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### SAN GABRIEL VALLEY MODEL A RESTORER'S CLUB, INC.

#### President's Message February 2025

I would like to first say to all of those who have been affected by the fires that I am keeping you in my prayers and if you need anything, please do not hesitate to reach out to me. Sending you all the best during this difficult time.

We had our first meeting on January 11, 2025 and Jim Lank was our speaker. It was so interesting to hear about his 28 year career with JJJ Floor Covering, Inc. Jim, thank you so much. We enjoyed hearing about your working years.

We also had our first tour on January 18, 2025 to San Antonio Winery. We had 5 Model A's and 23 people attend. The weather was perfect, and everyone enjoyed their lunch and time together. Thank you to all those that attended.

In February we will not be having a meeting. Instead, some of us will be going on the Heritage Square Museum tour. Please see details in the paper if you plan to attend.

Our next meeting will be on March 8<sup>th</sup> with a pre-meeting brunch at Cabrera's at 10:00 a.m. Hope to see you all there. Then the meeting will begin at 11:30 a.m. at the church.

Have a Blessed and Beautiful Month.

Happy Model "A" nnn Tracy

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**General Meeting Minutes** 

Saturday January 11, 2025

Tracy welcomed everyone to our meeting.

Tracy led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Minutes: approved as printed.

Treasurer's report: approved as read.

Sunshine report: Joe Farino's wife fell in the parking lot at the mall

The Horn: Tracy thanked Sheri for the Horn.

#### **Upcoming Tours:**

1/18/25San Antonio Winery Tour, meet at 10:00 a.m. at the North Side of Huntington Drive acrossfrom Colonial Kitchen 1110 Huntington Drive. San MarinoWe will depart at 10:15 a.m

2/8/25 Heritage Square Museum Meet 9:30 a.m. cost is \$18.00 per person

3/15/25 St Patty's Day 11:30 a.m. at the Peppertree cost is \$25.00 per person

#### **New Business:**

Happy Birthday to Lynda Callahan, Jamie Frick, Whitney Lank and Tom Johnson.

**Speaker:** The speaker for today is Jim Lank, Jim gave a very entertaining talk about his various jobs. He did several different jobs but his final job was working for a commercial flooring company for 28 years.

**Regular raffle** thank you to Tom and Sheri for taking care of the raffle money, Thank you to Jim Lank for selling the tickets.

50/25/25 Winners \$19.00 each Noel and Tracy

Thank you to Tom and Nancy for selling the 50/25/25 tickets and thank you to Jim for selling the regular raffle tickets.

Sign up sheet past around for cookie sign up.

Next meeting March 8<sup>th</sup> pre-meeting brunch at Cabrera's. Michelle and Thomas will bring cookies.

Board Meeting January 21<sup>st</sup> at the Perry's

Meeting adjourned 1:30 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted Elaine Perry, Secretary





February 2025 Birthdays

- 3 Valerie Vaughan
- 3 Gail Byron
- 4 Marian Johnson
- 5 Karen Blaylock
- 8 Myriam Davies
- 8 Maureen McNeely
- 21 Beverly Kniest

February 2025 Anniversaries

10 Pat & Martha Utter

#### **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Saturday, February 8 Tour to Heritage Square Museum see below

### HERITAGE SQUARE MUSEUM Saturday, February 8, 2025

We will gather at Northwoods Inn at 7247 Rosemead Blvd. San Gabriel at 9:30 a.m. for a 10:00 a.m. departure time. Our tour begins at 11:00 a.m. The tour of the homes will be about 1 hour and is walker accessible. The cost is \$18.00 per person. On the way home, we will stop at Colonial Kitchen at 1110 Huntington Drive San Marino for lunch. Payment can be made at the door. If you want to meet us there, the address is 3800 Homer Street Los Angeles. Any questions, please contact Jim Frick at (626) 733-0369. Looking forward to seeing you there.





SAN ANTONIO WINERY

January 18, 2025



SGVMARC members attending: Tracy & Larry, Marlin & Elaine, Gail Byron, Vicky Bartlett, Pat & Martha, Thomas & Michelle, Bob & Judi, Tom & Sheri, Don & Carolyn, Jim Skalicky, and Jose Ocampo. Guests included Carl & Sue Rogers, and Howard & Adele White and their guest. We had 5 Model A's drive there, led by Tom & Sheri Johnson.





SAN ANTONIO WINERY

January 18, 2025





### **ENJOYING LUNCH**









### THIS & THAT



Jim Lank talks about his working career.

CLUB AUCTION Saturday, May 10, 2025

**Bethlehem Lutheran Church** 

11:30 a.m.

Bring your items at 11:00 a.m. to get set up

The biggest event of the year is coming up on May 10. This will be our annual auction. This event helps to subsidize different activities that we have throughout the year - our pizza lunch, our Christmas party and several other events.

Jim Lank has agreed to be our auctioneer extraordinaire again this year. Bring your good items that someone else may want - Model A parts, desserts, dinners. No junk please. Whatever isn't sold needs to be taken home.

Instead of lunch, members will be asked to bring an appetizer to share (we will be munching during the auction). Bring your drink.





#### **TENTATIVE CALENDAR**

Saturday, March 8 - Pre-meeting brunch & general meeting
Saturday, March 15 - St Patrick's Day lunch at Peppertree Café
Saturday, April 12 - General meeting and potluck; Foothill Unity collection
Thursday, May 1 - National Day of Prayer & tour to Mt. Baldy for brunch
Saturday, May 10 - General meeting and club auction

MORE INFO TO FOLLOW ON ALL THESE EVENTS

St. Patrick's Day Lunch

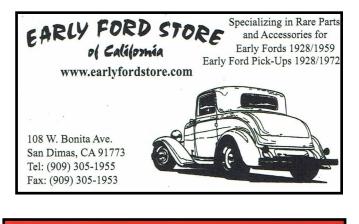
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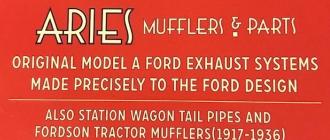
### Saturday, March 15, 2025

Tracy and Bob Moore have contacted the Peppertree Café to make the arrangements for our annual corned beef and cabbage lunch. It is a go! The cost is \$25.00 per person. We need the final count and money by the March 8 general meeting. Pay at this meeting or if you cannot attend this meeting, and are interested in going, please mail your check, payable to SGVMARC, to Sheri Johnson 844 Diamond St Monrovia, CA 91016. Please let Tracy know if you plan on attending or if you have any questions.

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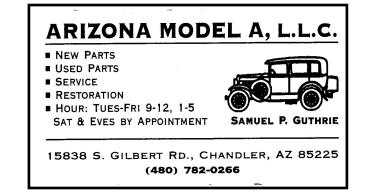






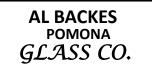
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No February Meeting

The tour to Heritage Square Museum on February 8 will take the place of our February meeting.



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