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

Friday Lunch and Take-Out at Benny's Pizza & Café on 4219 St Johns Rd NE, Vancouver, WA

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Nominations for club officers will be accepted from the general membership at the October Club meeting. With voting for officers at the November club meeting.

Final review of Club by law changes will be at the October club meeting. Club members will be able to comment on these changes from the September club meeting before they are finally approved.



President's Note ***September 24, 2021***

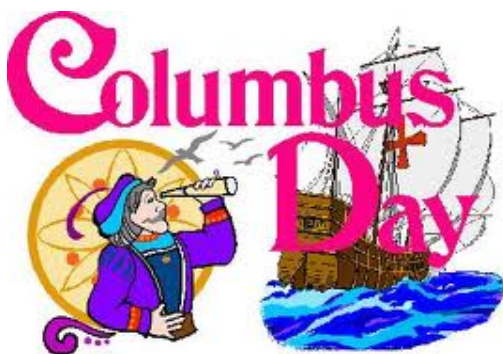
The good news is we are very thankful for the recent rainfall of 3 inches. With the recovery of fall grass, the cattle will be happy.

The sad news is the cancelling of the President's Tour to the Olympic Peninsula, the problem is an increase in Covid cases which has closed restaurants and scenic areas we were planning to attend, plus endangering our members to Covid exposure. As time passes our members will step up and plan some interesting tours for everyone's enjoyment.

Please plan to attend our next meeting on Monday, October 11th at 7:00 pm at the Nazarene Church, we will be discussing by law changes and nominations of officers.

Jerry

p.s. Veteran's Day Parade is Saturday, November 6th.



"Do not go where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail. – Ralph Waldo Emerson"

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

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Tour Director: Corley Wooldridge



Octoberfest in the early 1930's



Picture from Boys Town Calendar October 2021

THE SATURDAY EVENING POST

November 1, 1930

The Same Good Car Through Many Seasons

AT THIS SEASON of the year, as autumn prepares to bid adieu, it is good to know that the new Ford is fully prepared to meet the sterner needs of winter driving.

Cold weather emphasizes the value of its simplicity of design and its dependable performance under all conditions. There is an enduring quality, too, in its exterior finish.

The peroxylacquer is not affected by cold, or the usual hazards of snow or water. The Rustless Steel used for the radiator shell, hub caps, coil finish strips, and other exterior metal parts is an additional assurance of permanent beauty.

The fabrics used for trimming the interior of the new Ford are selected both for appearance and durability. Unusual care is taken to maintain their high quality.

Laboratory tests are constantly being made for weight, the character of the cloth, and the grade of the yarns used in these fabrics and trims. There are also numerous daily tests of the dyes, the count in the warp and woad,

the percentage of wool, and a rubbing test equivalent to years of actual wear.

The interiors of the Town Sedan, De Luxe Sedan and De Luxe Coupe are examples of this craftsmanship in manufacture. In these body types you may choose either tan Bedford cord, made of fine wool worsted, or known mohair. Though soft and luxurious, this mohair will not crush easily and is long wearing because it is faced with genuine Angora mohair and wool worsted.

The Ford Motor Company purchases millions of yards of upholstery material yearly and is therefore enabled to give you exceptionally high quality without increasing the price of the car.

With reasonable care the new Ford will maintain its original sheen and brilliance for a long period of time. Mechanically it has been made to give you many thousands of miles of comfortable, satisfactory motoring at a very low cost per mile.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY



THE SATURDAY EVENING POST

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THE NEW THREE-WINDOW FORD SEDAN



THE NEW FORD ROADSTER



THE NEW FORD COUPE



THE NEW FORD TOWN SEDAN



THE NEW FORD DE LUXE SEDAN

Volcano A's General Membership Meeting Minutes
September 13, 2021

CALL TO ORDER: Jerry Lane called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm. at the Church of the Nazarene!!

GUESTS: Roger Green introduced Bob Montana, who owns a Model T and several other classic cars.

TREASURER: Linda Willey gave the financial report.

TOURS: Corley Wooldridge stated that a wonderful time was had by all on our Sternwheeler Tour!! Pete Hazard is looking into planning a tour this fall. Also keeping track of a Veteran's Day Parade in November. MAFCA tour insurance was discussed. If a member of any tour leaves the group during a tour, the member is no longer covered under the tour umbrella of MAFCA. Under all circumstances, the driver's insurance is primary, with MAFCA insurance secondary.

EDITOR/WEBMASTER: Bob Rusunen reported that the Board decided to no longer continue mailing hard copies of the newsletter. This will save the club over \$600 a year.

COMMUNITY SERVICE: Joyce Swartz reported we collected 173 #'s of food this summer for the Food Bank bringing our total for the year to 1026 #'s!!

LAVA LADIES: Karen Huset announced that we will have a Babies in Need potluck luncheon at North Fork's Museum on Sat. Oct. 16th. Time and details will come at the Oct. meeting.

PUBLIC RELATIONS: Dian Lane stated we have an article in the Restorer. If anyone has any ideas for the next article, feel free to give them to Dian. Also, any pictures are appreciated!

OLD BUSINESS: The minutes from the last meeting were approved and seconded as written by Roger Green and Corley Wooldridge, respectively. Roger Green reported the Hub Tour out of Spokane is Sept. 14-18, 2022. Jerry Lane thanked Nancy and Corley for a fantastic Sternwheeler tour! Jerry announced that the President's Tour to the Olympic Peninsula has been cancelled due to the increase in covid cases resulting in restaurants being closed. The changes to the bylaws were reviewed again and will be voted on at the next meeting. They can be found on page 5 of this newsletter.

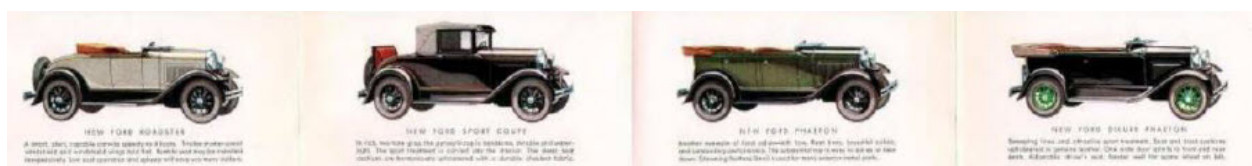
NEW BUSINESS: A health report on the Knudson's was given. They have sold their home and are now in a Care center.

REFRESHMENTS: Following the meeting, we had refreshments served by Dian Lane and Marylan Kelly.

RAFFLE: Bob Rusunen won \$33.00!

ADJOURNED: Jerry Lane adjourned meeting.

Submitted by Sherry Rusunen



Club By-Laws Changes

Following are proposed Club By-Laws changes reviewed and approved by the Board of Directors. These changes were presented at the September club meeting. Club members will be able to comment on these changes at the October club meeting before they are finally approved.

Article V, Section 4: Election and term of office

Proposed change: "Officers of the club shall be elected annually at the regular November **meeting** of the members. Each officer shall hold office until a successor shall have been duly elected and installed in office, **but no longer than a period of three continuous years. The member is then eligible to hold any other office, if duly elected. After a period of one year out of the term limited office, the member is once again eligible to serve in the original office position.**"

Article V, Section 5 Qualifications of Elected Positions

Proposed change: "A nominee for the position of President must have held a Board of Directors or Committee position within the Club for one full year or **have been an active member in good standing for a minimum of 2 years plus the candidate must have attended at least one overnight tour event.**"

Article V, Section 10: President - new sections to be added as follows: _

Article V, Section 10 (e) Proposed added change: "**The President is responsible for coordinating an annual "President's Tour", typically to be held in September of each year.**"

Article V, Section 10 (f) Proposed added change: "**The President is responsible for organizing an annual Christmas party, with auction of donated gift items.**"

Article V, Section 11.(b): Vice President

Proposed change: "The Vice President shall **function** as tour chair, **with the assistance of the Member at Large. The tour duties will be divided per a mutually agreed upon schedule.**"

Article V, Section 14 (d): Member at Large - new section to be added as follows:

Proposed change: "**The member at large shall share the duties of tours planning, coordination, and implementation responsibilities with the Vice President (Tour Chair). These responsibilities are to be divided between these two positions annually, per a mutually agreed upon schedule.**"

Article V, Section 15.(b) Editor:

Proposed change: "The Editor shall be responsible for the distribution **of the newsletter and any other notices electronically only (e-mail or via website).**

Article VI, Committees:

Proposed change: The board of directors or the President may designate one or more committees, as necessary, to conduct the activities and or affairs of the club. Each committee shall consist of two or more members of the club, with one member appointed as chairperson. Each member of a committee shall continue as such until a successor is appointed or until the duties of the committee are completed or until terminated by the board of directors. **The refreshments committee shall be responsible for scheduling and coordinating the annual picnic, which is to be held in conjunction with the August club meeting.**



Refreshments for 2021

October - Sherry Rusunen and Jann Jones

November - Carma Huset and Karen Huset

December - Christmas Party Potluck



Just an early reminder –
Dues for the 2022 year are due by the end of
December!

The membership cost is \$20.00 per year and
paid at any of the club meetings or mail to:

Volcano A's,
PO Box 970,
La Center, WA 98629



Need nomination candidates for 2022 club officers



Our Sincere Gratitude to...

Don & Ruby Knudson club members since 1983. Don was Club President 1988-1990 and Ruby 1992-1994. Also, Don was Club Member of the Year in 1986 & 1995. Ruby was Member of the Year in 1987, 1991 & 1992. In addition, they were Mr. & Mrs. Model A in 1997.

MAFCA National Awards: Don & Ruby in 2013 were awarded MAFCA 50 Years Membership Award, and in 1997 they were awarded MAFCA Chapter Service Award. Ruby in 1990 was awarded MAFCA Newsletter of the Year, and in 1989 awarded MAFCA Newsletter Excellence.

*So, all the Volcano A's want to say
Thank You for all your
contributions to our club!*

Celebrate these October Happy Birthdays



Lynn Mattingley	1
Dian Lane	9
Bibbi Lee	9
Brooke Lindsey	10
Carlene Willis	19
Diana Carlile	26
Jane Hall	31

Lava Ladies



It was so nice to see everyone at our September meeting! We discussed Babies in Need and we picked October 16th to get together,

Karen Huset will have more details coming.

Bibbi mentioned that the Veteran's group needs sweats, so of course our group decided that we would like to help. Please bring your contribution of sweats to the October and November meetings. New sweatshirts and pants in any size are greatly appreciated by the Vets and several of us have had great luck getting sweats at Walmart.

Look forward to seeing you all at our next meeting, can you believe only two more meetings until our annual December Holiday Potluck and Auction.

Dian

Club Meeting Dates for 2021

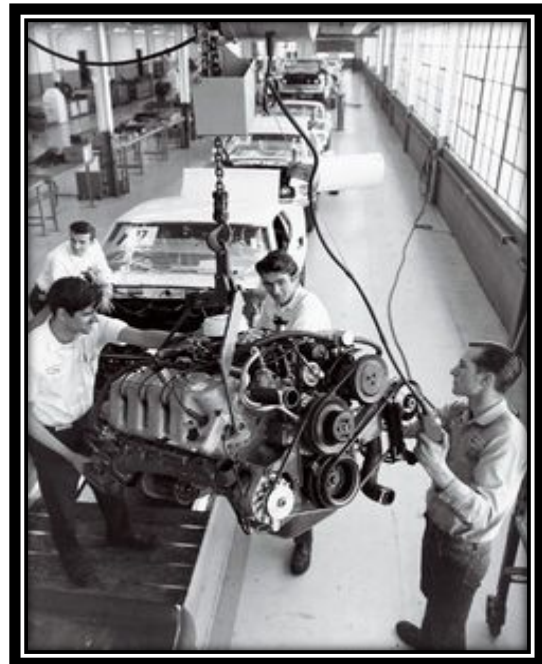
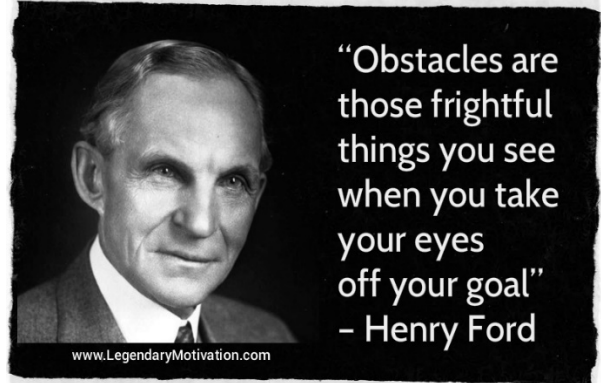
October 11 at Nazarene Church – 7:00pm

November 8 at Nazarene Church – 7:00pm

December 13 Holiday Potluck & Auction
at Lane's Museum – 6:00pm

Volcano View Newsletter

The December 2021 issue will be the last copy that will be sent out via US Mail.



What's Up with -Boss 429's? - Classic Muscle Car - Mustang

Check out the MAFCA Website!

www.mafca.com



**Northwest Regional Group of MAFCA
meeting held on September 18th, 2021**

A hub tour, based in Spokane, is planned for September 14th through 18th, 2022. All others are on hold. The Portland club has been amenable to host a NWRG meet after we can schedule meets without the fear of Covid. A discussion of having the NWRG planning an event or joining with a Chapter to co-sponsor one was discussed. Submitted with respect, Roger Green, Volcano's A NWRG representative.



Remember

Veterans Day Parade
November 6th Fort
Vancouver..More
information in the
November newsletter

Model A Ford Club of America (MAFCA)

Dues are \$50 per year which includes a subscription to:
The Restorer magazine.

Send to: MAFCA
250 South Cypress Street
La Habra, CA 90631



Website: www.mafca.com

Ford Model A on Hoist



Babies in Need event

Sat Oct 16 at the Museum at the
Lanes. Starts at 12 Noon, menu
is Mexican themed potluck.
Plus bringing new, unwrapped
baby items.

1931 NATIONAL NEWS

The U.S. Supreme
Court rules that the dry
law is constitutional.

U.S. unemployment
reaches 8 million.

Hordes of grasshoppers
overrun Iowa, Nebraska
and South Carolina.

The comic strip "Dick
Tracy," created by Chester
Gould, makes its debut.

Inventor Thomas Edison
passes away at age 84.

Charles Lindbergh inaugurates
the Pan Am flight service
from Cuba to South America.

Seek Publishing

Remember When

1931

Model A Ford Foundation Inc (MAFFI)

Dues are \$25 per year which includes a
subscription to: *The Preserver Quarterly*
newsletter

Send to: 28 Peotone, IL 60468-0028

Application is online @ **Website www.maffi.org**



Model A Era Men's Fashion



44 THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN February, 1921

The Ford is The Universal Car

In CITY, town and country, the new Ford is helping to shorten the miles and extend the limits of opportunity for millions of people. It brings the open fields closer to the city and removes the isolation of rural districts. Daily it carries great numbers of men to work and home again, takes children safely to school and lightens the duties of women everywhere. Thousands of salaried men use it to cover larger territories and thereby render better service to their customers and the companies for which they deliver the necessities of life to country homes, and speeds a physician on a hurried call. Along darkened highways, policemen use its alert speed and reliability for greater protection to widening areas. Wherever there is movement of men and materials, you will find the new Ford is an accepted part of the program of the day because of its low first cost, good performance and economy of operation. You may purchase it on convenient, economical terms through the Authorized Ford Finance Plans of the Universal Credit Company.

Model A Era Women's Fashion



The Holiday Season is Fast Approaching

Here's a great gift idea for you to give to the mechanic in your home.

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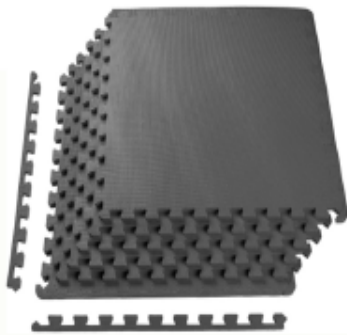
Jim's Tech Tip by Jim Cannon

Exercise Mats for Comfort

I picked up a set of 6 foam exercise mats, about $\frac{1}{2}$ " thick and 2 feet square, at a yard sale a few months ago. I think I paid about \$5 for them. They have interlocking edges that allow you to join them to make larger mats.

I

These things have proven to be wonderful to sit on or kneel on, any time I need to work on something low on the car. I will join 2 or 3 of them and lay under the car on them. They are also very comfortable to stand on in front of a work bench.



I have seen these mats sold in a set of 6 on Amazon and similar places for about \$25. They are also sold in $\frac{3}{4}$ " and 1" thicknesses. If you can't find them easily near you at a yard sale, that is another option. Either way, they are well worth having on hand.

Be comfortable! Have a Model A Day! Jim



Please let us know if you are interested in any of these spots... Thank You

Sternwheeler Tour Pictures – 9/9/2021



It's "A" Puzzling Problem

Can you find
the five things
that are different
in these photos?

Thanks to Sharon Davis for sending this photo in



- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

1. Radiator cap changed.
2. License Number different.
3. Electric line in upper right removed.
4. Side view mirror missing.
5. Napkin missing from shirt.



LOVE THOSE A'S

Some Photos Courtesy MAFCA, MARC, and America in the 1930's Facebook Pages



Reprint from the Sullivan Trail A's News – 9/2021

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 \$50 yearly and include a subscription to The Restorer.

Application for Club Membership

VOLCANO A's - Ford Model A Club

**P O Box 970
La Center WA 98629**

The Volcano A's is a non-profit organization dedicated to the restoration and preservation of the Model A Ford. Membership is open to all persons that are interested in the Model A Ford.

Membership in MAFCA National Club is optional for all members except 'Officers' of the Volcano A's, who must be MAFCA members.

Alcoholic beverages are not served at club functions. Any member choosing to partake of such beverages during club functions shall stand accountable for his own actions. Neither Volcano A's nor fellow officers shall be held responsible.

Meetings are the 2nd Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Fourth Plain Church of the Nazarene - 16807 NE Fourth Plain, Vancouver.

Annual dues are \$20.00

Please right click and print this Application Form and send to above address

NEW MEMBER INFORMATION

Date: _____ Year Joined: _____

Please complete the following information for our Secretary

NAME _____ BIRTHDAY _____

SPOUSE _____ BIRTHDAY _____

ADDRESS _____ ANNIVERSARY _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

TELEPHONE _____ EMAIL _____

Other Family Members living at home

Names _____ Birthday _____

CAR Information: (Model, Year, Body Style) _____

Revised December 20, 2019

For Sale Items or Wanted

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FOR SALE

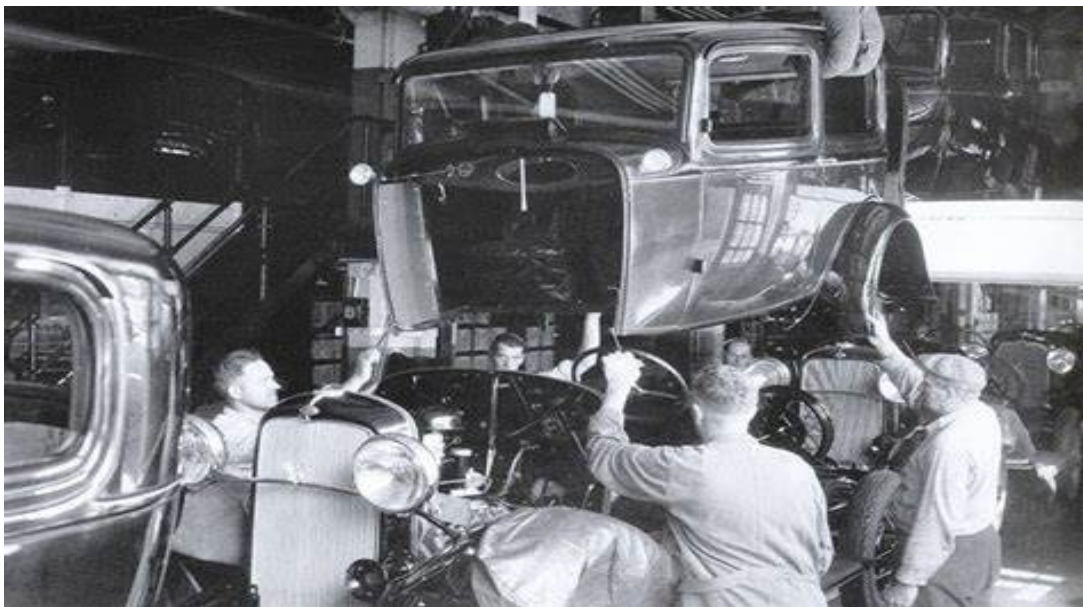
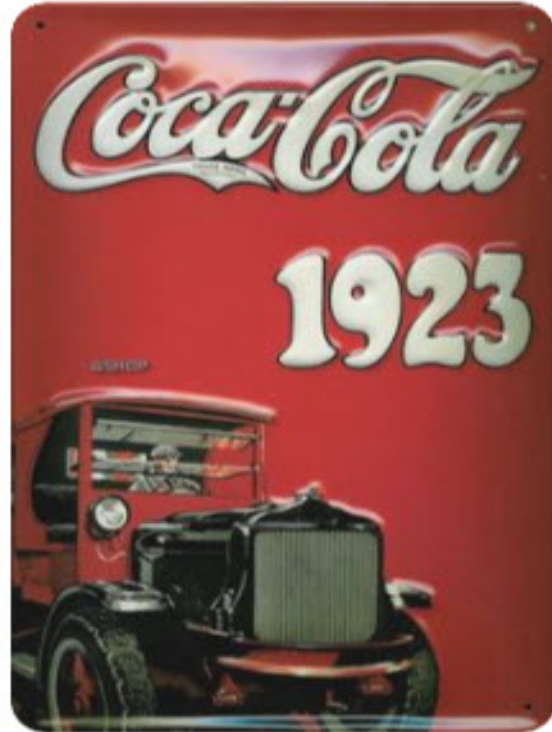
1931 Model A Pickup with new motor



Rebuilt motor, generator, starter, carburetor, new battery, powder coated rims, tires (5), and radiator. This vehicle was used since 1931 in Santa Maria Valley by a local farming family the Estey Family. It became their parade vehicle in 1934. The Interior is in great shape. Original Paint with patina. Runs like a Swiss watch. \$26,700 OBO. Jim Hoxter 805-709-4236





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