

Model A Ford Club of Santa Barbara

CALENDAR

<u>September</u>

no meeting

2 Labor Day

Tuesdays Men's Lunch call Lorne

4 Picnic at the Park

7 Garage Day at Bob Sponsel's

14 International Model A Day

14 All Ford Event in Orcutt pg 10

18 Ladies Lunch

21 10am Tour Senior Living Homes

October

2 Gen. Meeting 7pm Tom Modugno

5 10 am Garage Day

Tuesdays Men's Lunch call Lorne

16 Ladies Lunch

19 Tour 10 am Airport Hangars

31 Halloween

November

2 10 am Garage Day

6 Gen. Meeting 7pm

Tuesdays Men's Lunch call Lorne

16 10 am Lunner

20 Ladies Lunch

28 Thanksgiving

December

no meeting

2 10 am Garage Day

Holiday Dinner TBD

6 Gen. Meeting 7pm

Tuesdays Men's Lunch call Lorne

Ladies Lunch

25 Christmas Day

POTLUCK PICNIC

Wednesday, September 4, 2024 at Tucker's Grove 5 pm: Social Hour 6 pm: Picnic

NEXT MEETING

October 2 at 7 pm at South Coast Church

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3 Henry Haugse 8 Charlotte Moore 9 Ruth Georgi 12 Lorne Johnston 15 Jim George 17 Ralph Moore 20 Steven Powell 26 Mary Ann Bellevue 27 Mo Masson



21 Fred and Cyndy Duerner 27 George and Alice Krebs

Ladies Lunch

Ladies Lunch Wednesday, Sept 18 Noon







Tuesday Weekly Men's Lunch

Call Lorne Johnston for time and location

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From the President and Editor



Happy September! We are getting this month off to a great start. September 4 is our Annual Potluck Picnic. September is Garage Day at



Bob Sponsel's garage. Jill has the address and directions if needed.

On the 14th there will be the 22nd Annual Santa Maria A's All Ford Car Show, Swap and Raffle in Orcutt. SBMAFC will have a pop-up set up for our members attending to have a place to sit in the shade. See pg 10.

On the 21st we have our tour to Senior Living Communities. We will first go to Samarkand. They are serving us refreshments while we are there!

Hope to see you all at one or all of the events.

Just a reminder, we have only one month left to buy a ticket to win the car, Betsy, and support the museum expansion. See page 11.

And next month, 25-26 Board Nominations!

Thank you to

Susan Carty for the delicious cookies at the August meeting.

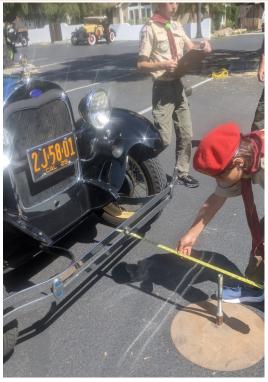
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Oct 2: Jill Thach

Nov 6: who will volunteer?

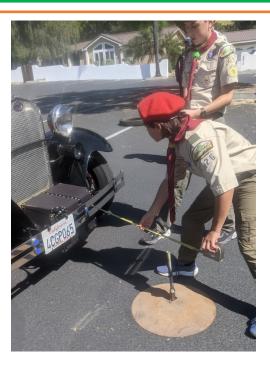
I think I may need professional help... A chef, a butler and a maid should do it.

Gymkhana



Closest Coaster

The boy scouts took their job seriously, taking measurements and deciding on the winner.





Bean Bag Toss

On the left, Charlie is tossing a bag from Mo's car.

8 bags for 6 tires





This bean bag didn't quite make it.

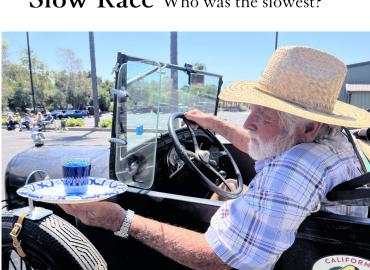


A Boy Scout was stationed at each tire

Gymkhana continued



Slow Race Who was the slowest?



Jill Thach receives her glass of water to deliver





Serve Water Fred Duerner and Jill Thach demonstrate the proper way to hold the plate.





Is the thumb on the plate allowed? Boy scouts got to take turns riding in John's rumble seat.

Another Boy Scout brings down the flag to start. It was an absolute pleasure having them there to help out.

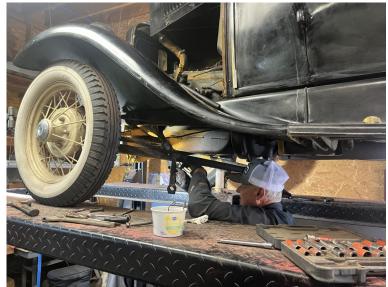
This and That



Mary Ann and Jack Belleview displayed their Model A Ford Popcorn truck at the August 11, Auto Expo at Santa Barbara City College. It was designed and built for Jack's mother in 1929.

Proceeds for the Auto Expo go to the Community Hot Rod Vocational Training Center.

On an unofficial Garage
Day at John Gilbertson's
Garage, John put his 1930
Model A Coupe up on the
rack. That is Lorne Johnston in the photo who came
over to help out to try to
tighten up the steering







One Model A Ford truck in Goldfield, Nevada that needs rescuing. Just 2 blocks off of US Hwy 95

Fun September Days to Celebrate

1 Sun

American Chess Day



2 Mon

World Coconut Day

3 Tue

National Skyscraper Day

4 Wed

National Wildlife Day

5 Thu

National Cheese Pizza Day National Be Late For Something Day

6 Fri

National Lazy Mom's Day Fight Procrastination Day

7 Sat

World Beard Day National Salami Day



8 Sun

Grandparents' Day National Hug Your Hound Day

9 Mon

International Sudoku Day National Teddy Bear Day

10 Tue

National Swap Ideas Day International Makeup Day

11 Wed

National Make Your Bed Day



12 Thu

National School Picture Day National Chocolate Milkshake Day

13 Fri

International Chocolate Day National Peanut Day

14 Sat

International Model A Day



15 Sun

Wife Appreciation Day (National Linguine Day International Dot Day

16 Mon

National Guacamole Day

17 Tue

International Country Music Day National Pet Bird Day 18 Wed

National First Love Day National Cheeseburger Day Air Force Day

19 Thu

National Dance Day Talk Like a Pirate Day



20 Fri

National Pepperoni Pizza Day National Raspberry Day

21 Sat

World Gratitude Day International Eat an Apple Day

22 Sun

National White Chocolate Day National Elephant Appreciation Day International Daughters Day World Rhino Day World Rivers Day World Rose Day

23 Mon

National Family Day International Day of Sign Languages

24 Tue

National Brave Day National Cherries Jubilee Day World Gorilla Day



25 Wed

Comic Book Day National Cooking Day National Daughters Day

26 Thι

National Dumpling Day Johnny Appleseed Day

27 Fri

World Tourism Day
National Crush Day
National Ghost Hunting Day
National Singles Day
National Hunting and Fishing Day
National Neighbor Day
National Sons Day
Ask a Stupid Question Day
International Rabbit Day

29 Sun

National Coffee Day World Heart Day



30 Mon National Love People Day World Maritime Day

Funny Signs







MODEL A ERA FASHION

EGYPTOMANIA FASHION IN THE 1920S

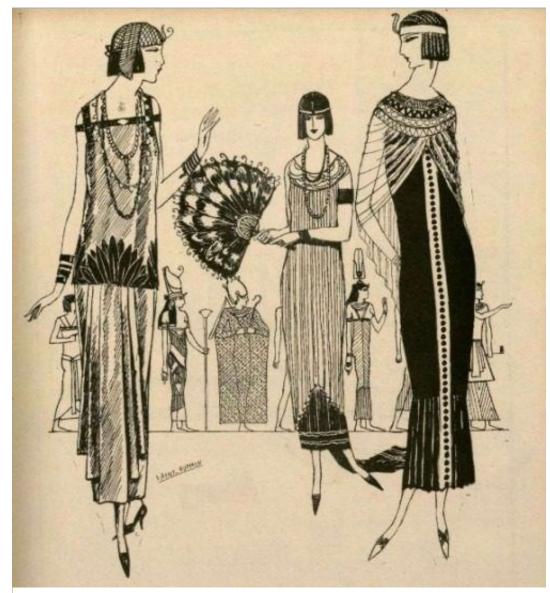


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The designs of Ancient Egypt became a major influence on fashion and the Art Deco period after the discovery of King Tutankhamun's tomb.

The tomb of King Tutankhamun was discovered in 1922 by British archaeologist Howard Carter and his benefactor Lord Carnarvon. The discovery was made on November 4, 1922, when Carter's team uncovered the staircase leading to the tomb's entrance. The tomb was not fully opened at this time, but Carter and his team cut a hole in the door to enter. - Google.com

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MODEL A MECHANICAL

Radiator Busted Beyond Repair

Just tonight, 9/3/24, 3 hours ago, a Top contributor Beau Barnes of Topsham, Maine asked on the Facebook MAFCA page, "Good evening folks! I've got an important question. I just found out that my radiator is busted beyond repair. I need a new one. However I just can't wrap my head around the prices

these days. I see they have aluminum rads for much less. Does anyone have any information or opinions they can give me on whether I should try an aluminum one out, or just pay the extra money for a good steel one?

There were 19 answer so far. Here are three of them:

Top contributor Bruce Haynes of Old Church, Virginia replied, "Finding an aluminum radiator that fits is next to impossible. I wouldn't consider it all unless you have the word of another owner that the aluminum radiator they bought fit the same year Model A that you have. Personally I'd suck it up and buy a Brassworks. I've done it on 2 of my 3 A's and like everyone else who owns one I'm very pleased with the fitment and performance"



Photo from the Brassworks.net

Top contributor Jeff Headley of Stagecoach, Nevada wrote, "You've read people recommending Brassworks for good reason. If you contact them directly there may be a waiting line. If you contact resellers like The Model A Medic they may have some in stock.

Top contributor Eric Weninger, owner of Model A Medic, LLC also replied, "If your into a poor look and a poor fit,, then go for it. Otherwise, get a brasswork.

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SBMAFC Meeting Minutes August 7, 2024

The meeting was opened by the President, Janet Cox, at 7:20 pm. After the Pledge of Allegiance, Janet announced that the Speaker for tonight canceled. Instead, Janet showed us pictures from the Goldfield Days celebration in Goldfield, Nevada. Janet and John took their trailer over to Nevada and enjoyed rusted cars everywhere, a 1932 Ford fire truck, a rescue donkey (live, not rusted) named Honey, the huge old safe from the old Goldfield Hotel, a VW van with 23 windows that is apparently very valuable and they saw (or avoided) a 5-pound hamburger eating contest. Goldfield is just off US 95, and the celebration lasts for 3 days. It was 96 degrees, so not too awful.

The Secretary read the minutes from May, and Steve Penniman read the minutes from June because the Secretary was in Scotland.

The Treasurer, Bob Davis, reported that the account balance on June 3rd was \$6562.05, and he paid for the Post Office box (\$200.00), and the raffle brought in \$44.00. On August 1, the balance was \$5921.01, and the raffle brought in \$57.00.

The Cardinal Classics car show at Bishop Diego HS was a success, and Steve booked two weddings. Ed Firth won a trophy. The Woodies Show was also a success, and John Haggerty won a prize for his 1930s classic.

Upcoming Events:

August 24: Gymkhana at the Southcoast Church, from 10am to noon. This will follow the Cars and Coffee show in the same location, from 8am to 10am. Boy Scout Troop 26 will volunteer to help.

August 31: Swap Meet at the Paso Robles Fairgrounds. Starts at 7am.

September 4: Annual Picnic/BBQ at Tuckers Grove

September 7: Garage Day at Bob Sponsel's

September 14: Orcutt's annual event and swap meet

September 17: Regular third Saturday Tour: Visiting senior communities

Projects: John and Ed painted Lorne's car. Fred didn't do anything except charge a lot of batteries. Steve had the shimmies, and Aaron fixed them. Aaron is looking for a 1930-1931 headlight bracket and some bumper brackets. Steve Penniman told us a Goldilocks story about jumping springs: one was too long, one was too short, and one didn't work, and he bought new ones. But the old ones worked better. Seriously. I hope he doesn't tell his kids or grandkids that version of the fable.

Drawings and Raffle: Jack won the Alarm Clock drawing for choosing 8:24 pm. Jack also won the Member Draw. Shortly after Mo asked why Aaron's pants don't fall down, the meeting adjourned at 8:25 pm.

Respectfully submitted (sort of): Susan Carty, Secretary



This Year: SBMAFC will have a shady popup tent

22nd Annual All Ford Car Show & Swap Meet



Saturday, September 14, 2024 — 9 am-3 pm In Old Town Orcutt 201 South Broadway, Orcutt, CA 93455

Class 1: Ford/Lincoln-Open Vehicle-Original 1903-1931

Class 2: Ford/Lincoln-Open Vehicle-*Modified 1903-1931

Class 3: Ford/Lincoln-Closed Vehicle-Original 1903-1931

Class 4: Ford/Lincoln-Closed Vehicle-*Modified 1903-1931

Class 5: Ford/Lincoln/Mercury-Original Vehicle 1932-1947

Class 6: Ford/Lincoln/Mercury-*Modified Vehicle 1932-1947

*Modified--A Vehicle in which the body and/or drivetrain have been substantially modified from original.

Class 7: Ford/Lincoln/Edsel/Mercury-All Except Mustang/Cougar/Truck-1948-1973

Class 8: Ford & Mercury Trucks/Rancheros-1948-1973

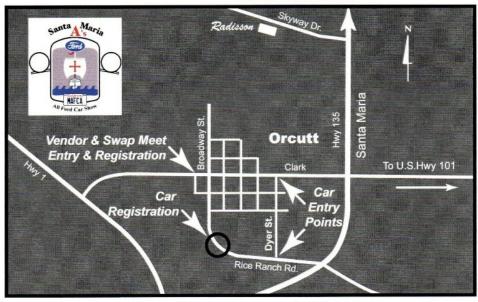
Class 9: Mustangs/Shelbys/Cobras 1963-1973

Class 10: Mustangs/Shelbys/Cobras 1974 & newer -- includes replicars, kit cars, etc.

Class 11: All Ford Vehicles- except Mustang/Shelby/Cobra/Cougar -- 1974 & newer -- includes replicars, kit cars, etc.

Class 12: Cougars 1967-1997

- Best Club Participation Award
- · Participants Choice Award for Best of Show
- · Chuck Bailey Award for Best Original Model A Ford
- · Best Feature Car Award



DIRECTIONS: Exit Hwy. 101 at Clark. Go West to Dyer St. in Old Town Orcutt. Turn left to Rice Ranch Road. Turn right on Rice Ranch Road, proceed to Car Show entry point.

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MAFFI Minute, (photos from maffi.org website)

Drawing for Betsy on October 12, 2024—Ticket Sales close Oct. 6

Dear Model A Enthusiasts:

Today, August 19, 2024. the site at the Model A Museum was prepared for the expansion construction to begin! How exciting!! The expansion will allow for more cars to be displayed and stored, more vignettes to be displayed showing era scenes, a garage where cars can be worked on AND where education can take place for maintenance/overhauls of the Model A. There will be a restroom in the building with the expansion as well, which may not be as exciting, but certainly will be appreciated! Many Model A enthusiasts have contributed to this expansion. We have cash donors, donors who have given Model A cars to be sold, Model A enthusiasts who have purchased Sweepstakes tickets to help out, others have purchased a plaque with their car and name on it to go on the wall as a way of helping. There's also many people to

thank behind the scenes too; those gave hours of time getting the donated Model A's for sale running well is just one example. It takes a whole lot of Model A'ers to make a museum this great, and we thank you and love you for it. Although the expansion is officially underway, we can't stop now! There is a whole new piece of real estate to outfit to tell the story of the Model A and its place in history, so we will continue to fundraise until all the pieces are in place. Thank you for whatever you have done and can do to help the Model A Ford Foundation Inc. Museum be the best.



Cindy Ellenbecker, MAFFI Trustee, Secretary

NOW You can become a vital part of the Museum expansion and make this exciting growth become a reality. For a \$200.00 donation, a plaque with your name, vehicle, city and state as well as a color image of YOUR Car wil be placed on a display board by the year. 28,29,30, 31. These displays will be inside the NEW addition of the museum. This is a great way to show your car, and support the musuem. They also make great gifts for parents, grandparents and great granparents. Be part of an ever lasting legacy to our great Model A Fords. Actual size is 4.5" x 2".

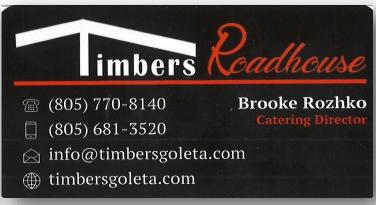


Betsy Now (above) and Then (below)



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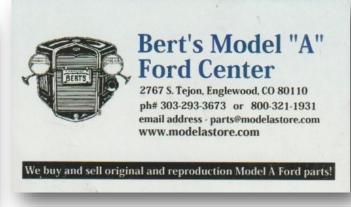
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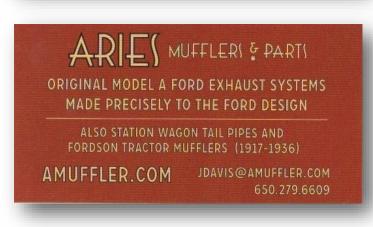




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