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General Club Info

National Clubs We are the Inland Empire Chapter (Spokane) of the MTFCA and the MTFCI



Member Model, T Ford Club, INTERNATIONAL

Correspondence

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

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

On the Cover:

Mark Hutchinson & Montana Barnard solving world problems at the Stonelodge Farm Tour, Oct 2.

- Photo by Janice Hutchinson



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Vice President Ralph Brevik Ja



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A Message from your Club President:

Well as my time as Prez runs down and Ralph takes over (unless someone comes to the next meeting and runs against him) I will soon be giving him the gavel.

Our November meeting will be at 19018 E 2nd Ave, Spokane Valley at 7pm. The Elenbaas have volunteered their shop for us to try holding our meeting in. It's east of Barker Rd on 2nd Ave.

It's that time of year also when dues are do and we need new renewal forms to update everything and to know if you are also a National member. We have a banquet coming up in January which is always a good time.

Enough for now see you down the road. —Prez Steve



Meeting Minutes

Minutes of the October 1, 2021 Club Meeting

President Steve Heid called the meeting to order at 6:40. He welcomed everyone and asked if there was anybody new at our meeting. No new members, but members who we haven't seen for a while: John and TJ Lynn who have a 1919 Centerdoor.

• Minutes: As the *Fender Chatter* had not been received yet, there was no reading of last month's minutes.

● Treasurer's Report: Karma Roth's report was approved as read. The almost-final report from July's National Tour was given by Janice Hutchinson. It was decided leave only enough funds in the tour account to keep the account open and to transfer the rest to the club savings account. This will be done as soon as Tour Chairman Matt Hansen confirms that all expenses have been paid.

Sunshine: Susie Carnegie was not at the meeting, but a card was sent to Larry and Carole Mann.

◆ Annual Club Banquet: Betty Patterson is selling tickets for our Annual Banquet, which will be held at the Spokane Airport Ramada Inn on Saturday, January 8th. The buffet dinner will feature Salmon and Cashew Chicken. Entertainment will be provided by club members John and TJ Lyn. The cost is \$37 per person.

◆ Tours: Ralph Brevik is planning a tour to the Fall Festival at Stonelodge Farm on Saturday, October 2nd. Also, watch your email for the location of our Wednesday Night Dinners each week. We are always looking for places to go—just let Ralph or Matt Hansen know where your favorite place is and we'll schedule it for a Wednesday!

Nan Robison reported that 13 cars attended the Spokane Interstate Fair on a rainy, miserable day. We had cars representing all body types, including speedsters and Rick Carnegie's Model N, and an especially good showing of '26s and '27s. We saw quite a few fair-goers in spite of the weather.

◆ Old Business: At the National Tour Steve Heid ran a 50/50 raffle with proceeds going to the MTFCA Explorer Club for young people up to age 17. He collected \$215 which will be sent to the MTFCA. Our club will also be sponsoring a number of memberships for children or grandchildren of club members. If you know kids who would like to be members of the Explorer Club, submit their names to Steve Heid or by emailing the club at iemodeltclub@yahoo.com. Memberships are \$15 each and the number of children we will sponsor will be decided based on the response.

If you need a new or replacement name tag, contact Bill Barr.

The Antique Auto Ranch is open again on Tuesday nights for anyone wanting to work on their Model T, or just to join the conversation.

• New Business: Jim Patterson announced that he is still sending out 23 hard copies of the *Fender Chatter* each month and that we are

facing two price increases. Copy Junction is increasing their printing cost by about \$10 a month and postage has increased to 58 cents. Most of our mailed copies are going to Life Members or Surviving Spouses. We decided to leave things as they are for now, but to plan on getting in touch with those hard-copy recipients periodically to make sure they still want to receive the *Fender Chatter*.

The November meeting will be held in Jim and Sandra Elenbaas's shop, 19018 E. 2nd Avenue (2nd Avenue and Barker Road) in Spokane Valley, at 7 pm. Karma has been looking for a new place for us to meet, but has been unable to find a space for groups our size because of the pandemic. Mike Robison put forward a complaint about the difficulty of making an early meeting for people who have to work until 5:00, but Nan told him to just fly to the meeting. (Congratulations on earning your pilot's license, Mike!)

Jim Patterson reports that the Early Ford V8 Swap Meet committee will be meeting to decide the fate of the swap meet. They are offering to sell it for \$10,000 and do have an offer.

• Club Officers: We then moved to officer nominations for 2022. All of the nominees are currently running unopposed:

- For Treasurer: Karma Roth
- For Secretary: Janice Hutchinson
- For Vice President: Myron Richardson
- For President: Ralph Brevik

Nominations will be open again at the November meeting prior to the election.

• Misc: Rich Hummer won the 50/50 raffle and Jim Patterson won a pocketknife.

November refreshments will be provided by Maggie Hansen and Karma Roth.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:35 pm. Respectfully submitted, Janice Hutchinson, Secretary

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)

For more tour or event details: check the <u>club website</u>, club <u>Facebook page</u>, or watch your e-mail.



The next regular club meeting will be on Nov 5 at 7:00pm. See page 5 for more meeting details

Pre-meeting dinners at Darcy's have been cancelled since April 2020 (until further notice) per WA C-19 guidelines. T Club meeting venues may also change at the last minute - check your email.

Seen, Heard and Shared

Harvest Tour to Stonelodge Farms - Oct O2

Great Fall weather prevailed for a fun T tour north of Spokane. Photos provided by Matt Hansen & Janice Hutchinson



Club & Model T Related Events

Events Calendar

NOTE: These events are subject to change due to Corona Virus guidelines - we marked what we've heard as canceled at the time of publication - please confirm before attending any events.



NOVEMBER 5TH CLUB MEETING INFO:

Our November Meeting will be in-person! It will be at 19018 E 2nd Ave, Spokane Valley at 7pm (the Elenbaas' place). See you there!

Nov 5 Spokane T Club Meeting

Dec 3 Spokane T Club Meeting

Jan 1 New Year's Day Tour

Jan 7 No T Club meeting this month (Banquet)

Jan 8 Club Banquet - Spokane Airport Ramada (see below)

Mark Your Calendars - January Banquet

The January Officer Installation Banquet will be at the Airport Ramada Inn January 8, 2022 at 6:30pm, cocktail hour at 5:30.

The annual banquet will be held on Saturday, January 8th at the Spokane Airport Ramada Inn. Dinner will be a buffet featuring Cashew Chicken and Salmon. Tickets will be \$35 per person and will be available at the November meeting or by contacting Betty. Please send checks for the banquet to the club PO Box 11708 Spokane, WA 99211 or to Betty Patterson at 11709 S Greenfield Lane, Medical Lake, WA 99022. We will be having music provided by our own local members. We need at least 30 people to attend this event and would love to see everyone!. Please RSVP to Betty Patterson at 509-214-9522 or jimbetpatter@gmail.com. Ramada Inn Room rates will be \$105 a night. Call the Ramada Inn M-Th 9 to 5 at 509-777-3053 and ask for Model T Club rates. — Betty



Nan's Nibbles

Nov: Karma Roth & Maggie Hansen

Dec: Everyone bring a goody to share!

Jan: See You at the T Club Banquet



Sunshine Report

Get well cards to: Nan Robison, Gene Kicha, Alissa Kite, and Steve & Julie Heid.

Any new updates will be announced at the next meeting or in the next newsletter ~Susie Carnegie

If you know of a club member in need of some cheer - please let Susie know.

GET YOUR T CLUB ID BADGES

If you are a new Spokane T Club member and need a club name badge, or need a replacement, please contact Bill Barr.

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T CLUB DUES ARE COMING DUE

Club Dues are Due Soon - Reminder that if you paid last year (2021), it carried over and you don't need to pay for this year (2022) - unless you would like to.

If you did pay last year, you still MUST fill out and send in an updated 2022 enrollment form. Thanks -Steve

Newsletter Help - Please

We need your help with content for the *Fender Chatter*. This newsletter is for you, the club members, but we ask:

- Input on content current or something new.
- Do you like certain pieces we do monthly or not?
- Is there an idea for an article you would like to see?
- · Would someone like to be in charge of writing a monthly piece - could be technical, could be something entertaining.
- Photos we need photos every month. Send them in.

Your participation is very much appreciated and essential!



"Like Us" on Facebook Inland Empire Model T Club

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



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 Club Facebook page f Inland Empire Model T Club

We need a new Tours Chairperson - Inquire



Model T Show, Tell and Share

Model T Aftermarket Items and Accessories

I think it's fun to collect Model T related items - a legitimate part of the hobby. Below are just a few of the interesting items that I have picked up over the years. I hope you find them interesting too. — Jeff Hipp

Please <u>email</u> us photos of your favorite aftermarket T items and a brief description for sharing in future issues of this newsletter.



TOURING CARD GAME. This game was made by Parker Bros., Inc. "The Famous Automobile Card Game". It's not specifically Model T - but of the era. I have 3 editions of this game - the 1926 improved edition, 1947-57 edition, and 1965 edition (the last). The game is essentially the same with each new edition, but the imagery and terminology is updated. Originally created in 1906 and purchased by Parker Bros. in 1925. The game was reborn in 2014 by another maker. Has anyone played this game? Let me know.

Carla Carnegie notes "Yes, I have played this game as a kid, and really enjoyed it! We owned the 1947-57 edition. I don't know what became of it---I might even have it tucked away somewhere and don't even remember having done so--yikes! Dig it out if any of you have it--it is a fun game!"



For Sale • Membership

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

Free: Vintage Ford Mags I have 11 Vintage Ford magazines dating from 1979-1982. They belonged to my dad, Norman Hoffman, who used to be a member of the club years ago. I just want these to go to a good home. > Toby Hoffman 509-951-2688



For Sale: 1927 Touring All original, no rust. It was a project with my dad, but I don't have time to enjoy it anymore. Asking \$18,000 OBO. Deer Park > Mike Lewis 509-999-8790





For Sale: 1904 Model C Touring -This is a once-in-a-lifetime car!

After years of debate, the Walden family has decided to sell our 1904 Model C Touring. It is 2 cylinder & chain driven - motor yoke number 1228, flywheel C2327 ("C"= Canadian). A driver car that is fully restored. Dad got it in 1990 (out of Chicago) and he restored it from the ground up - to how it originally came from the factory. It was painted in 2018, pinstriped in 2019, with powder coated running gear underneath.

There are only about 19 of these left worldwide. Out of those, only around nine are complete - but ONLY SIX are driving. Those six are all in private collections or museums.

Carl wants to offer this car up for sale **FIRST** to Spokane Model T Club members (and would love if it stayed local), before putting an ad to a worldwide audience. Price = Inquire. **> Shawna Walden** 1-253-583-6396

Membership Application

Condensed Version

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	
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Address	
	State
ZIP	Date Application Paid/Sent
Phone #	
E-mail	

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

Newsletters will be an emailed PDF, unless specified:

I prefer a printed and mailed newsletter, please.

MTFCA member? Y / N • MTFCI member? Y / N MTFCA Membership # _____ MTFCI Membership # _____ Insurance Carrier _____ Policy # _____

Model T's Owned:

Year Body Style

Condition

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

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

National MTFCI Membership: modelt.org

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



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