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**Set the date!**  
**It's time to plan**  
**for the 30th Uhl**  
**Convention in**  
**Jasper, IN**

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*2015 Membership is enclosed. More  
exciting news to follow in upcoming  
newsletters.*



DETAILS IN UPCOMING NEWSLETTERS

**2015 Uhl Collectors Society**  
**30th Annual Convention**  
**Friday, June 26 & Saturday, June 27, 2015**  
**Ramada Jasper, Jasper, IN**



**Happy  
Holidays**

*Wishing you the best this holiday season!*



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# From The President's Desk

It is that time of year again...the leaves have fallen and the bright fall colors have been replaced with the forecast of cold weather. This means the holiday time is just around the corner. From my family, to all of you, we wish a happy and safe holiday season. As you begin to make out your gift giving list, please consider giving an Uhl membership or even a piece of Uhl to that person that is hard to buy for. You never know, this just might spark an interest and cause them to have the Uhl collecting fever!

In less than six months, we will again be gathering for our Annual Uhl Convention. This year marks the 30th anniversary of our club. Your Board of Directors is working on a few special plans for this event and hopes to make this a great event. As a side note, we will have a few Board positions available. If you are interested in serving on the Board of Directors or as Vice-President, please let one of the directors know. If you have questions about this opportunity, please contact me and I can give you more details.

We will also be giving out our second Uhl scholarship at the convention. This scholarship is available to students

who are directly related to an Uhl club member. This relation includes sons, daughters, step-children and grand children. Applications are available by contacting me and are due by April 30, 2015. If you are interested in donating to the Uhl Scholarship fund, you can do this by adding a few extra dollars when you submit your 2015 membership form or adding an extra piece or pieces to the Friday night convention auction and letting the committee know that that item is for the scholarship fund.

We have received the 2014 commemorative pins that were overlooked at the 2014 convention. These will be available at the 2015 convention. I sincerely apologize for this oversight, but it will be taken care next year.

Take care and Happy Uhling!

Chip Kugler

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## *Our Sympathy*

We send our deepest sympathy to Sue Uhl Maynard and her family for the loss of her husband Al Maynard. Al passed away July 13. He is survived by his wife Sue and step daughter Tina, along with 3 grand children and 7 great grandchildren.



# Order Form



Full Color Afghan.....	\$40	+ \$10 Shipping x	_____	=	_____
2 Sets of Coasters (Set of 4)	\$5	+ \$2 Shipping x	_____	=	_____
2012 Uhl Necklace.....	\$5	+ \$1 Shipping x	_____	=	_____
<b>Total Enclosed .....</b>				=	_____

Pins, Necklaces, & Coasters will be shipped at no additional charge with the purchase of an afghan.  
Please make check or money order payable to Uhl Collectors Society.

**Mail your order to:**  
Uhl Collectors Society  
Amy Busler  
398 S Star Drive  
Santa Claus, IN 47579

**Shipping Address:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_

## Wrap Up With UHL!



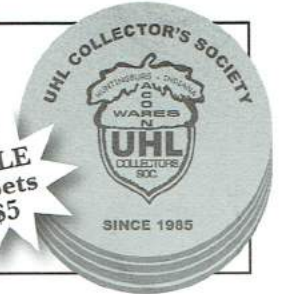
**Full Color 100% Cotton Tapestry**  
50"x60" Made in the USA -

This year's convention had a few lucky winners of Uhl Afghans. A big thank you to Anna Mary Feldmeyer for allowing us to use one of the photos from her book to make this beautiful piece. These are great to hang on the wall, warm up on the couch or give as a gift.

Share the history...  
a great gift idea!

**Branded Buff**  
**Leather Coasters**  
4" Diameter  
Made in the USA  
2 Sets of 4 for \$5

**SALE**  
**2 Sets**  
**\$5**



**2012 Uhl Necklace - \$5 Each**

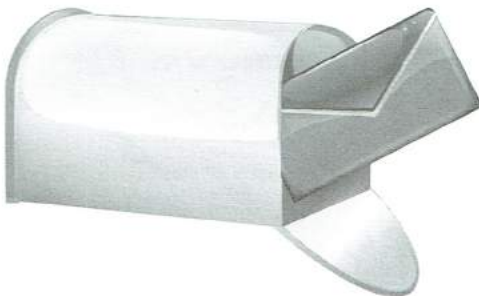
A special lady's necklace from the 2012 Convention!



To all members of the society,

I am aware of the problems we have had with the last newsletter on whether it had the wrong address with the right name or it didn't receive a postage permit on them. This was a mechanical error and we apologize for any member that did not receive their last newsletter. Please contact me at 812-544-2987 if you didn't receive one. Also, you must keep your address updated as with a permit mailing there is no forwarding and the newsletter will come back to me.

Thank you,  
Amy Busler





# UHL POTTERY COMPANY

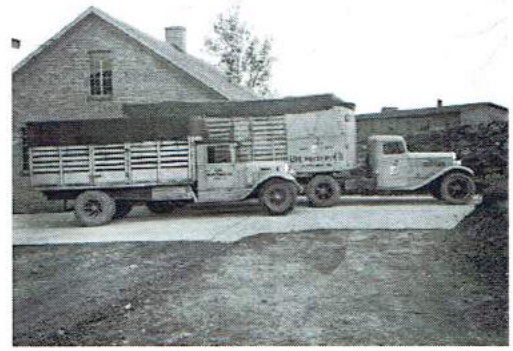
*Introduces*

## The First Original Model Since the Mid 1940's

Early in the Uhl Pottery history miniature jugs were created to give as Christmas gifts to customers. This miniature gift giveaway became a tradition up until the close of the factory in the mid 1940's.

Beginning in December 1987, the Uhl Pottery Company of Huntingburg reproduced fifty (50) miniature Christmas jugs for the holidays. These fifty pieces were used in a promotion by Disinger & Kruger Jewelers of Huntingburg in conjunction with the Kremenz Jewelry Company. This single one day Uhl event created the largest promotion, up to that time, for the Kremenz Jewelry Company in the State of Indiana. Since 1987, the Uhl Pottery Company had been creating annual miniature jug reproductions for Christmas. Recently, the Uhl Pottery Company has been working on the development of an entirely new master model with the Board of Directors approving the production of the first series of 150 limited edition numbered miniatures of the 1935 International C-40 class tractor trailer that was used by the Uhl Pottery Company to transport their wares across the country to outlets. This new miniature Uhl truck, six inches in length, is the first introduction piece of this type since the close of the Uhl Pottery Factory in the mid 1940's. This reproduction is complete with five exact Uhl Pottery decal logos just as the original truck. This new master model was created for the use of making slip cast molds. After the first slip cast mold is made a master rubber positive is then produced in order to create new molds. This is due to molds degrading with every slip casting produced. The miniature trucks are also numerically out printed from 001 to 150 in the slip casting in the order of how they came out of the mold. This was done

so that the numbering system cannot be changed or altered maintaining the high value of the lowest numbers of the first series. One hundred twenty-five (125) trucks are available to the public beginning in December, 2014. Twenty-five (25) trucks will remain with the Board of Directors of the Huntingburg based Uhl Pottery Company. The first model out of the mold marked 001 will be placed on a solid cherry base with a brass plate identifying the 1935 C-40 series International with an engraved Uhl logo. The first truck will also have an original 8" x 10" picture of the Uhl truck taken from the master picture depicting this truck and another 1931 International, with the Uhl logos, parked in front of the Uhl Pottery Company in the late 1930's. This picture will be mounted in a curved glass frame on the cherry base directly behind the six inch model truck creating an impressive display for any avid Uhl Pottery collector. Model truck 001 in the first run series of 125



trucks will be available to the public for \$500. Trucks 002 thru 005 will be available for \$250. Truck models 006 thru 010 will be available for \$125. Trucks 011 thru 125 will be offered to the Uhl Collector's Society on a first come, first serve order basis for \$89.95 each, with a preorder sell out expected by Christmas 2014. The model trucks will be available for pickup or shipping mid-December. If interested in purchasing one of the limited edition model trucks, call (812) 683-4376, or toll free 1-800-967-8224, or e-mail Louis Disinger at w9uhl@psci.net. An order form will also be available in the Uhl Pottery newsletter below.



## Order Form

Limited Edition Authentic UHL Pottery Miniature Truck



Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 Ste. or Apt. # \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Alt. Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Type      
 Credit Card Number \_\_\_\_\_  
 Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 CVV# (3 digits on back) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Please Make Your Checks Payable To  
 The UHL Pottery Company

### Limited Edition Numbering Price

	Quantity
Truck #001 = \$500 <sup>00</sup>	(Please Call or email)
Truck #002 - #005 = \$250 <sup>00</sup> per truck	_____
Truck #006 - #010 = \$125 <sup>00</sup> per truck	_____
Truck #011 - #125 = \$89 <sup>95</sup> per truck	_____

Sales Tax (Indiana Only) 7% \_\_\_\_\_  
 Credit Card Surcharge (if applicable) 5% \_\_\_\_\_  
 Shipping (if applicable) \$15.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Grand Total: \_\_\_\_\_

Questions? Call: 1-812-683-4376 • 1-800-967-8224  
 email: jewelers@psci.net

*If you wish to have your truck shipped and it is damaged in shipping, we will ship you the next available numbered truck.*

Thank You for your order from The UHL Pottery Company of Huntingburg, IN. 47542





**UHL Collectors Society  
2015 Membership Form**

\_\_\_\_\_ New  
\_\_\_\_\_ Renewal    Membership No. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Last Name                                      First Name                                      Spouse or Guest Name                                      Telephone Number

\_\_\_\_\_

Address                                      City                                      State                                      Zip                                      Email

Dues for January 1 through December 31, <b>2015</b>	<b>\$16.00</b>
Commemorative picked up at convention	\$45.00    \$ _____
If you would like your commemorative(s) mailed please add	\$8.00    \$ _____
Friday Banquet membership meal. \$9.00 per plate for member and spouse (1-2)	_____ plates x \$9.00 = \$ _____
Please note that only one guest is allowed per membership except for children under 15 years of age.	
Friday Banquet Guest meal. \$17.00 per plate (1 guest per membership)	\$ _____
If you wish to add a donation to the scholarship fund (in addition to the \$1.00 included in membership), please add:	\$ _____
<b>Membership, Commemorative, Meals &amp; Additional Scholarship Donation</b>	<b>Total \$ _____</b>

If you wish to have your personal information shared to other, similar clubs, please initial this box

Tables for Saturday Sale **ARE FREE !!**                                      Total number of tables needed \_\_\_\_\_

**DEADLINE FOR MEMBERSHIP DUES IS MARCH 31, 2015  
Must be post marked by March 31st !!**

**Hotel Room Reservations  
Ramada Jasper & Conference Center  
Phone: (812) 482-5555                                      Website: ramadajasper.com  
30th Annual Convention Dates: Friday, June 26 & Saturday, June 27 2015**

When making reservations mention UHL CONVENTION for discounted room rates. Any member reserving a room may display and sell UHL Pottery in their room. We highly encourage you to take advantage of the opportunity for room to room UHLING !!

**Please send completed form  
with check or money order to:**

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The annual business meeting is open to members only and is held on the morning of Saturday, June 27 at 9am following table sales. Members are encouraged to attend to vote for board members, win free UHL pieces, and share in the fun !!

Please call Amy Busler at 812-544-2987 for more information or with any questions.

**Note to New Members:** If a current UHL Collectors Society member invited you to join, please provide their name: \_\_\_\_\_