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Meeting: Church of the Nazarene - 16850 NE Fourth Plain Blvd, Vancouver, WA - Second Monday of Month - 7:00 PM Guys breakfast meeting every Wed. (7:00am) at Hockinson Café, 219 NW 20<sup>th</sup> Ave, Suite 100, Battle Ground, WA Guys lunch on Fridays (11:30 am) at Benny's Pizza & Café on 4219 St Johns Rd NE, Vancouver, WA

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2015 MAFCA Newsletter Certificate of Merit
2015 MAFCA Website of the Year
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Articles and contributions are encouraged and may be used as space permits. The deadline for all articles is the 20th of the preceding month. The Volcano View is a monthly publication of the Volcano A's Chapter - MAFCA E-mail all proposed articles to: rrusunen@comcast.net.

### Photo of Month



### 1929 Model A Sports Coupe





President's Note January 25, 2016



Hello from Cowbells and Butter Fat, that is the name of my display at the Northwest AG show being held at the Portland Expo this week. The Display is dated in the 1940's era and consists of the tin cow bells, milking machines, buckets, butter fat testers, cream separators, butter churns, milk cans and glass milk bottles from half pint, pint, quart & half gallon. Those half pint bottles bring back memories from grade school. Pulling the paper lid and drinking a half pint with a straw, maybe that's how we acquired the nickname. Those were the days when Model A's were still being driven, so maybe we should use that as a reminder to tune up our cars for driving season which is rapidly coming up.

I am organizing a Valentine's dinner similar to the one we enjoyed last year. The dinner will be held Saturday, February 13<sup>th</sup> afternoon at 5:00 in Summit Grove Lodge on Timmen Road just South of La Center, the Lodge is a magnificent building built around 1926 and has been restored to better than new condition. If you would like to attend this dinner, please call me so I can reserve your table.

### Jerry

### Committee Chairs

Community Service: Joyce
Swartz/Tom Ryan
Garage Workshop: Tom Pagel
Library/Historian: Terry Findley
NW Regional Rep: Jack Dusenberry
Public Relations: Dian Lane
Refreshments Coordinator: Nancy

Wooldridge
Sunshine: Pat Dusenberry
Tour Director: Lynn Mattingley

Front Page Photo
Austin Alling drove Ardis Collins 1929 Sports
Coupe to Jim's Standard Oil Service Station
for a quick gas fill-up.

### Happy Valentine's Day



Note: Periodically some materials printed in our newsletter may have been borrowed from other club newsletters. We thank other clubs for sharing their newsletters with the Volcano A's. Also, when sources are known they will be included

# Volcano A's General Membership Meeting Minutes January 11, 2016

CALL TO ORDER: 7:00 pm by President Jerry Lane.

GUEST: Darwin Amundson was introduced. He owns a '29 Tudor.

**TOURS:** Lynn Mattingley announced a tour for this Sat. Jan. 16<sup>th</sup> going to Wilsonville and touring the World of Speed Museum. Meet at 9:15 at Jantzen Beach ODOT. Lunch to follow.

TREASURER: Linda Willey gave the financial report.

**EDITOR/WEBMASTER:** Bob Rusunen shared the plaque for Website of the Year with the club! He also asked for everyone to consider sending in pictures to the <u>Restorer</u> for their "Out & About" section.

**COMMUNITY SERVICE:** Joyce Swartz announced our food take-in for Dec. totaled 85#'s giving us a grand total for the year of <u>4702#'s</u>!!! She also thanked everyone for sorting food at the Food Bank in Dec. There is more sorting needed on Wed. Jan. 20<sup>th</sup>.

**SUNSHINE**: All is well!

**LAVA LADIES**: Dian Lane announced a luncheon meeting for the Lava Ladies at the Museum on Sat. Jan. 23d at noon. Bring ideas and \$6.00 for the lunch. Dian also said an article is going in for the <u>Restorer</u>.

**OLD BUSINESS**: John Carlile announced that MAFCA dues are due. He also mentioned the Sept. MAFCA tour. The Regional Meet for 2017 will be in Coos bay in June on a Fri./Sat./Sun. Dates to follow.

The minutes were approved as printed by Leonard Willey and seconded by Jesse Baker. **NEW BUSINESS**; Portland Swap meet is Ap. 1-3. Our booth is #4064. Sign up to help. We will again go to the Summit Grove Inn for the Sweetheart dinner on Sat. Feb. 13<sup>th</sup>. *MAFCA* liability insurance is due for \$75. *MAFCA* would like the current info on the officers. They also requested our permission to publish our directory info in their national directory. We approved by vote.

We will have the annual board meeting on Sat. Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup> at 9 AM at the Museum prior to the Lava Ladies luncheon. All are welcome!

The seminar tonight is a "mystery" subject by Steve Pargeter and also a video on brakes.

RAFFLE: 50/50 raffle of \$47.00 was won by Tom Foster. The club got \$46.00.

**REFRESHMENTS**: Nancy Wooldridge served pound cake and grapes! She also announced that the signup sheet for serving refreshments is available!

ADJOURNED: Meeting was adjourned by Jerry Lane

Submitted by Sherry Rusunen















# Volcano A's Board Meeting Minutes January 23, 2016

CALL TO ORDER: 9:15 am by President Jerry Lane.

- Valentine's Day Sweetheart dinner at the Summit Grove Inn is a go. Dinner is at 5:00 pm on Feb. 13<sup>th</sup>.
- Jerry read a letter from Gordon Cook concerning Int. Model A Day...WHAM...in Hood River on Sept. 17<sup>th</sup>, 2016.
- Jerry stated that we will be sending a copy of our member directory to MAFCA per request.
- Members discussed the 2015 income and expenses and the budget for 2016.
- Members discussed proposed budget for 2016 and set it up to be brought to the club membership at the February 8<sup>th</sup> meeting for a vote of approval.
- Members discussed the budget for the Website and Newsletter.

**ADJOURNED:** Meeting was adjourned by Jerry Lane at 10:10 am followed by a luncheon and meeting of the Lava Ladies.

Submitted by Sherry Rusunen.

## 2015 MAFCA Awards





## Lava Ladies



The Lava Ladies met for lunch and came up with the following schedule of events. We are looking forward to the coming year and these events where we can spend time together. Please plan to join us!

### 2016 Events Tentative Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Where</u>	<u>Hostess</u>
February 20th	Bunco @ Linda Willey's house 2PM	Linda Willey
March 11 <sup>th</sup>	Miniature Golf at Vancouver Mall	Joyce Swartz
April TBD	Sweet Pea Tea House	Sandra Pargman Alicia Erickson
May TBD	Camas Shopping & lunch	Dian Lane
June 4 <sup>th</sup>	Oregon Gardens in Silverton	Marylan Kelly
July 9 <sup>th</sup>	Bob & Carma's 60 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary At Lane's Museum	Bob & Carma
August 20 <sup>th</sup>	Pit Stop Coffee Stand La Center	Linda Willey
September TBD	President's Tour	Jerry Lane
October TBD	Babies in Need at Rocky's Pizza, Battle Ground	Sherry Rusunen



# Happy Anniversary

- 3 Eddy & Terri Pitts
- 6 Thomas & Linda Foster
- 10 Bill & MJ Peden
- 25 Jim & Marylan Kelly

# Happy Birthday

- 1 Sue King
- 6 Jack Mattingley
- 6 Linda Neilsen
- 11 Steve Pargeter
- 17 Arnita Mayer
- 17 Lisa Deane
- 17 Nancy Wooldridge
- 18 Marlene Thompson
- 19 Myrna Viles

## Refreshments

February: Dian Lane & Linda Neilsen

March: Lynn Mattingley & Pat

Dusenberry

April: Carma Huset & Marilyn

Elvestrom

May: Sherry Rusunen & Joyce Swartz

**June**: Open

July: Linda Willey & Pam McClaflin

August: Club Picnic

September: Sandra Guyot & Jann

Jones

October: Becky Blick & Dianne Ernest

November: Roberta Emerick December: Holiday Potluck

### Factory Photo of the Month



1931 B Deluxe Tudor Sedan

### **Future Events**

Mar 12-13 Annual Almost Spring Swap Meet, Washington State Fairgrounds, Puyallup, WA

Apr 1-3 Portland Swap Meet, Expo Center, Portland, OR

May 14-15 43dr Annual Seattle Auto Swap Meet, Evergreen State Fairgrounds, Monroe, WA

Jun 11 Pacific Northwest Model A Picnic, Chehalis, WA

**Jul 4** July 4<sup>th</sup> Parade, Ridgefield, WA

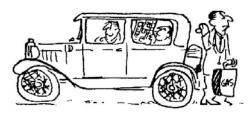
Aug 27 39<sup>th</sup> Annual LeMay Car

Show, Tacoma, WA

Sep TBD Annual President's Tour
Oct 14-15 PIR Fall Auto Swap Meet,

Portland, OR

Nov 11 Ft Vancouver Veteran's Day Parade, Vancouver, WA



# 2016 Pacific Northwest Model A Picnic

Rod Rice has communicated to the Editor that he will be hosting the 2016 Pacific Northwest Model A Picnic on June 11, 2016 at 1354 Pleasant Valley Road, Chehalis, WA. The Theme will be: "Prohibition 1927". So mark your calendars for this event.

# MAFCA National Convention 2016

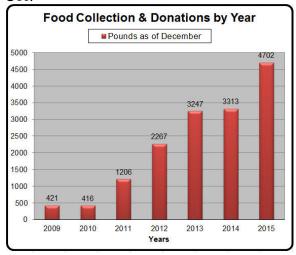


The Model A Ford Club of Colorado invites you to join us in Loveland, Colorado for the 2016 MAFCA

National Convention on June 19-24, 2016. Registration materials and full descriptions of events and activities will be published in the Jan-Feb 2016 issue of the Restorer magazine and also available for download from our web-site.

### Community Service

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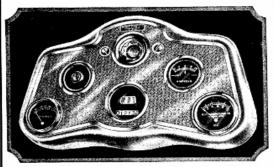
On January 20th members generously offered their time to sort food at the warehouse facility in Vancouver. The 15 members worked from 9:00 to 12:00 and sorted 4 pallets of food. Afterwards, they met at Benny's for lunch. A big thank you to the following members: Jack & Pat Dusenberry, Roger Green, LeRoy Helyer, Ken Holtmann, Bob & Carma Huset, Jerry Lane, Linda Neilsen, Tom & Jennie Ryan, Gary & Joyce Swartz and Leonard & Linda Willey.

## 2016 Membership Roster

The Volcano A's <u>By Laws and</u>
<u>Membership Roster</u> will be available at
the February monthly meeting. Be
sure to get yours. Copies will not be
mailed to members.

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## **Technical Information**



Reprint from: Model A News November-December 2015

# Model A ERA Clothing Fashions



Source: Phillip Lenssen at vintageadbrowser.com

# Ford Advertisement



Source: Ford Model A Advertiing on Pinterest

# World of Speed Tour on 1/16/2016

The museum features nearly 100 vehicles, including cars from Jeff Gordon, Dale Earnhardt Jr and Danica Patrick. Several historic race cars are in the vehicle collection, including Mickey Thompson's famous record-breaking Assault 1, Herm Petersen's Northwest Terror and the Gaines-Markley/Rob Bruins NHRA Top Fuel Championship Dragster from 1979.













Header from the MAFCA Website

### MAFCA President's Page - Alex Janke - January 2016



I am deeply honored to serve as MAFCA President for 2016. Garth Shreading, 2015 MAFCA President and the 2015 Board of Directors did an exceptional job. Our club is strong and active.

2016 will be a challenging year in many areas. For some time MAFCA has been struggling on how to best enter the digital age. Many of our chapters send out their newsletters digitally, and the trend is growing. There are some exceptional Model A websites available with a lot of great information on our cars. There will always be a demand for printed media but many magazines also offer electronic versions as well that can be viewed on tablets, computers, phones, Kindles, and other devices. Likewise numerous books are available electronically. This year we plan to explore the alternatives on how best to meet the needs of our current and future membership. If you have ideas or

opinion in this area I would love to hear them.

The office has recently received a few requests for receipts for membership renewals. Normally your credit card or check receipt should suffice. MAFCA is a not for profit organization, but not a 501 (c) 3 charity so your dues are not usually tax deductible. Please consult your tax advisor if you have questions in this area.

The National Convention in Loveland, Colorado promises to be a spectacular event. The current issue of The Restorer contains detailed information and the registration form. You will want to register early to ensure a slot in all the wonderful activities. Driving your Model A to the Rocky Mountains will be a real treat.

The long awaited Revision 4 to the Restoration Guidelines and Judging Standards is currently with the editor and will be coming out this spring. It represents thousands of hours of work by many dedicated individuals and will bring a lot of needed information to the hobby.

The Board of Directors serves the membership. If you have issues, concerns, or other comments please let us know. The recently published Tudor Book was a response to member requests and we are working on a Coupe Book. Please feel free to contact me by email [president@mafca.com] or phone [925-689-0859] at any time.

I hope to see you on the road. Alex Janke

### Information

The Model A Ford Club of America, Inc. (MAFCA) is a California non-profit corporation and a national historical society dedicated to the restoration and preservation of Model A Ford vehicles as manufactured from 1928 through 1931.

MAFCA's members are dedicated to the restoration, preservation, and enjoyment of Ford vehicles of that era. MAFCA is the largest club in the world dedicated to one make of automobile. Volcano A members are urged to join the Model A Ford Club of America, Inc. Visit the MAFCA website for a membership application. Dues are \$40 yearly and include a subscription to **The Restorer**.

### MAFCA & MAFFI Application Forms

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# Future MAFCA Events and Tours

# Northern California Regional Group Roundup

2016 - May 27-29 - Modesto, California

Host: Modesto Area A's

### MAFCA National Convention

2016 - Jun 19-24, Loveland, Colorado Host: Model A Ford Club of Colorado

### MAFCA National Tour

2017 - Sep 10-17 - Pacific Northwest Tour

Host: Lions Gate Model A Club

## MAFCA National Awards Banquet

2016 - Dec 5-8 - Reno, Nevada

Host: Sagebrush Chapter

### The Hat Women and Other Compelling Images Taken in Texas



Today we have a series of images that originate from the Lone Star State and include people and automobiles. We have not had an appearance of what we refer to as the "Hat Women" for a while, but the lead photo certainly fits the bill for their return. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, who was a suffragette, hit the campaign trail in 1928 in a run for the US Senate in Texas. She is seen between two supporters in the lead photo in front of a Model "A" Tudor sedan. Her campaign ended when she finished 5th out of six in the primary

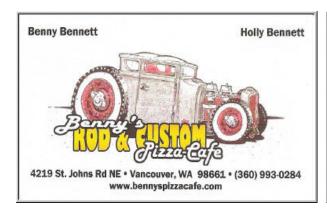
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