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President's Message July 2024

I hope all you dad's had a wonderful Father's Day and were spoiled by your wives and children. You deserve that and more!!

We had our first pre-meeting brunch at Cabrera's before our meeting in June. We had such a great turnout, that we plan to do it again in August. I hope you will all attend. We also celebrated Albert's 99th birthday.

Our annual auction will be on July 13 at 11:00 a.m. We will be serving hot dogs, chips and dessert. Please remember this is our biggest fundraiser of the year and helps us subsidize many of our events throughout the year. Please remember to bring your items to auction or bid on something that you just cannot live without. Also if your items do not sell, you must take them back home. Hope to see all of you there.

Have a blessed month. Stay safe and well.

Happy Model "A"nn

Tracy

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General Meeting Minutes
June 8, 2024

Tracy welcomed everyone to our meeting.

Tracy led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Minutes: The minutes were approved as printed.

Treasury Report: The treasury report was approved as read.

Badge fines: \$6.00

Sunshine report: Bob Moore reported that Chuck Davies had back surgery and will be out of the hospital soon, Bob also said that Bob Travis who is not a member was in the hospital. It was good to see Judi Moore at the meeting, she is recovering from knee surgery.

The Horn: Tracy thanked Sheri for publishing the Horn.

Upcoming Tours: 7/13 Club Auction and meeting Hot Dogs, Chips & Dessert. Bring your own drink

7/20 Lunch at Legends meet at the Perry's at 10:30 a.m. to drive out to Legends together as a group, or meet us at Legends at 11:15 a.m.

8/10 Club Meeting

9/7 Heritage Square Museum Tour. Jim Frick is in charge cost is \$18.00 per person. See Jim to sign up, more info in the Horn.

Tracy ask about tour to Logan's Candy in Ontario. Tracy to see about a tour on November 16th

Elaine read a very nice thank you letter from Nicole Meadowcroft, President of Custom Canines for the donation the club made to their organization

New Business:

Happy Birthday to Albert who turned 99 years young. Also, Happy Birthday to Jose Ocampo.

Happy Fathers Day to all the men in the club and Tracy gave each one a Pay Day Candy bar.

Thank you to Karen for the cookies. Also need members to sign up to bring cookies each month for the rest of the year. Elaine and Tracy will bring for next month.

Nancy reported that Joe Principe had been in the hospital.

Thank you to Tom and Sheri for taking care of the money raffle money and to Tracy for selling the tickets

Thank you to Nancy and Thomas for the 50/25/25 raffle

50/25/25 winners \$28.00 each Joe Principe and Jim Lank

Frank and Mary Ann Sepulveda will bring water to the next meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 1:00 p.m. Respectfully submitted—Elaine Perry, Secretary



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July 2024

Birthdays

22 Bill McNeely

26 AC Byrd

July 2024
Anniversaries

20 Bob & Judi Moore

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Saturday, July 13 - General Meeting / auction & hot dogs See page 4 & 6

Saturday, July 20 - Lunch at Legends See page 6

Saturday, Sept 7 - Heritage Square Museum tour See page 6

Some of the homes we will see at Heritage Square Museum







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SGVMARC AUCTION
JULY 13, 2024
11:00 a.m.

Let me say, first, that it is an honor to be invited back to be the auctioneer for the 20th year!

This is also an opportunity to look back at how things have changed over these years: It seems that Model A folks are slaves to their appetites (who'd a thunk!?) Over the past several years, home-baked goods have been a cash cow for our club. Carolyn McBride is legend for her lemon and apple pies, Karen Blaylock for her potpourri of baked goodies, Tracy for her yummy cookies and Elaine Perry for her scrumptious pastries, spiced up with store gift certificates! No one ever asks, "Is this from scratch?" Give it your best shot. Other food based hot auctions items are hosted dinners. Figure out the capacity of your dining room table and offer a dinner for that many (less you and your significant other), complete with cocktails, salad, entrée and dessert. Remember, these are Model A people and will eat just about anything!

Car parts used to be THE hot ticket! However, with the waning of owners working on their own cars (for a myriad of reasons!), coupled with the fact that most of us have more parts than we'll ever use, the appeal has cooled down somewhat. If you do want to liquidate some of your holdings, by all means, bring them on the 13th, but don't expect them to bring in Snyder's prices. What remains hot are Model A memorabilia-tools, artwork, advertising and the like.

Miscellaneous items – kitchen items (working), old board games (complete), your own creative gift baskets: create a theme, then create a basket – Movie night a couple CD movies, popcorn, Milk duds, large sodas; Car wash- liquid car wash, sponge, microfiber cloths, glass cleaner and a 6 pack of 805 beer; summer picnic basket – you get the idea. If you are crafter, share your talents with the club. Jim Frick has donated some of his wood craft to our auction and it did well.

Things rather out of favor, it seems: luggage, Christmas stuff (we're all trying to dump ours, too).

Most importantly, show up and be ready to participate. The annual auction is a fun event, it is for me, I know. It's an opportunity to get birthday and Christmas gifts (serious or not) for friends and family (although there is no guarantee that Carolyn's pies will last until Christmas). And remember, all proceeds raised go into the club coffers.

Jim Lank



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AUCTIONS FROM YEARS GONE BY!











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Saturday, July 13, 2024

General Meeting / Club Auction / Hot Dogs

11:00 a.m.

Saturday, July 13, 2024 is our general meeting and this will be our annual auction. The start time will be at 11:00 a.m. Jim Lank has agreed to be the auctioneer again this year. The club will supply our lunch of hot dogs, chips and dessert. Bring a drink. Bring whatever you have to the auction that you no longer need but someone else would like to have. If the items you bring do not sell, please take them home. Desserts, and dinners go over well as auction items. There is also the option of making a cash donation to the club in lieu of a purchase. This event helps subsidize our events throughout the year.

DON'T MISS THIS FUN DAY!

Saturday, July 20, 2024

Lunch at Legends Classic Diner

1155 E. Route 66 Glendora

We are planning to have lunch at Legends Classic Diner on Saturday, July 20. We will meet at the Perry's at 10:30 a.m. to caravan together or meet us there are 11:15 a.m. for lunch. Address: 1155 E. Route 66 Glendora to have a great lunch with our Model A friends.

Saturday, September 7, 2024

Heritage Square Museum Tour

We're planning a nice leisurely route along Huntington Drive (a little over 11 miles), so you don't have to worry about whether your Model A can make the trip. Starting off from Clearman's/North Woods Inn at 7247 Rosemead Blvd. in San Gabriel we can start gathering at 9:30 a.m. and will depart at 10:00 a.m. The 11:00 a.m. tour of the museum homes/buildings will be less than an hour and for the most part is walker accessible. The plan is to then have lunch on the way back at Colonial Kitchen.

The cost of the tour is \$18 per person (no senior discounts available). The museum must have a final number of attendees no later than July 31. Sign up sheets will be at the MARC monthly meetings or you can call/text Jim Frick at 626-733-0369. If for some reason you cannot attend due to a last minute change of plans, ticket price is refundable.



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Clockers Corner Saturday, June 1, 2024









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Pre-meeting Brunch



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auction
11:00 a.m.
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Temple City



HAPPY 4TH OF JULY!

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