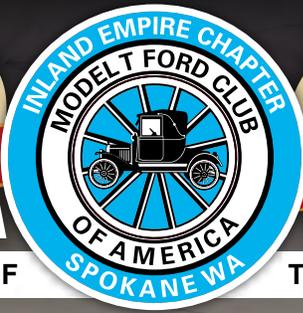


# FENDER

Celebrating



45 Years!

# CHATTER

A MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF

THE SPOKANE MODEL T FORD CLUB



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# **DOG DAYS & LIZZY**

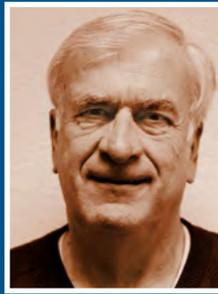
**HOW MANY SUMMER MILES HAVE YOU GONE?**



# General Club Info



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Larry Mann  
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Betty Patterson  
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## 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](mailto:fenderchatter@gmail.com)

## National Clubs

We are a chapter of the MTFCA and the MTFCI



## On the Cover:

Montana Barnard's '26 Fordor (restored by Arnie Frelander) on display in our T Club booth at the Spokane Swap Meet.

—photo by Jim Patterson

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## A Message from our Club's President:

Hi all! Hopefully everyone got to go up to the Hansens's for the free cherries? I hope to see most of you on the 29th Green Bluff tour! Looks like a nice day, with a lot of activities. I won't be at the August meeting. Jim said he'll be happy to take the meeting. Since the meeting will be at the Burgess's he won't need to have the key! See you on the 29th or in September. — Hutch



# Minutes from the Last Club Meeting

**July 7, 2017** There was no regular meeting in July and, therefore, no report due to the Spokane Swap Meet (photos below).  
**There will be no regular August meeting - Club Picnic.**



## Monthly Meetings

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.

**No regular club meeting in August - see you at the Club Picnic.**

*We Hope to see you there!*

# The T Club turns 45!

## 1972 Trivia:

HBO (Home Box Office) was launched by Time-Warner.

Franken Berry cereal included dye that turned some children's feces pink due to an inability to break down the heavily-dyed breakfast food, a symptom sometimes referred to as "Franken Berry Stool."

Chrysler brought electronic ignition to automobiles.

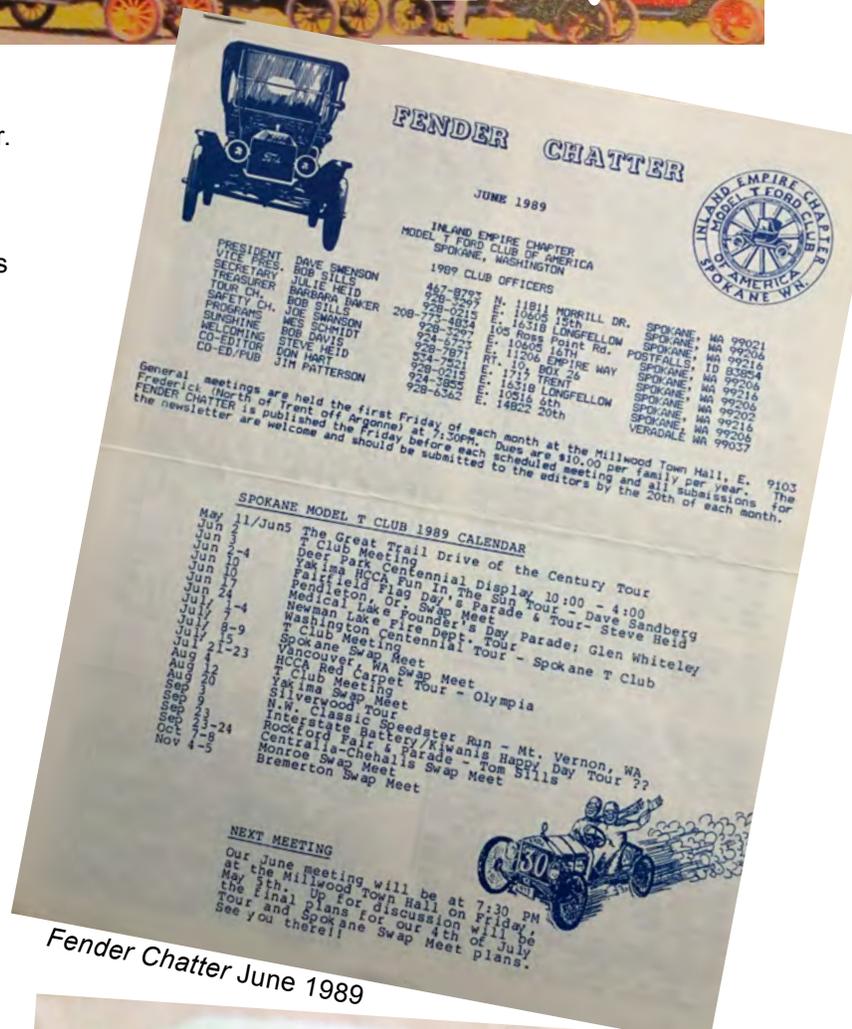
Samuel L. Jackson's debut film, *Together for Days* (1972), is considered lost and has no known copies in circulation.

1972 was when Carnival Cruise Lines began sailing.

Due to the inclusion of a leap day and two leap seconds, 1972 is the longest year in history.

While initial planning started in the 1920s, household dish cleaner 'Dawn' was released in 1972.

- See more at: <http://pop-culture.us/Annual/1972.html>



Wayne & Dorothy Doyle c.1975



Robert Flesner c.1975

# Club & Model T Related Events

## Events Calendar

- July 29 Green Bluff T Party Tour
- July 29 Bruderheim Model T Races - Bruderheim, Alberta
- Aug 4 **Spokane T Club Picnic (no regular meeting)**
- Aug 26 All Ford Show at Dwight Merkel Park, N. Spokane
- Aug 24-26 Hot August Nights Lewiston, ID
- Sept 1 **Spokane T Club meeting**
- Sept 1-2 35th NWVS 200 Mile Endurance Run
- Sept 9 33rd Oregon High Desert Swap Meet-Redmond, OR
- Sept 23-24 Harvest Swap Meet - Chehalis, WA
- Oct 6 **Spokane T Club meeting**
- Oct 7-8 Monroe Fall Swap Meet - Monroe, WA
- Nov 3 **Spokane T Club meeting**
- Nov 18 Albany Indoor Swap meet - Albany, OR
- Dec 1 **Spokane T Club meeting**

### WE NEED YOUR IDEAS-PLEASE SHARE

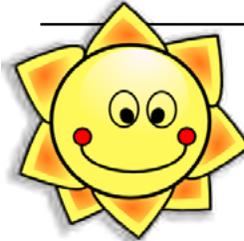
If anyone has any new ideas or suggestions that you would like to see included in this newsletter please let us know! This is your publication and we want it to be as informative, helpful, and entertaining as we can make it.

Things you would like to see more or less of? We are open to all of your ideas in order to make the *Fender Chatter* more worth your time to read and use. Please let us know by sending us an email [fenderchatter@gmail.com](mailto:fenderchatter@gmail.com)

**🔧 Newsletter Note:** The digital version of this newsletter has been created as an interactive PDF. All web and email links should work in desktop, mobile & tablet browsers. **However**, on Kindle devices, it is viewable, but interactivity is disabled until Amazon and Microsoft fix this issue.

## Candy's Cookie Corner

- August None (Club Picnic)
- Sept Mike Stormo & Randy Morse
- Oct Cheri Storey & Joe & Diane Swanson



## Sunshine Report

Thank you cards to:

- Jim and Betty Patterson for leading the Medical Lake Parade tour and providing breakfast for the T'ers.
- Matt & Maggie Hansen for inviting us up to pick cherries.

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

## 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](http://antiqueautoranch.com)

More info on Spokane Model T Club website: [spokanemodletclub.com](http://spokanemodletclub.com)

And available on

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



## 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 [spokanemodletclub.com](http://spokanemodletclub.com) or our Facebook page **f** [Inland Empire Model T Club](#)

**Contact Nan Robison for tours (see pg 2)**



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

## Seen, Heard and Shared



### Medical Lake Founder's Day Parade - June 17

It was an early morning warm summer day on the shores of Silver Lake that started out the day of antique car touring for 5 Model T's and several modern irons. A hearty farm-style breakfast over the campfire got the day started and soon all were headed to downtown Medical Lake for participation in the town's annual Founder's Day parade and festivities.

The Grand Marshall of the parade was the Fairchild Air Force Base Commander and one of the Model T's was selected to haul the Grand Marshall through the parade route. It was an interesting contrast having a top Air Force jet jockey Colonel riding in a nearly 100-year old Model T - and to note that the KC-135 tankers

currently in use at Fairchild started production in 1957 (some 30 years after the Model T went out of production) and is still flying in active military service 60-years after being introduced .

After the parade, the T Club members took to the streets to view the many food and craft vendors and to enjoy the bustling activities. It was a fun day which culminated in a trip across the rolling wheat hills to Cheney to have the traditional ice cream treat. It was a beautiful day for the traditional Founder's Day Parade and the community's support and participation was very apparent. Thanks for the fun day, Medical Lake!

- Jim Patterson



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# For Sale • Wanted • Services

When available, photos with these ads will be posted to our Club website [spokanemodeltclub.com/for-sale.php](http://spokanemodeltclub.com/for-sale.php)



**For Sale:** Beautiful 1926 Model T Touring – Very clean and has no dents or rust in body. Very good paint. Has Ruxtell transmission, Hassler shocks, wire wheels with mounted spare, nickel bumpers, step plates, diamond-pleated upholstery, foot accelerator pedal, newer side curtains - all in excellent condition. Engine runs and sounds very good, with no knocks. Has distributor ignition system plus head mounted coil box. Contact Karen Miller at 509-599-7172 in Spokane. \$10,000 firm.

## Spokane T Club at 45: We Need Your Old Club Photos

As you've noticed in this issue, our Spokane Model T Club turns 45 this year. We are looking for photos, tour notes, funny stories you remember, or meeting minutes from those early days of 1972+. If you have any, please share (scans, text, etc) to our email:

[fenderchatter@gmail.com](mailto:fenderchatter@gmail.com). **THANK YOU!**



## Membership Application

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:



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Spokane Valley, WA  
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Model T's Owned:

| Year  | Body Style | Condition |
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PR = Partially Restored, BC = Basket Case

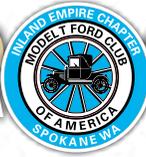
I agree to having my name printed in the Club Directory  
Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

**National MTFCA Membership:** (check, credit card, Paypal)  
[mtfca.com/clubpages/joinamember.htm](http://mtfca.com/clubpages/joinamember.htm)

**National MTFCI Membership:** [modelt.org](http://modelt.org)

You may also download and print this as a PDF from our club website:  
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Campfire Breakfast at the Patterson's Place - June 17

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