

September 2017

Model A Rattles

General Meeting: Wednesday, September 6th Albany Public Library 7pm

Program: Refreshments: Grace and Dave Hinton

Program: Michael Chambers: Tips and Bits from the Pros

Board Meeting: Tuesday, September 19th Albany Sizzler 7pm

Announcements

-Ben Morris has asked for a co-chair for the swap meet, those interested contact Martin Harding.

-**The club has a Facebook page, check it out on Facebook at Enduring A's - Model A Club of Albany, Oregon.**

-All members are encouraged to still wear their nametags at all club events and meetings.

-There will be a September General Meeting! Larry Brockaw & Don Studier will preside.

- **Guess Who Game.** We're doing something new this year at the harvest party! Please bring a childhood photo of yourself to the September or October meeting or email

anncook45@yahoo.com. We will play a new game at the Harvest/Model A Birthday Party on October 20th. Please remember to put your name to the back of the photo!! Thank you, Ann Cook.

Minutes of General Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 7:02 PM.

Carol Davenport's sister Casey was visiting.

Previous meeting minutes were read and approved.

Treasurer Linda Harding said the books are all in order. The club made a donation to the Willamette Heritage Center, and payments for the Overnight tour. She has a budget spread sheet available for anyone interested.

Sunshine report, Bev Smith, Francis Snyder, and Joe Fazio are recovering from knee replacement surgery. Longtime member Martin Northcraft passed away July 22, 2017.

Reports on the Adair Picnic

Upcoming club events to Sweetbriar Park, Hometown Furniture, and Brownsville were discussed.

The program for the evening was on United States Flag bumper mounts by Jeff Hanson (with multiple door prizes) and Rules of the Road for touring by Gary Linkel's neighbor, an Oregon State Police Officer.

Refreshments were provided by Charissa Koberstein.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:40

Minutes of Board Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM sharp.

Missing was Brian Cook.

Guests were Byron Cook and Caryl Young

Previous board meeting minutes were read and approved.

Linda Harding went over the Club budget and expenses for the Overnight tour in September.

Discussions on insurance coverage and plans for the Over Night tour and the Heritage Mall car show.

Martin and Don Studier reported on their meeting with the Expo Center about this year's Swap Meet rental fees.

Larry Brokaw announced that the Library contacted him with a conflict for our November meeting.

Caryl Young volunteered to be in charge of refreshments next year and the board approved.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:11 PM

Upcoming Events

September 5,6,7, Club Overnight Tour to the Steens Mountains. Registration deadline has passed.

September 9th Redmond Swap Meet.

September 16th International Model A Day car show in Heritage Mall.

50's in the Fall, September 16th, Lebanon.

Jordan Dinner, September 24th, at Jordan, where else?

November 18th Enduring A's 2017 Albany Swap Meet.

President's Message

How many places have you been & how many things have you seen because of the Model A Ford & our club's activities? I was thinking about this while returning from the monthly club breakfast in Lebanon. My answer is "many".

August has been a busy month with a tour to the Sweet Brier RV & Train Park organized by Jeff Hansen. The monthly club breakfast in Lebanon was followed by a tour of Home Town Furniture (a most unusual place) led by Gary Linkel. Then the Kirk's Ferry lunch and tours of the Linn County Museum & Moyer House, all in Brownsville were organized by the team of Dave Hinton & Larry Brokaw. A big "THANKS" go out to all those members for making this month so varied & interesting.

September will not be slowing down. The annual overnight tour kicks off on September 5th, led by Paul Hurst. There will be a regular meeting in September if you are not on that tour. International Model A Day is September 16th & our club will be showing our cars at the Heritage Mall that weekend. Come join the show or pay a visit.

The time is also coming for selection of new officers so please consider volunteering or saying 'yes' if you are asked to join the board.

Check out the rest of the newsletter for other activities and you will find no reason for staying home.

Martin

In Memorium

It is with a heavy heart that we announce the passing of longtime club member Yvonne Fixel. Our condolences go out to Frank and her family. There was a graveside service held on August 22nd at Riverside Cemetery.

Classifieds

Wanted: 1930 1931 Model A Roadster Doors. Original Ford is preferred. Please call Brian Littlefield 503-302-3471.

For those of you interested in selling or buying items from the newsletter, email me at briancook045@gmail.com before the third Saturday of the month.

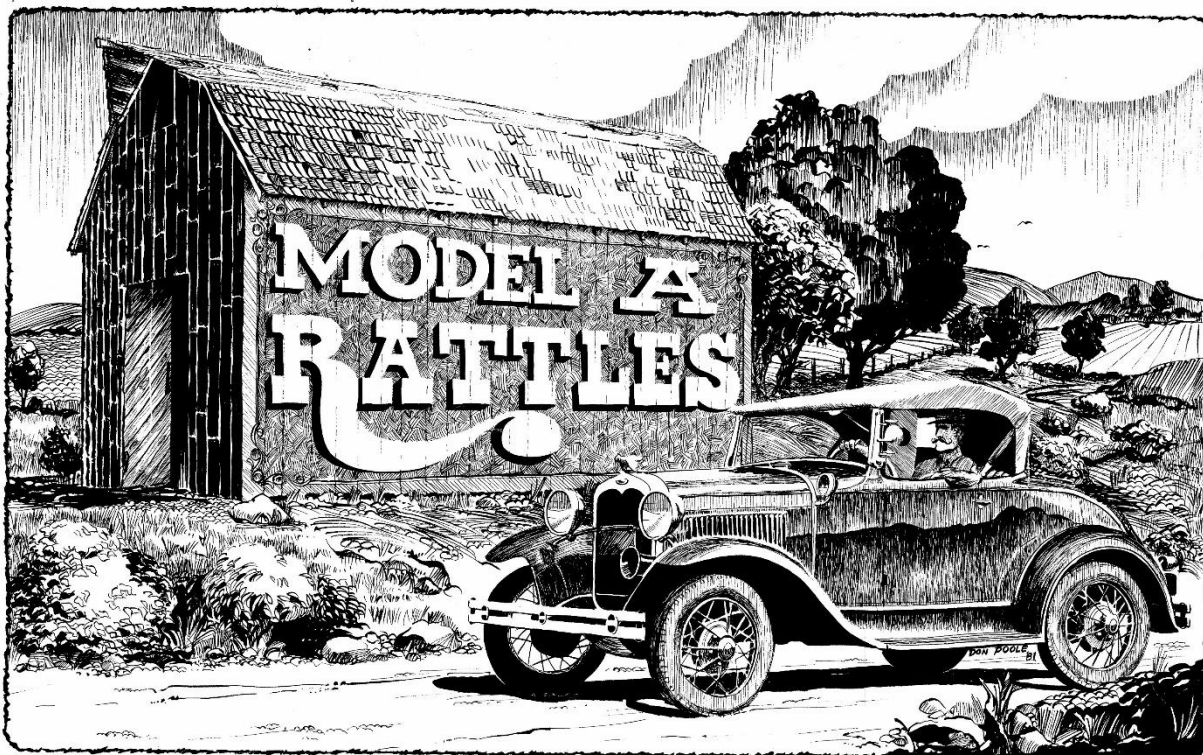
Funnies



"THE FULL HISTORY INCLUDES ALL THE ORIGINAL LETTERS OF COMPLAINT TO THE FACTORY"

Henry's Quote of the Month

Obstacles are those frightful things you see when you take your eyes off your goal.



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