

Futurliner News – Special Edition

GM Futurliner Restoration Project
(See more on our web site: www.Futurliner.org)

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The Futurliner #10, restored by a group of Futurliner Volunteers has been "ON THE ROAD" again since the restoration was completed in 2004. Just like it was on the road in 1941, and again in the 1953 through 1956 period, the Futurliner has been shown in 38 shows located in nine different states and Canada.

The "ON THE ROAD 2009 SHOW" is about to begin again.

2009 Futurliner Show Schedule

- June 10** Grand Rapids, Michigan - AACA Summer Car Show
- June 20 & 21** Dearborn, Michigan - Motor Muster @ The Henry Ford Museum
- July 25** Cedar Springs, Michigan - Cedar Springs Summer Car Show
- August 14 & 15** Pontiac, Michigan - Woodward Dream Cruise
- August 21 & 22** Grand Rapids, Michigan - 28th Street Cruise
- September 26 & 27** Martinsburg, WV - Norwalk Festival
- October 1 – 3**..... Carlisle, Pennsylvania - Fall Carlisle
- October 7 – 10**..... Hershey, Pennsylvania - AACA Eastern Fall Meet
- October 11 through Spring 2010**..... Hershey, Pennsylvania - AACA Museum

Show Details and Locations

June 10 - AACA SUMMER CAR SHOW

Sponsored by the West Michigan Region of AACA.

Date and Time - June 10, 2009 (Wednesday) 5:00 PM until dusk.

Location - Millennium Park, 1415 Maynard Ave, SW, Grand Rapids, MI

Exit #70 from I-196 west of Grand Rapids, cross the Grand River and first road turn right.

Follow along the river until you get to Millennium Park.

Free Admission - No Judging - Everyone Welcome.

Contact information - mball@iserv.net ; www.futurliner.com

June 20-21 - MOTOR MUSTER

Sponsored by The Henry Ford - Motor Muster.

Date and Time - June 20 & 21, 2009 (Saturday until 9:00 PM & Sunday until)

Location - The Henry Ford is located in Greenfield Village, 20900 Oakwood Blvd,
Dearborn, MI 48124-4088

See contact information below for driving instructions.

Admission - Seniors \$21; adults \$22, youth 5-12 \$16, children 4 and under, free.

Event - Up to 800 invited vehicles. Many rare and unusual vehicles.

Contact information – www.thehenryford.org/events/motorMuster.aspx,
(313) 982-6001 or 1-800-835-5237.

July 25 - CEDAR SPRINGS SUMMER CAR SHOW

Sponsors include MHS Auto & Cedar Springs Museum

Date & Time - July 25, 2009 (Saturday) 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Location - Cedar Springs Museum, 60 Cedar Street (Morley Park), Cedar Springs, MI.

Cedar Springs is 25 miles north of Grand Rapids

Directions - US131, exit #120, to Cedar Springs, turn right and go through traffic light for
about 1/2 mile, just before next traffic light turn right (south) onto Third St.

One short block to Morley Park.

Pre Entry \$8/car, \$10/car show day.

Benefit - Proceeds to support the Cedar Springs Museum.

Contact information - (616) 696-3335 or csmuseum@wingsisp.com

August 15 - WOODWARD DREAM CRUISE

Futurliner sponsored by the Motor City Chapter of the Pontiac Oakland Club International.

Date & Time - August 15, 2009 (Saturday) 9:00 AM to 9:00 PM

Location - (For the Futurliner) Intersection of Woodward (Wide Track Dr. E.) and Whittmore.

Note: This site is in Pontiac, MI and is very close to the GM Truck and Coach plant where the
Futurliners were built in 1939 - 40.

No cost.

Contact information - www.woodwarddreamcruise.com or www.futurliner.com

Aug. 28-29 - 28th STREET METRO CRUISE

Futurliner sponsored by the Wyoming Kentwood Area Chamber of Commerce

Date & Time - August 28th & 29th, 2009 (Friday evening & Saturday)

Location - 15 miles of 28th Street running through the cities of Grandville, Wyoming,
Grand Rapids, Kentwood and Cascade Twp., MI

The Futurliner will be on static display in Wyoming, MI at the Klingman's Dept. Store.

Directions - The Metro Cruise can be accessed from I-196 (exit #70 east),

US131 (exit 81, closest location to the Futurliner) and I-96 (exit #43 west)

No cost.

Contact information - www.28thstreetmetrocruiase.com , www.southkent.org

(Contact the web master.), C of C, (616) 531-5330

Sept 26-27 - NORWALK FESTIVAL – Martinsburg, WV

Futurliner is sponsored by the Friends of the Norwalk Festival.

Date & Time - September 26th & 27th, 2009.

(Saturday-car show and Sunday - truck and tractor pull)
9:00 AM to 5:00 PM both days.

Location - Martinsburg, West Virginia. Martinsburg is located in the eastern panhandle of WV accessed by I-81, exit #16. Winchester is to the south and Hagerstown, MD is to the north.

Accommodations - Host Hotel is the Comfort Inn, Aikens Center, Edwin Miller Blvd.

Martinsburg WV (304) 263-6200 discount rates, mention Norwalk. (by 9/1)

Cost - Saturday car show, adult \$20 and children under 16 free. Sunday tractor pull, adult \$10, children under 12 free. Combination of both Saturday and

Sunday shows will include a free raffle ticket for a 1930 Model A Ford.

Benefit - The Norwalk Festival is a fund raiser to help pay for the purchase and preservation of the "LAST KNOWN NORWALK MOTOR CAR."

Contact information - Dianna Gantt, (304) 754-4864, or Christopher Breeze(304) 267-3140, roadrhino@aol.com, state "Norwalk" in e-mail subject line or it goes to a spam filter.
Friends of the Norwalk Foundation, Inc. PO Box 1464, Hedgesville, WV 25427

Sept. 30- Oct.4 - FALL CARLISLE - COLLECTOR CAR SWAP MEET & CORRAL

Sponsor Carlisle Events.

Date and Time - September 30 through October 4, 2009. (Wed – Sunday)

Location - Carlisle, Pennsylvania Fairgrounds. Exit 226 off of I-76, PA Turnpike and exit #47 off of I-81.

Cost – Wed. through Sat. \$10 and Sunday \$5. Under 12 free.

Event - Approximately 90,000 attendees will see more than 100 acres filled with anything and everything automotive related. More than 2,000 vehicles available for sale in the car corral. Car auction also has a large variety of cars for sale of all prices.

Contact information - www.carlisleevents.com/ce/events/fall-carlisle, vendors & car corral (717) 243-7855, auction, see web site.

Oct. 7-10 - AACA EASTERN FALL MEET

Sponsors include many Futurliner Financial Sponsors

Date and Time - October 7 - 10, 2009

Location - Hershey, Pennsylvania

Directions - US 422 east of Harrisburg, PA. Located 1/2 between I-78 and I-76 (PA. Turnpike).

Cost - No cost except for parking.

Event - Largest automotive swap meet and car show in the world. Known internationally.

Contact information - (717) 834-9146, www.aaca.org

Oct 12 thru Spring 2010 - AACA MUSEUM

Sponsors, AACA Museum and Futurliner Volunteers.

Date and Time - October 12, 2009 to Spring 2010. 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM daily.

Location - 161 Museum Drive, Hershey, PA 17033

Directions - Check web site.

Cost - Check web site.

Event - Futurliner will be available for viewing inside the AACA Museum for the fall 2009 through spring 2010 season. The AACA Museum has a great display of vehicles that can be enjoyed.

Contact information - (717) 566-7100, www.aacamuseum.org

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