

# Fender Chatter

A Monthly Newsletter



## NOVEMBER 2013

### What happened?

September 28th Antique tour Janice Hutchinson  
 October 6th, Early Ford Picnic / Big Meadows Grange.  
 Oct. 26th Arboretum /Hutch and Janice  
 Oct 30th "Trunk or Treat" From 6:30 to 8:00 P.M.  
 New Business: Nominations for 2014

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**President Jamie  
 Message MIA**

### Lunch & Antiques Tour Sept. 28th!

Mark & Janice Hutchinson

Janice reported on her Antique tour. After lunch at the Italian joint on Napa and Mission, "We hit half a dozen antique shops and then ice cream at Baskin Robbins." Steve and Julie were the only ones to buy antiques and that was at the first stop. Then they left to take their prize home. Fun outing!



### Fun at Big Meadows / Grange October 6th

Who: Members and Friends of the Model T Club, Model A Club, & Early Ford V-8 Club  
 Met at Albertson's, corner of Trent & Argonne, toured with the group to Big Meadows Grange, or met us there at about 11 a.m. Many pictures page 4.

Guest Speaker: Shannon from the Opportunity Presbyterian Church inviting us to participate in "Trunk or Treat". Wednesday Oct. 30 from 6:30 to 8:00 P.M. This is not limited to church members. They want to reach out to the community to offer a safe way to celebrate Halloween. Treats will be given from the trunks of cars. Prize for the best decorated trunk.

General

Club

Information

President	Vice President	Secretary	Treasurer
			
<b>Jamie Allen</b> 208-704-0137	<b>Bill Barr</b> 509-998-2476	<b>Ed Hope</b> 570-8333	<b>Betty Patterson</b> 214-9522

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PO Box 11708  
Spokane Valley, WA  
99211-1708



**Dues**

The yearly dues are \$20 per year for 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

All items to be published are due by the 18th of the month. Please send photos, articles and anything else for the newsletter to fenderchatter@gmail.com

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Safety/ Seminars	Mike Robison	509-844-5900
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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. Our next regular meeting is November 1st 2013 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 Spokane Valley. We hope to see you there!

### Spokane Model T Club Minutes October 4, 2013

Meeting called to order at 7:33 P.M. by President Jamie Allen.

#### Secretary's Report:

Motion to approve the minutes as written in the 'Fender Chatter'. Nan noted that Meghan's name was misspelled. Correction noted. Secretary apologizes. Motion passed.

#### Treasurer's Report:

Betty presented her report.

Motion was made to approve the Treasurer's report as presented. Motion passed.

#### Committee Reports:

**Tours:** Mike R reported on his and Jillian's Drive-in Movie Night, with apologies for not having an intermission. "Hope nobody wet themselves." "It was a pretty crisp evening, had quite a few Ts and a few modern cars." The Flatheads Tour to Vantage was well attended. "Four speedsters showed up and there was good Model T attendance." East-side won.

Rick reported on John Redinger's George Smith Memorial Tour. He and Joe and Montana went. They met up at the VFW Hall. There were a few Ts and a Model A, "John put us up." "We went to Metaline Falls and had ice cream in Ione."

Janice reported on her Antique tour. "We hit half a dozen antique shops and then ice cream at Baskin Robbins." Steve and Julie were the only ones to buy antiques and that was at the first stop. Then they left to take their prize home.

Jim told us about the trip to the Henry Ford that he and Betty just recently got back from. "They don't call it the Henry Ford Museum anymore, they just changed it to

the Henry Ford." Jim says this is about the fourth time they've been there, they change it all the time, and to Greenfield Village that's part of it. Edison's laboratory and the Wright Brothers bicycle shop are at the Village. A carousel from Liberty Lake is there, also a huge generator that came from Spokane that is the oldest in the nation. Jim said, "If you ever get the chance, you should see it."

Hutch and Janice are planning a trip to the Arboretum Oct. 26th. Hutch says, "Come early, there's going to be a compost class." Mike is imploring people to submit tour ideas.

Sunshine - Susie C: Thank you sent to Lee and Candy. Thank you to John Redinger.

**Banquet for 2014:** Steve said he got some tickets printed up with some help from his kids. Tom has arranged for some magical entertainment. Time to start buying tickets. \$25.

#### Upcoming Tours:

October 6th, Early Ford Picnic. Mark & Tom have planned for a potluck and an all Ford club get together at the Big Meadows Grange. Meet 10am Trent and Argonne.

Tuesday night at the Ranch: Tom bent a front axle four inches to lower the speedster project he is starting.

Nominations for 2014 submitted see page 6

Entertainment. Tom presented 20 Model T items for identification. No one got all 20 items. Rick correctly identified 19.

Betty won the drawing.

Adjourned 8:33 P.M.

Submitted by Ed Hope, Secretary

## Tour of the Big Meadows Grange

What a day at the grange! The Model T Club donated fried chicken, plates, napkins, & utensils. Many delicious pot-luck items were shared. Live music was provided by Arvid Lundin and his group. Miniature train rides were given courtesy of Grange Owner Carl Evans. Model T rides & driving school enjoyed with Hutchinson's T. More outdoor space was shared with cars, trucks, comrades and horseshoes games. Glad to see you there!

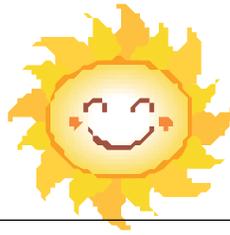


## 2014 January 4th Model T Installation Banquet

2014 Model T Club installation Banquet will be held on Jan. 4. at the Ramada Inn at the Airport. Tickets on sell at the November monthly meeting. Tickets will be \$25 per person again this year. Happy hour will start at 6pm with dinner at 7pm. Dinner this year will be Roast Beef. Tom has lined us up with some great magician entertainment.

If you would like to spend the night at the Ramada just mention Model T Club and you should get the \$70 rate. Any questions contact Steve or Julie Heid at 509-928-0215.

**WE'RE THINKING OF YOU**  
**: Thank you sent to Lee and Candy.**  
**Thank you to John Redinger.**  
**Susie Carnegie**



**Candy's Cookie Corner**  
**November**  
**Rebecca Gibson**  
**Susie Carnegie**

**All:**  
 We were just informed today that our favorite "Get Well" wisher, Suzie Carnegie, has been quite sick the past few days. Since she sends the club's Get Well cards out to everyone else when they're under the weather, and she spends a lot of time hand making each beautiful card, how about all of us returning the favor by surprising her with return "Get Well" wishes? That should brighten her day!

## 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

<b>Oct 26th</b>	<b>Arboretum Tour Mark Hutnchinson</b>
<b>Oct 30th</b>	<b>Opportunity Presbyterian Church "Trunk or Treat"</b> <b>From 6:30 to 8:00 P.M.</b>
<b>November 1st</b>	<b>Monthly meeting</b>
<b>December 6th</b>	<b>Monthly meeting</b>
<b>Janurary 4th</b>	<b>Annual Model T Banquet 2014</b>
<b>June 21st-27th, 2014</b>	<b>Ed Jepperson Memorial Tour Eastern Wa., North Id, Western Montana- Chuck Dyer</b>

***FOR TOUR IDEAS CONTACT HAL MOFFIT***

### TUESDAY NITES

**What project on your Model T are you working on? Tom bent a front axle four inches to lower the speedster project he is starting.**

**Tom Carnegie gives monthly updates at our monthly meetings, also.**

**For free workshop space, company and advice, too! <http://www.antiqueautoranch.com>  
 Also, Check out the info on Spokane Model T Club website. [www.spokanemodeltclub.com](http://www.spokanemodeltclub.com)  
 And available on Facebook: Inland Empire Model T Club**

## Model T Ford Club of America



Inland Empire Chapter  
P.O. Box 11708  
Spokane, WA 99211-1708

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### 2014 Membership & Roster Update Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #'s: Home: \_\_\_\_\_ Work: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Carrier & Policy # \_\_\_\_\_ Any changes since 2012? Yes / No

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_ MTFCA member? Yes / No

MTFCI member? Yes / No

**Newsletters sent email unless otherwise requested in writing with this form.**

National Member #'s \_\_\_\_\_

**Model T's Owned:**

Year	Body Style	Condition	Condition Codes:
_____	_____	_____	R = Restored
_____	_____	_____	U = Unrestored
_____	_____	_____	O = Original
_____	_____	_____	PR = Partially Restored
_____	_____	_____	BC = Basket Case

Please update this form whether there are any changes or not. Send with your check payable to the Spokane Model T Ford Club, P.O. Box 11708, Spokane, WA 99211-1708. Annual dues are \$20.00 per household per year. If more than 5 Model T's are owned, please list them on the back of this form. You are encouraged to join the national clubs to get the full color "Vintage Ford" from the **Model T Ford Club of America**, or "Model T Times" from the **Model T Ford Club International**. Six full-color bi-monthly magazines with interesting articles, classified Model T cars and parts ads, and Model T oriented commercial ads included with each national membership. New memberships after July 1<sup>st</sup> cover through the next year.

## New Business: Nominations for 2014

**For President; Bill Barr**

**For Vice President; Darrell Skomer,  
Gene Kicha,  
Donald Carnegie,  
Roy Moffit.**

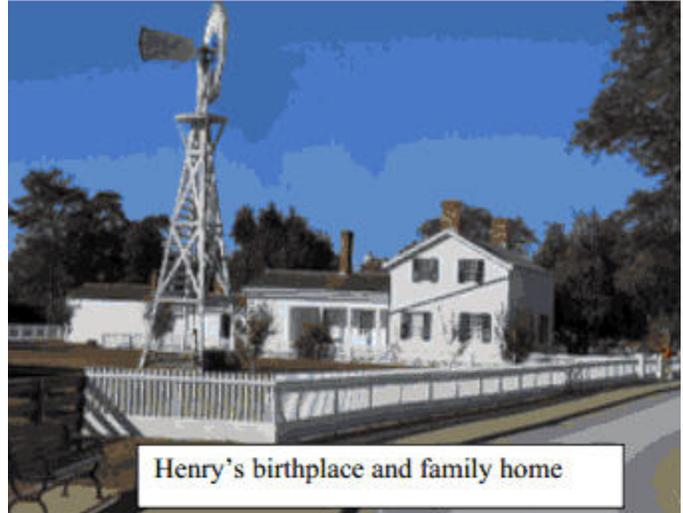
**For Treasurer; Betty Patterson**

**For Secretary; Ed Hope**

**Greenfield Village**

*By Jim Patterson*

Betty & Jim recently returned from their first "post retirement" vacation, a trip back to the Upper Peninsula of Michigan to visit their daughter's family. While back there, they visited the Henry Ford Museum, Greenfield Village, and the new Ford F-150 truck assembly plant on the site of the original River Rouge Ford assembly plant where Fords from the Model A through 1997 were built. The following summary is about Greenfield Village, with a review of "The Henry Ford" Museum next month.



Henry's birthplace and family home



**FOR SALE / WANTED / SERVICES**



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

**WANTED**

To Ronald Benne ,  
Sorry, I have no ideas other than Antique Auto Ranch. Anyone else have any ideas where Ron can get a used Model A pop-out ignition switch?  
Jim Patterson

**For Sale - 1923 Model T Roadster**

**1923 Model T Roadster - local Spokane car - been driven fewer than 200 miles per year since complete body and powertrain restoration. Ruxtell rearend , everything on this beautiful Model T is in excellent condition Mike & Karen Loeffler - Nine Mile Falls, WA phone - 509-467-7781 or email at**

**Subject: RE: 1923 Roadster**

**Model T price change.....**

**New email address for newsletter : loefflermj@hotmail.com**

**New price on Model T : \$9500 (would like to sell before winter)**

**Hope you are having a great summer. Mike**



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See you next month and safe-T in your driving