

*Runningboard*



*News*

**OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE EAST VALLEY MODEL T FORD CLUB**

**March 2022**

**Volume 20, Issue 3**



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

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

**Website:** [evmtfc.com](http://evmtfc.com) Be sure to check our website often for new and updated information.

**Officers/Contact Information:**

Sandy Hart, President/ (Board Member) [deeresanta@cni.net](mailto:deeresanta@cni.net) 360 431 1808

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

Roselynn Urness, Secretary (Board Member);

Dave Veres, Treasurer (Board Member); 480-480-415-3235. [davidveres@aol.com](mailto:davidveres@aol.com)

Ken Henry, Immediate Past President; 480-839-1716. [ken\\_cher@cox.net](mailto:ken_cher@cox.net)

**Other Assignments:**

Jan Peterson, Health & Welfare/Smiley Person; 480-969-0695.

Tom Hoverson, Tour Chairman; 602 292-3921, [tom1757@aol.com](mailto:tom1757@aol.com)

Steve Nissle, Newsletter Editor; 480-226-6883. [stevenissle@gmail.com](mailto:stevenissle@gmail.com)

Jeff Henry, Web Master; (480) 888-6349. [jhenry123\\_321@yahoo.com](mailto:jhenry123_321@yahoo.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](http://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 and Model T Museum**

309 N. 8th St. Richmond, Indiana 47374

Phone: 765-855-5248 Fax: 765-855-3428

E-mail: [admin@mtfca.com](mailto:admin@mtfca.com)

Website: [www.mtfca.com](http://www.mtfca.com)





### Presidents Message

We have had a couple of fun events this past month. Our ice cream at Freddy's was well attended.

Lost Dutchman Days on February 26 was fun filled day of parade, poker run, lunch and ice cream. See article in newsletter about this day.

We had a clinic at Duane Dailey's with 8 men attending. They were able to check his car and make some minor adjustments.

Thank you to everyone that attended these events. Your participation makes these events successful and the fun that we can share with each other is a blessing. We learn more about each other as we gather.

**We are still looking for volunteer to be Newsletter Editor. Steve is willing to help you get started. Please HELP!! This is an important part of our organization. You can choose the format to make it fun and easy for you.**

Hope to see you at one of the upcoming activities.

---

---

**REMINDER..DUES ARE DUE!**

Contact Treasurer Dave Veres at 480-480-415-3235. [davidveres@aol.com](mailto:davidveres@aol.com)

---

---

Submitted by: Janine Rohde

Meeting was called to order by President Sandy Hart at 7:00 p.m. at the Mesa Utilities Building Community Room at 640 N. Mesa Drive, Mesa AZ. We all stood and recited the Pledge of Allegiance. There were 23 members.

New member Don Mugrage was introduced and told us a little about himself and his cars.

Minutes for the February meeting were approved as published

**Vice President's Report:** Tom Hoverson Welcome to new member Don Mugrage. Tom also asked if anyone needed a new badge

**Treasurer's Report:** Dave Veres reported the balance in the club's treasury and the expenses. Dave has collected dues for 2022. Monies have been paid out for the Parade and Poker run. Motion made and seconded to accept the Treasurer's report, the motion passed.

#### **Health and Welfare Report:**

Hospitality report: Jan is recovering from a sore leg, hope to see you up and about soon. Glenn is recovering from surgery, and now has pneumonia. Our prayers go out to both of you.

Newsletter report Steve Nissle. Newsletter will be sent out the first of next week. Keith Gumbinger volunteered to write article about tractor show. Still looking for newsletter editor.

#### **Old Business:**

36 people turned out for the Lost Dutchman Parade with 11 cars in parade, 3 additional old cars came out for the Poker run. The poker hand winners were David Ker, Janine Rohde, Jeff Henry and Jack Forsell. Lunch at the Hitching Post, followed by Ice cream Sundaes at the Harts. Thank you goes out to the Harts for making this a huge success. Next year 2023 this event will be on the West side

Ice Cream on March 6<sup>th</sup> -9 cars and 22 members were in attendance at Joes Italian Ice.

Chuck Wagon Tom, Ken and Dave thank you for all your time getting the wagon ready. Repairs have been made and the Chuck wagon is ready

T-shirts are in and will be handed out at the Antique Tractor Show, spares have been ordered so if you didn't order, you can still get a shirt. Contact Ken Henry

Tractor show March 12 club will provide burgers and brats, please bring a dish to pass.

Clinic was held at Duane Daley's with 8 members attending. Minor repairs were made

## New Business

April 3<sup>rd</sup> Ice cream tbd

April 2-3<sup>rd</sup> Maricopa Car Show

March 19-20 Good guys Car Show at Westworld

After the break

Thank you to Keith and Carol Gumbinger, Jim and Janine Rohde and Bill Arnold were thanked for providing refreshments for this meeting.

Roster is now published and sent to the National office. Thank you to Dale Guenther and Dave Veres for getting this completed.

50-50 drawing was won by Becky

Hat auction was held for a ladies visor which went to Bill Arnold and ball cap went to Tom Hoverson

Meeting was adjourned at 8:10

---

---

## Up and Coming...

March 17	St Patrick's Day
April 3	Ice Cream
April 12	Club Meeting
April 15	TCH / Bert Diehl tribute car show ( see info on page
April 17	Easter
May 1	Ice Cream
May 5	Cinco de Mayo
May 8	Mother's Day
May 11	Club Meeting



Model T Ford Club of America  
Hat auction winners!  
Julie Hiesel and Tom Hoverson

ZZ



### Lost Dutchman Days February 26, 2022

The sun had not quite risen when David and Aaron Ker pulled into the yard with their truck and trailer with the Model T inside. The coffee and donuts were waiting on the patio as others followed shortly after the Ker's.

As we left to the parade, we had 11 cars and 25 people. Bill and Kae- 29 Model A, Bill Arnold with friend Julie -24 open pickup with farm animals, Joe and Colleen- 11 Torpedo, Joe and Bernice -22 Center Door, Keith and Carol- 27 Touring Jack Forsell was their guest, Larry and Sandy- 26 Roadster, Jeff and Jan- 19 Touring, Ken and Cher- 15 Roadster Pickup, David and Aaron- Speedster, Dave and Kathy- 14 Pickup, Jim and Janine- 26 Touring with 2 guests Char and Lee. We had a bit of a wait before the parade began so we were able to munch on donuts and check out other entries near by. Some ventured to find coffee to try to warm up as it was a very cool morning.. During the parade we were greeted with enthusiasm and appreciation of our cars. Of course, the children young and old wanted to hear the horn. We are very proud of the fact that many of our cars are over 100 years old and looking good.

As we began the poker run at the end of the parade, we were joined by John and Jan- 24 Tudor, George- 29 A, Dale Mewhorter in his T bucket, Dale and Marcia, Tom and Chris in modern cars. We traveled to the Allen's, Conlon's, Fellin's, Mewhorter's and final stop at the Hitching Post. The parking lot was overflowing and we had to search for places to park. It seems they had a big event taking place in the Arena to the side of the restaurant. We were joined at the restaurant by Steve and Marilyn. The restaurant staff was kept busy trying to cope with the huge crowd both inside and outside.

After lunch we headed back to the Harts'. There was a big traffic jam on Lost Dutchman Blvd and many found alternate routes back.

When we got back to Harts' our poker hands were recorded and winners were rewarded. This year's winners are 4<sup>th</sup> place David Ker 3 8's with Queen high card, 3rd place was Jeff Henry with 3 8's with King High card, 2<sup>nd</sup> place was Janine Rohde with Heart Flush with 10 high card, and 1<sup>st</sup> place went to Jack Forsell with Heart Flush with Jack as his high card. Because of the tie's we used the high card to select our winners.

Ice Cream sundaes were available as everyone served themselves. We were very glad to see Jack Forsell of Minnesota a former member join us for this event. Jack had come to visit his brother and to reconnect with the model T friends.

All in all the weather was good. A little cold in the morning but very pleasant in the afternoon. I am sure those traveling from the other side of the valley were glad for the warmer weather going home. We had a total of 36 people participate in this year's event.

I want to thank all of those that helped make this a success, Colleen, Kae, Bernice, and Marcia. It couldn't happen without all their help.

## ***LOST DUTCHMAN DAYS***













**THE END**



## East Valley Model T Club Tractor Show and Model T Display

Saturday, March 12, 2022

It was a beautiful day for the annual Tractor Show and Model T Display at the Rodeo Grounds in Apache Junction. The temperature was about 75 degrees and it was very sunny!

There were 10 T's on display: Duane Daley, '26 Roadster Pickup, Dave Veres, '24 Coupe, Bill and Kay Allen, '24 Roadster Pickup, George Elms, '29 model A Roadster, Larry and Sandy Hart, '26 Roadster, Richard Edmonton, '26 Roadster Pickup, Bill Arnold, '24 Pickup, Jim and Janine Rohde, '26 Touring, and Keith and Carol Gumbinger, '27 Touring. And, one more T was present.....

For the first time, I think, Dale Mewhorter drove his Yellow '26 Roadster to one of our club events! Oh, we did see it at the end of his driveway a couple of weeks ago during our Poker Run, but this time he actually drove it to the event!

It was not exactly an uneventful drive to the Rodeo Grounds, but he made it! Congratulations, Dale!

Other East Valley members present were: Dave McAlpin, Rich Huggins, Ken Henry, Tom Hoverson, Jeff Henry, Joan Auterman and Reg and Roselynn Urness. My apologies if anyone was missed.

Tom Haverson manned the grill doing brats and burgers. Many excellent side dishes and desserts were brought by our members. Several passers by were looking longingly at our lunch layout, but we had notices posted that this was for East Valley members only. That said, Dave Veres had a large cooler with bottles of cold water offered for free, with a sign suggesting that donations for the water were appreciated, and we did get lots of donations for the water!

There were lots of spectators looking at our T's. Several of them said they had T's, but they are "back home". None –the – less, we had some great conversations about T's.

All in all, this was a great event. Nice people, nice cars, & perfect weather!

We look forward to doing this again in the future.

Respectfully submitted by Keith Gumbinger



















Welcome new Member

***Don Mograge***

With his 1913

Speedster!



**Need a little hand with your T?**  
**Contact President Sandy and she'll get you scheduled for a**  
**"CLINIC"**

[deeresanta@cni.net](mailto:deeresanta@cni.net) 360 431 1808

*(It's what we do)*



## Bert's Buddies Memoriam Car Show



**Date:** Friday, April 15, 2022

**Time:** 10:00 AM

**Place:** TCH

215 West Lodge Drive  
Tempe AZ, 85283

TCH is holding the annual car show in memory of our wonderful Bert Diehl. Join Bert's buddies and their buggies at the south circle for light snacks, refreshments, and share some of your favorite memories of our friend.

---

---





# Hansen Family Legacy

This Model T was in the showroom of Hansen Ford in Idaho Falls. Farrel Hansen, Sr., was a businessman and farmer who made a significant impact on agriculture in Idaho. After Hansen's untimely death in 1949, his wife Lily assumed possession of the dealership. Though Ford Motor Company was progressive enough to allow women to work in their factories, they were not as forward-thinking with their dealerships

or salaried positions. Once they discovered Lily's ownership, they revoked her dealer license. Interestingly, Lily never learned to drive. This car was soon left to the elements on the family farm in Osgood. Many years later, it was fully restored by her son, former state senator John D. Hansen.

March 6<sup>th</sup> it was Joes Italian Ice!













---

## ***The West Coast's Premier Brass Era/ PreWar Event***

The Tulare Swap Meet, formally the Bakersfield Swap Meet.

**April 23 and 24, 2022** w/ vendor set up April 22.

This year, in conjunction with the California Antique Farm Equipment Show.

At the International Agri Center, Tulare, CA.

Registration Info: (559) 688-1030

Secondary contact: S.Chase: [NewNorthSouth@gmail.com](mailto:NewNorthSouth@gmail.com) or (323) 497-0601

---

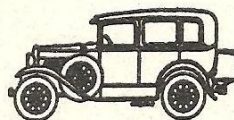
Need new wood in your Wheels?

Contact Dave Seiler, 714 501 7080, He is in Brea, California.

\$125 each. He does really nice work!

### **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



