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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 20th Ave, Suite 100, Battle Ground, WA

Guys lunch on Fridays (11:00 am) at Benny's Pizza & Café on 4219 St Johns Rd NE, Vancouver, WA

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2018 - MAFCA Website of Distinction

2017 & 2015 MAFCA Newsletter Certificate of Merit

2017 MAFCA Website Certificate of Merit

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Photo of the Month



Sweetheart Dinner - February 11th at the Lane's

Happy Valentine's Day



President's Note ***January 27, 2019***

We have had many enjoyable Volcano A's events since this time last month, first our Christmas Potluck and Auction on the 10th which was very enjoyable and a big help for our club finances. On January 14th was our monthly meeting, so nice to see everyone, on January 19th we held our Board Meeting to prepare the proposed 2019 Budget, no big changes, there will be more details at the next meeting. On Friday the 25th Roger led us on a nice tour to Memory Motors, then lunch at Beez, then to the Railroad Museum. All had a great time - thank you Roger.

Our next meeting will be February 11th, so plan to attend to hear all the details about our Valentine Dinner at the Lane's.

I just received a message from Steve Plucker for a Rough Riders tour from Walla Walla September 19th more info coming.

Jerry

Front Page Photo

This 1931 Model A Victoria was formerly owned by Don La Barre.

Committee Chairs

Community Service: Joyce Swartz
Garage Workshop: Tom Pagel
Library/Historian: Open
NW Regional Rep: Jack Dusenberry
Public Relations: Dian Lane
Refreshments Coordinator: Nancy Wooldridge
Sunshine: Pat Dusenberry
Tour Director: Roger Green

February

Happy Anniversary

6 Thomas & Linda Foster
 10 Bill & MJ Peden
 17 Jim & Goldie Harp
 25 Jim & Marylan Kelly

Birthday Wishes

6 Jack Mattingley
 6 Linda Neilsen
 11 Steve Pargeter
 13 Goldie Harp
 17 Arnita Mayer
 17 Nancy Wooldridge
 22 Greg Weast
 29 Michael Blick

Refreshments

February: Lynn Mattingley & Pat Dusenberry

March: Dian Lane & Nancy Wooldridge

April: Open

May: Joyce Swartz & Carma Huset

June: Open

July: Open

August: Club Annual Picnic

September: Open

October: Sandra Guyot

November: Roberta Emrick & Dianne Earnest

December: Christmas Party



Meet Your Model A Members



**Jim & Marylan Kelly
1930 Model A Tudor**

I bought car almost done at a garage sale. A complete interior was in a bag and came with the car. It was an experience putting it in.

I always wanted one and the opportunity and the urging of my wife to buy one presented itself on the same day.

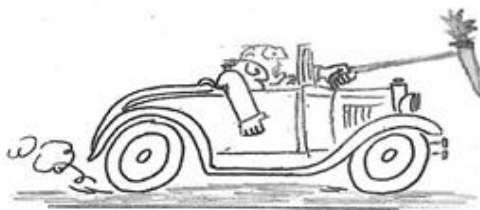
Volcano A's Annual Board Meeting Minutes January 19, 2019

CALL TO ORDER: Jerry Lane called the meeting to order at 12:30 pm.

The entire meeting was dedicated to the 2019 proposed budget. Those present were: Jerry (president) & Dian Lane; Roger Green (vice-president); Sherry (Secretary) & Bob (Editor & Webmaster) Rusunen; Linda (Treasurer) & Leonard Willey; Jack (past president) & Pat Dusenberry; Austin Alling (member-at-large). The Expenses and Income of 2018 were reviewed and a proposed budget was created. This proposed budget will be presented to members at the Feb. monthly meeting on Feb. 11 and voted upon.

ADJOURNED: Meeting was adjourned by Jerry Lane.

Submitted by Sherry Rusunen



Volcano A's General Membership Meeting Minutes
January 14, 2019

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

TREASURER: Linda Willey gave the financial report.

TOURS: Roger Green reported there will be a tour on Friday Jan. 25th to the Memory Lanes Motors and Oregon Rail Center with lunch included. We will leave from Benny's at 9:30. The tentative dates for tours in 2019 were listed. The dates can be found under Tour Dates in the newsletter. Roger is also taking orders for name tags.

EDITOR/WEBMASTER: Bob Rusunen asked for input for the club directory. If there are any changes in addresses or phone numbers, please, let him know by the end of Jan. The directory will then go to the printer. Also, Bob reminded people to send in their stories about their car. He will be setting dates to meet those, so a picture can be taken of the car and their owners.

REFRESHMENTS: The schedule for 2019 is filling up. We do need more volunteers.

COMMUNITY SERVICE: Joyce Swartz reported we collected 49#s of food in Dec. along with Scott Pagel donating an additional 156#s, bringing Dec.'s total to 205#s and a grand total for the year of 2018 to 2294#s!!

SUNSHINE: Pat Dusenberry announced flowers were taken to Sherry Rusunen who was recently hospitalized.

LAVA LADIES: Dian Lane said the Lava Ladies would be meeting upstairs tonight to discuss this year's activities.

OLD BUSINESS: The minutes were approved and seconded by Jack Dusenberry and Gary Swartz respectively. Bill Peden reminded everyone that he still has the 1928 Ford hood.

NEW BUSINESS: The 2019 board meeting will be Sat. Jan. 19 at the museum. We have paid our annual insurance premium for 2019 in the amount of \$75.00. It was announced that there is a new car museum being set up in Hazel Dell on 78th St. off of hwy. 99. A MAFCA Website Distinction award was given to Bob Rusunen, our webmaster! Congratulations, Bob! Jerry announced our Pres. Tour is in the planning stage!!

RAFFLE: Jack Mattingley won \$33.00 and the club got \$33.00.

REFRESHMENTS: Jane Hall and Sherry Rusunen served a vegie tray, cheese and crackers, and cookies.

ADJOURNED: Meeting was adjourned by Jerry Lane.

Submitted by Sherry Rusunen.

Ford Advertisements



Source: Phillip Lenssen at vintageadbrowser.com

Model A ERA Fashion Ads



Source: Phillip Lenssen at vintageadbrowser.com

Model A ERA Dress Pattern



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.

Welcome New Member

Tom & Brenda Funk
6211 NE 239th St
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Sweetheart Dinner

2:00 PM Sunday, February 17th
At the Lane's Museum
611 NE 359th Street, La Center

Menu

Salad

String Beans with Vinaigrette
Gourmet Idaho Potatoes
Prime Rib
Rolls

Mini French Desserts

Coffee and punch, please feel
free to bring your own wine

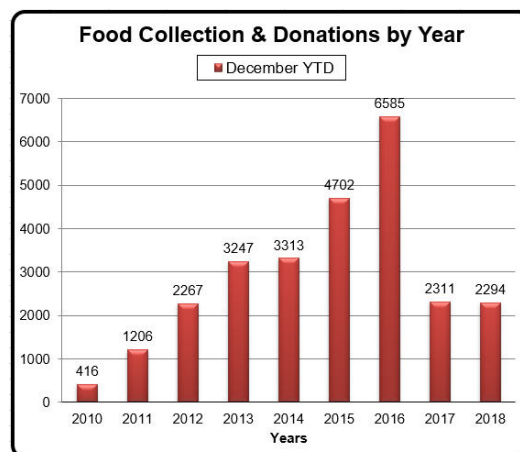
\$25.00 each

Please RSVP to Dian Lane or
Linda Willey
with payment no later than
February 11th
Sorry, no refunds. after
February 11th



Community Service

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Upcoming Tours

February 11th- Valentine's Day Party

March 16th - TBD

April 20th - TBD

May 19th - TBD

June 15th - TBD

July 4th - Ridgefield Parade & Potluck

July 20th -CAM-AM Model A

Reliability Run, meet @ Hood
River Shopping Center 9:00am

August 22-25 - NW Regional Meet,
Bellevue, WA

September TBD - President's Tour

October 6-10 - National HUB Tour

November 9th - Veteran's Day Parade,
Ft Vancouver, WA

December 9th - Christmas Party



Lava Ladies

Our planning meeting/luncheon was a lot of fun and we accomplished a lot! Here's our very tentative schedule. We'll have more discussion on these items at our next club meeting. And at our next meeting we will also be working on decorations for our Sweetheart Dinner.

Lava Ladies 2019 Events

We are all looking forward to a year of fun activities.

When	What/Where	Hostess
February 17th	Sweetheart Dinner At Lane Museum	
March	Tentative Play Community service: Pet food donations	Joyce Swartz
April	Chocolates & coffee tour	Lynn Mattingley
May	Something artsy	Jann Jones
June	Pendleton Woolen Mills and downtown Camas	Linda Willey
July		
August	Club Picnic	
September	Babies in Need	Sherry Rusunen
October	Halloween baking for Ronald McDonald House	Dian Lane
November	Community service: Sweats for Vets	
December		



Header from the MAFCA Website

MAFCA President's Page – Doug Linden

January 2019

'Twas the night after Christmas when all through the garage, not a car was running, not even a Model A.

Okay, I will never make a living as a poet, but the holiday season rush is over and the cold weather is here for the winter. Although the west coast weather isn't really that cold, I, like northern and eastern Model A members are ready to stay warm while working in the shop on their latest project(s). My work bench is already covered with three sets of shock absorbers, five carburetors and a set of top irons to get ready for plating.



While working these projects, I am dreaming of the next local Model A event. That would be the Turlock Swap Meet hosted by the Modesto Area A's on January 26-27 at the Stanislaus County Fairgrounds. There are always bargains to be found plus reconnecting with old car friends.

Meanwhile, I made my hotel reservations for the Canyonlands National Tour in Kanab Utah for October 6-10. There are many hotels, but the rooms are filling up quickly. I filled out my registration form and submitted that as well. Forms can be found online or in the January/February issue of The Restorer. I hope to see you there!

2019 MAFCA National Tour **Canyonlands - October 6-10**

Future MAFCA Events

No. California Regional Group Roundup

2019 - May 27-30 - Santa Rosa, CA

Host: Sonoma A's

Midwest Regional Meet

2019 - June 10-14 - Des Moines, IA

Host: Central Iowa MAFCA

Northwest Regional Group Meet

2019 - August 22-25 - Bellevue, WA

Host: Evergreen Chapter

MAFCA National Tour

2019 - October 6-10 - Kanab, Utah

Host: Canyonland Special Interest Group

MAFCA National Awards Banquet

2019 - December 2-5 - Claremont, CA

Host: Pomona Valley MAFCA

MAFCA Board of Directors

Meeting Dates 2019

May 4 - La Habra, CA

August 3 - Stockton, CA

December 3 - Claremont, CA



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MAFCA 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**.

MAFFI Newsletter Minute January 2019

"Happy New Year from the Board of Trustees at MAFFI! We hope you had a great 2018. Reflecting back, we are very pleased with the progress and additions made to the museum over the course of the year. During 2018, through donations, we added 10 vehicles and an elaborate tool display to our collection. In addition, 3 vehicles were placed on loan to the museum. We have a partnership with NATMUS in Auburn, Indiana in which 4 Model A vehicles and a cutaway chassis are on display in a vintage gas station environment. Our balance sheet improved and we remain debt free. Model A Day at The Gilmore saw the largest attendance to date and we were grateful to have Tim Kelly's Town Car and Town Car Delivery collection on display.

For 2019 we are working on a new theme for our annual Model A Day at The Gilmore. We also plan to have new displays completed in our showroom and service garage as well as an educational display showing the inner workings of a Model A chassis. Thanks to all that made 2018 such a success and help support the museum as we jump into the New Year!"

Model A Technical Notes

Cast Iron Brake Drum Info

By Lynn Sondenaa

This information is about reproduction cast iron brake drums. Gray cast iron is what most manufactures use to produce cast iron parts. It has been in use since the Model T's & Model A's came into existence. Even the reproduction cast iron drums made in China are gray cast iron. Some cast iron drums are advertised as nodular iron. Nodular iron is gray cast iron which has small amounts of magnesium added to form a premium cast iron. Nodular iron is also known as spheroidal or ductile iron. It has excellent ductility, higher tensile strength, and better corrosion resistance than gray cast iron.

Ductility refers to the ability of metal to stretch, bend, or twist without breaking or cracking. Tensile strength is the property in metal which resists forces acting to pull the metal apart. Corrosion is the wasting away of metals by slow gradual combination with other elements and chemical compounds.

You may use this information to make an informed decision before purchasing your new reproduction cast iron brake drums!

MAFCA 2018 Website Award



TINY TIPS

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INSTALLING SPRING SHACKLE BUSHINGS

Getting those new shackle bushings installed can be a puzzle. They can be pressed in, but the prospect of removing the spring and perch bolts to take them into a shop isn't too appealing. Buy a piece or 1/2" NC threaded steel rod about a foot long, with nuts and several flat washers. Put a nut and washer on one end, and insert it through the perch and bushing. Apply a little grease to help it slide in. Put two washers and another nut on the other end, and begin closing it up. Watch to see that the bushing doesn't get "cocked" when it first starts into the perch. Continue to turn the nut until the bushing is in place.

Submitted by Rusty Houdaille, Pasadena, CA





Jim's technical tip

by Jim Cannon,

Radiator Hoses - Hard to Get On, Hard to Get Off!

For many years I had a hard time getting new radiator hoses on the engine to seal well. I would tighten the hose clamps to what I thought was reasonable, and they still seeped a bit of coolant. And years later, when I needed to remove the hoses, they seemed to be glued to the metal parts and I had to pry them off or cut them off.

A Master Mechanic shared his secret with me years ago. Apply a very thin coating of a specialized gasket dressing called "Hylomar AF" to the inside of the new hoses where they will contact the metal just before installing them. Install and rotate each hose back and forth, to spread the sealant out evenly. Now tighten hose clamps and you are done. It will not seep or leak. And years later when you need to remove the hose, it will come right off!

I get the Hylomar AF (Advanced Formulation) -- originally developed by Rolls Royce for their jet engines -- from an industrial supply place near me called W.W. Grainger. It's also available on Amazon and other places on the Internet. Compare prices because some places price it like it's gold!

There are several variants of Hylomar. You don't want the original "Hylomar Universal Blue" or the "Racing Formula". The Hylomar AF works best for our application. I also put a little on my oil drain plug threads, on the transmission and differential drain plugs, etc., to stop the drips. It gives a good seal but never hardens, so it's easy to take it apart later.

Have a Model A Day!
Jim



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President's Day February 18



Artwork Over Bemis & Moe Repair Departments Soothes Motorists



Car owners who take their vehicle to a garage for repairs or service tend to get anxious beforehand and during the process. Bemis and Moe the owners of this "Super Station" located in San Jose, California, at the corner of South Second and San Carlos Streets no doubt learned this and used artwork to calm customers down and attract new business in the late-1920s.

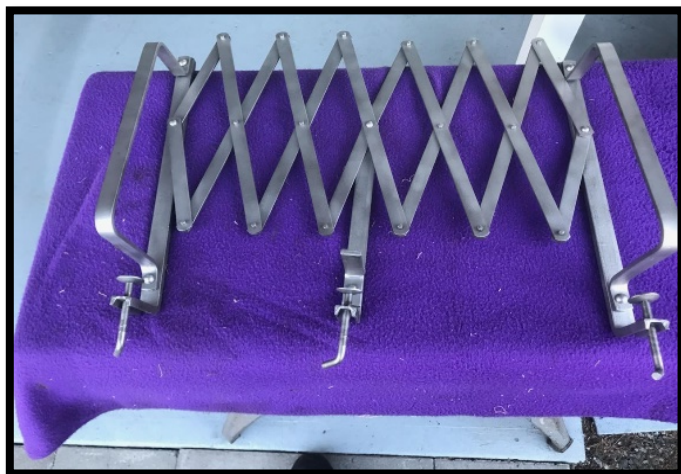
Above each of the twelve bays at the facility landscape paintings or prints were used that appear to form a continuous scene over the various departments at the facility. On the far-left (below) is a "Prest-O-Light" (acetylene tank) service outlet and on the far-right (second photo below) a full-service Richfield gasoline station where fuel was dispensed from hand-operated glass cylinder pumps.

Source: The Old Motor.com



For Sale Items or Wanted

To place an "Ad" send your information to rrusunen@comcast.net, or call Bob Rusunen at 360-828-5317



For Sale: Ford Model A Running Board Luggage Rack - \$60.00

Contact; John Durr at 360-513-0961 or john.durr@outlook.com



**1930 Blindback Fordor Restored by Mike Brauch in the 1980's
Owned by Bill Brauch Lebanon, CT**

Source: MAFCA A of the Day

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