



THE RUMBLE SHEET

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Greetings from your president Linda

If you were not at the May breakfast, you missed a great opportunity to participate in the after-breakfast Poker Run. Harold and Virginia Helton were the winners.

At the May General meeting the revised March 23, 2017 Tulsa Model-A Club By-Laws were presented to and voted on by the club members. All revisions were approved.

The June 3, breakfast is at Eggbert's Restaurant at 8:30 in Claremore. Following will be a short tour of beautiful Claremore Lake and a visit to the Davis Arms & Historical Museum. It's the largest private collection in the world. Free admission, donations accepted. There is also a gift shop. See the article in the newsletter for more details.

The club members have been invited to the Senior Star Burgundy Place Retirement Community to visit and show our Model-A's to the residents. They will also be serving hotdogs and hamburgers. The Thunderbird Car Club have also been invited. They would like a head count. So, if you haven't already signed up please let me know.

Thanks to Barbara Cail for organizing the upcoming July 4th on the 3rd Concert event. She is also planning dinner at a restaurant before the concert. There is more information in the newsletter.

Our General Club meeting will be changed to Joanna Coopers Classic Car Showroom on July 18. If you've never seen her collection before you will be pleasantly surprised with her ever-changing cars, memorabilia, and décor. We will also be having our annual ice cream social. This year it will be Root Beer floats. More information will be in the July newsletter.

The MAFCA organization would like to have an Ambassador volunteer from each chapter to help coordinate new memberships in the local and national Model-A clubs. Please consider volunteering for this for one year.

See you down the road....

Linda Mellage



Poker Run Winning Hand

This full house was the lucky hand that won Virginia and Harold the \$65 pot.

Thank you Donna, Rich and Jerry for organizing a fun poker run in Tulsa

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NUTS & BOLTS (OR MISCELLANEOUS TIDBITS)

by Ken Brust



We may not be officially into summer quite yet since that magic day is June 21, but it sure seems like summer has arrived to me. School is out, the pool is open and more and more Model As are seen out and about. Many of our members are planning trips to Omaha and Texas in June. Plans are even being made now for our Fall Tour and even our Spring Tour in 2018. Kent and Jeanne agreed to help Tory and me with the Fall Tour so that they can lead the effort next year for the Spring Tour. As you all know, we alternate with the Sooner Club to plan our joint tours, and the next two tours are for our Tulsa Club to organize. The Sooner Club planned our recent trip up to Ponca City as well as the one last Fall.

If you like elephants, we think you will really enjoy a visit down to Hugo, Oklahoma. Hugo is the winter home for three circuses and is also home



to an amazingly large herd of elephants. Mark your calendar now so you can come along. The Fall Tour is scheduled for the weekend of Friday, October 27, through Sunday, October 29. We will provide more details as we motor through the dog days of summer but wanted you to save the dates now.

There was another article in the latest issue of the Restorer about a club in Wisconsin celebrating its 60th anniversary. I'd really like for us to plan some fun and memorable ways to celebrate our 50th anniversary next year. If you have any ideas, pass them along to me and we'll see what we can do. I think this 50-year milestone needs to be celebrated in high style!

Don and Marilyn Mitchell are serving as chairs of the Raffle Steering Committee for the Sooner Club and are seeking our help. Since the Sooner Club is celebrating its 50th Anniversary this year, it is hosting the MAFCA National Awards Banquet this December. If you have anything you think would be an interesting item for a raffle, please consider donating it to the Sooner Club. It could be an old Route 66 sign, Model A parts or tools, art work, jewelry, books or whatever you think would be an eye catcher in the array of raffle items. Also, they are collecting empty coffee cans for use in the deposit of the raffle tickets. If you have items or coffee cans to donate, please let me know and I will get them from you and see that they get to Don and Marilyn.

The Tuesday morning coffee gang still meets weekly at McDonalds on the corner of 91st and Memorial. Interesting bunch of guys from whom I keep learning many new things. Did you know Don House was President of his High School Class in 1952? That Dan and Rich are pretty much master woodworkers? That Merv is an architectural engineer and keeps 5 classic cars plus his Model A crammed into his garage? That Kent was an Air Traffic Controller at Tulsa International Airport? That Conrad sold his truck and now drives a fancy black Mercedes? That Marvin once rode a dinosaur? All are true! No fake news here!! Join the gang on Tuesday if you dare!

Happy Trails to All

An advertisement for 'Mike's Affordable Model A Parts'. The ad features a blue background with white and yellow text. At the top, it says 'We've Revolutionized the way you find Model A Parts!'. Below this, it lists 'FOUR CATALOGS TO CHOOSE FROM: Coupe • Pickup • Open Car • Sedan'. A yellow starburst graphic on the right says 'THE MOST VERSATILE SOURCE OF QUALITY PARTS FOR OVER 50 YEARS!'. At the bottom, it provides the phone number '1-888-879-6453' and the website 'www.mikes-affordable.com'. Several images of the product catalogs are shown.

MAFCA 2017 100-K IN A MODEL A CHALLENGE

The Tulsa Model A Ford Club would like to participate in the MAFCA 100,000 Mile Challenge with a cruise and luncheon! The goal is for every club to participate and for the combined mileage of all the clubs to exceed 100,000 miles driven in a Model "A" in a single day! The participants who are MAFCA members would receive a participation decal for their Model A. If you are not a MAFCA member, you are still welcome to join us. The round trip would be about 100 miles and we would love to have a large number attending. Let's get together and have some fun!

Saturday, July 15, 2017

12:00 Noon Leave Tulsa and drive 45 miles to Bartlesville, OK

1:30 p.m. Lunch at **Murphy's Steakhouse**, located at 1625 S.W. Frank Phillips Blvd. Murphy's has been a local favorite for American food since 1946.

3:00 p.m. Tour of the **Frank Phillips House**, located at 11007 Cherokee Ave., built in 1909.

4:00 p.m. Drive to Collinsville, to **Scoops & Grinds**, located at 1023 W. Main St., for ice cream, dessert or coffee!

** More details to follow! If you have questions or concerns, please e-mail Melody at duvallstrans@att.net

4TH ON THE 3RD CONCERT

Again this July, club members are planning to attend the "4th on the 3rd" concert. The concert features America's beloved patriotic music and tributes to those who have served her. The Signature Symphony and Signature Chorale in be on stage at the Van Tress PAC, Tulsa Community College, 81st St. at Hwy 169, on Monday, July 3rd, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

If you plan to go with the Model A club, deadline for signing up and paying is Wednesday, June 14. Tickets will be purchased the next day. No late signing up will be available from the club.

4th on the 3rd Concert
Monday, July 3rd, at 7:30 p.m.
Van Tress PAC, Tulsa CC, 81st St.
and Hwy 169, Tulsa
Tickets \$8 (Seniors), \$12 (Adults)
Deadline to have payment to
Barbara Cail: Wednesday, June 14
(Barbara Cail, 11578 S. 68th E.
Ave, Bixby OK 74008, 918-299-
5691)

If the group wants to get together for dinner prior to Concert, a location and time will be planned.



JUNE 3 BREAKFAST - TOUR - MUSEUM

Just a reminder our next club breakfast is Saturday June 3, at Eggberts, 900 S. Lynn Riggs, in Claremore OK, 8:30 am. In additions to eating there is a tour and museum visit scheduled.

Following breakfast plans are to take a short tour of beautiful Lake Claremore. It's a city lake nestled in the rolling hills north west of downtown. It offers boating, fishing, and picnic areas. Lots of people don't even know it exists.

The lake tour will end at the J.M. Davis Arms & Historical Museum in Claremore. Its display includes over 50,000 firearms, knives, military weapons, and western hardware. Plus, a room decorated like one of the original Mason hotel rooms. This museum has a very interesting and well organized display of artifacts. There is NO admission charge, but donations are appreciated. The gift shop will also be open.

Once finished with this, Claremore has a vibrant downtown with many antique shops and eating places to enjoy. A caravan to Claremore is scheduled to depart the Broken Arrow Quik-Trip at 71st and County Line (193rd Ave) at 7:30 am.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

DATE.....	EVENT AND LOCATION	TIME
June 3	Breakfast, Eggbert's, 900 S. Lynn Riggs, Claremore, OK, Driving Tour & Museum	8:30 am
June 5-9	Regional Meet, Meadow Lark Car Club, Omaha, NE	
June 8-10	Texas Tour, Piney Wood Club, Victoria, TX	
June 13	Ladies Lunch, Oak Room, Sam and Ella's, 419 North Muskogee Ave, Tahlequah.....	11:30 am
June 13	Board meeting, Hardesty Library-Oak Room, 8316 E. 91st St, Tulsa.....	7:00 pm
June 16	Car Show, Senior Burgandy Retirement Center, 8887 South Lewis Ave, Tulsa.....	5:30 pm
	Drive your Model-A	
June 20	General Meeting, Hardesty Library, 8316 E. 91st St, Tulsa	7:00 pm
July 1	Breakfast, TBA.....	8:30 am
July ?	Board meeting, Hardesty Library, 8316 E. 91st St, Tulsa.....	7:00 pm
July 11	Ladies Lunch, TBA.....	11:30 am
July 18.....	General Meeting, Joanna Cooper's Show Room.....	TBA
	Ice Cream Social, 26501 East 58 Street, Broken Arrow	
August 1	Board meeting, Hardesty Library, 8316 E. 91st St, Tulsa, Ash Room.....	7:00 pm
August 5	Breakfast, TBA.....	8:30 am
August 8	Ladies Lunch, TBA.....	11:30 am
August 15	General Meeting, Hardesty Library, 8316 E. 91st St, Tulsa	7:00 pm
September 2 ...	Breakfast, TBA.....	8:30 am
September 5 ...	Board meeting, Hardesty Library, 8316 E. 91st St, Tulsa, Ash Room.....	7:00 pm
September 12 .	Ladies Lunch, TBA.....	11:30 am
September 19 .	General Meeting, Hardesty Library, 8316 E. 91st St, Tulsa	7:00 pm
October 3.....	Board meeting, Hardesty Library, 8316 E. 91st St, Tulsa, Ash Room.....	7:00 pm
October 7.....	Breakfast, TBA.....	8:30 am
October 10.....	Ladies Lunch, TBA.....	11:30 am
October 13.....	General Meeting, Hardesty Library, 8316 E. 91st St, Tulsa	7:00 pm
October 27-29	Fall Tour, Hugo, OK	TBA
November 4....	Breakfast, TBA.....	8:30 am
November 7....	Board meeting, Hardesty Library, 8316 E. 91st St, Tulsa, Ash Room.....	7:00 pm
November 14..	Ladies Lunch, TBA.....	11:30 am
November 21..	General Meeting, Hardesty Library, 8316 E. 91st St, Tulsa	7:00 pm
December -	Christmas Parades in Broken Arrow and Catoosa;General Meeting and Club Christmas Party	TBA
December 2	Breakfast, TBA.....	8:30 am
December 5	Board meeting, Hardesty Library, 8316 E. 91st St, Tulsa, Ash Room.....	7:00 pm
December 12 ..	Ladies Lunch, TBA.....	11:30 am

ERA FASHIONS

Roll-Your-Own Hats

And the smart fisherman sweater

This story appeared in the May edition of the Wichita A's Rumble Seat Review



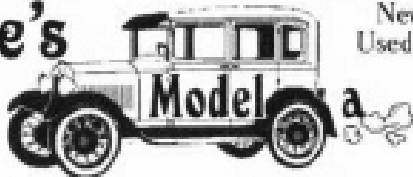
Directions by Merle Munn may be obtained for 10 cents. Ask for CK-338 and address: Woman's Home Companion, Service Department, New York City.

Photographs by Frederick Bradley Copied from June 1931 issue of the Woman's Home Companion



This is the little rolled hat all the young things were wearing at Palm Beach last winter. Just about as big as a minute, it is comfortable, becoming and handy to carry. As you see it can either be crocheted (upper left photograph) or knitted (as upper right) of Shetland floss or rayon and cotton mixtures. And it is very easy to make indeed one of these hats would be excellent for a beginner to start on. Everybody is doing handwork these days. The delightful sweater right, of the type so very popular everywhere just now, is an adaptation of the gayly striped jumpers worn by fishermen on the Riviera. This version, done in open mesh crochet, is white wool striped in bright red, navy and marine blue. Of course the hat matches. The sweater can be worn over a sleeveless sports dress or as a blouse.

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- 2 Jack & Linda SOSSAMON
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- 5 Mitchell DuVall
- 6 Greg & Sheryl HOYLE
- 7 Donald & Loretta HOUSE
- 13 Steven Reiser
- 16 Chris DuVall
- 17 Darlene DeCamp
- 18 Cindy Case
- 18 June Chesser
- 21 Phil & Laura JUDKINS
- 23 John Adams
- 24 Bob & Bobbi KENDALL
- 25 Larry Cotton
- 30 David and Carol HAYES



June

Melody DuVall, Charlotte
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July

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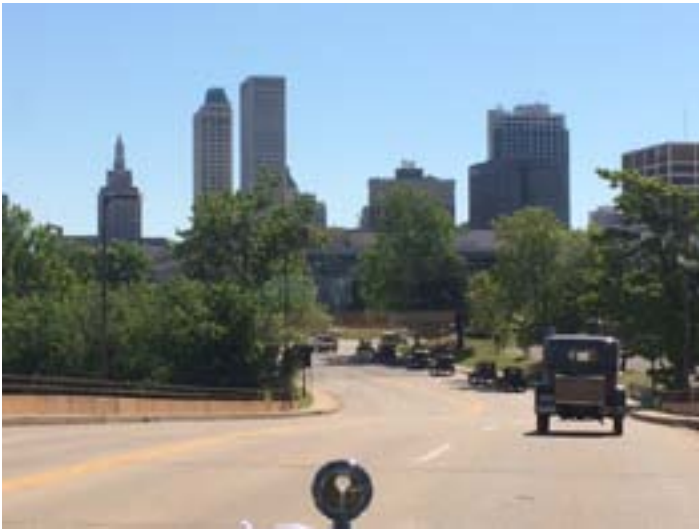


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WHO WAS BETTY BOOP?

Betty Boop is an animated cartoon character created by Max Fleischer in 1930, but where did the idea come from? This is a picture of Esther Jones, a singer at the Cotton Club in Harlem in the late 1920's who performed under the name Baby Esther.

Esther was known for using phrases like "Boop-oop-a-doop" (which would later become a signature of the cartoon's). Yet, while the Betty



Boop creators have acknowledged that Baby Esther is the true original, most people credit Helen Kane. Why? Helen Kane went out of her way to take the credit. You see, the thing is that Betty Boop was initially intended, by creator Max

Fleischer, to be a caricature of Helen Kane — though he didn't know at the time that Kane was merely a Baby Esther copycat. At some point, Jones learned that Kane was using – or had stolen – her style of singing and she took her to court. According to testimony from Jones' manager, Helen Kane saw Esther Jones' act in 1928. A test sound film showed Jones performing which disproved Kane's claims that she was the originator of the style.

Betty Boop made her first appearance on August 9, 1930, in the cartoon Dizzy Dishes. The character was originally created as an anthropomorphic French poodle. In 1932, in the cartoon Any Rags, her floppy poodle ears became hoop earrings, and her black poodle nose became a girl's button-like nose. Betty Boop

was described in a 1934 court case as: "combining in appearance the childish with the sophisticated - a large round baby face with big eyes and nose like a button, framed in a somewhat careful coiffure, with a very small body of which perhaps the leading characteristic is the most self-confident little bust imaginable."

"Winepress" Napa Valley A's



EDSEL FORD 1893-1943

Edsel Ford was the only child of Henry and Clara Bryan Ford. During his early childhood, Edsel and his father worked side-by-side on cars and, as a young boy, he rode alongside his father in the first car built by Henry Ford. Edsel Ford was 25 years old when he became the President of the Ford Motor Company in 1918.

As Ford's market share began to slip in the 1920s, Edsel advocated the creation of a new and more modern automobile to replace the long-standing Model T Ford. During the designing of the Model A, Henry tended to concentrate on the mechanical and reliability aspects of the car, while Edsel concentrated on the modernization of certain mechanical items like the transmission and brakes. The resulting stylish Model A Ford was a commercial success, selling nearly five million cars during its four years of production. Edsel Ford was also interested in aviation and, in 1925, under Edsel's leadership, the Ford Motor Company began producing the famous Ford Tri-Motor airplane.

Edsel Ford's greatest contribution to the automotive industry was his ability to combine the artistry of design with the functional requirements of mass production—a talent that is most evident in the Model A Ford.

These stories appeared in the May edition of the Script "A" Newsletter.



Edsel B. Ford's funeral procession May 29, 1943. 1938 Eureka-Lincoln hearse. Ford family limousines, including one of three Brunn-bodied Lincoln Zephyrs lined up behind the hearse. Photo courtesy of The Professional Car, No. 30

ABOUT THE TULSA MODEL A FORD CLUB

CHAPTER #8231 OF THE MODEL A CLUB OF AMERICA (MAFCA)

This is the official publication of the Tulsa Chapter of Model A Ford Club of America. This monthly newsletter is mailed to members, prospective members, advertisers and editors of similar publications. Its purpose is to keep you informed of what has taken place, scheduled activities and to promote fellowship among club members.

Members are encouraged to submit articles containing technical or any club related information. Articles must reach the editor by the 5th of the month to insure publication in that month's newsletter. Articles received after that will appear in a following newsletter.

Membership dues for the Tulsa Model A Ford Club are \$20 per family annually payable at the end of the year. Contact the New Member chairperson for new memberships and the Treasurer for renewals. The Tulsa Model A Ford Club recommends membership in the national MAFCA organization.

Members may advertise at no cost, non-business ads in the newsletter For Sale, Wanted or Trade section. Businesses may advertise with cost by the ad size, (business card size or 1/4 page) in the advertising section. The number of ads are restricted to space available in the Rumble Sheet. Contact the Advertising chairperson for details.

MEETING SCHEDULE

- Business Meeting - 7:00 p.m. 3rd Tuesday of each month at Charles Hardesty Library, 8316 East 93rd Street, Tulsa
- Breakfast - 9:00 a.m., 1st Saturday of each month, location to be announced
- Board Meeting - 7:00 p.m., 1st Tuesday of each month, Charles Hardesty Library, 8316 East 93rd Street, Tulsa

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