SEPTEMBER 10-11, 2016**
GREENFIELD VILLAGE®, DEARBORN, MICHIGAN

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Special Demonstrations and Presentations

Celebrate the Great Outdoors

This year, we celebrate the great outdoors and the National Park Service Centennial with a special display of vehicles and other objects from the collections of The Henry Ford.

Behind Wright Home & Cycle Shop
All day

National Park Service Junior Ranger Swearing-In Ceremony

Children of all ages are welcome.

Reviewing Stage at Washington Boulevard and Main Street
11:00 Saturday

Special Vehicle Display

See an interesting array of historic vehicles from the collections of The Henry Ford, featuring Henry Ford's 1896 Quadricycle and 1901 Sweepstakes replica.

Village Green
All day

"Kitchen Sink" Engine Demonstration

Watch a running replica of Henry Ford's first gasoline engine from 1893.

Bagley Avenue

On the hour,
10:00-7:00 Saturday
10:00-4:00 Sunday

Running of Sweepstakes Replica

See firsthand the power of Ford's first race car, the 1901 Sweepstakes.

Reviewing Stage at Washington Boulevard and Main Street

6:00 Saturday
1:00 Sunday



Pass-in-Review Parades

Join historians Matt Anderson, Marty Bufalini, Ross Hill, David Liepelt and Derek Moore as they share their vast collective knowledge of the history, design and fun of these vintage vehicles.

Reviewing stage at Washington Boulevard and Main Street

Saturday, September 10

Bicycles

11:00, following National Park Service Program

Vehicles Through 1918 and Commercial Vehicles

1:00

Sweepstakes, Speedsters and Other Race Cars

For nearly as long as there have been automobiles, there has been automobile racing. Many engineering and safety advances in automobile technology have come directly from advances made on the racetrack.

6:00

The Depression-Era South

Learn about life in the early 1930s at the Mattox Family Home.

Historic cooking will be featured.
Mattox Family Home
All day

Motor Touring Exhibition

Join historian Daniel Hershberger for this special presentation on early roadside camping.

Near Scotch Settlement School
Noon & 3:15 Saturday & Sunday

Special Motor Touring Presentations with Daniel Hershberger

Find out how Michigan put the world on wheels with the Model T, and learn about early trailer manufacturing.

Town Hall
1:30 Saturday

Learn about motor camping on the Lincoln Highway to see America.

Town Hall
1:30 Sunday

Automobile Demonstrations

Learn about the evolution of the automobile from historian Wade Leonard.

Walnut Grove

Noon, 1:00, 2:30 & 3:30
Saturday & Sunday

Canadian Model T Assembly Team

Watch a Model T be assembled in minutes!

Walnut Grove

12:30 & 3:00
Saturday & Sunday

Car Games

Competition in early motoring skills.

Walnut Grove

11:30-4:00
Saturday & Sunday

Sunday, September 11

Bicycles and Motorcycles

11:00

Vehicles 1919 Through 1932

1:00

Awards Ceremony

Following the last Pass-in-Review.

#1 Awards

Presentation of judging awards following final Pass-in-Review Parade.

Reviewing Stage at Washington Boulevard and Main Street

Sunday only



LANSING TO DEARBORN, CARS THROUGH 1921, SPEEDSTERS, STEAM CARS, MOTORCYCLES & BICYCLES

JUDGED CARS

1922-1927 CARS & MOTOR TOURING DISPLAY

COMMERCIAL VEHICLES & JUDGED COMMERCIAL VEHICLES

1928-1932 CARS

TICKETS



Saturday Evening Activities

Greenfield Village is open until 9:00; however, historic buildings close at 5:00.

Special Saturday Concert

Enjoy the gaslight parade listening and dancing to ragtime favorites performed by the River Raisin Ragtime Revue.

Reviewing Stage at Washington Boulevard and Main Street

Concert at 7:00

Saturday Gaslight Tour

Enjoy the spectacular sight as hundreds of cars featuring gas, kerosene and early electric lamps take to the streets.

Beginning at 7:00

Dramatic Presentations

Simply Gershwin

Celebrate beloved composer George Gershwin in this newly revamped 30-minute music, comedy and dance revue.

Town Hall
11:45, 12:45, 2:45 & 3:45
(plus 5:30 Saturday)
Saturday & Sunday

Henry's T

Meet Henry Ford in this 10-minute one-man show, and hear how he was inspired to build the world's universal car.

Near Ford Motor Company
10:30, 11:30, 12:30 & 1:30
Saturday & Sunday
(plus 2:30, 3:30, 4:30 & 5:30 Saturday)

Hands-On Activities

Model T Photo Op

Next to Ford Motor Co. building.
9:30-7:00 Saturday
9:30-5:00 Sunday

Bicycle Games

With the Wheelmen.
Special Demo area
2:00 Saturday & Sunday

Design-a-Hat

Purchase and customize a one-of-a-kind ladies hat.
Mrs. Cohen's Millinery
10:00-7:00 Saturday
10:00-3:00 Sunday

Take a Road Trip

Free for families of all ages.
Begins at Town Hall
10:00-7:00 Saturday
10:00-5:00 Sunday

Live Music

The Village Trio

Town Hall
12:30 (plus 5:00 Saturday)
Near Scotch Settlement School
2:40 Saturday & Sunday

Greenfield Quartet

Near Scotch Settlement
12:45 & 2:40 Saturday and Sunday
4:45 Saturday

Cole Porter Medley

Town Hall
11:30 (plus 5:15 Saturday)
Near Scotch Settlement
3:00 Saturday & Sunday

Model T Medley

Near Scotch Settlement
11:45 & 2:30

Irving Berlin Medley

Near Scotch Settlement
1:00
Town Hall
3:30 Saturday & Sunday

The Village Strings

Bandstand
11:00, 1:00, 3:00 & 4:00
Saturday & Sunday

Historians

Matt Anderson

Automobile Historian and Curator of Transportation, The Henry Ford

Marty Bufalini

Broadcaster and Automobile Historian

Daniel Hershberger

Automobile and Roadside America Historian

Ross Hill

Bicycle Historian

Wade Leonard

Automobile Historian

David Liepelt

Railroad Specialist, The Henry Ford, and Automobile Historian

Derek Moore

Crawford Curator of Transportation History, Crawford Auto and Aviation Museum, Western Reserve Historical Society, Cleveland, Ohio

Shopping

Greenfield Village Store

9:30-9:30 Saturday
9:30-5:30 Sunday

Main Street Emporium

9:30-5:00 Saturday & Sunday

Liberty Craftworks Store

10:00-7:00 Saturday
10:00-5:00 Sunday

Map Key

- Ride Stops
- General Tickets and Membership
- Ride Tickets
- Restrooms
- Family Restroom
- ATM
- Mobility Rentals
- Information
- Designated Smoking Area
- Phone
- Gaslight Tour Route
- Emergency issues: please contact any staff member for assistance
- Under Restoration

Shopping

- Greenfield Village Store
- Liberty Craftworks Store
- Main Street Emporium

Dining

- A Taste of History®
- Eagle Tavern
- Carousel Confections
- Sir John Bennett Sweet Shop
- State Street Lunch Stand
- Owl Night Lunch Wagon
- Frozen Custard
- Mrs. Fisher's Southern Cooking

Historic Transportation

- Weiser Railroad (3 stops) \$5 per person (unlimited rides)
- 1931 Ford Model AA Bus (5 stops) Saturday 9:30-7:00 & Sunday 9:30-5:00 \$50 per ride
- Model T Rides Saturday 9:30-7:00 & Sunday 9:30-5:00 \$5 per person
- Herschell-Spillman Carousel \$3 per person

To locate an activity, match the icon next to the activity with the icon on the map. All activities are free of charge.

All programs and prices are subject to change.