



## The East Valley Model T Ford New Letter

October  
2003

### 2003 Officers

President	Steve Linney
Vice President	Joe Fellin
Treasurer	George Elms
Secretary	Claudia Linney

### President Message

by Steve Linney

Well can you believe our club is a year old already, it's great that were still kicking and going.

Our September meeting was dedicated to club bylaws and other miscellaneous business. Members decided to take the bylaws and review them, then vote on them at the October meeting. We have enclosed the bylaws with the newsletter for those of you that were not able to attend. Other business was the newsletter name, club color, and patch. Some ideas were brought to the meeting but since our winter visitors were not back in town we postponed these decision to October meeting.

The meetings will be at the Linney's home each and every month so it is consistance and no confusion. The October meeting will be a potluck meeting so bring a dish to share drinks will be provided it will starts at 6:30.

We are looking for a family to sponsor November tour.

### Next Meeting

\*\*\*\*\*October 16, 2003\*\*\*\*\*

6:30 pm

**POTLUCK**

At

Steve and Claudia Linney's  
2520 East Pueblo Ave  
Mesa AZ  
(408) 833-1907

Directions: From US 60 get off on Gilbert Road head north you go past Southern to Pueblo go east and that is our street address above.

Hot Dog and buns==The Elms

Chili = The Linneys

Salad= The Petersons

Zucchini= The Wildmans

Those not present at the meeting this just gives you and idea of what will be there.

It's a Chili cook off so bring your best chili for fun

### Fall Tour

Sponsored by The Linney's

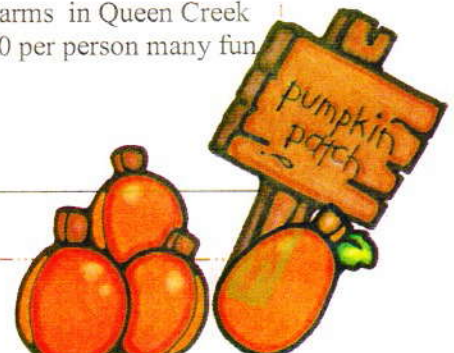
Place: We will be having breakfast at the Gunthres and join the Model A Club

Date: October 18, 2003

Time: 8:00 am to 1:30 pm

RSVP: 480 833-1907

This will be a Schnepf Farms in Queen Creek AZ the entry fee is \$9.00 per person many fun activities for all ages.



What happened in the  
year of your car?  
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**Famous People Born:** Loretta Young, Alec Guinness, Tyrone Power, Joe DiMaggio, Edmund Muskie, Jonas Salk, Bert Parks, Jane Wyman

**Music:** "Scythian Suite" by Prokofiev

**Sports:** Old Rosebud won the Kentucky Derby, Boston Braves won the World Series, Toronto Blue shirts won the Stanley Cup, and Walter Hagen won the U.S. Open (tennis or golf?)

**Movies:** Making a Living by Max Sennet, The World, the Flesh, & the Devil by Charlie Chaplin

**Literature:** Tarzan of Apes by E.R. Burroughs

## 1915

**Events:** U.S. Coast Guard was founded, Ford produced on millionth car(!), Einstein developed the Theory of Relativity, a German sub sank Lusitania, Congress established

Rocky Mountain National Park

**President/Vice President:** Woodrow Wilson (D)/ Thomas R. Marshall (D)

**U.S. Statistics:** population=1000,546,000 federal spending=\$0.75 billion, cost of first class stamp \$0.02

**Famous People Born:** Billie Holiday, Orson Welles, Ingrid Berman, Arthur Miller, Frank Sinatra, Eli Wallach, Lorne Green, David Rockefeller, Herman Wouk, Moshe Dayan

**Sports:** Boston Red Sox won the World Series, Vancouver Millionaires won the Stanley Cup, Regret won the Kentucky Derby, and John Travers won the U.S. Open

**Movies:** The Birth of a Nation by D.W. Griffith

**Literature:** The Thirty-Nine Steps by John Buchan



### We have new members:

Tim and Cheryl Wood  
961 E Mesquite Ave  
Apache Junction AZ 85219  
(480) 983-5066  
email: [model30@msn.com](mailto:model30@msn.com)

## Christmas Dinner

December 13, 2003

Just keep the date open were not sure of the place if you have any suggestions let the board know.

Progressive dinner was suggested or just to go a restaurant for dinner.

## 2003-2004 Calendar of Events

### October 2003

10/16 General meeting will be a potluck at the Linney's home @ 6:30

10/18 Fall Tour Schnepe Farm

### November 2003

11/20 General Meeting @ 7:30

### December 2003

12/13 Christmas Party

12/18 General Meeting @ 7:30

### January 2004

01/15 General Meeting @ 7:30



## What Happened In The year of your Car?

By Jan Peterson

Let's imagine that you had just purchased a brand new, black, shiny 1913 Model T Ford. What current events, fads, celebrities good and bad were on everyone's tongues when your car was "born"? I thought it would be fun to put into context the Tin Lizzies we drive, admire, and preserve when most of the horseless carriages on the roads were the same as ours. For this project I selected the year 1913, 1914, and 1915. Are you ready?

### 1913

**Events:** Grand Central terminal opened in New York City, the 16<sup>th</sup> amendment legalized income tax (ssssss!), Henry Ford (Who's he?) established the first assemble line, the Federal Reserve System was started

**President/Vice President:** Woodrow Wilson(D) became the 28<sup>th</sup> President, Thomas R. Marshall(D) was Vice President

**U.S. Statistics:** population=97,225,00; federal spending=\$0.72 billion; cost of first class stamp=\$0.22

**Famous People born:** Richard Nixon, Danny Kaye, Gerald For, Burt Lancaster, Vince Lombardi, Red Skelton

**Nobel Peace Prize:** Henri La Fontaine (Belgium)

**Music:** "Sweethearts" by Victor Herbert, "The Bells" by Rachmaninoff, "The Rites of Spring" by Stravinsky

**Sports:** Donerel won the Kentucky Derby, Philadelphia Athletics won the World Series, the Quebec Bulldogs won the Stanley Cup

**Movies:** The Squaw Man by Cecil B. DeMille, The Battle of Gettysburg by Thomas Ince

### 1914

**Events:** WWI began, the Panama Canal officially opened, Marconi conducted the first wireless test from a train, Congress set up the Federal Trade Commission

**President/ Vice President:** Woodrow Wilson(D)/ Thomas R. Marshall(D)

**U.S. Statistics:** population-99,111,000; federal spending=\$0.73 billion, cost of a first class stamp=\$0.02

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## September Meeting Brief

### New letter ideas:

Running Board News  
Dusty Desert Denizens  
Cactus Clatter Chatter  
Rusty Rattlers Report  
"T" Times  
The Ruxtel

### Club colors ideas:

Navy blue, denim, kaki, and purple

### Club Patch ideas:

You will be able to view at the October meeting.

## On a National Note

### 2003

**October 11-22:** Steve Freegard is sponsoring a tour of southern AZ see the flyer enclosed.

### 2004

**March 27-28:** 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Speedster Run, Lake Pleasant AZ, contact Gary Gorslin

**June 20-24:** San Diego, California. The Model T Ford Club of San Diego will host a MTFCA National Tour.

**Pumpkin  
Patch**