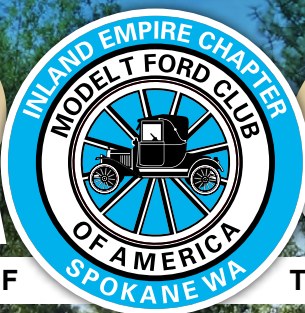


# FENDER CHATTER



A MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF

THE SPOKANE MODEL T FORD CLUB

Our Club had a busy month check out the **Many Photos Inside!**



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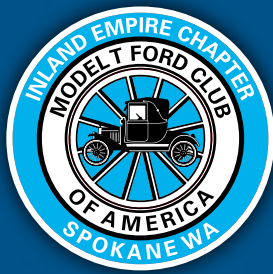
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### National Clubs

We are the **Inland Empire chapter** (Spokane) of the MTFCA and the MTFCI



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### Dues

The yearly dues are \$20 per year from an individual or family and due by January 31st of each year. Please renew your membership or join the club as a new member. We look forward to seeing you!

### Submissions

All items to be published are **due before the 20th** of the month. Please send photos, articles and anything else for the newsletter to [fenderchatter@gmail.com](mailto:fenderchatter@gmail.com)

### On the Cover:

A few of the Spokane club Ts at the HASSIE Club show at Mirabeau Meadows Sept 7.

- photo by Jillian Robison

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### A Message from the Club President:

We're not done yet!!!

Still time to enjoy our T's if this nice Fall weather holds on. Great time and participation at this years Fair. And fun at Joes overnighter and tour. I'm hoping we can put on another Green Bluff tour this Oct. there is tons of activity in the Fall and fun to be had. Stay tuned and thanks for making the Inland Empire Model T Club number one! Matt



# Minutes from the Last Club Meeting

**September 6, 2019**

President Matt Hansen called the meeting to order at 7:35 p.m.

➡ **Minutes:** The minutes from the August meeting were approved as printed in the *Fender Chatter*.

➡ **Treasure's Report:** Betty Patterson's Report was delayed because they were attending their grandson's football game (He scored! But not until after they left.). The report was accepted as presented.

➡ **Sunshine:** No Susie Carnegie, so no Sunshine report.

➡ **Tours Past:** Steve Heid reported that we had perfect weather and a lot of fun at Mike & Jackie Stormo's tour to Bayview in August. Nobody went away hungry, especially after eating their fill of Bert Batchelder's nitrogen-frozen ice cream. Many members took advantage of the opportunity to be out on the water in kayaks, paddle boats, and a tour on Bert's boat.

There were 133 people at Charley and Rose Hodges' End of Summer BBQ, but only about a dozen Model T Club members. If you didn't attend, you missed great brisket!

➡ **Tours Upcoming:** The HASSIE Car Show is on Saturday, September 7 at Mirabeau Park.

Joe Swanson's Weekend Campout Sullivan Lake Tour is Friday, Sept. 20 and Saturday, Sept. 21.

Rose discussed plans for the Model T display at the Spokane Interstate Fair on Saturday, September 14th, with new cars or cars of new members to be displayed around the flagpole. A motion was approved to reimburse Jim Patterson \$60 for the cost of the car identification signs. If you have received a sign for your car, please take care of it so that it can be used in future years.

On Saturday, October 5, Jim Patterson would like to have some Model T's in Medical Lake from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m to give rides around the town as part of the Re\*Imagine Medical Lake community development effort. Lunch will be provided.

Steve Heid is planning a tour on Saturday, October 12 to the Bird Museum at the Pappy Boyington Airfield in Hayden Lake. The museum is dedicated to aviation and inventions. Dr. Forrest Bird's inventions include a resuscitator and an artificial heart valve. We will meet at Albertson's on Trent and Argonne at 9:30, leave for the museum at 10 a.m., and stop for lunch after our visit.

➡ **Old Business:** We will owe Bert Batchelder money for ice-cream making supplies (from the Bayview tour) at the next meeting.

Ralph Brevik reports that things at the Swap Meet booth went really well—nice booth, good turnout. We made approximately \$60 from the sale of items at the booth and \$500 from the V8 Club for our help setting-up and manning gates. We had five families either join the club or renew old memberships.

Gene Kicha reported that the Labor Day Speedster Run in Omak was a beautiful drive in good weather. Gene says that Lee Burgess reads the map and tells Gene where to go—sometimes that's two different things. They took 3rd Place (*photo on back cover*) this year and had a special advantage—they were following a speedster driven by Gene's son who came in 2nd. They saw an amazing amount of water in the high-altitude lakes and had a great time. Gene called it "perfect", so who cares who came in 1st? Next year's speedster run will probably be in the Spokane area.

➡ **New Business:** Bill Barr requested reimbursement for button-making supplies. Bill also reports that he has not received any calls for club identification buttons. If you are a new member and need a name button, or need a replacement, please contact Bill.

Brooks Johnson has requested that each member send in a minimum of four pictures to update the scrapbook in the library.

Two or three people have contacted Matt about having Model T's come to chauffeur at weddings. If you have a touring car and would be willing to do this, please contact Matt.

➡ **National Tour:** The next meeting to plan the 2020 National Tour will be on Monday, October 14 at 6:30 p.m. at Charley and Rose Hodges' place. Have dinner on your own, but dessert will be provided.

Rose Hodges says that people are already calling for information about the National Tour. They are telling stories and excited to be coming to Spokane.

➡ **Door Prizes:** Brooke Robison drew the 50/50 ticket. Tina Skomer won and donated her winnings back to the scholarship fund. There were too many door prizes to keep up with the names of all the winners this month. Congratulations to everyone who took home sets of Craftsman wrenches, Powerball tickets, fresh eggs from the Hansens' chickens, or candy.

Matt adjourned the meeting at 8:30.

Respectfully submitted, Janice Hutchinson, Secretary

**For more tour or event details: check the [club website](#), [club Facebook page](#), or watch your e-mail.**

**The next regular club meeting is October 4.**

**The monthly meeting** begins at 7:30 PM on the 1st Friday of each month at the Opportunity Presbyterian Church, 202 North Pines, Spokane Valley, WA at 10502 E Sprague Ave. (University & Sprague) in the Spokane Valley.

**We Hope to see you there!**

You are welcome to join other T Club members for pre-meeting dinner 5:30-6:00 PM - **this month at Darcy's Restaurant** at 10502 E Sprague Ave. (University & Sprague) in the Spokane Valley. **We Hope to see you there!**

**NOTE:**  
Dinner venue is subject to change at last-minute due to capacity. Check your email for any change prior to joining us.

# Seen, Heard and Shared

## HASSIE Club All Original Car Show Sept 7



photos provided by Lee Burgess, Jillian Robison, and Janice Hutchinson.

# Club & Model T Related Events

## Events Calendar

- Oct 4** **Spokane T Club meeting**
- Oct 5** Medical Lake fall kickoff event - *(details at right)*
- Oct 9-12** Hershey Swap Meet - Hershey, PA
- Oct 12** Bird Aviation Museum Tour - Hayden Lk, *(details at right)*
- Oct 12-13** Monroe Fall Swap Meet - Monroe, WA
- Nov 1** **Spokane T Club meeting**
- Nov 16** Albany Indoor Swap meet - Albany, OR
- Dec 6** **Spokane T Club meeting**
- Jan 1** New Year's Day Annual Tour
- Jan** **No Regular Club meeting**
- Jan 11** **Annual Club Installation Banquet** *(details below)*
- Feb 7** **Spokane T Club meeting**
- Feb 15-16** Early Bird Swap Meet - Puyallup
- Mar 6** **Spokane T Club meeting**
- Mar 20-21** Chickasha Pre-War Swap Meet-Chickasha, OK
- May 1** **Spokane T Club meeting**
- Apr 3-5** Portland Swap Meet
- Apr 3** **Spokane T Club meeting**
- May 16-17** Seattle Auto Swap Meet - Monroe, WA
- ➔➔ **July 18-23, 2020 National T Tour in Spokane** -*details soon!*

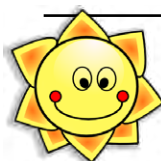
## Mark Your Calendars - January Banquet

January Officer Installation Banquet will be at the airport Ramada Inn January 11, 2020 at 6:00 pm. Cost will be only \$36.00 per person for a 2 meat buffet. This will include soft drinks, coffee, tea and dessert. If you would like to book a room under the Model T Club, they will be \$85. Please call The Ramada direct at 509-777-3054 for reservations Monday - Friday 9AM to 5PM.. Hope to see you all there! — Betty



## Nan's Nibbles

- Oct:** Cheri Storey, and Roy & Christie Moffit and GaeAnn Moffit
- Nov:** Tina Skomer & Julie Heid
- Dec:** Everyone bring a goody to share!



## Sunshine Report

Thank you cards for the Bayview tour to: Mike & Jackie Stormo, Bert Batcleder, and Joe & Diane Swanson

Any new updates will be announced at the next meeting ~Susie

### Oct 5 Medical Lake Model T Club Fall Kickoff Event

All participating Model T Club members offering Model T rides to the public will be given free pizza and salad bar at The Pizza Factory, just a short walk from The FARM SALVATION. We will meet for the tour out to Medical Lake at Rosauer's at 3rd & Oak at 9:00 am on Oct. 5th. Contributions of one bag of Halloween candy per car rider are suggested to support the Re\*Imagine Medical Lake Halloween "Trunk or Treat".

Gerri Johnson, owner of The FARM SALVATION, has invited the Spokane Model T Club to Medical Lake to help with the "Holidays are Falling into Place" event to kick off this year's holiday season. They want to offer rides in your Model T between 10:00 am and 2:00 pm around the city to view the beautiful fall foliage and nearby lake-side scenery. Contact Jim Patterson if you have questions.

### Oct 12 Bird Aviation Museum Tour

Meet at 9:30am at Albertsons Trent & Argonne. Tour to Bird Aviation Museum in Hayden Lake, Idaho. \$5 donation fee. Bring a picnic lunch - we will tour a short distance to Majestic Park afterwards for lunch. Then tour back to Spokane with an Ice Cream stop somewhere. Contact Steve Heid if you have any questions.

**🔧 Newsletter Note:** The digital version of this newsletter has been created as an interactive PDF. All web and email links should work in desktop, mobile & tablet browsers. **However**, on Kindle devices, it is viewable, but interactivity is disabled until Amazon and Microsoft fix this issue.



## Tours and Activity Reports

Tours may be arranged at the last minute so check the club website Calendar of Events for the latest activities at [spokanemodeltclub.com](http://spokanemodeltclub.com) or our Facebook page [f Inland Empire Model T Club](#)

**Contact Steve Heid for tours (see pg 2)**



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Last-minute notices, fun stuff, lots of photos, links, etc.

## Seen, Heard and Shared

# Can-Am Tour in Chilliwack, BC Sept 12-14



### Can-Am Tour aka “The Canned Ham Tour” September 12-14, 2019

Mark and Janice Hutchinson joined over 30 cars on the 41st Annual Can-Am Tour in Chilliwack, British Columbia. We crossed into Canada at Oroville/Osoyoos and made the rest of the trip over the Crowsnest Highway—a good road with amazing scenery! The weather was chilly and rainy, but didn't seem to dampen anyone's spirits. The low clouds might have prevented us from seeing the tops of the mountains, but everything on the tour was green and beautiful, with huge lakes, and friendly people along the way. We were treated to a demonstration of the equestrian skill of reining in a huge training facility that gave some of the guys ideas for their next shop. There was a lot of interest in the 2020 National Tour—maybe some Can-Am regulars will make a return trip to Spokane next July. — by *Janice Hutchinson*



## Seen, Heard and Shared

# Model T Show at the Spokane Fair Sept 14



A total of 35 cars in all - that included Walden's 1904 Model C, Carnegie's 1906 Model N, four Model A's, and a Shriner's Model T go-cart (or as Matt said "34 and a half" cars total). The day started off with a few light rain sprinkles, but it turned out to be a great day for sharing our old cars with what seemed like **ALL of the almost 42,000** record-breaking Saturday fair-goers (according to the news) that came in that one day. Thank you to the **Spokane Interstate Fair** for inviting us again, and to **Motion Auto Supply** for providing the judging prizes to the winners: Nan Robison, Rick Carnegie & Larry Skidmore!



photos provided by Rose Hodges, Matt Hansen, Steve Heid, Jeff Hipp, Nan Robison, Jillian Robison, and Colton Faddis

# For Sale • Wanted • Services

When available, photos with these ads will be posted to our Club website [spokanemodeltclub.com/for-sale.php](http://spokanemodeltclub.com/for-sale.php)

**Wanted:** Wards Riverside 30x3 1/2 Tire to match the old set on my 23 Touring. This will be used as a spare, but want a **usable used tire with no rim cuts, please.** Call Earl at 509-995-0145, Veradale, WA.



## Please Join the National Club!

This is a reminder to all Spokane T Club members that you are encouraged to **also join the MTFCA!** We need at least 50% of our club to also be MTFCA members in order to qualify for the club insurance they offer.

**If you are not a MTFCA member - please join today!**

**National MTFCA Membership:**

[mtfca.com/clubpages/joinamember.htm](http://mtfca.com/clubpages/joinamember.htm)

(check, credit card, Paypal)

## WE NEED YOUR IDEAS-PLEASE SHARE

If anyone has any new ideas or suggestions that you would like to see included in this newsletter please let us know! This is your publication and we want it to be as informative, helpful, and entertaining as we can make it.

Things you would like to see more or less of? We are open to all of your ideas in order to make the *Fender Chatter* more worth your time to read and use. Please let us know by sending us an email [fenderchatter@gmail.com](mailto:fenderchatter@gmail.com)

## AMAZON WILL DONATE TO MTFCA

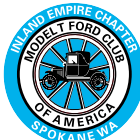
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## Membership Application

Condensed Form

If you have already renewed for this year, please pass this form to someone who also shares our interest of the Model T Ford. Please print clearly.

**Due before Jan 31 of each year:** join as a new member now, or bring this completed form to the next meeting, or mail to the address below with your dues of \$20.00 to:



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Changes since last year? **Y / N**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Your Spouse's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

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I prefer a printed and mailed newsletter, please.

I acknowledge that my name & info will be printed in the annual Spokane Model T Club Directory.

MTFCA member? Y / N • MTFCI member? Y / N

MTFCA Membership # \_\_\_\_\_

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### Model T's Owned:

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R = Restored, U = Unrestored, O = Original  
PR = Partially Restored, BC = Basket Case

• **National MTFCA Membership:** (check, credit card, Paypal) [mtfca.com/clubpages/joinamember.htm](http://mtfca.com/clubpages/joinamember.htm)

• **National MTFCI Membership:** [modelt.org](http://modelt.org)

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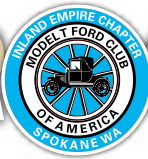
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# Joe's Campout & Sullivan Lake Tour Sept 20-21



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Lee & Gene with the 37th NWVS Labor Day "4-Banger Rodeo" Endurance Run Trophy

*photo provided by Janice Hutchinson*



Club campout at the Newport Rodeo Grounds - Joe's Sullivan Lake Tour Sept 20-21 - see inside page 9

*photo provided by Matt Hansen*

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