

Runningboard



News

OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE EAST VALLEY MODEL T FORD CLUB

April 2016

Volume 14, Issue 4

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

April 2016

2 Breakfast at Crackers
8:00 am
1325 N Greenfield Rd, Mesa

9 Arizona Military Museum 1-4
56th St, Phoenix.
Picnic in Papago before the
Museum.

17 Ice Cream Fling TBA

21 General Meeting 7:00 pm,
Citadel Community Center,
444 S Higley Rd, Mesa
(SW corner Broadway &
Higley)

*Welcome to the club!
New members...*

Frank A. Szkutak
(looking for a 20's touring)
(photo to come)

April 21st Meeting Refreshments... Elms will bring the
drinks and the Urness' will supply snacks

Snacks and drink for the May 19th meeting will be provided
by the Gratons and Ken Henry agreed to supply ice



Our New FB page is on line! Thank you Jeff Henry!
<https://www.facebook.com/evmtfc/?fref=nf>

East Valley Model T Ford Club 2702 West Kiva Ave. Mesa, AZ 85202
Website: evmtfc.com FB <https://www.facebook.com/evmtfc/?fref=nf>

EVMTFC (East Valley Model T Ford Club)

Website: evmtfc.com Be sure to check our website often for new and updated information.

**Officers/Contact Information:**

Ken Henry, President (Board Member); 480-839-1716. ken_cher@cox.net

Tom Hoverson, Vice President/Membership (Board Member); 602-292-3921. tom1757@aol.com

Bert Diehl, Secretary (Board Member); 480-325-6308. bedeal@aol.com

Dave Veres, Treasurer (Board Member); 480-897-2209. davidveres@aol.com

Steve Nissle, Immediate Past President; 480-226-6883. stevenissle@gmail.com

Other Assignments:

Dolores Stolinski, Historian; 480-986-0711. edslim012@gmail.com

Jan Peterson, Health & Welfare/Smiley Person; 480-969-0695. janpeterson@interwrx.com

Ruthann Elms, Tour Chairman; 480-831-0835. elms1961@yahoo.com

Steve Nissle, Newsletter Editor; 480-226-6883. stevenissle@gmail.com

Membership Dues: Dues are \$20 per year and include all family members. Please make payment by check payable to East Valley Model T Ford Club. Submit application in person at any member meeting or mail it to: David Veres, Treasurer, EVMTFC, PO Box 24502, Tempe AZ 85285.

Applications for membership in the EVMTFC may be printed from the website at evmtfc.com, or obtained from any current member or from the Vice President/Membership Chairman.

Newsletters: We e-mail our monthly newsletter, *Runningboard News*, which also can be viewed on our website. All articles, photos and information for the upcoming newsletter is due to the Editor by the 26th of the month.

Members Cars (Our T's):

Steve Nissle can take a photo of your T...contact Steve if you are interested.

Dave Veres can put a photo of your T on our website. Send him a photo of your T.

MTFCA (Model T Ford Club of America): The EVMTFC is affiliated with, and is a chapter of, the MTFCA, a national and international organization. Membership is strongly encouraged. As a chapter of the MTFCA, at least 50% of our members must be members of the national club to keep our free liability insurance. Our club is doing very well in this regard, as almost all of our members belong to the national club.

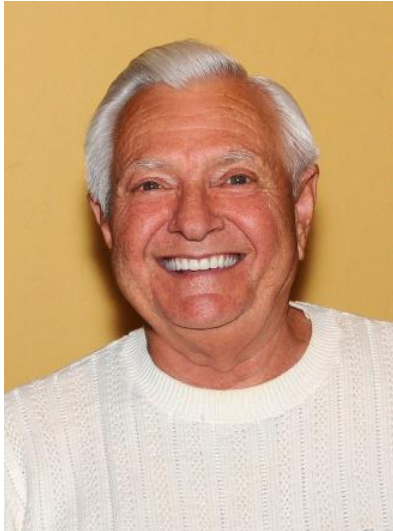
Membership in the MTFCA includes all the privileges of the Club, including six issues of the *Vintage Ford* and one voting ballot per member-family for election of the Club's Board of Directors. Annual dues are \$40. Lifetime Memberships are available. Payment may be made by check, credit card or PayPal.

Are your MTFCA dues paid up? If your MTFCA member number is not listed on the roster, please call the President or the Treasurer with the number. The number is shown on your mailing label when you receive your *Vintage Ford* magazine.

The Model T Ford Club of America
PO Box 126, Centerville IN 47330-0126
Phone: 765-855-5248 Fax: 765-855-3428
E-mail: admin@mtfca.com
Website: www.mtfca.com

Model T Museum
309 N 8th St
Richmond IN 47374



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Well here we are, at the end of March. This year is flying by. Our beloved winter visitors, will be leaving soon for their home towns. We wish them well and a safe trip. We will see you all in the fall. We Arizonans, will be hunkering down, for what looks like to be a hot summer.

March has been another fun filled month. Our big event this month was the Early Engine and tractor show. We had a record turnout with 32 historic vehicles. A good mix of model T's and model A's. Austin was there with his newly finished Chevrolet, looking good Austin! The last car to show up was a 1929 Franklin. The weather was perfect, everyone seemed to have a good time.

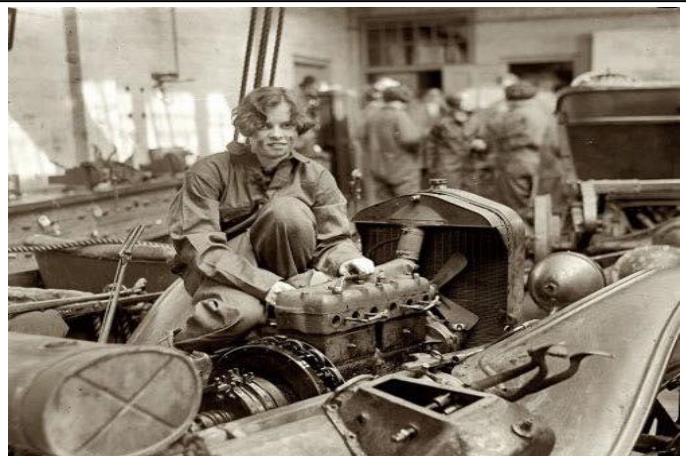
Thanks to RuthAnn we had a great tour at the Shamrock Dairy farm. It is really a smooth running operation. I would recommend everyone do the tour at least once.

Remember, if you have taken pictures of previous events, and want to show them off, send them to Jeff Henry. He will post them to our Facebook page. This a great way to show your friends, what we do as club.

Everyone be safe!

Ken

Heh!
Need some help with your
T? Let us know and we'll
schedule a clinic for you!
Ken Henry
480-839-1716



Shamrock Farms Tour March 19th

What a fun and educational time the East Valley Model T Club had at Shamrock Farms Dairy ! Shamrock Farms was started in 1922 with 20 cows and a Model T truck to deliver the milk. 94 years later, with 10000 milking cows, the farm is the largest family owned dairy in the United States, shipping product to all 48 states.

We boarded a tram, stopping at various places along the way to view the feed storage, cattle shelters and milking parlors. A highlight of the day was viewing the milking room from above, watching the automated process of the cows entering their stalls, being cleaned and milked, then all leaving at the same time after being washed, milked, and then leaving across a waterway that washed the milking area behind them. The milk is pumped through piping to a waiting tank truck within three minutes, then trucked to Phoenix for processing.

The tram then continued the tour of the farm, where we saw the separation of the animals, keeping them all in groupings according to age. New calves, and cows one year old were in separated pens.

What I enjoyed the most was how **clean** everything was on the farm, the grounds, the milking barns, and all of the buildings. We heard that the timing of our farm tour was perfect because the flies had not appeared yet ! Most of us enjoyed lunch at the Penascos Mexican Restaurant in Maricopa. The food and service was excellent. I had a great time and can only hope everyone else did too.

Ruthann







APACHE JUNCTION ANNUAL TRACTOR SHOW! March 12th

We did it again and was it a perfect day! A big thanks to all those who participated, purchased food, cooked food, brought the Lazy Lizzy mobile kitchen, provided shade awnings, brought home made treats and the list goes on and on! There are so many wonderful members who give of their time so that others are taken care of. Thank you!

As President Ken Henry mentioned...

"We had a record turnout with 32 historic vehicles. A good mix of model T's and model A's. Austin was there with his newly finished Chevrolet, looking good Austin! The last car to show up was a 1929 Franklin."

The crowds loved all our cars! The gas engines are always a huge hit, especially with the boys! Talk about tractors, I think next year we should count how many there are....it would take us all day! You know, if you look at all the photos....I don't see one tractor!





Now I'm all confused at the 3 pedals
would you go over that one more time for me?







We even had our POLICE force!



On Friday, March 11th, seven Model Ts along with Allens, Forsells, Gratons, Harts, Stolinskis, Stones, & Poppes participated in the Mesa Regal RV Resort parade. After the parade, we enjoyed lunch together at the local grill.



Model T Club of Riverside/Corona is having their 47th Swap Meet June 11 & 12th in San Bernardino
For information call Don Kirtley (909) 754-2360 or Greg Hill (951) 681-5346

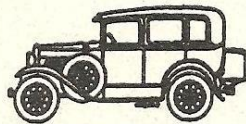


FOR SALE: Dave Veres has a supply of EVMTFC magnetic signs to sell to our members. 12 inches X 12 inches for \$15; 9 inches X 9 inches for \$10; 6 inches X 6 inches for \$6. He also has 4" EVMTFC patches for \$6 each. Only one club t-shirt left with the EVMTFC logo, Large. Yellow. \$15. Contact Dave at 480-897-2209. davidveres@aol.com

FOR SALE: 1922 T Touring w/Ruckstell. Has an exhaust cutout w/whistle. Later engine w/long pan. Great running car that is tour proven. Asking \$13,500. For more info contact **Ed Breunig** at crbeob@cox.net or 602-751-3439

ARIZONA MODEL A, L.L.C.

- NEW PARTS
- USED PARTS
- SERVICE
- RESTORATION
- HOUR: TUES-FRI 9-12, 1-5
- SAT & EVES BY APPOINTMENT



SAMUEL P. GUTHRIE

15838 S. GILBERT RD., CHANDLER, AZ 85225
(480) 782-0266

BERGE FORD

"We Take Care Of Our Neighbors."



www.bergeford.com • Phone (480) 497-1111
460 East Auto Center Drive • Mesa, Arizona 85204-6500

Thank you to the Citadel Senior Living for allowing us to meet at their facility... with a special thanks to Rebecca Dice, General Manager.

The Citadel
444 South Higley Rd
Mesa AZ 85206
(480) 832-7600



For Sale: NOS (Ford) 17-25 Roadster/Touring Right Rear Fender \$275,
NOS Running Board (13-25) \$65
Wheel Puller (auto) Frank Mossberg No. 660 \$45
Ruckstell Axle (small hub) – call for more details.
Contact Bob Johnson at [928-474-0908](tel:928-474-0908).



For all our Model T friends going back North for the Season, we'll look forward to seeing you in the Fall.
Take care!

