



# THE RUMBLE SHEET

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

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Thanks to the few hardy souls that sweated it out at the Tuesday car show on our normal 3rd Tuesday meeting day. The heat index was 104 and it was probably hotter than that out on that parking lot. Merv, Roy, Rich, Benny, Ollie, Don Reed, Ken P and I all had our Model A's there while Andy, Marvin and Linda were in modern cars. There was a suggestion made that next time we try it earlier in the season or later but not in the dead middle of the summer! Everyone

seconded the motion!! It was a hot one for sure, but all the folks enjoyed seeing our cars as they always do!

Before I go any further, please make sure you have the right date for PlayDay. I had it wrong in last month's Rumble Sheet. So, make a note now showing it on Saturday, September 21. Please also note we do not have anything scheduled for first Saturday in August! But we have a very busy August! We are attending the Will Rogers Fly-In at the Oologah Ranch on the second Saturday. We need to be there by 8:30am so I think we can just drive up 169 early on a Saturday



morning. Let's plan to meet at the QT on 169 and 31st Street and be gassed and ready to roll by 7:30am if you want to go with a group. Or, catch us along the way or meet us at the ranch. Highway 169 goes through Owasso, Collinsville and just past Oologah we'll turn right onto E. 380 Road and it takes us right into the ranch. We should have breakfast discount tickets waiting for us. Bring your lawn chairs. And then, on the 3rd Saturday, is our First Annual Fishing Derby and Burger Burn at Misner's Sapulpa Hideaway! Let's all plan to meet in Sapulpa at the Route 66 Museum and be ready to roll by 9:30am. We need to go as a group since it is in back country and we sure don't want to lose anyone!! Bring lawn chairs and any really special fishing gear you want for catch and release derby. Harold will have fishing gear and bait available so no need to bring any ordinary gear.

Many thanks to Chuck and Lisa for hosting our picnic last month! What a feed! Very nice work, Chef Chuck!! And what a colossal truck display!! And, a huge salute to Charlie for his extremely interesting talk and demo with his dog, Topa. Simply amazing!

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*Rich & Tory, two local gangster, are on the loose. They may be armed and dangerous. They have been referred to as "Bonnie and Clyde".*



*Korey & Bailey Wilson - making Papa's dreams come true*



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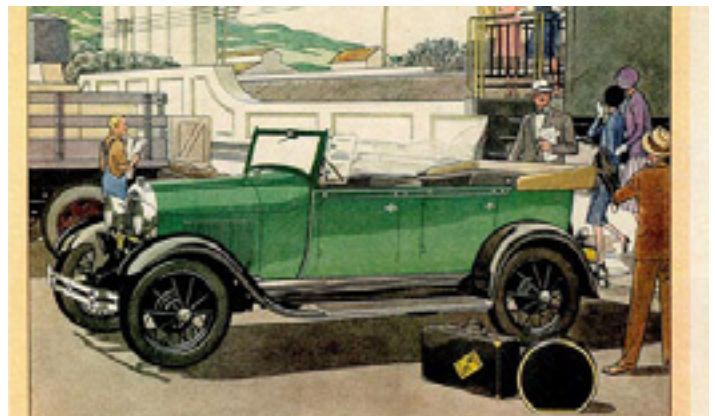
Our program for our August meeting should be equally as interesting. Bart Largent is coming up from Texas to talk with us about a couple of books he has written on crime and bank robbers of the 20s and 30s. He has been in law enforcement for more than 30 years and should have some interesting tales to share with us. I hope we will have a good turnout to welcome him!

Harold Helton reports that he is coming along nicely with his new hip and Chris now has new peepers, so we all seem to be hanging in there with help from medical science! However, we were very sorry to hear that Susan is selling her Tudor due to some medical issues she is experiencing. She is a real trooper! Don't forget to touch base with Connie if you know of someone who is having any issues. We all want to give those feeling down a little boost up!

We are getting several applications in for the Fall Tour already. You might want to go ahead and get your motel booked now and then send in your application as soon as possible. I know Don, June, Gary and Ricki will show us a super time down in Holdenville.

*I still have several Directories so please see me if you have not yet received yours!*

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Lunch, Giant  
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and Police Dog  
Demo at the  
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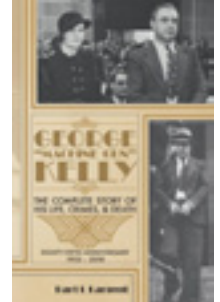



# Calendar of Events

DATE	EVENT AND LOCATION	TIME
August 3	NO FIRST SATURDAY BREAKFAST	
August 10	Will Rogers Fly-in - Catoosa, Meet at QT a 169 and 31st	7:30 a
August 13	Ladies' Lunch, Mad Eats, 201 South Main, Owasso	11:30 a
August 17	Hot dog and Burger Burn and Fishing Derby, Misner's hideaway, Sapulpa Meet at Route 66 Museum at 9:30 a.m.	10:00 a
August 20	Business Meeting, Bart Largent, author, "Crimes of the 20s and 30s"	7:00 p
September 7	Breakfast, Hard Rock Casino then VA Center in Claremore	8:30 a
September 17	Business Meeting, Asian Slide Show - Barbara Cail	7:00 p
September 28	Play Day, Asbury Methodist Church, Kent Wshburn	TBA
October 3-6	Fall Tour, Holdenville	TBA
October 6-10	MAFCA Canyons Tour	TBA
October 15	Business Meeting, Baked Potato Night	7:00 p
November 2	Breakfast, TBA	8:30 a
November 9	Claremore Veterans' Day Parade	TBA
November 19	Business Meeting, Lori Fullbright, Channel 6 crime reporter	7:00 p
December 7	Breakfast and parades	TBA
December 15	Sunday Christmas Luncheon, TiAmo Restaurant	TBA
December 17	NO MEETING	

## BART LARGENT TO SPEAK

Our program on August 20 is presented by Bart Largent, a Federal Law Enforcement Officer with the Treasury Department. Bart is a member of the Fort Worth Model A Ford Club and this is his latest acquisition. Come hear his stories of crime and bank robberies in the 20s and 30s!



Bart first became interested in 1930's lawmen and gangsters in the 1970's. Bart discovered that his hometown of Fort Worth is rich in history with outlaws and gangsters.



Bart has authored two books; George "Machine Gun" Kelly, His Life, Crimes, and Death in 2018 and THE Golden Age of Bank Robbers 1920s – 1930s, True Stories of How They Lived and Died in 2019.

Bart is an avid collector of gangster memorabilia, especially "Machine Gun" Kelly items such as an actual twenty-dollar 1928 ransom note, and over a hundred original photographs taken by news photographers.

Bart has been in law enforcement for over thirty years starting with the Tarrant County Sheriff's Department. He is now a Federal Police Officer with the United States Treasury Department. Bart lives in Ben Brook just outside of Fort Worth, Texas.

## MEMBERS' BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

### AUGUST

- 1 Virginia Havill
- 2 Jerry Havill
- 2 Jerry Sloan
- 3 Dan Ulbert
- 5 Ken Brust
- 5 McKade Mellage
- 5 John Larimore
- 10 Carla Newton
- 10 Robert & Elaine BULLARD
- 10 Mervin & Joy SNOWDEN
- 12 Sam & Carina SLAVENS
- 12 Meloday DuVall
- 13 Clifford Ginn
- 13 Greg Hoyle
- 14 Harold Helton
- 14 Mark & Abbe RIGGIN
- 20 Jackie Dunn
- 27 Jerry & Virginia HAVILL
- 28 Mayleta Duncan



## SUNSHINE REPORT

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**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



### Did you know. . .

On August 3, 1492, Christopher Columbus set sail from Palos, Spain, with three ships, Nina, Pinta and Santa Maria. Seeking a westerly route to the Far East. He instead landed on October 12th in the Bahamas, thinking it was an outlying Japanese island.



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# July Brisket Lunch, Giant AA Truck Show and Police Dog Demo at the Ramsey's



## 2019 HOLDENVILLE FALL TOUR

The 2019 Fall Tour to Holdenville, Oklahoma is just around the corner. If you are travelling from Oklahoma City or Tulsa, you can take highways, or scenic routes. Oklahoma City members can take scenic Route 66 to Hwy 62 to Okemah for lunch on Thursday. Tulsa members can take Hwy 75 to Okmulgee, then scenic Hwy 62 to meet in Okemah for lunch on Thursday at the Hen House. Ricki, Gary, June and Don will meet you there and escort you to the hotel—the Best Western Plus in Wewoka.

But, what will you be doing, where will you be going and when will all the activities be held, you might ask. An itinerary and registration has been provided on the Club's newsletters telling you everything about the event, but what is in Holdenville??

Did you know that Holdenville is the county seat of Hughes County, or that it has had a post office since 1895. It was originally a Creek Settlement called "Echo". Despite its small size, it has a notable history. It has been home to many famous people—Dave Brown, Seattle Mariner's manager, Jackie Brown, Major League Baseball pitcher, "Dizzy" Dean, Major League baseball pitcher, Jack Jacobs, Canadian Football League quarterback, Richard Jordan, NFL player, Velma Middleton, jazz singer, and yes, Boone Pickens, billionaire oil and gas businessmen. These, among many others, got their start in Holdenville.

The town is located approximately five miles north of the Holdenville City Lake, eight miles north of the Canadian River, six miles north of Little River, and 23 miles south of I-40. The area is mostly wooded and flanked by gently rolling hills. (Great terrain for Model A scenic drives).

Every year, for the last 28 years, the City has held the Fall Festival. It has been called many names over the years—Hog Wild Day was one—and there was a hog calling contest and greased pig contest. In recent years it has included a parade, classic car show, and an open-air market fair with dozens of booths and vendors. Some of the current events include museum tours, wine tasting, and live music.

Holdenville is home to many good restaurants. American, Chinese, Mexican and Italian are here. In addition many fast food, bar-b-ques, and old fashioned diners dot the streets.

If you are planning to attend the Fall Tour, you are definitely in for a fun-filled three days. Or if you can't make all three days, come for what you can and enjoy this town's old fashioned hospitality. We look forward to seeing you here, Oct. 3-6. Please stay safe and healthy until then.

## 2019 FALL TOUR ITINERARY

### October 3, 2019, Thursday

Optional travel day to Wewoka, OK  
Lunch at Hen House in Okemah  
613 West Broadway Street. (918-623-2501).  
Check in at the Best Western Plus at  
201 Commerce Drive, Wewoka  
Mention "Tulsa Model A Club" for discounted rate  
of \$94 plus tax. 405-257-6777  
Rate guaranteed if registering early. Before (9/18/19)  
Dinner on your own

### October 4, 2019, Friday

Depart Best Western at 9:00 am  
travel to Wes Watkins Technology Center for tour,  
wellness seminar, and catered bar b que lunch.  
Cost for lunch is \$20/person collected with your  
registration.  
1:30 pm depart Wes Watkins Technology  
Center  
travel to Wewoka for Tour of the  
Seminole Nation Museum  
Cost will be \$2 per person to be collected at the door.  
3 pm - 4 pm Come and go reception  
First United Bank in Wewoka  
Complimentary hor d'ouerves and punch  
Dinner on your own

### Saturday, October 5, 2019

Depart from Best Western at 9:15 for travel to  
Holdenville for parade line up  
11-1:30 Tour Exhibits  
Dean Goforths Autos  
lunch on your own.  
2:00 p.m. Start poker run at Best Western Hotel  
2-4 pm Poker Run and scenic drive.  
Last stop back at hotel.  
6 pm Dinner at Rudy Allen's Steakhouse  
(next to hotel)  
Cost per person is \$21 to be collected  
with registration by 9/18/19  
8 pm Assemble in Hotel Meeting Room  
for door prizes and wrap up.

### Sunday October 6

Check out and return home  
Thanks to all.





**REGISTRATION**  
**2019 Fall Tour to Holdenville, OK**  
**Thursday, October 3, 2019 – Sunday, October 6, 2019**

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Model A or Modern Car? (Circle one)      Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Make your hotel reservation at Best Western, Wewoka – (405)257-6777 - \$94.00 plus tax per night.

On line booking available:

[www.bestwestern.com/en\\_US/book/hotel-rooms.37133.html?groupId=8A1YE619](http://www.bestwestern.com/en_US/book/hotel-rooms.37133.html?groupId=8A1YE619)

To get discount rate; code word is Tulsa Model A Club. Rate available only to Wed., September 18.

**Friday, October 4**

- Do you plan to go to the Wes Watkins Tech Center Tour/Health Screen; Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_
- Lunch, all inclusive catered bar-b-que \$20/per collected with registration). Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_
- Do you plan to tour Seminole Nation Museum, Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ cost \$2 collected at the door.
- Do you plan to attend the complimentary reception at First United Bank, hors d'oeuvres and punch  
Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_
- Dinner on your own .

**Saturday, October 5**

- Do you plan to attend the Fall Festival, and be in the parade? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_
- Lunch on your own.
- Do you plan to participate in the poker run Saturday afternoon, Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ .
- Do you plan on attending dinner at Rudy Allen's Steak House, cost \$21.00/per to be collected with registration, includes non alcoholic drink, meal, desert and gratuity. Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

In order for us to get an accurate count, please complete and return the registration form no later than Wednesday, September 18, 2019. You must return the registration form to be eligible for any of the wonderful door prizes.

Please return registration form and checks to:

**Tulsa Model A Club, PO Box 33348, Tulsa, OK 74153-3348**

**Any Questions, contact:**

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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. 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.

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### 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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