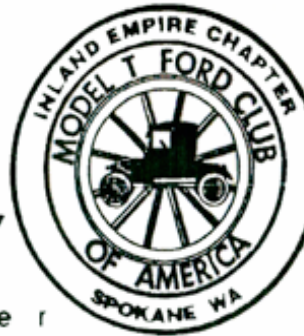


Fender Chatter

A Monthly Newsletter



HAPPY NEW YEAR!



Hello Model T Friends!!!

Merry Christmas to all of you and here's hoping we saw you all at Mark & Janice Hutchinson's Christmas T Party on Spokane's south hill. We met for Janice's great soups, chips, dips, and desserts. You didn't need to bring anything but yourselves! This is always a well attended and fun annual event, and it gives us all an opportunity to wish our Model T friends a very Merry Christmas.

Submitted by,
Jim and Betty Patterson



Thanks to Spokane's generosity Tom's Turkey Drive another success!

Suzie and I did get out our 27-T and drove up to Rosauers on 29th for the 2nd food harvest. We had a one car, T-Tour around south hill with it. Suzie and I were bundled up since it was 38 degrees this morning. We stopped at the Perry Stop Restaurant for breakfast. It was awesome!!!!!! We left there and finished up our tour to Rosauers at 29-th. We talked to Tom Sherry and got some photos. Submitted by Alan Stacey

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New President's Message

Hi everyone. Well, January is upon us and I hope everyone had a safe and enjoyable Holidays. I know there isn't much going on right now but remember there is always Tuesday nights for small or big projects.

Also this month, hope for nice weather so we can see everyone at the New Year's day annual event put on by Mr. Kicha. January is also the yearly banquet.

On another note ... it won't be long and spring will be here. If at any time you would like to put on a tour or activity give our tour chairman, Joe, a call.

Your Prez
Steve

General Club Information

Please direct club correspondence to the clubs mailing address:
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PO Box 11708
Spokane Valley, WA
99211-1708



Dues




The yearly dues are \$20 per year for an individual or for 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.



Newsletter Co-editor
Diane Swanson

Thanks for your emails, keep them coming!
Thanks, Diane

If you find those oops items, send in the fixes to the newsletter at fenderchatter@gmail.com by the 18th so that it can be made right or at least made believable.

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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. Next meeting February 5, 2010 Conley's Restaurant next to the White Elephant on Sprague at 5:30 PM. Glen/Hazel Whiteley will save seats, just let them know.

MODEL T CLUB MINUTES

December 4th, 2009

CALL TO ORDER

Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by President, Norm Warren. Norm started the meeting with a short quiz.
How many Model Ts were there as of 1927?
What was the percentage of Model Ts at that time?
When was the last Model T engine made?
How many black paints were used?

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS AND GUESTS - Joe Swanson

Joe introduced Tom's mom, Mrs. Carnegie, Montana from Montana and members not seen in awhile, Bob & Judy Temple/Debbie Anderson from the INCCC. Welcome to all. Debbie Anderson from the INCCC spoke about the INCCC's upcoming "Show No Shine" Prom Night Sat. Feb 20th, 2010 at the Doubletree Hotel. Tickets available from the INCCC Show No Shine Committee.

SECRETARY REPORT - Ed Hope

Club received a letter from Connie Little, wife of Royal Little, whom recently passed at 86. Connie reflected on good times they had with the club but that she could no longer be active with the club and asked to be dropped from membership. Jim Patterson received an email of the letter and stated that he contacted Connie and explained she is a Lifetime member and that we would not allow her to drop out. No corrections to the previous minutes, motion to accept, seconded, and passed.

TREASURER REPORT - Nan Robison

Bills to be paid: P.O. Box, Website domain name, paper for newsletter, and rent. It was moved, seconded to accept this report and pay the bills, motion was passed.

VICE PRESIDENT REPORT - Steve Heid

Steve asks if there is anyone interested in keeping up the clubs photo album and scrapbook.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership Roster - Jim Patterson

Membership payment deadline is February. Membership forms are in Fender Chatter and on the website. Everyone will get an email copy of Fender Chatter unless you make a checkmark on your membership form for a hard copy.

FENDER CHATTER - Diane Swanson

"Everything is good."

CAR CLUB COUNCIL - Lee Burgess

Lee reports that there were two winning tickets from the Model T club for the front cover of the 2010 INCCC Calendar of events. Larry & Norma Skidmore's Depot Hack, and Jim & Betty Patterson's '14 Speedster. The INCCC "Show No Shine" Sat. Feb 20th, 2010 at the Doubletree Hotel. The theme will be "Your Prom Night." The INCCC Lowcos group, and others, raised over \$8000 for Christmas toys. "Car clubs do a lot of good." "If you have anything for the calendar of Events be sure to get it in." Lee adds, "If you have a nomination for Woman of the year, Man of the year, Couple of the Year, Business of the Year, or Newsletter of the year, get them in to me."

BANQUET - Jim & Betty Patterson

Jim says, "Everything is coming together." No races this year. Period dress if you can. We'll get pictures of everybody. Get your tickets. \$20 this year, includes dinner. If you want a room, mention the Model T group and get a special \$68 rate. You can buy tickets by sending a check to Jim & Betty made out to the Model T Club.

TUESDAY NIGHT AT THE RANCH - Tom Carnegie
Hutch and Mike are very good at straightening wire wheels. More accurate than factory specs. Dick Hathaway working on coils.

WEBMASTER - Mike Robison

We have the domain name paid for nine years.

TOUR REPORTS - Mark Hutchinson

PAST TOURS

Mike reported on his Snowmobile tour. "The guy had a whole line of Mercury snowmobiles, one of every model." "Over 100, stacked three high."

UPCOMING TOURS

December Tour. Janice will have her annual soup party. December 20th 3:00. 6003 S Mt. Vernon, Spokane WA.
Gene Kicha encourages everyone to come out for the January 1 lunch and tour. Jan 1 2010, 11:00 a.m. Trent & Argonne.
Mark Hutchinson gave a recap of tours that were done this year and thanked everyone that headed up those tours.

OLD BUSINESS

Gary Schimmels demonstrated that he was able to save his pullover shirt, that had some stain on the front, by strategically placing our club patch.
Norm Warren encouraged Montana to tell us about the coast to coast tour that he participated in. He said that he and Gator and his wife Lorena and over 50 others, one from each state and five foreigners, two from England. Went to the north end of Lake Superior and met some folks from Canada. It rained and rained. Went from New York through Iowa and to Seattle. It was a good trip, everyone helped each other out. Gator raced ahead in his pickup truck and missed a lot of the activities. Ended up 49 cars made it.

NEW BUSINESS

Tom Carnegie presented a box of twenty bolts of various sizes that were tagged with a number. These were passed around the room. The challenge was to identify each bolt. Saying it was from a Model T was not good enough. Rick Carnegie was even able to identify those that were made in Canada.

Raffle Drawing. Won by Gary Schimmels. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Secretary Ed Hope

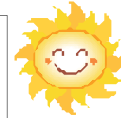
Remember
Dec 09?



WE'RE THINKING OF YOU Sunshine Report -

Sunshine report:

Julie sent a sympathy card to the John Jackson Family in Pasco.

Candy's Cookie
Corner**February 5, 2010****Mike Robison****Susie Carnegie****Jim & Betty Patterson**

It is with regret that I report that long lifetime T Club member, John Jackson from Pasco, WA, passed away on Dec. 9th. John was the brother-in-law of Jim & Bob Sills. John's funeral service will be December 16 (Wednesday) at 11:00 a.m. at Mueller's Funeral Home on Union Avenue off of 10th in Kennewick. Our condolences go to the Sills and Jackson families. By Jim Patterson December 13, 2009

Tours and Activity Reports

CHECK THE CLUB WEB SITE FOR SPUR-OF-THE-MOMENT EVENTS.

Tours may be arranged at the last minute so check the club web site Calendar of Events at <http://www.spokanemodeltclub.com> for the latest activities.

UPCOMING EVENTS

January 1st, 2010	Y2K + 11 Brunch and tour 11 am Trent & Argonne
January 9th, 2010	ANNUAL T CLUB BANQUET
February 5, 2010	Regular meeting
August 1-6th 2010	2010 Western National Tour (Registration opens January 4th) Whitefish, MT
September 18th, 2010	Eastside VS. Westside Reliability Run Vantage, Wa 12:00pm Easties Meet @ Anitque Auto Ranch in Spokane Westies meet @ Amocat in Puyallup

(For tour ideas please contact Mark Hutchinson)

TUESDAY NIGHTS

If you need to work on your T, perform tuning, help out or need help, want to learn something new or just to hang out then come on over. Join us, then follow up with some lively discussion at Burger Time. If you have questions, call Tom or Mike at the Antique Auto Ranch, (509) 535-7789. They're located at 2225 N Dollar Rd, Spokane Valley, WA. 99212 or are available on the web site at <http://www.antiqueautoranch.com>

Montana Majestic Model T Tour Website Updated

Check it out. This is the 2010 National MTFCA tour being held out of Whitefish, Montana
<http://montanamajesticmountainttour.com/index.html>

Chris Brancaccio

IT Manager, Tourmaline Oil

403 660 1303

ANNUAL T CLUB BANQUET News

OH? YEAH..

The annual Model T Club banquet will be held again at the Ramada Inn - Spokane Airport on Saturday, Jan. 9th, 2010 with 6:00 PM no-host cocktail hour and 7:00 PM buffet dinner featuring Baron of Beef, a variety of salads, vegetables, and beverages. The dinner price is \$20.00 per person and tickets are available from Norm & Virginia Warren or Jim & Betty Patterson by mail or at the December T Club meeting. There will be no ticket sales at the banquet, so please get your tickets early.

The Ramada Inn is offering special room rates of \$68.00 per night which includes use of their fantastic indoor waterslides and swimming pool / hot tubs. Use code "LWC3" when making room reservations to get the special T Club rate. Telephone (509) 838-5211.

We're doing something different for entertainment this year - a surprise that is sure to be fun for all. We are encouraging all to dress up in Model T era period clothing for a non-competitive and nostalgic good time. By Jim Patterson

Attention Model T Club Members:
2010 Annual Dues are due

Attached is the 2010 Model T Club membership update form. Please fill this form out and include it with your dues. Payment can be sent to the club's P.O. box or you can pay at a future meeting. Dues are required by the Feb. 2010 meeting as the club roster is published at that time. Every year, we have a few members who don't fill out the update form because they didn't remember making any changes during the previous year, only to find that their email address, phone #, or cell phone number has been incorrectly published in the new year's roster. So please fill out this form completely and turn in with your \$20.00 dues. Starting in 2010, the monthly newsletter, THE FENDER CHATTER, will be emailed to everyone unless you specifically request that it be U.S. Mailed to you. This request can be made on the roster update form. This is an effort to cut printing and mailing costs so that we don't have to raise annual dues.



Model T Ford Club of America
Inland Empire Chapter
P.O. Box 11708 Date: _____
Spokane, WA 99211-1708
2010 Membership & Roster Update Form

Name _____ Spouse's Name _____

Address: _____ City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone #'s: Home: _____ Work: _____ Cell: _____

Insurance Carrier & Policy # _____ Any changes since 2009? Yes / No

E-Mail Address _____ MTFCA member? Yes / No

Newsletters will be sent email unless otherwise requested in writing National Member # _____

Model T's Owned:

Year	Body Style	Condition	Condition Codes:
_____	_____	_____	R = Restored
_____	_____	_____	U = Unrestored
_____	_____	_____	O = Original
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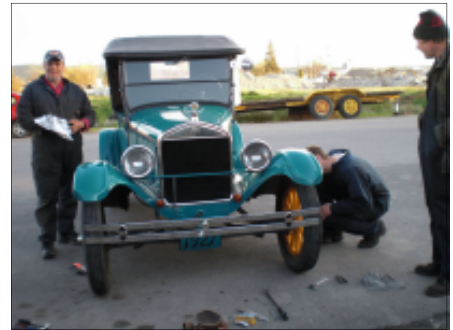
Please update this form and send with your check payable to the Spokane Model T Ford Club, P.O. Box 11708, Spokane, WA 99211-1708. Annual dues are \$20.00 per household per year. If more than 5 Model T's are owned, please list them on the back of this form. You are encouraged to join the national club, the Model T Ford Club of America, for \$35.00 / year - Mail check to MTFCA, P.O. Box 126, Centerville, IN 47330-0126.

Six full-color bi-monthly magazines with world-wide distribution are included with annual membership.

OH YEAH continued...

MATCH THESE PICTURES TO 2009 MODELS T's EVENTS

Answers will be given at Jan. 2010 Banquet



Merry Christmas!! Jim & Betty

Click on this link for some ideas on new uses for all those rusty Model T parts you have in the back yard! <http://www.jalopyjournal.com/forum/showthread.php?t=318201>



Craig & guys : Here's a photo Craig Nelson's T. Craig Nelson's friend (Eric Bruchner) from Vancouver came over to help us, too. We moved Craig's 26-T out of Kent Howe's Shop (it's painted) and we moved it to Rich and Sharon Krepp's shop in the Valley. We are starting to put it together tomorrow - Kent has a 2-3 days more work on the fenders etc. to do soon. We will keep you all up to date. Craig, Karen and Craig's mom all saw the T last night and their loved the new colors. Submitted by Alan Stacey. December 1,2009

**FOR SALE / WANTED / SERVICES**

The For Sale/Wanted section is one of the most under used resources that club members have. We will run your ads for up to two months, unless notified otherwise, on a space available basis. If you have an ad (it's FREE) to put in the newsletter for parts or cars (T's or not) to sell or to buy/trade, contact the Newsletter Editor at fenderchatter@gmail.com.

**For pictures go to the Spokane Model T Club website:
www.spokanemodeltclub.com/for-sale.php**

FOR SALE: 1915 FORD MODEL T PICKUP. This Model T is a "Brass" T with a beautiful polished brass radiator and trim. Excellent running condition. Fully restored. Vehicle has a 1922 engine with electric starter and waterpump. Price is \$16,499.00 or best offer. The Model T is located in Hayden Lake, Idaho. CONTACT INFORMATION: Call Bill at 208-772-9988
Email: sastoller@gmail.com

1923 Model T Fordor Sedan

Excellent Condition - Everything Works (with possible exception of vacuum-operated windshield wiper). Odometer reads 19455 miles; have driven her 408 miles this past year (17 mpg). Accurate temperature gauge mounted on dash. Have installed seat belts, side-view mirrors and Kevlar transmission bands. Tires (with flaps) are brand new. Asking \$12,000 More pictures and description of car are on p. 330 of McCalley's "Model T Ford, The Car That Changed The World." I have the OR plates shown in that picture. Paul J. Dionne 2053 Hudson Avenue Richland, WA 99354-2024
509-946-1121(h) 509-290-1816(c)

Wade Edington, General Manager **1926 TT Propane Truck**
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Dear Friends,
 Yes, the Walden mailbox crow at it again! He's feeling festive, but unfortunately, he's made a mess of things ... Hopefully he will clean up his mess before Christmas actually gets here. It's a wonder he was able to function at all in our cold weather! We wish you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New year!

Much love,
 Carl and Patty Walden



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See you next month and safe-T in your driving

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