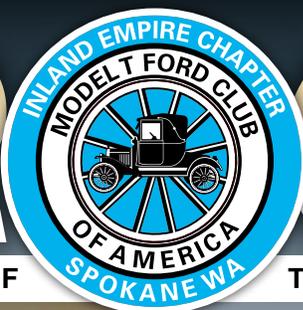


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A MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF

THE SPOKANE MODEL T FORD CLUB



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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.

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 also the MTFCI



On the Cover:

Rick Carnegie and daughter Meghan starting out on the 15th annual January 1st tour in balmy 13 degree weather.

—Photo by Jeff Hipp

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June 1924: more info scvhistory.com/scvhistory/lw2503.htm

The Ten-Millionth Ford

Ford

The 10,000,000th Ford car left the Highland Park factories of the Ford Motor Company June 4. This is a production achievement unapproached in automotive history. Tremendous volume has been the outgrowth of dependable, convenient, economical service.

Ford Motor Company

See the nearest authorized Ford dealer

The Touring Car
'295
F. O. B. Dealer
Price as shown
See Dealer for details



Minutes from the Last Club Meeting

January 10, 2015

No minutes for January due to the Banquet.

Special February Meeting Topic:

A planned discussion by guest Larry Seemann about the creation of an Inland Northwest Classic Car Museum.



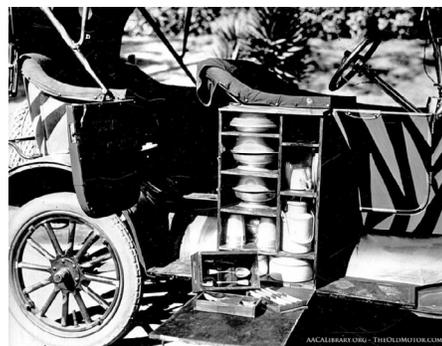
▶▶ **Club Dues are Due! See page 6.**

Below:

A Maharajah's Tiger Hunting Model T

Produced at the Worli, India assembly plant was blacked out and painted with simulated Zebra stripes. Read more about this car in the link below.

Photos posted in *The Old Motor* theoldmotor.com/?p=136974 courtesy aacalibrary.org



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.

The next regular club meeting is February 6, 2015.

You are welcome to join other T Club members for pre-meeting dinner 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!**

Club & Model T Related Events

Club Events Calendar

Feb 6 **Spokane T Club meeting**

Feb 14-15 49th Early Bird Swap Meet - Puyallup

Mar 6 **Spokane T Club meeting**

Mar 14-15 35th Almost Spring Swap Meet - Puyallup

Mar 27-29 Garden Grove (Anaheim), CA - "FOLLOW THE GOLDEN BRICK ROAD" MTFCA GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY & 50th ANNUAL MEETING. Hosted by the Orange County Model T Ford Club. Journey through 50 fabulous years of the Model T Ford Club of America!

Apr 10-12 50th Annual Portland Swap Meet

May 2 Marymount Model T Driver's Ed: at LeMay Car Collection, Tacoma lemaymarymount.org/marymount-drivers-ed-class-ford-model-t/

June 6 MTFCA Model T Homecoming 2015 - Hundreds of unique collectibles, dozens of Model Ts on display, a swap meet, and freebies - at the MTFCA Model T Museum in Richmond, IN

<http://www.modeltfordclubofamerica.com/homecoming>

July 10-12 44th Annual Spokane Swap Meet

July 12-17 MTFCA's National Tour celebrating the MTFCA's 50th year. Hosted by the Foothills Model T Club of Calgary - Cochrane, Alberta, CANADA.

<http://mtfca50.com>

Model T Trivia

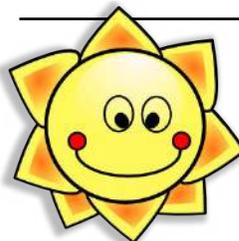
Runabout, Torpedo or Roadster?

Semantics... Ford used the term 'Runabout' to describe 1 seaters for 2 people right after production. The first turtledeck Model T's were termed 'Runabout' or 'Torpedo' by Ford's advertising department until they changed the terminology around 1923 to 'Roadster'.

— MTFCA Forums

Candy's Cookie Corner

February Candy Burgess,
Nan Robison



Sunshine Report

• Card sent to Sandy Dyer following her knee surgery

• Thank you card to Larry Skidmore for outgoing President artwork!

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 before-hand with dinner at McDonalds.

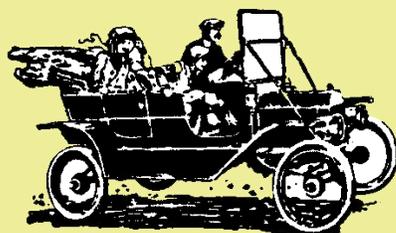
antiqueautoranch.com

More info on Spokane Model T Club website:

spokanemodletclub.com

And available on

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

Contact Gene Kicha or Jim Patterson for tours



Facebook "Like Us" Drive
[Inland Empire Model T Club](#)

How many fans can we get?

Seen, Heard and Shared



T Club Recipe of the Month

Betty Patterson's Homemade Apple Pie:

Pie Crust:

Using a pastry blender mix together 3 cups flour, 1/2 tsp salt and 1 1/4 C shortening till blended pea size. Mix 1 egg, 2 tsp white vinegar, and 5 Tbl. spoons of ice water together and mix with flour using a fork. Put into refrigerator for a little while to cool. Then roll out with pastry cloth and roller.

Apple Filling:

8 apples peeled and sliced (tarter the better)
 1/2 cup brown sugar
 1/2 cup white sugar
 1 tsp cinnamon

Set aside in a strainer for 30 minutes to drain juice off apples. Put apple mixture on top of pie crust in pie plate. Mix apple juice with flour and make a sauce and put over the apples. Make at least a half cup of juice, more is a little better.

Put crust top on apples and flute edges. Spread a little milk on the top crust and sprinkle with a little sugar. Protect fluted edges with tin foil.

Bake 15 min. at 425 degrees then reduce temp to 350 and bake another 45 minutes until apples are bubbly. Take off tin foil about 15 min. before pie is done so crust can brown.

Enjoy!

Jim's Apple Pie Recipe:

Let Betty make hers and apply vanilla ice cream while hot. If not hot, heat in microwave and then apply ice cream.

Have a recipe you want to share? Email us...
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.

Jamie Allen's Latest Project



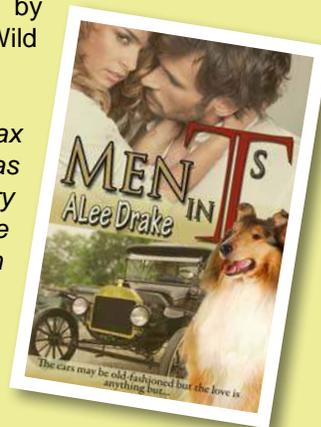
Jamie picked this up from *Craig's List* just before Christmas and is already in tear-down mode for a Montana 500 car.



For Valentine's Day: a Model T Romance Novel

Men in Ts, a romance novel by ALee Drake. Published by The Wild Rose Press, Inc. Jan 7, 2015.

Independent single mom Pax Walters takes her work as a magazine journalist very seriously. It provides her with the means to support her son Ryan and give him the specialized education an autistic child needs. She is hesitant to leave him for two weeks to cover a classic car convention, but how bad can a Model T road trip be? ... Available on Amazon.com



For Sale • Wanted • Services

When available, photos with these ads will be posted to our Club website

spokanemodeltclub.com/for-sale.php

2015 dues are due! Deadline for payment is Feb. 15, 2015. Please submit your \$20.00 annual dues to Betty Patterson, c/o Spokane Model T Ford Club; P.O. Box 11708, Spokane, WA 99211-1708 Please include the 2015 Roster update form with your dues to insure we have everyone's current email, phone numbers, and mailing address for the new roster.

Wanted: Large Ruckstell ball bearing, Any condition. Mike Robison 509-844-5900

For Sale: Beautiful 1917 Touring - has been kept in a barn in Hagerman, Idaho. Frame off restoration 8 years ago, was in good running order when parked 3 yrs ago. Asking \$13,000. Owner is 88 and has decided to sell off some of his treasures. Call Mark 208-941-4690.

For Sale: 1930 Deluxe Delivery Model A Ford, \$29,000. Could deliver. Thanks, Mike Cuffe 1-406-293-1247

For Sale: Tudor - all in pieces, disassembled. The drive train has been restored frame, steering link, engine, transmission, differential, by a retired mechanic that has since passed away. There is a new roof complete with wood ribs and cover that comes with it. All body work needs doing some parts can be restored others replaced. The car is restorable to original. I have done some work on it but my interests are in aviation. I will be honest and tell you I paid \$2700.00 for it and would like the same out it. Coaldale, AB 1-403-345-4834 email donrob1@shaw.ca

For Sale: George Dilley's 1919 Model T roadster pickup. 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 (George paid \$5,000.00 for the trailer new.) The package deal for both the 1919 T and trailer would be \$9,000.00. Call 208-816-6662 and ask for Kent. (George's son-in-law).

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

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 Extended: Feb 15! ~~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
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99211-1708



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Model T's Owned:

Year	Body Style	Condition
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_____	_____	_____
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R = Restored, U = Unrestored, O = Original
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

National MTFCI Membership: modelt.org

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

Annual January 1st (Y2K) Tour

The history of our Jan 1 luncheons & Tours.

A few days before Jan 1 1998 Ed Jepperson suggested that he and I drive our Ts on Jan 1 so we could be the first to drive our T's in 1998. We drove our speedsters to Don and Judy Rohrer's home and rang the doorbell. He was surprised to see us and took a picture of us with our cars (*below*).



Photo of Gene Kicha & Ed Jepperson on Jan 1, 1998



On Jan 1 1999 we got a few more Club members to join us for a short drive and a stop @ McDonalds for a bite to eat. The coming of year 2000 started the Media flap about computers failing---worry if systems would crash--if cars would run. The idea was born to have a Y2K Luncheon and tour to prove that our Ts would still operate in the year 2000. We met on the corner of University and Sprague with our T's and drove to the Old country Buffet for Lunch. We had a great turnout of 40+ people having lunch and great visiting.

Here we are 15 years later still gathering, lunching and doing short tours on Jan 1.

We had a great turnout of approximately forty members at Timber Creek Buffet in a private dining room. After much dining and visiting a group of 5 T's led by Gene Kicha, followed by Bill Mullins, Rick Carnegie, Tom and Susie Carnegie, and Jamie Allen went on approximately a 15 mile tour. The Roads we followed were bare and dry!!! The temperature was around 20.

We went east on Montgomery to N Pines and turned north toward Trent. At Trent we waited for a train and turned east - traveled to Flora and turned north to Wellesley. We traveled west on Wellesley to Progress. We traveled north on progress to North Forker. North uphill on Forker turned west on Bigelow Gulch moving at about 40 mph until the stoplight at N Argonne. Bill Mullins headed home and we turned south on Argonne. At Argonne and upriver the rest of us headed to our respective homes.

Thanks to everyone for making our Jan 1 Luncheons and Tour success. — Gene Kicha



photos above by Jeff Hipp & Jillian Robison



At the Installation Banquet



With a lot of competition from the Seattle Seahawks and the Gonzaga Men's basketball team playing at the same time as our banquet was being held, we ended up having a much smaller than normal turnout with only about 40 members participating in this year's banquet. Out-going President, Bill Barr, presented the President's Award to Susie Carnegie for her continuing support in sending members beautiful "Susie get well" cards that she hand-makes. You almost wish to get sick just to get one of the "Susie Cards"!! Many thanks to her for her years of thoughtfulness to spread a little good cheer and smiles to our members in time of need.



President Bill Barr thanked his officers and committee chairmen for all their help in making 2014 a very successful and fun year. He then distributed door prizes to everyone, and then passed the gavel on to in-coming President Rick Carnegie. Rick then presented Bill with a beautiful autographed "Larry Skidmore" original color drawing of his '27 Touring. Thanks to all who attended this year's banquet. It was lots of fun and you missed out if you didn't attend!



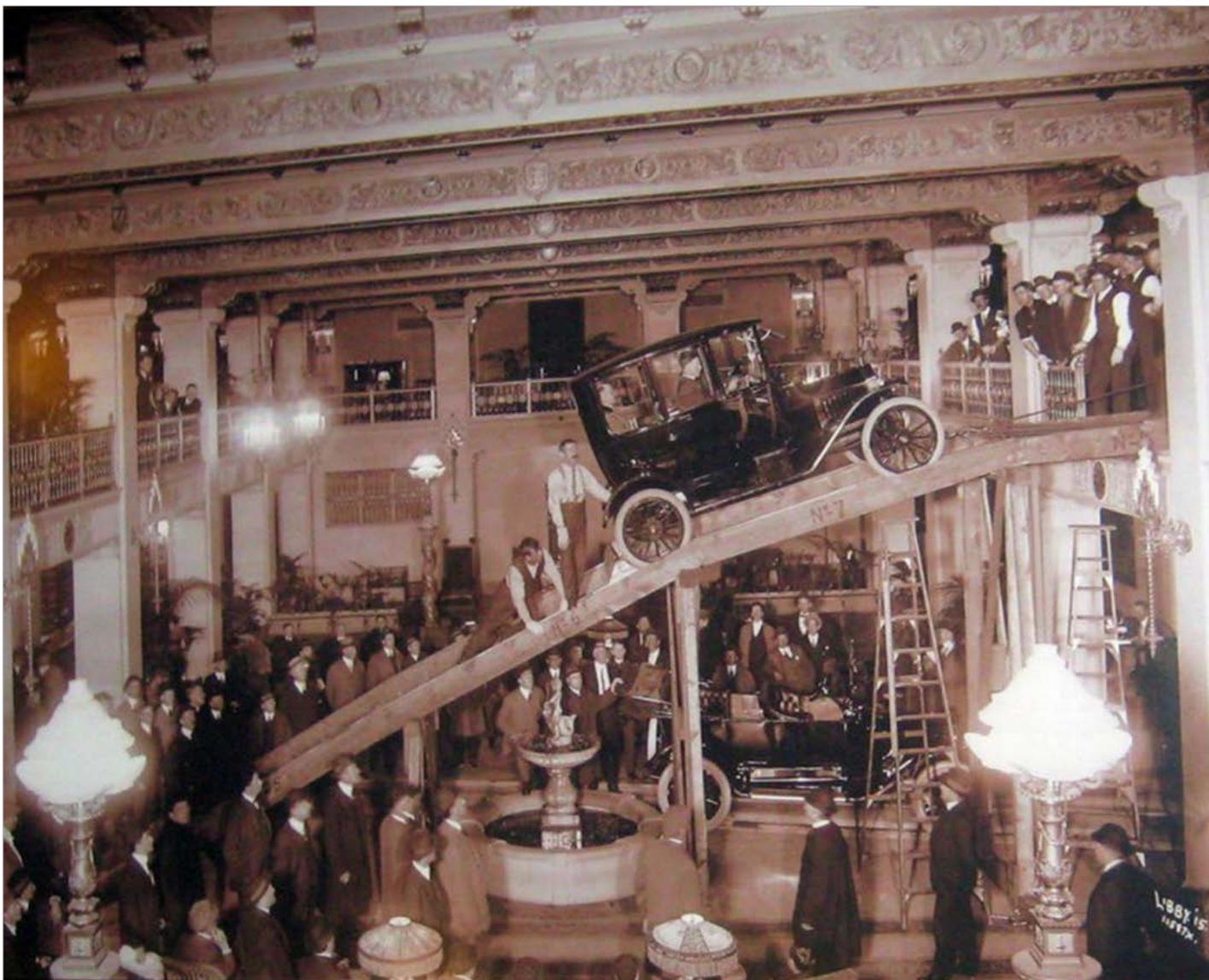
The Ramada's food was good as usual and the Heids created a very good slide show of member's photos from our by-gone days. The winner of the competition to identify the most members old photos was Carla Carnegie who named 12 out of the 22 member's photos.

—Jim Patterson

photos by Lee Burgess



The Funny Page



100 Years Ago... Getting ready for the 1915 Spokane Auto Show at the Davenport Hotel — a new 1915 Center-door being winched to the second floor. Libby photo, Posted mtfca.com/discus/messages/506218/507367.html?1420406913

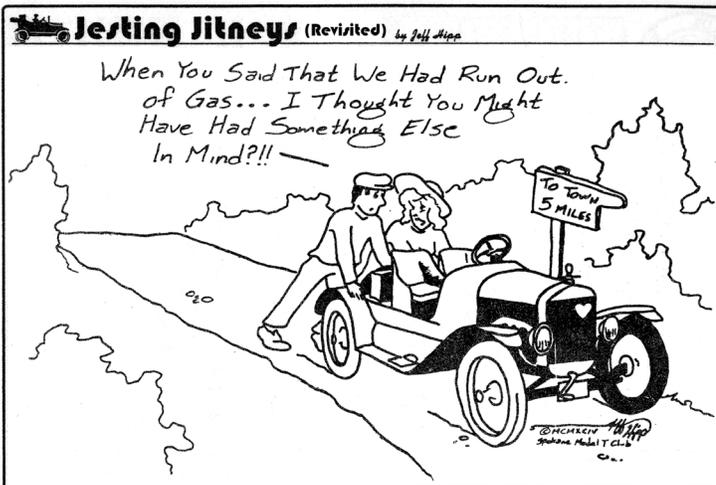


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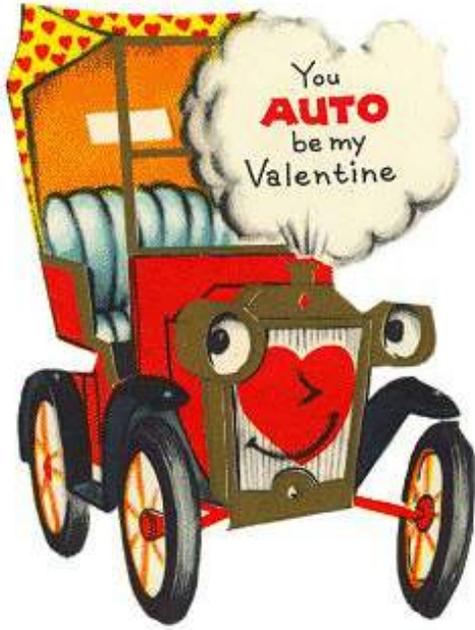


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