

# Fender Chatter

A Monthly Newsletter



**SEPT 4-5th LABOR DAY**  
**Chase the Chicken! 28th Annual Northwest Classic Speedster Endurance Run.**  
 Auburn, WA. at Best Western  
 Hosted Jim/Patti Cunningham



Sat. Registration, safety inspections, visiting old friends and a great, private, old car museum/restoration shop. Sun. Nearly 200 mile run with morning break, snacks, lunch & yes 10 check points. The winning average speed this year was a slow 31mph! Sunday evening was a grand affair that featured the various awards for finishers, funny stories and visiting. The Vern Storey Memorial Award was given to Jim/Patti Cunningham for their outstanding contributions to the sport. More info about the Model T & A participants at the October meeting from Gene Kicha. Thanks!- Gene

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### Oct Prez Report

Wow what a short meeting for September. All my years in the club and I think that was the first or second time that we didn't have enough officers for a Quorum. We did what we had to do and made it an early ice cream night. Its cooling down and things are happening in September lets hope some tours show up for October. Remember October is officer nomination time so it's time to campaign. See everybody at the October meeting.

Your Prez

Steve

### Sept 10-12 Redinger's Memorial Tour

We had a great turnout for the Memorial Tour this year at John Redinger's place with 6 T's, 4 A's, a Studebaker and 4 modern rigs. Friday night began with our campfire for those who made it early. Saturday morning's breakfast was a generous serving at the Newport Eagles. Our tour continued to the gift shops and gallery in Coolin. We ventured on to the other end of Priest lake to Lion's Head around lunch time. On Saturday night, John Redinger catered our dinner with some members supplying awesome desserts. Our campfire was welcome with our usual swapping of stories. Sunday morning, the girls (Karen Smith, Jerry Stone and her mom-Mary) made the campers' breakfast with homemade biscuits and fresh fruit. The traditional challenges of driving our T's continues with the maiden tour for Eric and Cindy's T. It was definitely the radiator problems that day. On the way back to John's, Mike Stormo had a small mechanical problem which on Tuesday's night at Antique Auto found major damage of broken pin, magnets, field coil and a piston. John, thanks again for your hospitality! By Editor



# General Club Information

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

### Dues





The yearly dues are \$20 per year for an individual or for a 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 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, 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 October 1, 2010. A reminder for anyone wishing to join other T Club members for dinner that it will be at 5:30 - 6:00 PM at Conley's Place Restaurant at 12622 E. Sprague in Spokane Valley. We hope to see you there!

### Secretary report

Sept. 3rd meeting called to order at 7:35 by president Steve Heid.

Missing was secretary Ed Hope, Treasurer Corina Hathaway and past president Norm Warren. Making not enough officers on hand for a Quorum. Thus no Major reports could be voted on. Or old and new business handled.

Welcome- Dave Robison

John & Lorri Clarizio introduced a friend Rick & daughter Nicky who are interested in cars.

Wished Tom Carnegie Happy Birthday.

Sunshine-Julie

Sent cards to Janice Hutchinson, Cherie Storey and Jim Patterson. Then had Mike Robison tell how he broke his arm playing Ultimate Frisbee.

Tuesday Nights- Tom has perfected how to straighten wire wheels.

Tours- Mike talked about Sept 10-12 Redinger tour.

Sept 18 East vs West tour

Sept 18 Steve talked about combined Model A tour

Nan stated again no driving school.

Meeting adjourned 7:55

Respectfully submitted Prez Steve



Welcome and congratulations to your first tour,  
Eric and Cindy Stendall  
1913 Touring T



### Sept 18 East vs West tour No Overheads 2010

At 6:00 am 5 Model T's and about 10 other flat-head powered cars showed up at the Antique Auto Ranch. The group of cars headed out towards Vantage, WA battling the rain in hopes of arriving before 12 noon. The group made stops in Davenport, Odessa, Ephrata, and finally arrived in Vantage around 11:30AM. Blustery's burgers had a large parking lot big enough to hold 300 cars. When all tallies were taken the East side of Washington pulled 47 cars, and the West side could only muster 21 cars. The Spokane Model T Club really impressed all the other car clubs, by showing Model T's are great cars and they can go hundreds of miles with no problems. I would like to thank The Inland Empires and the Ranch for putting on a great afternoon. Hope to see more of you next year.

Mike Robison



**WE'RE THINKING OF YOU****Sunshine report Julie Heid**

Sent cards to Janice Hutchinson, Cherie Storey and Jim Patterson. Mike Robison broke his arm playing Ultimate Frisbee.

**Candy's Cookie Corner****October**

**Cheri Storey  
Virginia Warren**

# 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

**September 21st, 2010            Model T night @ Antique Auto Ranch 5pm-Burger time**

**September 28th, 2010        Model T night @ Antique Auto Ranch 5pm-Burger time**

**October 1st, 2010                Regular meeting- 7:30pm**

*( For tour ideas contact Joe Swanson )*

### **Donald's RR/Newport MuseumT tour- Sept. 19th**

**Hello,**

**Here is the info on my tour that I had on the 19th. Tour started at the Liberty gas station at Stateline, ID where Rick, Tom Carnegie and I were. We began at the rail line at McGuires, to Grand Junction, continuing on across the flats to Rathdrum. The depot there is still standing and is used as a private residence, now. The rail line parallels the right of way towards Spirit Lake.**

**The reason for building the line at Spirit Lake was the company shops and a lumber mill that were there. That site has been converted into a housing development but one could see remains clear up to 2004. In Spirit Lake, we picked up another T, Joe/Diane Swanson.**

**Our next stop was the Newport museum which housed the two depots in the town. Time was flexible here and our lunch was at the gazebo in front. The tour left around 2pmish and headed south out to Penrith. We toured through the towns of Scotia, Camden, and Elk before going back to Mt Spokane Rd and up to Argonne. We took on the challenge of the weather and enjoyed the late afternoon dryness and brief sunshine.**

**Hope to see y'all soon.  
Donald Carnegie**

**Submitted by Editor  
(Newport museum hours are 10am to 4pm)**



**OH? YEAH..****Model T Question- To Whom It May Concern:**

My daughter is getting married October 10th (Sunday) and my wife and I would like to treat them to a ride from our house where the wedding is being held (42 & Freya) to downtown where the reception will be (Barrister Winery) at about 3:30-4:00 pm that afternoon. Does anyone in your club offer their services for hire for things like this?

I can be reached at 710-8026.

Thanks for your help.

Sincerely,

John S. Repsold

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**Subject: Morgan Annual Plowing Bee**

Today I talked to the Morgans and again as in the past many years they are planning another all day **PLOWING BEE** that is done with all **OLD EQUIPMENT**. The **EXACT DATE** is not set as yet. (rains have to arrive to be able to work the ground with **OLD EQUIPMENT**) Alert the Club that soon that date will be set & all the Club members are asked to attend as they have done in the past. The area that is being plowed is the same location as in the past. From Steptoe - St.John Highway #23 take "**GREEN HOLLOW ROAD**", then continue to and turn on to "**MANNING ROAD**", when you see a field full of **OLD TRACTORS & PLOWS** Your are that the **MORGAN PLOWING BEE FARM**. OR From Colfax on Highway #26 take the "**GREEN HOLLOW ROAD**", then continue to and turn on to the "**MANNING ROAD**", when you see a field full of **OLD TRACTOR & PLOWS**, you are at the **MORGAN PLOWING BEE FARM**. Just as soon as the date is set, I'll let you know. Allen McSweeney who will attend is driving his 1923 Model "T" Ford Roadster.

Allen Mcsweeney

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**Four Minute Jeep**

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Jim & Betty Patterson

This is amazingly similar to our Model T assembly process our T Club did several years ago!

<http://www.break.com/index/rebuild-a-jeep-in-under-four-minutes>

**MODEL T DRIVING SCHOOL..**

Nan announced that she will not be able to head up the driving school this October.

**FOR SALE / WANTED / SERVICES**

For pictures of ads, if available, go to the Spokane Model T Club website:  
[www.spokanemodeltclub.com/for-sale.php](http://www.spokanemodeltclub.com/for-sale.php)



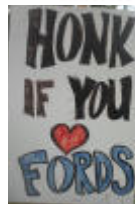
**FOR SALE: Solid oak, like new entertainment center with 3 drawers and side curio shelving; also has a slide-out shelf for TV. Call Cheri at 509-926-4260**

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](mailto:fenderchatter@gmail.com) and don't forget the Spokane Model T Club website.

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John Redinger's  
Memorial Tour 2010



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See you next month and safe-T in your driving