

Model A Club News

December 2013

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President's Message

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Hello, Members:

Bob and I made a quick trip to North Carolina for Thanksgiving. We left Wednesday morning at 2am. We arrived at my nephew's home at 9pm. (Ed. Note: I used to make day-drives like that! When I was too young to know better! :-))

It was cold but clear while we were there. We returned on Sunday got home about 6pm.

Hope all the group had a good Thanksgiving.

Looking forward to the Christmas party this Saturday.

I have been busy at the KT. My sister Hazel is doing well, she will see the Dr. this Friday.

Just a reminder to everyone to bring an unwrapped toy for the toy drive for the local children.

See you all at the party.

Jody

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CEDAR CREEK MODEL A FORD CLUB

Minutes for November 5, 2013

President, Jody Letchworth called the meeting to order at 5:30 PM and welcomed everyone.

Sue Capps made the motion to accept the minutes from the October meeting. A second was made from Joe Creecy.

She then led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Bob Beck read the treasurer's report. Procedures for finances from the
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International Model A Day were reviewed. Billy Carpenter made a motion to approve the report.

Sue Capps brought us up to date with the Sunshine Report. Wanda Bell is doing great; Paul Pirtle is doing well after eye problems. Bill Lee needs our support and prayers as he deals with eye problems. Brooks Gremmels is doing well. Danny Hampel will be having another eye treatment. Please remember Jody's sister who is waiting on a call for scheduling heart surgery. Hazel is the owner of The Kitchen Table Restaurant in Eustace and has treated us all very well many times. Our best to her.

This month there were five birthdays, best wishes to all of you. None of the birthday members were present.

A review of our Christmas Party to be held on December 7, in Tool was discussed. Please remember to bring a wrapped gift as well as a new, unwrapped toy for the toy drive again this year.

On November 9th at the Edgewood Heritage Park they will be celebrating a Blast from the Past with a tour of homes and equipment from the past. Parade begins at 9:00AM.

Veteran's Day Parade on Monday, November 11. If interested in participating contact VFW Post at 903 432-2138.

MAFFI will present any club who attains 3 new members a brick in their honor at the museum.

New business: Our monthly breakfast will be on November 19, at 8:00AM at the Athens Café.

There were 21 members present.

Voting on new officers was held and the new Officers for 2014 are:

Jody Letchworth - President
Ola Powell - Vice-President
Sue Capps - Secretary/Treasurer
Walter Hellebrand - Director
Charles Sportsman - Director
Wallace Kemp - Director

Walt Hellebrand made motion to accept the new Officers and acceptance was unanimous.

Ola Powell netted us \$53 in raffle tickets. Joe Creecy won the first and second raffle and Wallace Kemp won the 3rd draw.

Motion made to adjourn by Walt Hellebrand with Bob Letchworth seconding the motion.

Prepared by Secretary/Treasurer, Gigi Henderson-Beck



LET'S Go To Luckenbach, Texas

Not sure if Waylon and Willie and the boys will be there but MAFCA will for its MAFCA's 4th National Tour

Everyone is invited to "A" Texas Spring as we drive through the legendary Texas Hill Country March 9-14, 2014. Imagine touring historic towns while driving along picturesque country roads. Starting in historic New Braunfels, we will make our way through Marble Falls, Fredericksburg, Boerne and Kerrville. Our journey will allow us to visit the Alamo, home of Texas' independence and while there shop till you drop along the world famous River Walk. Visit LBJ's Ranch, home of our 36th president. With daily drives of between 100 to 120 miles you will have plenty of time to stop and enjoy the historic and beautiful sites along the way.

Be sure to mark your calendar and watch for additional information in future *Restorer Magazines* and at mafca.com

Hosted by the Alamo A's



Sunshine Report Sue Capps

Brooks Gremmels. Please continue to keep our dear friend in your daily prayers.

Teena Shore fell and hurt her ankle..will be in a cast for several weeks.

Bill Lee. Healing from detached retina

Danny Hampel continuing eye treatments.

C. L. York. Broken foot

Hazel Lane, Jody's sister, owner of The Kitchen Table, had open heart surgery...Came home after 5 days and is doing well.

Johnny Bells brother in law is in hospice...his sister is in the nursing home..They are very busy,

Birthdays in December

Happy
BIRTHDAY

Teena Shore	12/29
O V Cliver	12/25
Brooks Gremmels	12/15
Adron Neill	12/15
Chuck Sportsman	12/05



Happy Birthday!

Wednesday/Tuesday/Thursday Breakfast

Athens Cafe, Athens, TX

November 19, 2013

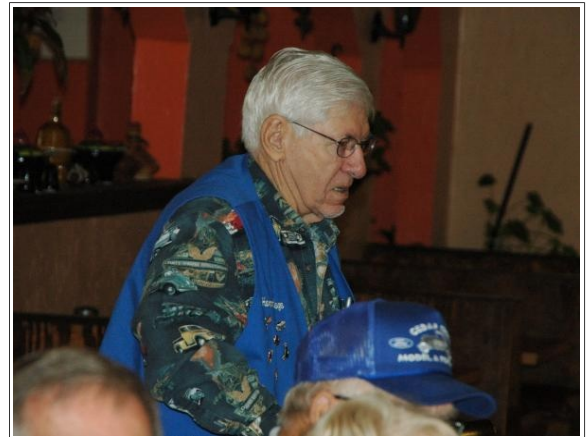


A Spectator's View:

Breakfast, for me, is the best meal of the day. Now, I am not talking about "brunch" where you have some odd combination of foods that upset your eating routine and make you feel groggy all day; I mean hot coffee with an array of normal choices: eggs, pancakes, ham, sausageand grits. About 16 of us enjoyed all these choices at the Athens Café last Tuesday, and it was made doubly-good by being with a group of fine folks.

The handsome couple across from me, each took two

tablets prior to eating. I was reminded of my plastic tray with a weekly supply of pills. That tray seems to always be empty...and that's because our weeks are flying by. Time is precious, and there was no better way to spend it last Tuesday than with the Model A folks and *two over-well with ham and toast.*



Wallace



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Coming Events

For more information visit: www.CedarCreekAs.org

DEC 07, 2013 -- CCMAFC Christmas Party - Civic Center, Tool TX. 11:00a.m.

DEC 14, 2013 -- Christmas Parade - Malakoff will hold it's annual Christmas Day Parade. Line up starts about 9am, and parade starting at 10am.

JAN 07, 2014 -- CCMAFC Meeting - Held at the Dairy Queen in Seven Points, TX. Tire kicking starts at 5:00pm. Meeting starts at 5:30pm.

FEB 04, 2014 -- CCMAFC Meeting - Held at the Dairy Queen in Seven Points, TX. Tire kicking starts at 5:00pm. Meeting starts at 5:30pm.

MAR 09-14, 2014 -- MAFCA National Tour - Texas Hill Country Hosted by the Alamo A's. "A" TEXAS SPRING. Experience breathtaking scenery as you drive through rolling hills, small quaint towns, rich history and roads that seem as if they were designed for the Model A. (See the flyer below in the newsletter)

JUN 12-15, 2014 -- Texas Tour - Oil and A's. 51st Model "A" Ford Texas Tour. Corsicana, TX. Hosted by the Dallas Model A Ford Club.(Registration form is at the end of the newsletter)

Remember that ANY club member can add items to the calendar on the CCMAFC website. All you have to do is first log in, then bring up the calendar, and there is a button at the top to "Enter New Event"

You can do it! Don't just leave it to one or two folks to always have to pull the wagon.

2013 Christmas Party and December Club Meeting

TAKE NOTE: If you were at the DQ last Tuesday, you realized that we didn't have a club meeting then! We have our annual Christmas party this **Saturday, December 7 at 11:00am**. The party is in Tool behind the city hall at the Oran White Community Center. The club buys the meat and we bring sides, salads and desserts.

One of the things we do besides eat is the white elephant Chinese gift exchange. Everyone brings a wrapped gift, one per person. After we eat, numbers are drawn and the gifts are selected. What makes it fun is that when your number comes up, you can either select a still-wrapped gift, OR one of those already selected and opened. After a gift has been selected three times, it is then frozen and belongs to whoever made the final selection. It's a great deal of fun and some of the gifts are quite "unique"!

Don't forget a "Toy-for-Tot" as well.

The menu as we know it. (Seems several versions are floating around. No problem! It will ALL be good!)

GUMBO: Harris

SALADS: Lou will bring a spinach salad
Sandra will make her apple salad

SIDES: Nancy: broccoli rice casserole
Gloria: sweet potatoes
Gigi: baked beans
Chuck: sweet potato casserole
Jody: potato casserole

DESSERTS: Lou: pecan pie
Sandra: cookies
Sue: something
Danny and Shirley: Ice cream cake
Nancy: chocolate pie

BREAD Walt and Virginia

TEA and ICE: Joe Creecy: Sweet and unsweetened tea
Danny and Shirley: ice

SET-UP: Sandra: table cloths
Sue will provide all the paper goods and utensils
Gigi: Center pieces

Stress Management

Accept the fact that some days you're the pigeon, and some days you're the statue!

Always keep your words soft and sweet, just in case you have to eat them.

Always read stuff that will make you look good if you die in the middle of it.

Drive carefully... It's not only cars that can be recalled by their Maker.

If you can't be kind, at least have the decency to be vague.

If you lend someone \$20 and never see that person again, it was probably worth it.

It may be that your sole purpose in life is simply to serve as a warning to others.

Since it's the early worm that gets eaten by the bird, sleep late.

The second mouse gets the cheese.

We could learn a lot from crayons. Some are sharp, some are pretty and some are dull. Some have weird names and all are different colors, but they all have to live in the same box.

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Event Descriptions

Texas Tour 2014

June 12-15, 2014 Corsicana, Texas

Wednesday, June 11, 2014

Come early and enjoy some self-guided tours. Early Registration will be open from 1-6pm.

Capehart Communications Collection Self-Guided Tour – 8,000 sq. ft. of different types of communication equipment, electrical appliances, and unusual artifacts from the 1880's through the 1990's.

Self-Guided Walking or Driving Tour of Downtown Corsicana – downtown Corsicana includes one of the state's most impressive collections of commercial buildings. Take a walk through downtown and shop at the antique stores and other businesses. Begin your tour at the Corsicana Visitor Center located in the restored railroad freight office.

Glenn Cumbie Museum of Aviation and Military History and U.S.A.A.F Cadet Memorial Park Self-Guided Tour - located on the site of the WW II training field, this museum features exhibits of authentic uniforms, photographs, artifacts, and memorabilia of aviation and military history from WW I to present day.

Shop at Collin Street Bakery – (2 locations) home of the world famous Deluxe Fruitcake. Visit the bake shop for cookies, pies, cakes, and breads. Hot or cold sandwiches are available in nice dining areas.

Shop at Russell Stover Chocolates – choose from a large selection of hand dipped chocolate products.

Shop at Navarro Pecan Company, Gander Mountain, and the VF Factory Outlet.

Thursday, June 12, 2014

Cook Center Planetarium/Pearce Museum – on a 60 ft. diameter domed screen see an informative astronomy/space science program and tour the Civil War Collection of original documents and Western Art galleries of the Pearce Museum.

Oil History Bus Tour and tour of Pioneer Village – oil was discovered in Corsicana in 1894 as an accident. See the discovery site and enjoy an informative bus tour about the oil history of Corsicana. Return to the historic Pioneer Village to see a Magnolia Oil Co. exhibit and tour the restored buildings at the village.

Lady Drives an "A" Driving Test – this driving test is to make sure you know the basics of your Model A and what it takes to start and drive it. You will earn a Lady Drives an A patch, and a very special driver's license.

Watkins Wildlife Trophy Room – the trophy room includes more than 400 animal mounts, ranging from Bull Moose to Blue Marlin, and artifacts from around the world. The collector will be present to share his stories.

Youth Activities - a box supper of fried chicken, chips, and lemonade will be served in a location near the Welcome party. Pack a swimsuit and a towel because after dinner the youth, ages 5-15, will enjoy themselves on two different water slides in the grassy field adjacent to the Welcome Party venue. After the Welcome Party the youth will be able to race their cars at the Hubley Derby.

Welcome Party – come and renew your Model A friendships over a dinner of barbeque beef and chicken, cole slaw, potato salad, baked beans, and pecan or peach cobbler. Laugh with delight as entertainment is provided by Dave Lieber, a humorist and Dallas Morning News columnist.

Hubley Derby – Car check -in is just prior to the Welcome Party. You can enter your car in kids, youth, or adult classifications. Prizes for first, second, and third place will be awarded in each age class as well as a People’s Choice Award and Overall Winner. If you don’t have a car entered in the Hubley Derby, make sure to stay and watch the races after the Welcome Party. You’ll have a great time!

Friday, June 13, 2014

Fashion Judging will take place at the Holiday Inn Express, one of the Host Hotels.

Vehicle Judging will be at the Navarro Exposition Center – a photo of each car will be taken in front of a mural near downtown Corsicana.

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Apparel Seminar - Cheryl Nelson, President of the Big "D" Button Club presents "Buttons of the Model A Era" and how they related to motoring of the period. This is one not to miss! Cheryl will have a fun take on the role buttons played in fashions of the Model A Era.

Technical Seminar on Steering Columns – Vernon Boyd will be discussing the various changes in the steering column and steering gear between the start of production in 1928 through the end of 1931. He will have a display of most of the columns throughout the four years of production and a printed hand-out noting when each change was made. If possible, he will also have a modified F-150 steering gear to discuss since many people are using this today.

Youth Activities – dinner will be hot dogs and fixings’ served in a location near the Fashion Banquet. After dinner the youth will enjoy unlimited video games in a game truck parked at the site of the Fashion Banquet.

Fashion Banquet – come enjoy a fabulous dinner of roast beef or lemon pepper chicken, potatoes, mixed vegetables, salad, rolls, apple crisp, red velvet cake, and chocolate sheet cake. After dinner enjoy a fashion show and some lively entertainment.

Saturday, June 14, 2014

Grand Tour - our tour will take you to the Confederate Reunion Grounds for a very special event. Then we will travel to Old Fort Parker for a tour of the replica of the Parker's Fort. Step back in time and try to recapture the atmosphere of that fateful spring morning in 1836 when the Indians attacked the Fort taking five captives. Lunch of chicken fried steak or chicken fried chicken with hot gravy, green beans, garlic mashed potatoes, Texas toast, and peach cobbler or chocolate cake will be served at the Fort. Return to Corsicana over an old bridge for a photo op for you and your car.

Car Games – Model A' ers get your partners and meet at the host hotels for some interesting car games. You just might be a winner! There will be driving as well as non-driving games. Awards will be presented at the Awards/Farewell banquet.

President's Meeting – all Model "A" club presidents will meet prior to the banquet to discuss future Texas Tours and events.

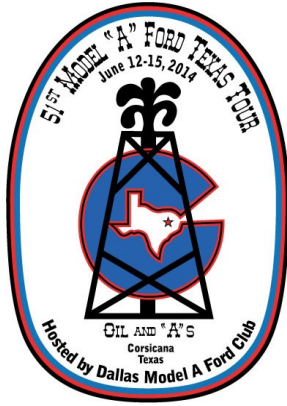
Youth Activities – Pizza and drinks will be served at the Cinergy Entertainment Center. Cinergy is just a short distance from the host hotels. The youth will be able to play miniature golf and drive go-karts if they are 48" tall. They will need to bring some money if they choose to play the arcade games. Fun cards for the arcade come in increments of \$20, \$30, \$40 and \$50.

Awards/Farewell Banquet – come enjoy a dinner of chicken parmesan, fettuccini noodles with Marinara or Alfredo sauce, Caesar or garden salad, roasted squashes, breadsticks, and a choice of dessert at the dessert bar. Entertainment will be provided and awards will be presented.

RV parking is available behind the IOOF Event Center where the banquets and seminars will take place. There are 10 spots with water and electricity. There are also 20 spots with water and electricity at the Navarro Exposition Center (this is the site of the vehicle judging). The Expo Center is across and down the road a little ways from the IOOF Center. Dumping is available for \$10 at the American RV Park which is just a short distance from both the IOOF Center and the Expo Center. As space is limited, RV parking is by prepaid reservation only, either included with your Tour registration or separate check and reservation.

Raffle Items will be on display in the Raffle Room of the Hampton Inn.

Your kids or grandkids will enjoy all of the tours. Please consider them as well as the designated youth activities. We want our youth to have a great Model "A" time.



REGISTRATION FORM

**2014 Texas Tour
June 12-15, 2014
Corsicana, Texas**

Hosted by Dallas Model A Ford Club

Please print all information on form:

Last Name First Name Spouse/Guest

Local Club Affiliation Home Phone (including area code)

Address Cell Phone (including area code)

City/State/Zip/Country E-Mail

Children Attending (Names and Ages) - Youth activities limited to ages 5 –15

Will you bring your Model A to the meet? YES NO Will you be trailering your A? YES NO

Year _____ Body Style _____ 2nd "A" Year _____ Body Style _____

RV reservations: IOOF Center YES @ \$25 per day—includes water & electricity (no dumping)

Navarro Expo Center YES @ \$25 per day—includes water & electricity (no dumping)

(Please include in registration payment fee for entire stay.)

Will you be entering **Car Judging Touring Class**? YES NO. T-Shirt size: _____

(Touring Class participants *must participate in judging.*)

Your Model A must be registered by May 15, 2014, in order to be judged.

Will you be willing to serve as a Car Judge? YES NO Have you judged before: YES NO

Will you be entering **Fashion Judging** YES NO

Please send me # ____ Fashion Judging Participation forms. **Forms must be returned by May 15, 2014.**

Will you be willing to serve as a Fashion Judge? YES NO Have you judged before: YES NO

NOTE: Registrations must be postmarked by May 28, 2014. Cancellations after April 1, 2014 are subject to a cancellation fee of \$35.00. Refunds subject to committee approval. **No refunds after June 1st!**

I hereby release, indemnify and hold harmless from any and all liability whatsoever due to my attendance and participation at the 2014 Texas Tour, any and all of the following: Model A Ford Club of America Inc., and their Officers and Directors, the Meet committee, and the Dallas Model A Ford Club, and their Officers and Directors. Submission of this signed Meet Registration form, constitutes acceptance of this release.

Signed _____ Date _____

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2014 TOUR SCHEDULE

	Times	# Attendees	Cost Per	Total
Registration		family	\$40.00	
Late Registration after May 15, 2014		family	\$60.00	
Wednesday, June 11, 2014				
Early Registration	1:00pm-6:00pm			
Self Guided Tours				
Thursday, June 12, 2014				
Registration/ Repair Tent/ Hospitality/ Raffles	8:00am-5:00pm			
Planetarium/Museum Tour	10:00am-12:00noon		\$8.00	
Oil History Tour/Pioneer Village	1:00pm-3:00pm		\$9.00	
Lady Drives an "A" Driving Test	2:30pm-3:30pm		\$7.00	
Watkins Wildlife Trophy Tour	3:00pm-4:00pm		\$1.00	
Welcome Party	6:00pm-8:30pm		\$20.00	
Kids-Fried Chicken, Chips, Lemonade	6:00pm-6:30pm		\$9.00	
Youth Water Slides	6:30pm-8:30pm		\$2.00	
Hubley Derby	8:30pm-9:30pm		\$2.00	
Friday, June 13, 2014				
Registration/ Repair Tent/ Hospitality/ Raffles	8:00am-5:00pm			
Fashion Judges Breakfast	7:30am-8:30am		n/c	
Vehicle Judges Breakfast	7:00am-8:00am		n/c	
Fashion Judging	9:00am-1:00pm		n/c	
Vehicle Judging	9:00am-1:00pm		n/c	
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Apparel Seminar	3:30pm-4:30pm		\$3.00	
Technical Seminar - Steering Columns	3:30pm-4:30pm		\$3.00	
Fashion Banquet	6:30pm-9:00pm		\$25.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Chicken <input type="checkbox"/> Beef <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetarian				
Kids-Hot Dogs 'n fixins	6:00pm-6:30pm		\$5.00	
Youth Game Truck	6:30pm-9:00pm		\$5.00	
Saturday, June 14, 2014				
Registration/ Repair Tent/ Hospitality	3:30pm-4:30pm			
Hospitality	3:30pm-5:00pm			
Raffle Tables	3:30pm-5:00pm			
Car Games	3:30pm-4:30pm		n/c	
Grand Tour to Old Fort Parker/lunch	8:00am-3:30pm		\$20.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Chick. Fried Steak <input type="checkbox"/> Chick. Fried Chicken				
President's Meeting	5:00pm-6:00pm		n/c	
Awards/ Farewell Banquet	6:00pm-9:00pm		\$25.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Chicken Parmesan <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetarian				
Youth at Cinergy w/Pizza	6:00pm-9:00pm		\$10.00	
TOTAL EVENT PRICE			\$	
T-Shirts S, M, L, XL Light Blue (Circle)	no pocket		\$15.00	
T-Shirts 2XL, 3XL Light Blue (Circle)	no pocket		\$18.00	
Patches (1 included with registration)			\$5.00	
Radiator Badges (1 included with registration)			\$5.00	
Pins - Cloisonne w/tie pin on back			\$8.00	
TOTAL MERCHANDISE			\$	
TOTAL RV SPACE RENTAL FROM PG 1			\$	
TOTAL SUBMITTED			\$	