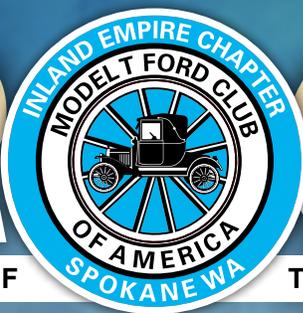


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A MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF

THE SPOKANE MODEL T FORD CLUB

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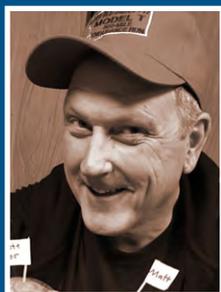
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The yearly dues are \$20 per year from an individual or family and due by January 31st of each year. Please renew your membership or join the club as a new member. We look forward to seeing you!

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

National Clubs

We are a chapter of the MTFCA and the MTFCI



On the Cover:

One of Dave Thompson's Ts in Sprague, WA (*this coupe is a former MT500 racer*)

- photo by Jeff Hipp

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A Message from our Club's President:

Hello fellow T club members!

By the time you read this a great deal of Model T events have transpired. The Grand Prix, Medical Lake day parade and memorial wall, Montana 500 and the Cherries to Prairies tour will take place.

Congratulations go to our own Jillian Robison for becoming the first two time female winner of the 2019 Montana 500. Also a big shout out to all the Inland Empire Model T Club members who completed the race. It is quite an accomplishment. Don't forget to follow the Ocean to Ocean Tour that has three of our members participating, Montana, Judy and Glenn Barnard.

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the Swap Meet. Our first national tour meeting will be held in July 2020. Watch for details.

Thanks for being members of the greatest Model T Club! — Matt Hansen



Minutes from the Last Club Meeting

June 7, 2019

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

➔ **Minutes:** The minutes from the March meeting were accepted as printed in the *Fender Chatter*.

Jim and Betty Patterson were not at the meeting as they were celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary (Congratulations!).

➔ **Treasurer's Report:** Matt read the Treasurer's Report, which was approved as written.

➔ **Swap Meet:** VP Ralph Brevik is prepping for the Swap Meet on July 12-14. He plans to have a cut-away Model T chassis and engine on display, information about T's and our scrap books to look through. You may display parts for sale at the Model T booth, with the club receiving 10% of the sales. We need volunteers to help the V-8 Club set up the Fairgrounds Thursday, July 11 at 7:00 a.m. (*our club can earn money by helping set-up*). Help is also needed to set-up the Model T Club booth Thursday afternoon, and to work at our booth during the Swap Meet. All helpers are invited to the Skidmores' for a post-Swap Meet BBQ on Sunday, July 14th, starting at 3-4 p.m.

➔ **Tours:** Steve Heid reported on past and upcoming tours.

The July Cherries to Prairies Tour deadline approaches, and we currently have around 26 cars and 56 people attending. If you have not registered for the tour, but would be willing to help instruct at the Model T Driving School, please contact Janice. The Driving School will be held on Thursday, July 4th from 2 p.m. - 5 p.m. in the Sun City Church parking lot: 10920 East Sprague Avenue in Spokane Valley.

We inspected 31 cars at the Safe-T Inspection.

Matt and Tom related the story of their Montana 500-prep Shake-down Tour. Matt invited the club members to call anytime you would like to go out for a drive. We can send a quick e-mail for anyone who would like to join us. Sometimes impromptu tours are the best!

The Model T exhibition "race" at the Festival of Speed is Saturday, June 8th at 5 p.m. Nan said she wanted to follow Tom out to the Spokane Raceway, but then Tom could follow her around the track.

The Medical Lake Founders Day Parade is Saturday, June 15th. See your e-mail or the website for details about where and when to meet.

Matt expects 28 cars to race this year in the Montana 500 on June 16-19. On Thursday after the race, the group will be visiting sites in the Columbus, Montana area. Myron will be driving Tom's T in his first Montana 500.

Saturday, June 22nd is the Retirement Home Tour in Spokane Valley. Watch your e-mail or the club website for more information.

The August Potluck Picnic Meeting will be at Lee and Candy Burgess' house again this year on Friday, August 2, at 6 p.m.

Mike Stormo is planning a tour to Bayview sometime in August to have a barbecue and ice cream by the lake.

Saturday, September 7th is the HASSIE Car Show at Mirabeau Park. The Model T Club is the guest club this year. We will have a special parking area, and the registration fee to enter the show is waived for all Model T's. You must still fill out the registration form if you are planning to attend, just skip the fee.

Friday, September 13th is the Model T Display at the Spokane Fair.

On the weekend of September 20, Joe Swanson is planning a campout in Priest River—more details later.

Tom is planning to have another Economy Run, something that we haven't done for a while now, but it is always a lot of fun. If you haven't done this before, every T is setup with a fixed amount of gas in a small can and then drives around a course until they run out. The car that goes farthest, wins.

Matt will be having the first meeting to plan the 2020 National Tour in early July.

➔ **Welcoming:** Ralph, our fill-in greeter, introduced his friend Cory, the president of the HASSIE Club, who wants to add a '15 Brass Model T Touring Car to his already impressive collection of Fords. But then, his oldest son's middle name is Ford.

➔ **Sunshine:** Susie Carnegie reported on Sunshine activity: a thank you to the Skidmores for hosting the Safe-T Inspection, and get well cards to Diane Swanson, Joanne LaBelle, and Sandy Dyer.

➔ **Old Business:** Nan Robison reported that "Retirement is the best thing ever." She said that her retirement party was fantastic and thanked everyone for coming.

➔ **New Business:** Rose Hodges wanted everyone to know that Montana and Glenn Barnard will be driving into Yakima on the Ocean to Ocean Tour on Wednesday night, July 10th. She would love to see a group of us go out to meet them.

We have two new T's in the club. Rich and Wanda Hummer purchased Gary and Linda Jurgensen's 1926 Roadster, and Brooks and Pat Johnson purchased their 1927 Tudor.

Charlie and Rose Hodges are inviting everyone to their End-of-August Barbecue on Friday, August 30, 6 p.m.-10 p.m. Don't bring anything but your old car – park it in the yard and join the show. There will be more food than you can eat, and it's always a great time.

Bill Barr will be working on new name tags with Myron Richardson as soon as the supplies arrive.

Brooks Johnson now has our library of books and periodicals housed at his place.

Steve Heid won the 50/50 drawing and donated his winnings to the scholarship fund.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15.

Respectfully submitted — Janice Hutchinson, Secretary

NO CLUB MEETING IN JULY -

Drop by our Inside Booth at the Spokane Swap Meet.

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

Passing...

We regret to inform the club of the unexpected passing of long-time Inland Empire Model T Club member **Frank Baker** on Tuesday, June 25.



Services will be July 5 in St. Joseph's Church in Kennewick with the rosary at 10 a.m. and mass at 11. There will a lunch at the church following the services.

Frank and Barbara were charter members of the Three Rivers Model T Club in the Tri-Cities and were 35-year members of the Spokane Model T Club, Frank passed following a severe stroke. Our sympathies and condolences go out to Barbara and her family.

muellersfuneralhomes.com/obituaries/Frank-Baker-10/#!/Obituary

Tuesdays at Antique Auto Ranch



May 14 - Casey Constance's '26 Touring in serious need of a front end alignment? No, he was turning his front axle around because Mike Robison discovered it was installed backwards. With Mke's, Brooks Johnson's, and Tom Carnegie's help, the four-some got Casey's front end out and re-installed in about 2 hours! Thanks to everyone (including the half dozen moral supporters watching the operation). who were present. And a special thanks to Casey for bringing his great looking '26 touring out to the ranch and providing us all this great learning experience. Word has it that everyone went home and checked their own T's to see if their front axles were installed correctly! - *Jim Patterson*

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Festival of Speed Model T Exhibition "Race"

June 8, 2019 - Photos courtesy of Patrick Krohn - Visit the link below to see more great photos - support local art - buy a few prints while you're looking. patrickkrohnphotography.com/Auto-Racing/Spokane-Festival-of-Speed



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Medical Lake Parade - June 15



141st Wing Cmdr. Col. Larry Gardner driving with Sheriff Ozzie Kenezovich in Jim Patterson's '14 speedster



Richard Hummer in his "new" '26 Model T Roadster on it's first tour. Congratulations, Richard & Wanda!



Jim Patterson in his '23 Touring



Horse-less stage coach pulling 5 - 6 adults around in the Medical Lake parade.

photos provided by Jim & Betty Patterson

Club & Model T Related Events

Events Calendar

- July **No T Club meeting - meet us at the swap meet!**
- July 4-6 **Cherries to Prairies Rotational Tour** (we're hosting)
- July 14 MTFCA Homecoming Event - Richmond, IN
- July 12-14 49th Annual Spokane Swap Meet
- July 14-19 MTFCA Summer Tour-Prince Edward Island, Canada
- July 16-20 Rocky Mountain Fun Tour - Billings, MT
- July 18 INCCC Downtown Spokane Scholarship Car Show
- July 20 Davenport, WA Pioneer Days Parade
- July 27 3rd Annual Model T Races - Bruderheim, AB
- Aug 2 **Spokane T Club Potluck Picnic** (no regular meeting)
- Aug 22 Retirement Homes Tour & Visit
- Aug 22-24 Lewiston, ID Hot August Nights
- Sept 6 **Spokane T Club meeting**
- Sept 7 HASSIE Club All Original Car Show - Mirabeau Park
- Sept 7 Oregon High Desert Swap Meet - Redmond, OR
- Sept 12-15 41st Can-Am Tour - Chilliwack, BC
- Sept 13 Spokane Fair - Spokane T Club Car Show
- Sept 14 Liberty Lake PD Car Show -benefits Special Olympics
- Oct 4 **Spokane T Club meeting**
- 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 11 **Annual Club Officer Installation Banquet**

→ → July 18-23 2020 National T Tour in Spokane -details soon!

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

(check, credit card, Paypal)



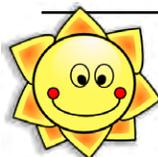
July 4 Rotational Tour:
We are hosting the Cherries to Prairies rotational tour this year on July 4 - 6, 2019! **Please register by June 10th.** Special hotel rate deadline is June 3rd. Based out of Mirabeau Park Hotel off I-90 & Sullivan Rd. in Spokane Valley.

Nan's Nibbles

July: None - C'ya at the Swap Meet

Aug: None - Join Us at the Club Potluck Picnic

Sep: Maggie Hansen & Russell Hanna



Sunshine Report

Get well cards to Bill Barr, Bill Mullins, and Mike Robison

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

Spokane Fair Model T Show Sept 13

We have been invited again this year to show our Model Ts at the Spokane Interstate Fair on Friday, Sept 13. If you plan to attend, **please RSVP** names and what car you are bringing **BEFORE AUGUST 1 TO ROSE HODGES.** Watch your email or Club Facebook page soon for more details.

Tuesday Nights at the Ranch

Come on out on Tuesday evenings around 4:30 pm with your T parts that need to be worked on. Also join us **after** for dinner at McDonalds.

antiqueautoranch.com

Note: Antique Auto Ranch is only open on Tues & Wed. Other times by appointment.



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 or our

Facebook page [f Inland Empire Model T Club](#)

Contact Steve Heid for tours (see pg 2)

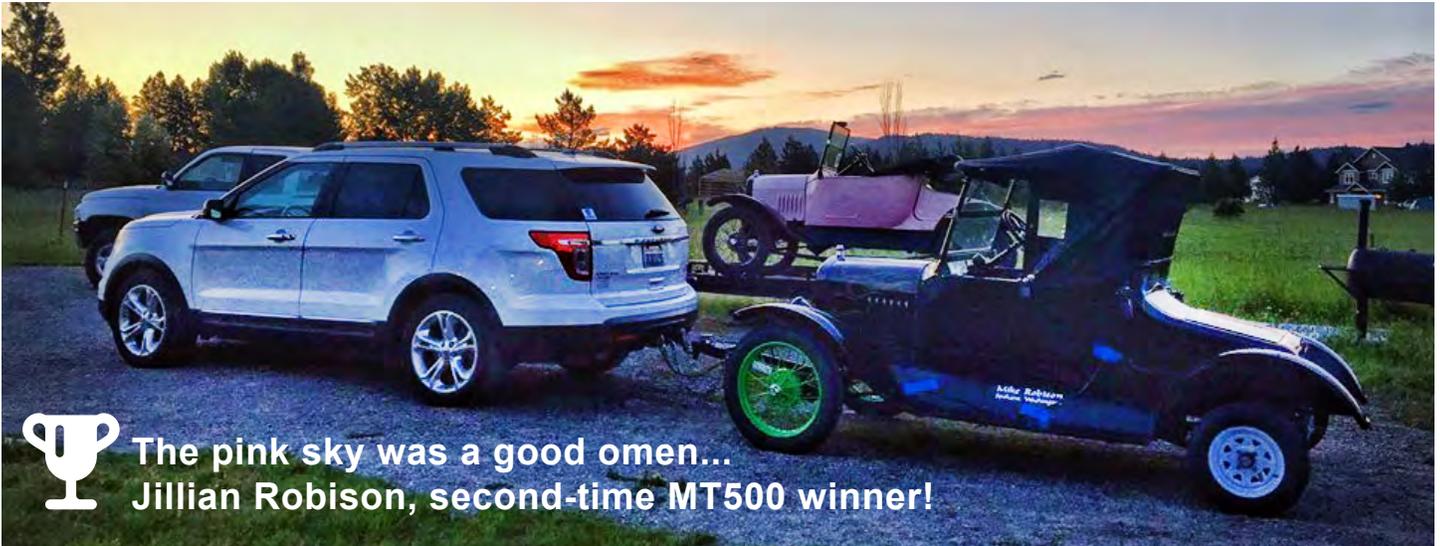


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Last-minute notices, fun stuff, lots of photos, links, etc.

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The 2019 Montana 500 - June 16-19



The pink sky was a good omen...
Jillian Robison, second-time MT500 winner!



Engine tear-down inspection of the winner



2019 Final Results of Spokane T Club Racers:

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|--------------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| 1. Jillian Robison | 6. Tom Carnegie | 13. Russell Hanna | 21. Nan Robison | 24. Ralph Brevik |
| 2. Mike Robison | 7. Matt Hansen | 16. Myron Richardson | 22. Rick Carnegie | |
| 4. Bill Mullins | 8. Rick Bonebright | 17. Charles Hodges | 23. Mike Stormo | |



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Retirement Communities Tour-June 22



Ten cars toured to two retirement communities to visit long-time friends (and lifetime T Club members) Joanne Jepperson, Bob Brandvold and Dixie Crabb. After the visits, Daryl & Tina Skomer invited everyone over to their place for a fabulous ice cream social. Many thanks for showing us all of your yard art and many antique treasures on display. — *by Jim Patterson*

Pictured below (left to right) are: Earl & Diana Hipp, Carol & Gene Kicha, Candy & Lee Burgess, Bill & Diana Barr, Tina & Daryl Skomer, Rick Carnegie, Jeff & Parker Hipp, Ron Stose, Larry & Carol Mann, Jim & Sandra Elenbass, and Mark & Janis Hutchinson. Also present but not shown here were JoAnne Jepperson, Bob Brandvold, Steve & Lynn Jepperson, Kerry & Janelle Thew, Regan, Quinn and Colby Aho, and Teryn Gardner.



Photos courtesy of Jeff Hipp and Jim & Betty Patterson

For Sale • Wanted • Services

When available, photos with these ads will be posted to our Club website spokanemodeltclub.com/for-sale.php

For Sale: 1923 Model T Runabout. nice complete car ready to drive. \$4,900.

1917 Model T Touring. Needs rearend re-assembled and installed, needs motor hooked back up. \$4,900. Has all parts.

Or both cars for \$9,500. Body & upholstery on both are in presentable condition, decent paint and upholstery. No major dents or rust. Garaged. These were my Father's cars and he died before he could complete the touring. **Contact Tim Broderius, 206-877-2469.** Veradale, WA. Have photos.

For Sale: Model T frame, rear end, front end and pan (rolling chassis). I also have some sort of rims and the front wheels and axle that say Essex Motors. Have pix. **Please contact sage@kdsteel.com if interested.** Spokane, WA. I am not sure what years - make reasonable offer.

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.

Due Jan 31 of each year, or join as a new member now, please complete this form and bring to the next meeting, or mail with your dues of \$20.00 to:



IEMTFCA - Dues
PO Box 11708
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 PR = Partially Restored, BC = Basket Case

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

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National MTFCI Membership: modelt.org

You may also download and print this as a PDF from our club website: spokanemodeltclub.com/membership-form.php

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Montana 500 Cars after racing day two - in Wilsall, Montana - photo by Maggie Hansen

photo submitted by Mike Robison

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