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# THE RUMBLE SHEET

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### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



The March winds brought some polar air for us in February. Hope everyone kept warm and toasty. We had a special mens' coffee get-together (in addition to our weekly Tuesday gathering) up north recently where Ralph Hudson, Jim Pogue, John Lairmore and Don Reed were joined by some of the weekly regulars. Ken Pytiak, a new member, also joined us. Welcome, Ken! And speaking of new members, the club also welcomed Mckade Mellage as a new 2019 member. Mckade drives a familiar-looking Model A

pickup. Welcome, Mckade! We are glad to have you aboard.

Congrats to Charlie Ramsey for his recent Award of Honor by the Tulsa Police Department. It was certainly well deserved after reading the citation! But hardly a surprise to those of us who know Charlie! We look forward to having Charlie provide us a demonstration later this year with his new explosive-detecting dog.

Roy and Barbara led 29 of us down to Okmulgee where we had a delicious and never-ending Valentine luncheon buffet at OSUIT. It was a mega



feed for sure! The drive down and back on the scenic backroads is always an extra treat. Many thanks, Cails.

Many thanks to Ken Busby, CEO of Route 66 Alliance, for his most interesting and entertaining program on Route 66 at our February meeting. At the meeting, we presented Joanna Cooper a framed photo of our cars in appreciation for her hosting our Christmas party last year. Don Reed also passed along the President's Plaque. Melody prepared and we distributed unique certificates honoring 90-year anniversaries for those with 1928 and 1929 Model A's. If you have not received yours, please get with me. Many thanks, Melody. Don House is about to depart Tulsa after many, many years here and is relocating to North Carolina. He presented the club with some (Continued on Page 3)



The Tuesday mens' coffee gang met also on a Wednesday one week to include more Owasso members. Jim Pogue, Ken Brust, Don Reed, Kent Washburn, John Lairmore, Rich Robinson, Andy Dunn, new member Ken Pykiet, Marvin Mellage, Sam Slavens and Ralph Hudson. Almost got a dozen!!

# TULSA MODEL A FORD CLUB 2/19/2019 6:45 TO 8:15 PM Prepared by Andy Dunn, Se

Minutes

Prepared by Andy Dunn, Secretary

Club president Ken Brust opened the meeting with our Pledge to the Flag followed by Prayer by Rodger Johnson.

Ken began the meeting with a summary of membership; 77 individual members last year, 64 individual members this year, we will close out the membership campaign by the end of February and update and prepare the new membership directory in March. Welcome to our newest member Mckade Mellage, driving a mighty fine Model A pick up! Welcome to Ken Pykiet, a newer member from last year!

Alan Schmidt was unable to attend the meeting but did provide Ken with financial data year to date indicating the club is in good standing.

Connie Hudson as sunshine person had nothing new to report and Ken asked the members help by sharing information with Connie concerning those needing support during times of illness and recovery.

Charles Ramsey a veteran officer of the Tulsa police department was awarded the Medal of Valor by Major Travis Yates of the Tulsa police department. A very special award and Thank You was presented to Joanna Cooper for hosting our excellent Christmas party. Thank You Joanna!

Breakfast on the first Saturday was held Café USA in Sapulpa. We then caravanned to the Tulsa Boys Home and received an excellent tour of the facility. There were 25 on the tour and 38 at breakfast. We got the opportunity to interface with the leadership of the Boys Home and hear some testimony from boys currently in Boys Home programs.

Barbara and Roy Cail organized and hosted the Valentine's Day Luncheon at OSU Institute of Technology Okmulgee OK, we met at Sutherlands in Bixby and caravanned to OSU Okmulgee for a Valentine's Day extravaganza. We had 27 members plus two guests and 10 Model A's. The Cail's are continuing their culinary delight on a 62-day cruise.

Our program February 19th was presented by Ken Busby, with the Route 66 Alliance. The program was focused on plans for the New Route 66 Experience. Ken is known as the Cultural Czar of Northeast Oklahoma and he is the Executive Director and CEO of The Route 66 Alliance. The presentation was very informative we all got updated on the history of and the future for route 66 in Tulsa.

The first Saturday March breakfast is at the Hard Rock Casino buffet at 8:30am. A short way to get to the buffet is to enter the casino through the west entrance. Ralph and Connie Hudson will lead a caravan to visit several of the many Timmy and Cindy Statues in Owasso.

The March 19th Tuesday business meeting program is about the 100th anniversary of the Oklahoma Military Academy which they are wanting us to help celebrate on June 8 in Claremore.

April 6th breakfast brings the club back to the Golden Corral, followed by a caravan over to midtown to tour a private auto collection. Rob has a 1903 Model A in the collection. The club has visited the collection two previous times, but Rob says he may have something new.

April 11-14 will bring the Spring Tour this year. The OKC club is organizing this event and there is information in the Rumble Sheet regarding the event and instructions for reservations etc. so, make reservations soon for the Weatherford, Red Rock Canyon, Clinton Spring Tour.

Tuesday April 16 monthly business meeting program is by the Tulsa Police Department on concealed carry, what you can and can't do. The program is being set up by Johnny Nicholson.

May's monthly business meeting program will be the Hubley Races, so everyone get your Hubley's tuned, cleaned and ready to race!

Any Program Ideas? Please contact Ken or any board member with your ideas they will be appreciated. Johnny Beard is going to play for us later this year after his thumb heals from a bad accident. Ken asked a show of hands for interest in Lori Fulbright KOTV 6 news crime reporter speak on scams, cons and frauds. He received a positive response from the group.

Ken asked for other announcements, concerns, ideas or complaints. None logged. No 50/50 tonight but we did have a door prize drawing and the winners were Connie Hudson and David Lonsdale!



### President's Message Continued

interesting souvenoirs as door prizes. Many thanks, Don. We will, for certain, miss you and your many interesting stories!

The club is headed up north on Saturday, March 2, after an 8:30am breakfast at Hard Rock Casino Buffet, to follow Ralph and Connie around Owasso as they lead us on a quest of the Timmy & Cindy statues. These bronze castings are of an active young boy and girl and are placed at strategic locations throughout Owasso. Come join the fun.

The club calendar is gradually getting finalized. We have another interesting program on tap for our March meeting. Oklahoma Military Academy is celebrating its 100th anniversary this year and will present a program on its amazing history. (Then, on June 8, we have been invited to display our cars while touring the OMA museum in Claremore as part of the 100th anniversary festivities.) After breakfast in April we plan to visit the beautiful car barn in midtown. We've visited there before but it is always fun to see what new cars Rob might have obtained. If you have not seen this private collection, you won't want to miss this tour. Rob has a rare 1903 Model A along with many other interesting vintage cars. Also, the Spring Tour itinerary (April 11-14) has been updated so please refer to the blurb in this Rumble Sheet. It has some minor changes from the one published in last month's issue. The Sooner Club has worked diligently preparing the tour. I hope everyone will be ready to enjoy some spring weather soon in their Model A. Send in your application and make your hotel reservation now. Our club will be planning the Fall Tour so if anyone has an idea, please speak to a board member now! Johnny has coordinated a program for our April meeting with the Tulsa Police Department to update us on concealed carry laws and other security concerns that might be very important to know. We are considering participating in the Kalatchi Festival on Saturday, May 1, in Prague but have not finalized this as yet. We then have scheduled Hubley races at our May club meeting. So get your Hubleys ready to roll. Also, thanks to Kent, we have a place and date for Play Day now. Mark your calendar for September 28 at Asbury Methodist Church. Many thanks, Kent!

Happy St. Pat's Day and happy trails!





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# Calendar of Events

DATE	EVENT AND LOCATION	TIME
March 2	Breakfast, Hard Rock Casino buffet, tour of statues in Owasso	8:30 a.
March 12	Ladies' Lunch, Olive Garden, 9702 North 121 East Avenue, Owasso	11:30 a
March 19	Business Meeting - Oklahoma Military Academy's Past 100 years	7:00 p
April 6	Breakfast, Golden Corral, caravan to midtown private car collection	8:30 a
April 11-14	Spring Tour - Weatherford, Red Rock Canyon, Clinton	TBA
April 16	Business Meeting - Concealed Carry by Tulsa Police Department	7:00 p
April 19-20	Tulsa Swap Meet - Sapulpa	TBA
May 21	Business Meeting, Hubley Races	7:00 p
June 8	OMA Car Display Tour Museum	TBA
June 10-14	Regional - Des Moines	TBA
June 13-15	Texas Tour	TBA
July 27	Ice Cream Social - Joanna Cooper's	TBA
September 28	Play Day	TBA
	MAFCA Canyons Tour	



# FEBRUARY BUSINESS MEETING ROUTE 66 PRESENTATION BY KEN BUSBY



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# MEMBERS' BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

### MARCH

- 2 Ed Foust
- 9 Abbe Riggin
- 12 Sheryl Hoyle
- 14 Faith Bond
- 15 Mitch DeCamp
- 15 Raenalle DeGidio
- 15 Allan & Patti HALL
- **20 Robert Bullard**
- 22 David Hayes
- 22 Randi Wightman
- 24 Bill Harris
- 25 Rowland Pogue
- 29 Scott Case
- 29 Clifford & Doris GINN





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### FYI RELATED

March 8-9, 2019, 44th Annual Kansas Sunflower Swap Meet, Wichita, KS May 9-11, 2019, Chickasha Spring Swat Meet, Chickasha, OK

# SUNSHINE REPORT

Call Connie Hudson, 918-269-7240 with concerns.

### CLUB JACKETS, HATS AND MORE

If you are interested in purchasing clothing

items with the Club Logo, contact Kent Washburn 918-693-8504 or klwashburn@cox.net





March - Connie Hudson, Carolanne Mahan April - Linda Ochs, Jan Hamm

May - Jackie Dunn, Donna Robinson

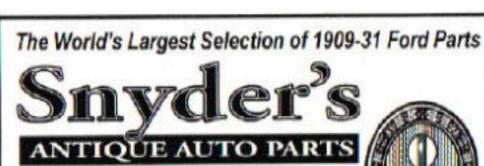
June - Melody DuVall, Celinda Burton

July - Tory Brust, Charlene Sloan
August - Connie Hudson, Donna Robinson
September - Jeanne Washburn, Linda Mellage
October - Mayleta Duncan, Cheryl Jackson
November - Melody DuVall, Virginia Harris
December - Jeanne Washburn, Tory Brust

# Welcome New Members!

Mckade Mellage Tulsa, OK Mckade.mellage@gmail.com

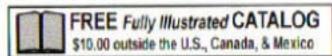




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The club presented a photo to Joanna Cooper for hosting the 2018 Christmas dinner party.





Valentine's Day at OSU-17





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# Valentine's Day at OSU/IT





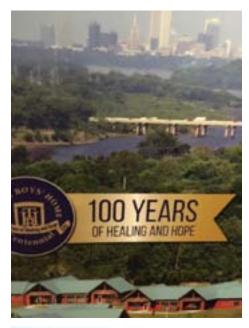








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### **2019 SPRING TOUR - APRIL 11-14**

### APRIL 11, 2019 THURSDAY - 12:00 AM

Optional travel day to Weatherford Oklahoma. Check in at the Comfort Inn. (580) 772-9100 - 1311 East Main St., Weatherford, OK 73096

#### **APRIL 12, 2019 FRIDAY**

**9:00 AM** - Depart Comfort Inn for the Stafford Air & Space Museum located at 3000 Logan Rd, I-40 & Exit 84, Weatherford. Cost per person is \$5.00. (You pay at the door.) Airplane Simulators on computers available to use at no additional cost.

**1:00 PM** - After lunch, which is on your own, arrive at the Heartland of America Museum located at 1600 S. Frontage Rd., Weatherford OK. Cost for the museum and the tour to a windmill tower is \$8.00 per person. (Send with your registration.)

Friday night dinner is on your own. Ask the hotel representative for a list of local restaurants nearby.

### APRIL 13, 2019 SATURDAY

**9:15 AM** - Depart Comfort Inn for Hinton, OK. Arrive at the Hinton Historical Museum at 10:00AM. The museum is located at 801 S Broadway Ave, Hinton, OK. Cost is \$5.00 Per Person. (Send with your registration.)

**Lunch** - Depart the museum for Red Rock Canyon. Lunch will be delivered by the Hinton Pizza shop at 12:30 PM. Cost is \$10.00 per person for lunch and park fees.

(Send with your registration. Rain or cold weather option for lunch is available.)

Depart Red Rock Canyon for Weatherford. Stop at Lucille's Road House Gas Station on Route 66 for pictures.

Return to the Comfort Inn in Weatherford.

Visit Antique Shops on your own. Uptown Market Place Antiques is located next to Hibachi Buffet at 1231 E Main St. and Miss Trudy Antiques at 106 W main St.

- **5:30 PM** Depart Comfort Inn for dinner at Lucille's Roadhouse Restaurant Located at 1301 N. Airport Road, Weatherford, OK. (Each person pays for their meal.
- 8:00 PM Assemble in the hotel meeting room for door prizes and wrap-up of the spring tour.

#### **APRIL 14, 2019 SUNDAY**

- **10:00 AM** Checkout time. The Sooner Model A Club thanks all that attended the spring tour and hope you have a safe trip home.
- **2:30 PM** Sooner Model A Club meeting is Sunday afternoon at 2:30 PM. If you have time on your way home, please joins us at the meeting. The address is 3400 NW 36th St, Oklahoma City.

# Registration

# **2019 Spring Tour to Weatherford & Hinton**

# Thursday, April 11, 2019 – Sunday April 14, 2019

Name(s):	<del></del>	
Model A or Modern Car? (Circle one) C	ell Phone:	
Make your hotel reservation at Weatherfo	ord Comfort In	n – (580)772-9100 - \$94.49 plus tax per night.
To get discount rate; code word is	s <u>Sooner Mod</u>	el A Club. Rate available only to April 2.
Friday, 12 April.		
Do you plan to go to the Stafford	Air & Space Mu	useum; Yes No (\$5 Pay as you enter)
Do you plan to go to the Heartland registration). This includes costs for		luseum; Yes No (\$8 Collected with land.
Dinner on your own		
Saturday, 13 April.		
Do you plan to tour the Hinton His	storical Museu	m; Yes No (\$5 Collected with registration)
Depart for Red Rock Canyon & Lur	nch in the Cany	on with photos (Weather permitting)
Yes No (\$10 collected v	vith registratio	on)
Dinner at Lucille's Roadhouse Res	taurant. Yes_	No (Pay for your own meals)
-	-	e and return the registration form no later than ion form to be eligible for any of the wonderful
	form and che	cks to: <b>Sooner Model A Club</b>
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	Oklah	oma City, OK 73148
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### ABOUT THE TULSA MODEL A FORD CLUB

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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. It's 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 \$30 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 8:30 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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