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**February 2013**

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**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**February 2013**

- 2 Motoring Thru Time, Phoenix
- 9 TCH Charity Car Show, Tempe
- 16 Tech Clinic at Steve Nissle's
- 21 Elks Club Car Show, AJ
- 21 General Meeting, 7:00 pm,  
Berge Ford, US 60 & Mesa Dr
- 23 AJ Lost Dutchman Days Parade

**March 2013**

- 2 East Meets West Tour
- 9 Scottsdale Home Tour  
Cheery Lynn Historic District
- 9 AJ Tractor Show
- 21 General Meeting 7:00 pm  
Berge Ford, US 60 & Mesa Dr
- 22 Basha's Museum

**April 2013**

- 18 General Meeting 7:00 pm  
Berge Ford, US 60 & Mesa Dr
- 20 St. Anthony's Greek Orthodox  
Monastery



**PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE***By: Claudia Linney*

Well, this month I have been out of the loop. I have been really sick with flu, ear infection and strep throat. I want to thank Tom for stepping up and conducting the meeting the first month of being Vice President. Also, thank you to all of the board for all the hard work done on behalf of the club.

A special thanks to Steve Nissle for all of his service and always willing to help with what needed to be done over the last year. I really don't know what I would have done without you...THANK YOU! Another BIG thank you to Ruthann for planning our tours. This last year we have been to a lot of new places. Thanks for all your hard work.

Unfortunately, we didn't have a tour due to the cold weather we have had. I am not complaining because I would rather be cold than HOT, but this year has been really on the cold side. We hope to have a great February and get those Lizzie's out on the road and humming. I hope to have some great attendance at the AJ Lost Dutchman Parade and other Festivities.

Remember your sweetheart and loved ones. Tell them how much you love and appreciate them.

Happy Valentines Day and a Special Happy Birthday to my Daughter Stephanie on 02/02. Love you.

-Claudia Linney

*Happy Valentines Day and Touring!*

**JANUARY 24—MESA****Ladies Afternoon Tea**

*By: Ruthann Elms  
and Jan Peterson*



Twelve ladies, ten of them members of the East Valley Model T Club, enjoyed a lovely Afternoon Tea at the home of Jan Peterson on Thursday afternoon, January 24, 2013.

Jan, being a very generous hostess, served eight different kinds of loose leaf teas--names like vanilla chai, cookie monster, sevenberry sangria, creme brulee, citrus lavender sage, and apple lemon pomegranate-- and two batches of scones, lemon/blueberry and vanilla/raspberry with lemon curd, coconut curd, jam, and clotted cream. John Peterson was the tea brewer and Jan was the waitress and scone maker.



Since this was a potluck tea party, the other ladies brought a variety of tea sandwiches and other delicacies. A recipe, for Pineapple Tea Sandwiches that were served, is included in this newsletter.

For a party favor memento, each attendee received a tea charm attractively wrapped by Ruthann. Attending were Lorna Jackson, Laraine Forsell, Lynn Graton, Joyce McKinney, Daphene Downs, Ruthann Elms, Sandy Hart, Roselynn Urness, Jan Peterson, Janice Smith, Ingrid Herr, Denise Worden. The ladies thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon tea and look forward to many more activities for the ladies of our club.

**RECIPE OF THE MONTH**

**PINEAPPLE TEA SANDWICHES**

*By: Jan Peterson*

From: Tea Shop Mysteries by Laura Childs

- 2 cups crushed pineapple, drained
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 cup chopped walnuts or pecans (finely chopped)
- 8-oz. pkg. cream cheese, softened
- 1-2 Tablespoons milk or cream

Combine pineapple and sugar in saucepan and bring to boil. Stirring constantly, cook until thick. Cool, then stir in nuts. In separate bowl, mash cream cheese, adding enough milk to make cream cheese a spreadable consistency. Add cream cheese to pineapple-nut mixture and combine. To serve, spread on thin bread to make sandwiches, trim crusts, and cut into triangles.



**LOCAL CLUB EVENTS**

**WELCOME - NEW MEMBERS**

Jack & Jo Young, Mesa

Steven & Jeniece Petersen, San Tan Valley

We hope you can join us in many future events and tours.

**GENERAL MEETING REFRESHMENTS**

February 21—Elms                      April 18—  
 March 21—Henrys                      May 16—

Please let Claudia know which month you would be able to bring "light" refreshment snacks to our "General Meetings". You could also team up with another couple.

**East Valley Model T Ford Club (EVMTFC) MEMBERSHIP DUES**

Applications for membership in the EVMTFC may be obtained from any current member or from the Vice President/Membership Chairman Tom Hoverson at 602-292-3921 or may be printed from the website at:

<http://evmtfc.com/EVMTAPPL.pdf>

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.

**HEALTH and WELFARE**

Claudia Linney has been sick since the last meeting with strep throat, flu, an ear infection, and a terrible cough. She is doing better, but still sick.

John Peterson took the echocardiogram and a chemical stress test and passed them. He now has the cardiologist's clearance to undergo his total knee replacement surgery on January 31st. He will be laid up for about six weeks, all depending on how well he gets through rehabilitation. The surgeon says it will take a year to fully recover. Please pray for a successful surgery with no complications and a complete and speedy recovery as John works on rehab exercises. Jan asks for an extra prayer for John to handle her lack of cooking prowess.

**FEBRUARY 2—PHOENIX MOTORING THRU TIME**

Historic Heritage Square at Heritage & Science Park, in Downtown Phoenix.



10 am—4pm (set up time 7-9 am)

Antique and classic vehicles (auto, truck, bike, motorcycle) and/or other early auto related artifacts including travel trailers from the 1900-1980s era will be on exhibit free at their fun transportation event.

**Motoring Thru Time**

**FEBRUARY 9—TEMPE**

**TCH Sweetheart Charity Car Show**

TCH/The Centers for Habilitation  
 215 Lodge Drive, Tempe

10am—2pm. Public—Free Admission. Bring the family and enjoy music, food, arts and crafts, and raffle prizes.

Check in for show cars begins at 8:00 am. Pre-Registration \$10 per car - online at: [tchcarshow2013.eventbrite.com](http://tchcarshow2013.eventbrite.com) \$15 at the door.

Proceeds benefit individuals with disabilities and special needs.

Contact Bert Diehl at 480-325-6308 for more information, or Dawn Hocking at 480-730-4221

or e-mail: [dawnhocking@tch-az.com](mailto:dawnhocking@tch-az.com)



**FEBRUARY 16—MESA**

**TECH CLINIC-Transmission/Rear End on Steve Nissle's 1912 Speedster**

Meet at: 3733 E Minton Place  
 E-mail: [stevenissle@gmail.com](mailto:stevenissle@gmail.com)



Steve Nissle  
 480-461-3100

8:00 am  
 to  
 12:00 noon

**FEBRUARY 21—APACHE JUNCTION  
LOST DUTCHMAN DAYS**

**Elks Club Car Show**

Apache Junction Elks Lodge #2349  
2455 N Highway 88, the NE corner of Lost Dutchman (Brown Road) and Highway 88.

Arrive between 11:00-11:30am. Free event. 12:00pm—8:00pm. All proceeds benefiting local youth charities. Johnsonville Bratwursts, drinks, live entertainment, AZ Legend Gunfighters, and Model T and antique tractors on display all day.

**FEBRUARY 23—APACHE JUNCTION  
LOST DUTCHMAN DAYS PARADE**

The parade will begin at 9:00 am. We will assemble at Larry & Sandy Hart's beginning at 7:00 am at 1875 N Monterey Dr in Apache Junction. There is room to trailer in and unload if you are a distance away. Please be prompt as we must be in the parade lineup no later than 8:30 am. For those who don't have a T here and may want to ride in the parade, come on out. Most of the time someone has a vacant seat they are willing to share. Parade route is on Apache Trail, between Idaho and Ironwood—begins at Phelps, just west of Idaho and goes west to Ironwood and returns.

After the parade we will return to Hart's for a potluck lunch. Bring a dish to share. Even if you are not coming out for the parade, try to join us for the potluck lunch.

**MARCH 9—SCOTTSDALE  
HOME TOUR CHERRY LYNN  
HISTORIC DISTRICT**

The Cheery Lynn Historic District is having a Home Tour on Saturday, March 9th, this year. This is their first public tour. They have done two others that were community only. They are expanding. Basically there are 3 streets on the tour: Earll, Cheery Lynn and Flower. The houses will be located between 16th St. and Randolph (16th St to the Phoenix Country Club going East to West and from Osborn to Thomas going North to South). The area that is the oldest is in the area described from Earl to Flower. Tom and Chris Mansfield's house was built in 1929. Christine is the Home Tour Committee Chairperson and can be contacted at 602-595-9237 or 602-350-0132.

They plan on having some bands playing on each street to liven things up. The tour is from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. but our club is welcome to come at any time in any way. We could park in front of the designated houses for a time and then at a certain time file through the neighborhood. They will provide water and refreshments, snacks and bathroom facilities for any and all vintage car folks.

**MARCH 9—APACHE JUNCTION  
ANTIQUÉ ENGINE & TRACTOR SHOW**

Rodeo Park (Lost Dutchman Blvd between Idaho and Tomahawk Roads).  
9:00 am—4:00 pm.  
Adults \$5.00. Kids (12 & under): Free  
Food and beverages available on show grounds.

Graton's will bring Lazy Lizzie's Kitchen. Linney's & Edmundson's will bring the hamburgers, brats and buns. Dave Veres will bring chips and drinks. Everyone bring a dish to share and table service.

Watch for more information.



**MARCH 2—SCOTTSDALE  
EAST MEETS WEST TOUR #5**



Mark your calendar and plan to attend our annual tour with Sun Country Model T Club. We will assemble at Pueblo Sereno Mobile Home Park at 9:00 am for coffee and doughnuts. At 10:45 am we will leave for the Arizona Museum and return around 1:00 pm for full picnic goodies and fellowship at the Pueblo Sereno Clubhouse. Each club will arrange their own method of gathering the T's and driving to 8350 E McKellips Rd, Scottsdale (1 mile west of Rt 101 or 1 mile east of Hayden). Trailer parking on Weber next to Waterworld on Hayden.

Contact Bill Davisson 480-797-8107 or e-mail WDAZ1@cox.net for more information.

**A MAN AND HIS T**

If you would like to share your story on how you became interested and involved with Model T's, for this feature of the newsletter, please let Mel and Lorie know.

**OTHER LOCAL EVENTS**

**Check the following links for time and place, and the calendar, for weekly “cruisin’ -ins” and other classic car events.**

<http://nationwidecarshows.com/index.php?page=cruiseins&stateid=AZ&cityid=Phoenix>

<http://www.cruisinarizona.com/carshows.html>

Weekly (Fridays) through May “East Valley Car Show” at Fulton Ranch Towne Center, 4040 S Arizona Ave, Chandler.

Weekly (Fridays) Hobby Town USA Cruise-In & Toy Car Event, 1915 E Baseline, Gilbert.

Weekly (Saturdays) Superstition Springs, K-Mart, 1445 S Power Rd, Mesa.

Weekly (Saturdays) Mesa Riverview Cruise In, Mesa Riverview Plaza 202 & Dobson Rd.

Weekly (Saturdays) McDonalds/Scottsdale Pavillions Shopping Center, 9175 E Indian Bend Rd, Scottsdale.

Weekly (Sundays) “Cruz’n at Phil’s” at 16852 E Parkview Ave, Fountain Hills. 12:00 noon—3:00 pm.

Fourth Saturday each month “Cruisin’ on Main” at 100 N Center, Mesa.

Monthly (2nd Friday) “Freddy’s Friday Night Cruise” at Freddy’s Frozen Custard and Steakburgers, 2065 E Baseline Rd, Gilbert.

Monthly (4th Sunday) “Cruise-In at Red Mountain” 3:30 pm at 6101 E Recker E Virginia (Recker & 202 NE Corner), Mesa.

Monthly (2nd Sunday) “Swap Meet & Parts Exchange” at American Legion, 1018 S Meridian, Mesa.

Saturday, March 30th and Sunday March 31st Todd Harding & Son Phoenix Swap Meet & Car Show. Arizona’s Largest Auto Swap Meet at the Arizona State Fairgrounds, 1826 West McDowell Road (19th Ave & McDowell Rd), Phoenix from 7:00am—2:00pm. <http://phoenixcarswapmeet.com/>  
Contact: [kim@phoenixcarswapmeet.com](mailto:kim@phoenixcarswapmeet.com) 480-288-SWAP or 818-879-3965.

**NATIONAL EVENTS****Chickasha Swap Meet**  
**March 21-22, Chickasha OK**

The 23rd Annual International Pre-War Swap Meet “*Where the East Meets the West*” will be held at the Grady County Fairgrounds. There is plenty of parking and admission is free. Gates open at 7:00 am. The Chickasha Pre-War Swap Meet is sponsored by The Old Pueblo Touring Association and is not affiliated with any other swap meet. The swap meet is an annual event that will always begin the 3rd Thursday in March.

Contact: Mike or Susie Ersland at 405-224-9090; E-mail:[information@pwsms.com](mailto:information@pwsms.com)



### MODEL T FORD CLUB OF AMERICA

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

Membership in the MTFCA includes six issues of *The Vintage Ford* and a vote for the Board of Directors. Dues are \$35 annually. Life memberships are available. Payment may be made by check, credit card or PayPal.

The East Valley Model T Ford Club is affiliated with and is a chapter of the Model T Ford Club of America (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, as almost all of our members belong to the national club.

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### MTFCA 48th Annual Business Meeting March 22-23-24, Dallas, Texas

Make plans now to join your fellow MTFCA members for a fun filled weekend with Texas hospitality, hosted by the DFW Chapter MTFCA (aka Lone Star T's). Check out the website and links for updated information.

[www.lone-star-ts.com](http://www.lone-star-ts.com) Then click the Big D link. For questions e-mail [cobbj1@asme.org](mailto:cobbj1@asme.org)

Activities include VIP Guided Tour of Cowboys Stadium, Texas Museum of Automotive History, lunch at Trail Dust Steak House, annual business meeting, located in Fair Park over 100 cars on display for viewing, and of course, socializing and food.

Hotel reservations can be made at Doubletree by Hilton/Campbell Centre, 8250 N Central Expressway, Dallas, TX. 800-245-8918. Local telephone 214-691-8700. Fax 214-706-0187. \$109.00 + tax per night (single or double). Includes breakfast buffet. For group rate mention MTFCA Lone Star T's. Room rate available until March 2nd or until group block is sold out.

Hotel reservation and registration information form can also be found at:

<http://lone-star-ts.com/2013-Annual-Meeting/>

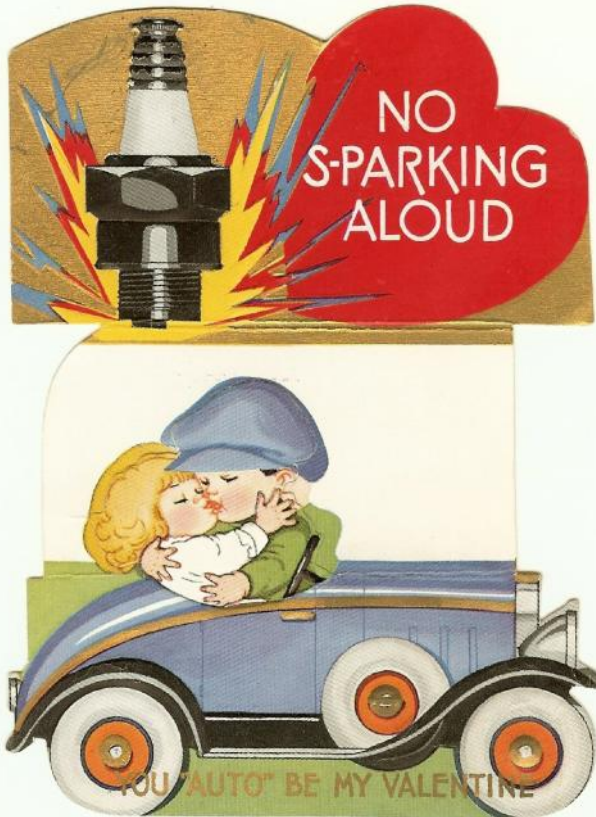
Payment received by March 2nd is \$175 per person. Late registration is \$195 per person.

### MTFCA National Hillbilly Tour 2013 ~ September 4-8, Eureka Springs, Arkansas

You are invited to attend the 30th Annual Hillbilly Tour which will also be a MTFCA National Tour and is hosted by the Heart of the Ozarks Chapter in Springfield, Missouri. You must be a MTFCA member to attend. Call Best Western Inn of the Ozarks at 800-998-9620 for reservations before August 1st. Ask for the special Model T Ford Hillbilly Tour 2013 room rate of \$89 plus tax which includes a hot breakfast discount.

The tour will be limited to 75 cars. Tour fees are \$140 for car and driver and \$110 for each passenger. Activities include visit Crystal Bridge Museum, War Eagle Mill, Pea Ridge National Battlefield, participate in Eureka Springs 43rd Annual Parade and attend an evening performance at a country music theater, along with other venues including history, arts, shopping, and beautiful Ozark scenery are a portion of the Hillbilly tour experience.

Contact: Gene & Kay Gemmill 417-881-6701 or E-mail: [genekaygemmill932@sbcglobal.net](mailto:genekaygemmill932@sbcglobal.net)  
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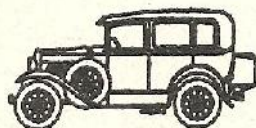
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All articles, photos and information for the upcoming newsletter are due to Mel & Lorie by the 26th of the month. E-mail: LMP\_2006@hotmail.com

**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING**

Do you have any Model T items for sale OR are you looking for specific Model T parts? Let Mel and Lorie know and we can add it to this section of the newsletter.

WANTED:

FOR SALE: I have a supply of EVMTFC magnetic signs to sell to our members. The signs measure 12 inches X 12 inches. They are priced at \$15 each. - Dave Veres

