HISTORY ON WHEELS:

Our internally developed “History on Wheels” educational program visited the following 5 schools in 2018:

- Southern Regional High School in Manahawkin
- Jackson Memorial High School
- Lacey Township High School
- Central Regional Middle School in Bayville
- Ocean Road Elementary School in Point Pleasant

The program has been a continuing success with attendance totaling in excess of 2000 students from Kindergarten thru the 10th grades and countless adults. Many appreciative comments were received from students, teachers, parents, and the school’s administrations alike. Each display provides a tangible learning experience of both American and Automotive History.

AUTOMOTIVE DISPLAYS AND COMMUNITY SUPPORT:

The Museum membership participated and displayed their antique cars at the following business, charitable, and community groups:

- Philadelphia International Auto Show
- New York International Auto Show
- Roebling Museum
- Monsignor Donovan Schools
- Ocean Grove Community Celebration
- InfoAge Science and Learning Center
- Brick PAL
- Stokes Education Foundation
- Lions Head South Community
- American Legion Post 129 in Toms River
- Whiting Food Pantry
- Brandywine Assisted Living in Howell
- Columbus Day and St. Patrick’s Day Parades in Seaside Heights
- Memorial Day and Veterans’ Day Parades in Toms River
- Farmingdale Memorial Day Parade
- Green Island Community Celebration
- Mirage Men’s Club in Barnegat
- Brandywine Assisted Living in Toms River
- Delicious Orchard’s Apple Fest in Colts Neck
- Carmona-Bolen Home for Funerals in Whiting
- Johnson Brother’s Boat Show in Point Pleasant
- 4 Seasons Community Celebration in Monroe Twp.
- Cranberry Fest in Chatsworth
- Greenbriar Community Celebration
- Cruisin’ For-A-Cure
- Whitesbog Village
- DARE
- Brick Township Summerfest
Liberty Hose Company in Red Bank
Prince of Peace Church
Vest-a-Cop in Toms River
Pulte Homes in Lakehurst
Children’s Miracle Network in Toms River
Silverton Fire Company
Walnford Village
Alliance Church
Visitation Church in Brick
VFW Post 10118 in Forked River
Tuckerton Seaport
Ocean Gate EMS
NJ Concours d’Elegance
Chelsea Senior living
Cops ‘N Rodders Fund Raiser in Ship Bottom
Point Borough Rotary Club
Lacey Methodist Church
Point Pleasant Halloween Parade
Rose Garden Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Toms River
Lacey and Ship Bottom Christmas Parades

in addition to participation in many car shows hosted by local car clubs and the charities they support.

SPEAKER’S BUREAU:

The Museum Speaker’s Bureau made PowerPoint presentations on the Museum and various automotive historical topics to the following organizations in 2018:

- Brick Morning Rotary Club
- Point Pleasant Historical Society
- Island Heights Historical Society
- Lacey High School (twice)
- St. Mary’s Society of the Island Heights Presbyterian Church

MUSEUM YOUTH GROUP:

The Museum’s newest education program is our Youth Group. It is designed to bring an appreciation of the history of the automobile and how to safely operate and maintain automobiles both antique and contemporary. Under the guidance of our warehouse shop mechanics, Dave Lange and Joe Della Vella, Youth Group members get up close and personal to identify the components of a car, their purpose, how they function, how to maintain them properly, and how to troubleshoot problems. There are currently 19 registered members of the Youth Group and it is led by Ben Danalak. The program received a major contribution this year by Mr. Don Burke who donated a 1909 Flanders (later to become part of Studebaker) with the express wish that it be worked on and restored by the Museum Youth Group under the guidance of our expert mechanics.