

Fender Chatter

A Monthly Newsletter



SEPTEMBER 2014

What Happened?

Aug 1 – Monthly T Club meeting & Picnic was at Lee and Candy Burgess home. All that participated enjoyed the company, food and the warm weather. Minutes of the meeting on page 3.

Aug 7 – Grandview, WA parade Nan, Rick, Bill Barr and his wife Dianna took the Ts to Grandview, to take part in parade and celebration of Grandview library's 100th anniversary.

Aug 30- Sep 1- Labor Day Speedster Endurance Run - Dayton, WA –update will be from DaJuan Recknagle

Where did I put that?

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Hello Model T Members

Hope your having a good summer. Aug 30-Sept 1 Speedster Run in Dayton I would like to see more members at next meeting. Also wanted to say Diana and I had a real good time down at Grandview with Nan and Rick and relatives.


Thanks! Bill



General
Club
Information

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| President | Vice President | Secretary | Treasurer |
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| Bill Barr 509-998-2476 | Daryl Skomer 509-209-3643 | Ed Hope 570-8333 | Betty Patterson 214-9522 |

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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.

All items to be published are due by the 20th of the month. Please send photos, articles and anything else for the newsletter to fenderchatter@gmail.com

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The monthly meeting begins at 7:30 PM on the 1 st Friday of each month at the Opportunity Presbyterian Church, 202 North Pines, Spokane Valley, WA. Our next regular meeting is September 5, 2014 at the church. A reminder for anyone wishing to join other T Club members for the regular pre-meeting dinner that it will be at 5:30 - 6:00 PM at Conley's Restaurant next to the White Elephant just east of Pines at 12622 E. Sprague in the Valley. We Hope to see you there!

Spokane Model T Club Minutes

August 1, 2014

Picnic and meeting held at Lee and Candy Burgess home.

Meeting called to order at 7:28 P.M. by President Bill Barr.

Secretary's Report:

Motion to approve the minutes as written in the "Fender Chatter."

Motion seconded and passed.

Treasurer's Report:

Betty presented her treasurer's report.

Motion was made and seconded and passed to accept the Treasurer's report.

Motion was made, seconded and passed to give twenty dollars to Lee and Candy to help defray expenses for the picnic.

Committee Reports:

Past Tours:

Jim said he got short notice of an invite to participate in the commemoration of the Davenport Hotel's 100th anniversary. Jim, Janice, and Gene took part in transporting members of the Davenport family to Riverside Memorial Park where a granite memorial was erected, then to reception at Heritage Funeral Home. About fifty people were in attendance. Jim asked, "What famous dish was created by Davenport founder Louie Davenport?" Answer: Crab Louie.

Daryl reported on a tour to Park Place Retirement Center on the 4th. There were five Ts and about 50 - 60 cars. Had burgers and dogs and of course ice cream. Mike R said a resident was looking over a Model T and remarked that his grandfather had owned a Model T. "Man, these cars that we drive everyday and take for granted are really old," says Mike.

Gene reported that Candy, Carol, and Bob went on a tour on the 4th to a place in the Walla Walla area and saw a collection of engines from small

to one that was fifty foot tall with a large exhaust stack that blew perfect smoke rings. They also visited some Lewis and Clark camp sights.

Daryl reported that the Swapmeet went well and thanked all of those that helped out. The drawing for the little barbecue and music box generated 60 people that are interested in Model Ts. "Lots of leads for new members."

Jim said he got his '14 speedster running great at a Tuesday night Auto Ranch meeting about three weeks ago. He and his grandson took it out for an evening run on Sunset Highway heading west. With the sun shining in his eyes he hugged the shoulder line and hit a chuckhole and almost lost control of the car. The bounce was so severe that the front tires bent the fenders up. Fortunately they were not hurt. Car in the body shop with \$2000 of damage, (expensive pin striping). Insurance is covering it. Betty says she went shopping.

Upcoming Tours:

Nan says they have group that will trailer their Ts to Grandview August 7th, to take part in parade and celebration of Grandview library's 100th anniversary.

Jim reminds everyone of the Cruise the Blues Speedster Endurance Run in Dayton, WA over Labor Day weekend August 30 - September 1. Gene said this year will be the 20th year and final presentation of the Vern Storey Memorial Trophy. The trophy has been presented each year at the Labor Day Speedster run to a club member that best reflects Vern's enthusiasm for promoting the hobby and his willingness to help and encourage others.

Also, the Hassie Club "All Original" car show September 6th at Mirabeau Park. Need to pre register.

Jim is looking forward to seeing Dave Thompson's car collection in Sprague on Sunday, September 14th. (con. page 5)

WE'RE THINKING OF YOU

Update at the September
meeting ~Susie~

Candy's Cookie Corner

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|-----------|--|
| September | Tina & Daryl Skomer; Candy & Lee Burgess |
| October | Joe Swanson; Joanne Jepperson |
| November | Rebecca Gibson; Susie Carnegie |

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

Sep 5 – Monthly T Club meeting at the Opportunity Presbyterian Church, 202 North Pines

September 6th, 2014 Hassie Club- "Annual All Original" car show 10am-4pm Mirabeau park for entry call John- 509-238-4958

Septemeber 14th, 2014 Tour to Edwall & Sprague, Wa Dave Thompson's car collection. - contact Jim Patterson

September 18-19-20, 2014 Can-Am tour McMinnville, Or Jim Patterson has registration

September 20 E Vs. W reliability run Wenatchee, Wa @ the Monitor Hot Rod Cafe 12:00 noon

September 20th, 2014 Drive in Movie night @ Mike and Jillian Robison's-Drive in Movie night @ Mike and Jil lian Robison's

Oct 3 - Monthly T Club meeting

October 4th, 2014 Inland Empire A's Presidents Tour Meet @ Albertson's on Trent and Argonne @ 10am Lunch at Bear Creek Lodge cost is \$21 please pay in advance. Checks to: Frank Cook 8414 E south riverway Spokane, wa 99212 or Jackie Bonner 19219 E 8th Greenacres, Wa 99016

Please pay before September 25th

Nov 7 - Monthly T Club meeting

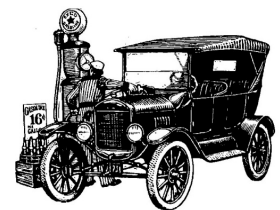
Dec 5 - Monthly T Club meeting

Jan 9 2015 Installation banquet @ Ramada Spokane airport 8909 W Airport Dr, Spokane, WA

99224 6pm happy hour 7pm Dinner \$25 per person please try to purchase before Dec 25th

2014 Contact Steve Heid

Contact Gene Kicha or Jim Patterson for tours

**Tuesday Nights at the Ranch**

Come on out on Tuesday evenings around 4:30 pm with your T parts and join in on the fun with dinner at McDonalds. <http://www.antiqueautoranch.com>

Also, Check out the info on Spokane Model T Club website: www.spokanemodletclub.com

And available on Facebook: Inland Empire Model T Club

....continuation of Sept minutes of the meeting

On the trip home, we'll be stopping in Tyler, WA to visit "The Man Cave Shoppe", a new business catering to antique automobilia collectible items.

On September 18, 19, and 20th is the Can-Am tour in McMinnville, OR. Need to pre register. Flathead Run will start in Monitor, WA which is north of Wenatchee, September 20th. Also on September 20th is Drive-in Movie Night. Movie to be announced. Contact Mike Robison if you have a suggestion or request.

Mark H said he had been planning a tour with Carlson Edmonds. A tree fell on Carlson in the recent windstorm and he was seriously injured and hospitalized. Carlson still wanted to have a tour but Mark suggests maybe a tour in the spring.

Mike R said that Tom is on the mend.

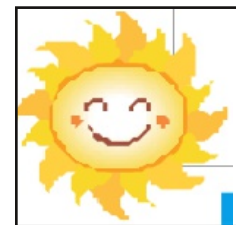
We will be looking for a new editor for the Fender Chatter. Diane is resigning. We all appreciate the work she has done, especially during all she has had to endure with her health in these trying times.

Bill Barr thanked Harvey for his legal guidance. He won't be able to do it anymore.

Bill also thanked Lee and Candy for hosting and refreshments.

Adjourned, 8:13 P.M.

Submitted by Ed Hope, Secretary



Things heard at the picnic:

Jim is still getting used to Windows 8.

Lee suffered a hard drive crash.

You could never buy a "Jeep in a barrel" as advertised in the back of comic books in the '50's.

Suzie Stacey makes incredibly intricate quilts.

Beans are doing real well this year, tomatoes not so much.

Brook is running now. She watches her feet, not where she is going. That's why there is a bruise on her head. Rick runs 3 miles most days, 'cept maybe weekends.

Nan is getting eggs from her new hens.

Quite a few people are saying final goodbyes to friends and family. The End

Hassie Club Show Sept 6

Registration form(page6) and info about the car show at Mirabeau Park on September 6th. We have at least a couple of people planning to attend, and perhaps we can make a tour out of it.

Thanks for getting this out to the Model T Club members!

Janice Hutchinson

Edwall & Sprague, WA Tour Dave Thompson's Car Collection Tour Sept. 14th

A brief stop in Edwall will give us the photo-op to have our Model T's photographed in front of an old original Model T dealership building. In Sprague, we'll be seeing dozens of "For Sale" collector cars and trucks from Model T days through the 60's along with other period antiques. Dave has over 200 collectible cars, most of which haven't been hauled to Sprague yet, plus a grain elevator full of car parts. On the trip home, we'll be stopping in the big metropolis of Tyler, WA to visit "The Man Cave Shoppe", a new small business catering to antique automobilia collectible items. Should make for an interesting late summer tour that many have indicated they don't want to miss!

Meet at Rosauers at 3rd & Oak at noon and the group will head out to Sprague on scenic back roads. Contact Jim Patterson if you have any questions.

Application/ Registration \$15.00 September 6, 2014

This is an opportunity to share your classic, antique, or collector car restored or not. This event will bring out many cars that have not been seen for a long time. It is a fun day for young and old alike, so come out and join us at the park and bring your original car. Become a part of history!

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: () _____ Please contact me via Email: _____

Vehicle Make: _____ Model: _____ Year (Through 1984): _____

If your vehicle is NOT original or restored to original condition, explain modifications here (Safety modifications like seatbelts, turn signals, brake lights, etc. are allowed. Call with any questions): _____

Check one:

- RESTORED (car is restored to at least 90% original condition)
- SURVIVOR (car is **unrestored**, driveable, and has **original** paint, upholstery and running gear throughout)

It is the final decision of the HASSIE committee if the vehicle meets the show's guidelines

Awards and trophies for judged vehicles will be announced at the conclusion of the show.

- Judged Not judged (display only)

For questions call John 509-238-4958 or Skip 509-922-3431 or Email hassieoriginalcarshow@hotmail.com

Pre-buy your official show shirt and save! Please indicate quantity next to sizes below:

S ___ M ___ L ___ XL ___ 2XL ___ 3XL ___ Quantity of shirts ___ x \$13.00 = \$ ___

(Shirts are \$16 at the show and available in limited quantity, order now to guarantee your shirt)

Registration = \$15.00

Application must be received by Monday, August 25, 2014

Write check for this amount = \$ ___

Make checks payable to HASSIE. Mail to: 4417 S. Farr Rd Spokane, WA 99206

RELEASE, INDEMNIFY, AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

I represent that I am the owner of the vehicle described above which I have entered into the show and that I have **liability insurance** in effect which will apply to any alleged damage to person or property that may occur involving my vehicle.

If any claim should be made alleging damage to person or property involving my vehicle which is not fully covered by my **liability insurance**, I agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the HASSIE Club, a Washington non-profit corporation, the City of Spokane Valley, Mirabeau Park and the officers, directors, employees and agents including, but not limited to volunteers, of each said entities against any such claim.

I assume the risk of any loss or damage that may occur to my vehicle or any other personal property belonging to me or in my custody or possession at the show or in any way related to the show including but not limited to theft, collision, malicious mischief or negligence.

I hereby release the HASSIE Club, the City of Spokane Valley, Mirabeau Park and th officers, directors, employees, and agents including but not limited to volunteers of each afore mentioned entity from any claim that I might have against them, or any of them, in any way arising out of, or related to the show.

I have read the foregoing representations and agreements and recognize I am bound by them.

Signature: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date: _____

Insurance Carrier: _____ Policy #: _____

WE APPRECIATE YOUR WILLINGNESS TO DISPLAY YOUR VEHICLE AND WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU.

HASSIE CLUB CAR SHOW COMMITTEE

Camp Fire Girls Centennial Celebration

Jim Patterson and grandson, Landon Henderson, escort U.S. Rep. Cathy McMorris-Rogers to Camp Dartlo for the 100th anniversary celebration of the starting of the organization in Spokane.

Thanks, Jim



Reasons to Own or Drive a Model T Ford

After Tom Carnegie's recent surgery and associated recuperation period due to a severe kidney stone attack, boredom started setting in along with imaginative thoughts about the Model T Fords that have been such a big part of Tom's and Suzie's lives. Tom got to thinking about why we all love these cars; thus the origination of the following reasons why we own or drive Model T Fords:

1. It makes you feel good! - either to look at or drive or for whatever other reasons.
2. You enjoy how it makes other people feel. You get pleasure seeing other people's reactions - could be from people seeing you driving either on the road, in parades, or even parked at a car show.
- 3 Your buddies are into T's so you get one to be part of the gang.
4. Investment.
5. Babe magnet (???)
- 6, Somebody gave you one - inheritance, gift, etc.

What other reasons can you think of to own a Model T? Let Tom know so he can add them to the list! T. Carnegie

Rick's Machine Shop

Hi all,

You may not have heard that Rick sustained a devastating fire to the shop on Aug. 9th. The Insurance Co. is doing who knows what, mostly dragging their heels, but in the meantime, he has a burned out shop full of contents that needs inventorying and removed so rebuilding can take place.

Meghan is scheduling a work party entitled, "Rick's Inventory Party" for Saturday, Aug. 23, starting at 9am. He needs: tarps, pallets, perhaps trailers, muscles, and willingness to pitch in and help him get a big piece of work done so repair, and rebuild can begin.

Please send out to Model T'ers to inform.

If anyone currently has work in process here for him to do, know that so far as he has been able to assess, nothing has been destroyed, or damaged severely that belonged to customers. Everything will take cleanup, re-machining, etc. to take care of the water damage sustained. ***

Call him on his cell, or check in with Meghan at: 590 9224(Ricks cell) 509 592 3282(Meghan's cell).



Ford Vs. Chevy

Q: How do you double the value of a Chevy?

A: Put gas in it.

Q: How is a golf ball different from a Chevy?

A: You can drive a golf ball 200 yards.

Q: Why are there sidewalks beside streets?

A: So Chevy owners have a safe place to walk home.

Q: How much wood could a GM*truck haul if a GM truck could haul wood?

A: As much as the Ford towing it.

Q. How do you make a Chevy accelerate 0-60 mph in less than 15 seconds?

A. Push it off a cliff.

Q. What is found on the last two pages of every Chevy's owners manual?

A. The bus schedule.

Ashes to ashes, dust to dust. If it wasn't for our Chevy's, our tools would rust.

From the past 10 years, about 95% of Chevy trucks are still on the road. The rest made it home. Buy a Chevy and you buy the best. Drive the first mile and walk the rest.

I could never keep a Chevy under me, I was always under the Chevy.

A Texan was talking big in a bar one night about how much money he had, how many women he had been with and how much land he owned. A young man, growing tired of all the big talk finally asked the Texan, "Just how much land do you actually own"? The Texan tipped back his cowboy hat and said to the young man " Well sonny let me put it to ya like this, I can get in my pickup at sunrise, drive all day long, skip lunch and still not get to the other side of my property by sundown". The young man shot back quickly, " Oh yeah, I know what you mean, I used to own a Chevy truck too"!

"Chevy, built like a rock and runs like one too."

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Model T Repair Tips (and other automobile makes, also).

Here's a book titled: "Automobile Repairshop Short-cuts - Over 1500 Time and Labor-saving ideas... - Motor World - Google Books" This was found on the MTFCA forum today.

It was published in 1918 and some of the ideas in it are brilliant. It's loaded with pictures and fun to read!!

Here's the link:

http://books.google.com/books?id=C1whAAAAMAAJ&printsec=frontcover&source=gbs_ge_summary_r&cad=0#v=onepage&q&f=true

Happy reading. Jim Patterson

Don Babbitt Memorial Hot 100

Mount Vernon, WA August 9th, 2014

The link below is to a video clip from the Don Babbitt Memorial Hot 100 this past weekend. Doug did a great job and many thanks to Art & Helen Reichlin for the use of their place. Congratulations to Karl & Maria Sturdy on their win. (362 points) It was a superb weekend between a fine Hot 100 and a beautiful trip up Mount Baker the following day. Great! <http://vimeo.com/103302467>
Click on the above link for a short video of this year's Don Babbitt 100 in the Mt. Vernon area. Walt

Penalties: Missed Checkpoint 1500 Seconds Early 2 Seconds Late 1

Total Miles 102.9 Target Time 3:48:00 Scheduled Break Time 0:19:00 Driving Time (target - break)
3:29:00 Target Average Speed 29.54

Western WA Speedster Folks - Just in case any of you are interested . . .

27th Annual Speedster Endurance Run October 25-26, 2014

The San Diego Model T Club will hold the 27th consecutive Speedster endurance run in the highest Mountains of San Diego County, this year out of the town of Temecula in Riverside. For information and reservations check the web site at <http://www.mtfcSD.com> or contact:

Speedster Run Coordinator

P.O. Box 23324

San Diego, CA 92193-3324

Phone: (760) 789-3954 e-mail: tonybowker@aol.com

BANQUET January 2015

January 10, 2015 is the day to mark your calendars for the annual Installation Banquet. This year's banquet is again at the Ramada Inn at the Airport. Happy hour at 6pm with Roast beef buffet dinner at 7pm. The cost again is \$25 per person. Tickets will go on sale at the October meeting. Entertainment at this time is still undecided. Any suggestions for the entertainment or any other questions please call Steve Heid at 928-0215.

FOR SALE / WANTED / SERVICES

**For pictures of ads, if available, go to the Spokane Model T Club website
www.spokanemodeltclub.com/for-sale.php**

To Model T & A Club members:

George Dilley's 1919 Model T roadster pickup is being sold.

This is a restored vehicle that has been described as Best in Class at numerous events around southern Idaho. There is also a high profile cargo trailer (16 foot) that George specifically used for taking the T to the various shows. The Model T can be loaded with the top up. (George paid \$5,000.00 for the trailer new.)

The package deal for both the 1919 T and trailer would be \$9,000.00. Any interested parties should call 208-816-6662 and ask for Kent. Sale price will be negotiable depending on what the offer may bring.

Kent & Sandra Knigge..... (Sandra is George daughter)

For Sale: '27 Canadian Model T Roadster / Pickup, s.n. 14,707,500 with '25 rebuilt engine, transmission, starter, generator, and Ruckstell rearend. New 21" tires, all woodwork rebuilt, new seat springs; just needs final cosmetics and painting. \$10,250. Also have 1912 T chassis (\$8,500) & '17 T chassis (\$10,000).- Eric Stendell - 509-680-0355 (Colville, WA). 3

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See you next month and safe - T in your driving