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Meeting: Church of the Nazarene – 16850 NE Fourth Plain Blvd, Vancouver, WA - Second Monday of Month – 7:00 PM
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Happy Mother's Day



1929 Business Coupe

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Front Page Photo

The 1929 Model A Business Coupe was previously owned by Eddy Pitts. Eddy noted that he had accomplished a major restoration of the car before he sold it.



President's Note **April 19, 2013**

This morning concentrating on Model A events is a little difficult after viewing the news of Boston's terrible events. We need to remember we still live in the greatest country in the world and there are many Model A activities coming to enjoy. In some ways going back to the Model A days could be more carefree and enjoyable.

On a much brighter side I am feeling happy about the results of the recent Portland Swap Meet, meeting new and old friends, promoting the Volcano A's Model A Club to the public, gaining new memberships and making a profit at our parts table. Thank you for all the volunteering hours from many club members.

Jerry



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.

Volcano A's General Membership Meeting Minutes

April 8, 2013

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

GUESTS: New guests were welcomed: Gary Swartz, Richard Smith and Dennis Jensen.

TREASURER: Bill Peden gave the Treasurer report.

TOUR: Vice President Leroy Helyer announced the tour for this Saturday, April 13th. Meet at Fred Meyer's at Chkalov Drive at 9:15 am, leaving at 9:30 am. The tour will go to Oregon City; visiting the John McLoughlin House, Municipal Elevator, Statue of Liberty and a church built in 1924. Lunch will be at the Highcliffe Restaurant which was built in 1925. Our club was also invited on another tour on April 21st to the Hood River Blossom Fest – see Leroy for details.

Mark your calendars for July 13th, a tour to the Mosier Twin Tunnels. Meet at Fred Meyer - Chkalov at 8:00 am to leave at 8:15 am. More details to follow.

MEMBER AT LARGE: Leonard Willey reported all OK.

WEBMASTER: Bob Rusunen reported all is well.

REFRESHMENTS: Dian Lane announced the monthly signups are good.

COMMUNITY SERVICE: Sherry Rusunen reported 486 pounds of food for the Food Bank so far.

SUNSHINE: Pat Dusenberry reported that Art Pugsley is doing well. She sent a card to the Paul Kunuze family whose son passed.

REGIONALS: Jack Dusenberry reported that the forms sent to register for regionals without correct signatures must be signed to participate, including spouse signature, if applicable.

LAVA LADIES: Saturday, April 27th, meet at Dian Lane's house at the Museum for a potluck at High Noon. Bring a friend, any dish you like flowers and wear a hat if you wish!

HISTORIAN: Linda Willey announced there are books of photos available to look at. We still need a cabinet for storage.

SEMINAR: Conducted by Lynn Sondanaa on Sheet Metal Fasteners and Model A wood.

OLD BUSINESS: Jerry reported that the swap meet was a great experience for all who attended. It was a lot of fun, met many new people and they sold a lot of parts. Thanks to all who helped out, including Jerry, Eddy and Mike who were there all day every day!

Discussed Garage Night; Jerry said "It was more fun than Christmas!"

NEW BUSINESS:

Jerry Lane presented the proposed By-Law changes as follows:

Current wording in By-Laws

SECTION 15: Editor

The President shall appoint the Editor.

- (a) The Editor shall publish a monthly newsletter to be mailed to those on the authorized mailing list the first of the month.
- (b) The Editor shall be responsible for the mailing of the newsletter and any other notices.
- (c) The Editor shall prepare a membership roster for distribution to all members by the March meeting.

Proposed wording for By-Laws

SECTION 15: Editor

The President shall appoint the Editor.

- (a) The Editor shall publish a monthly newsletter to be distributed to members that are in good standing, paid annual dues, and are on the authorized membership roster the first of the month.
- (b) The Editor shall be responsible for the distribution (preferably electronically or US Postal Service) of the newsletter and any other notices.
- (c) The Editor shall annually prepare a membership roster for distribution to all members by the March meeting. Membership rosters will be available at monthly meetings and will not be mailed via US Postal Service to members.

Current wording in By-Laws

SECTION 10: President

- (c) The President shall present the proposed budget to the membership for approval at the January Club meeting.

Proposed wording for By-Laws

SECTION 10: President

- (c) The President shall present the proposed budget to the membership for approval at the February Club meeting.

RAFFLE: Eddy Pitts won the 50/50 raffle and donated it back to the club. A second drawing was done and Jack Mattingly won; all voted he'll buy breakfast next Wednesday morning! Becky Blick won the door prize.

REFRESHMENTS: Cookies, fruit, nuts, cheese and crackers were served by Marilyn Elvestrom and Eddy Pitts.

ADJOURNED: Meeting was adjourned by Jerry Lane.

Respectfully submitted by Becky Blick.

May
Anniversaries

13 Dan & Amanda
Spoelstra



Birthdays

15 Alicia Erickson
16 Roberta Emerick
17 Bill Dietrich
25 Ruby Knudson
28 Don Knudson
29 Bill Peden



Refreshments

May: Sandy Helyer &
Linda Van Engen

June: Jennie Ryan &
Arleta Thompson

July: Patty Sondena &
Carma Huset

August: Club Picnic

September: Linda Willey
& MJ Peden

October: Open

November: Roberta
Emerick & Diane
Woodman

December: Holiday
Potluck



Trivia Knowledge Nugget
The first Ford cars had Dodge engines!

Volcano A's Tours

May 25th
Water World Tour

June 15th
NW Annual Model A Picnic
Chehalis, WA, by Rod Rice &
Fletcher Anderson

July 4th
Ridgefield Parade

July 13th
Mosier Twin Tunnel Tour -
Hood River, OR

September 3-8
Northwest Regional Meet-
Bend, OR

November 9th
Fort Vancouver Veteran's
Day Parade, Vancouver, WA

Community Service

The food brought to our April meeting totaled 202 pounds!!! That brings our year's total to 688 pounds!! Wow!! So our "tiny" challenge for May is 250 pounds!! Can we do it?? Sure we can!! Just put Food Bank on your grocery list and bring the food to our meeting!!!! Simple!! Thank you all for your cooperation and caring!!

Welcome New Members

Gary & Joyce Swartz
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1931 Coupe w/Rumble Seat

Ford Factory Foto
of the Month



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Roadster

Celebrate
Armed Forces Day

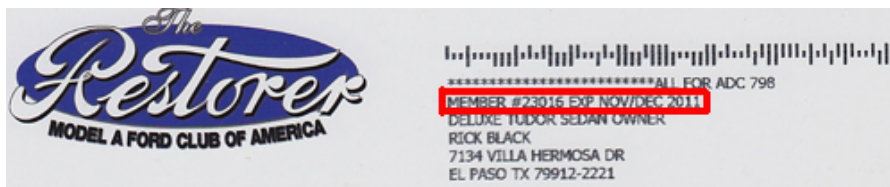


MAFCA News

Where's my MAFCA membership number?

April 7 - When you fill out a classified ad request on this website, you're asked for your MAFCA membership number. Up until a few years ago, your mailing address and membership number was printed directly on the *Restorer* magazine.

When the magazine got its protective wrapper, the address label got printed on it. Since most of us rip this off and toss it out, you won't see your address OR membership number on the recent issues.



So, when you receive your next *Restorer*, save the wrapper long enough to write your membership number on the back of your Membership Card, which is included in every Jan/Feb *Restorer*. Then, put the card in your wallet and you'll always have your number handy.

Information	2013 Events
<p>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.</p> <p>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 <u>The Restorer</u>.</p> <p>MAFCA, 250 South Cypress St. La Habra, CA 90631 562-697-2712 Website: www.mafca.com</p>	<p>MAFCA National Tour May 5 - 10 - Blue Ridge Parkway Host: Dallas Model A Club</p> <p>Northern California Regional Group Roundup May 24 - 27 - Pleasanton, California Host: Acorn A's</p> <p>Texas Tour June 5 - 9- Round Rock, Texas Host: Lone Star A's</p> <p>Central - Midwest Meet June 16 - 21 - Wichita, Kansas Host : Wichita A's</p> <p>Northwest Regional Group Meet September 3 - 8 - Bend, Oregon Host: High Desert A's of Central Oregon</p>

Check out our website at www.volcanoas.net

Technical Notes

Points to Ponder #2 on the Model A

By Lynn Sondena - Sandy, Oregon

- Model A engines like "hot" spark plugs
- To locate exhaust system leaks, squirt a small amount of kerosene into the air intake of the carburetor, while the engine is running. Leaks will be visible from the black smoke appearing at the leak.
- Use zinc chromate primer, it helps to prevent rust.
- Torque spark plugs 34 to 38 pounds.
- Backlash is the play between the teeth of two gears which are engaged.
- Advanced spark is igniting the fuel mixture before T.D.C.
- Retarded spark is igniting the fuel mixture after T.D.C.
- Zenith float level adjustment is done by adding or subtracting washers underneath the float valve.
- Did you know that the float valve fiber gasket is the same size as the distributor shaft sleeve fiber washer? Snyder's number A-12181 or Mac's #A-12194.
- A front end shimmy is usually caused by loose tie rod ends, or drag link ends. It can also be worn ball studs on the steering arms and pitman arm.

Lava Ladies

The Lava Ladies had a fun meeting while the guys had their seminar. We are all looking forward to our Potluck on April 27th and our June 21st tour to the Oregon Gardens.

The Ladies decided to do 2 theme baskets for the Regional Meet in Bend. There were lots of creative ideas in our group and at our May meeting we will sign up for our contribution to the baskets that Linda Willey has offered to assemble for us. Hope to see you at our May meeting!!

Lava Ladies 2013 Schedule of Events

Date	Where	Hostess
June 21 st	Oregon Gardens & Silverton	Dian Lane
August 24 th	Coffee booth at La Center Car Show	Everyone
September 3 -7	Regional Meet in Bend	
October 26 th	Babies in Need Luncheon @ Rocky's Pizza	

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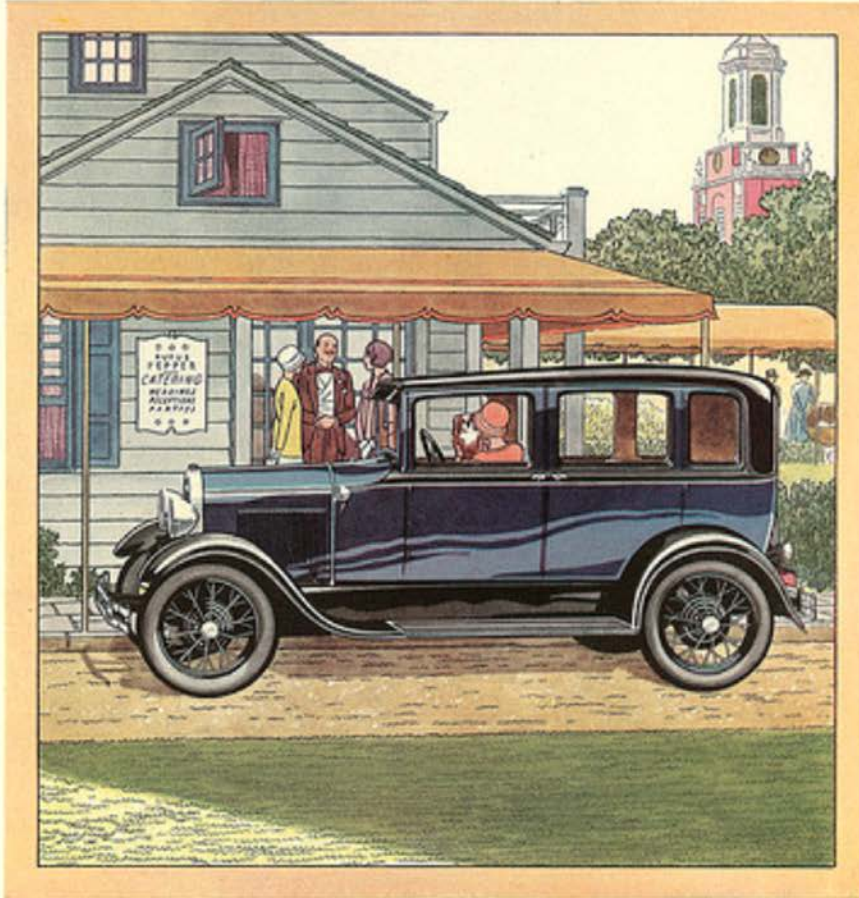
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Herald's International-Cosmopolitan for August 1929

Lady that is Stoned, Chase a Ghost up a Hill & Step Back in Time Tour

April 13, 2013 - by LeRoy and Sandy Helyer

An all modern Iron tour didn't stop Volcano A's Rich & Joanne Simpson, Leonard & Linda Willey, Jack & Pat Dusenberry, Bob & Sherry Rusunen, Jack & Lynn Mattingley, Don and Dee LaBarre, Lynn & Marilyn Elvestrom, Bert Uthe, Jane & Ron Hall & Sandy & LeRoy Helyer from making a trip to see the Statue of Liberty standing proudly in Milwaukee, Or. From there, we ventured to Oregon City to ride the only Municipal elevator in the USA. Although rumors of a red-headed ghost were not confirmed, we saw many pictures that appeared, disappeared, and then reappeared with new scenes. We strolled around town to see a few murals on the buildings, before the girls found a unique hat shop to explore. The men waited patiently outside on the sidewalk. From there, we visited a 1920's church with beautiful huge stained glass windows. The guy's found an old car to ahh over while the girls waited. Touring and learning the history of the McLoughlin House was another fun stop with lots information on how 1 horse moved the entire house 6 inches at a time to its resting place today. A nice lunch was enjoyed before heading home for a much needed nap after the walking exercise.

"I would also like to include my apologies to those who thought the tour was on April 20 as written in our newsletter. I am so very sorry for submitting the wrong date and accept full responsibility for the error" Sandy Helyer.

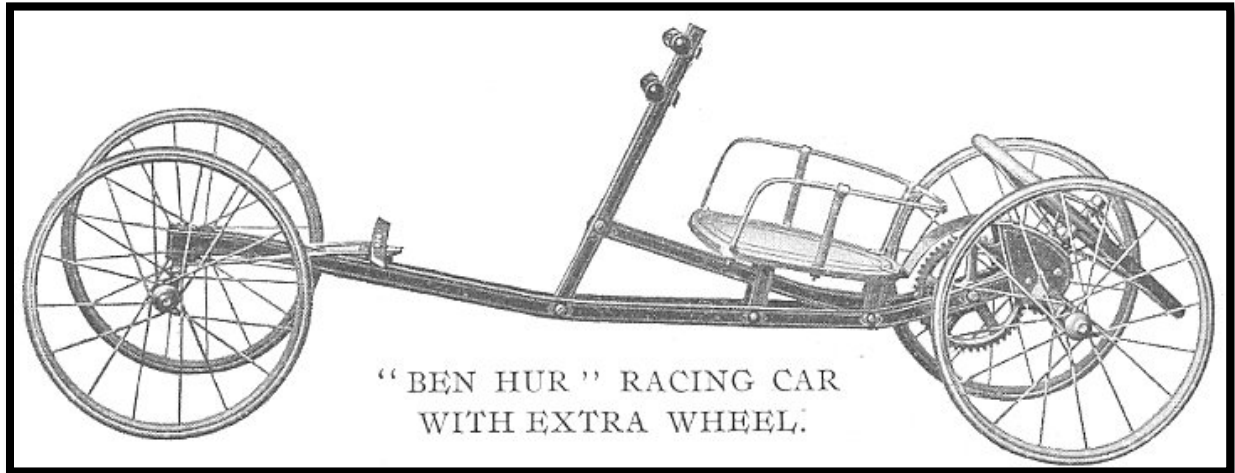


To see more pictures visit the Touring tab on our website at www.volcanoas.net.

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The Editor noticed some interesting road signs during a recent trip to New Zealand.



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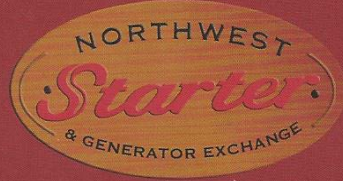
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