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Get ready East Valley Model T Ford Club, it's tour time in Arizona!





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<u>Membership Dues</u>: 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.

<u>Newsletters</u>: 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):

Jeff Henry can take a photo of your T... contact Jeff if you are interested.

Jeff 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

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President's message October 2022

Fall is in the air and temperatures are finally going down. Great days of 70' and 80's. We have finally stopped traveling and are now back for the winter. We just completed a tour in New Mexico. (See article in the newsletter).

Thank you Tom for filling in for me at the September and October meetings. Our calendar is starting to fill up with some fun activities. Our annual picnic is this weekend at Usery Park. Coming up in November will be Veteran's Day Parade in Mesa, car shows, ice cream, a charity event in Gilbert which is requesting a couple of cars for pictures. They are having a 20's theme and guests will be dressed in vintage clothing. Then Thanksgiving will be here. Come out and join the fun at one of our events.

REMINDER..DUES ARE Still Just \$20 Contact Treasurer Dave Veres at 480-480-415-3235. <u>davidveres@aol.com</u>

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General Meeting Minutes Submitted by: Janine Rohde

Meeting was called to order by Tom Hoverson at 7:02 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 20 members and guests in attendance.

Reading of the minutes: The minutes from the September meeting were read. Marsha made a motion to approve the minutes as read. Dave 2nd it, and the motion passed. The minutes for the September meeting were approved as published.

Vice President's Report: Tom Hoverson no new members

Treasurer's Report: Dave Veres. Waiting for some money for shirts sold.

Health and Welfare Report:

Hospitality report: Jan Peterson has some vintage clothing for use with T's. They will be selling their car soon as they are moving to friendship village.

Newsletter: The latest one is out. Looking for stories and trips/pictures with you in your Model-T. Get your stories and pictures to Cher Henry.

Old Business:

Ice cream destinations: November 6th are being worked on. Some suggestions were made. A decision wasn't reached.

Usery park Picnic: Tom Hoverson will bring his grill. The chuck wagon won't be there since there is a conflict with the person that stores it, unless someone wants to pick it up and bring it. We are looking for the horseshoe set. Might be in the chuckwagon? Cast iron pan toss, bocce, and other interactive games like cornhole would be fun.

Paper goods are needed, since they are in the chuck wagon. Its not worth driving to the chuck wagon to get them.

New Business

Feb 25th, 1st annual round up and swap meet at the Tin Lizzy ranch. 6 car clubs are participating.

3 Model T clubs, 1 Model A club, 1 sports car club & 1 misc. car club.

Parade: November 11, 2022

December 10 Christmas party Tom will discuss with Sandy location options, we need to book asap in order to get a good place. The club voted on catering vs restaurant. Restaurant won. Arrangements would be for approximately 50 people.

Hall of Flame was mentioned as a possible tour destination.

February 11, 2023 motoring through time sponsored by Phoenix parks and recreation. A large all years/makes/models car show. Robson house tour is part of the show.

February 25, 2023 tentative date looking for an activity.

November 12th Canyon Winds Retirement community 4th annual car show. 2851 N. Boulder Canyon Mesa,AZ 85207 (480) 948-0700 <u>www.canyonwindsretirement.com</u> Near power and McDowell assisted living car show. 10:00 to 1:00.

Break

50/50 drawing: Tom Hoverson won the 5/50 drawing pot of \$14!

Refreshments for November meeting will be Jeff & Ken Henry, and Jim and Janine Rohde

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Marsha and the meeting adjourned at: 8:20.

Up and Coming Events

Nov. 6 - Ice Cream at Andy's Frozen Custard

Nov. 9 – General Meeting

Nov. 11⁻ Veterans Day Parade

Nov. 12th – Canyon Winds 4th Annual Car Show, 10am to 1pm

Dec, 10 – Christmas Party location TBD

Welcome back, Monthly General meetings resume, at 640 N Mesa Dr. Mesa AZ, 7 pm

November & December Birthdays

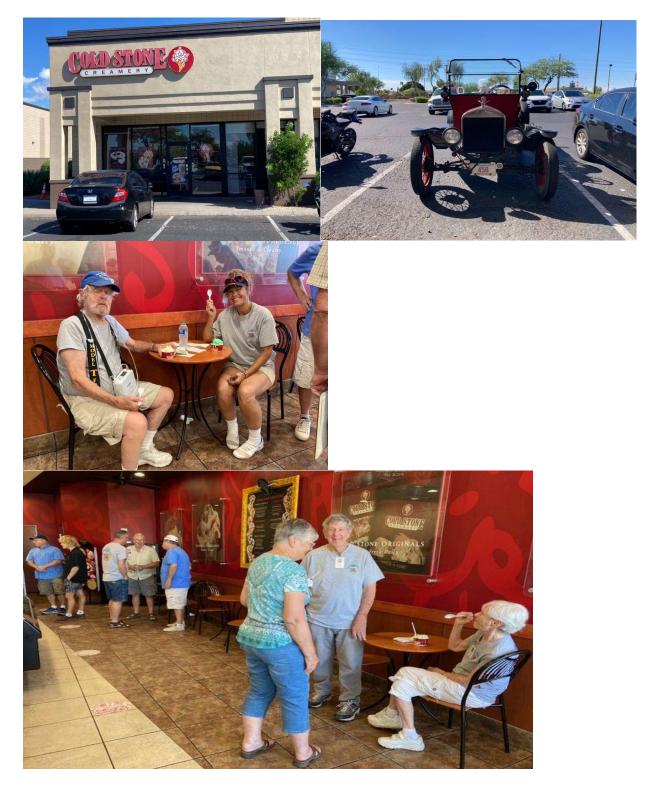
Nov. 3- Nancy Moore Nov. 8 – Duane Daley Nov. 18 – Marcia Taillefr Nov. 21 – Judy Mugrage Nov. 26 – Bill Lesile

Dec. 9 – Sandy Zuiderhock Dec. 14 – Claudia Linnney Dec. 6 – Steve Francois Dec. 16 – Linda Wood

Happy Birthday everyone! If your birthday is this month and you don't see your name. let Jan Peterson or Cheryl Henry know. You will get a beautiful handmade card on your Birthday!

EVMTFC Out and About

Ice Cream at Cold Stone Creamery



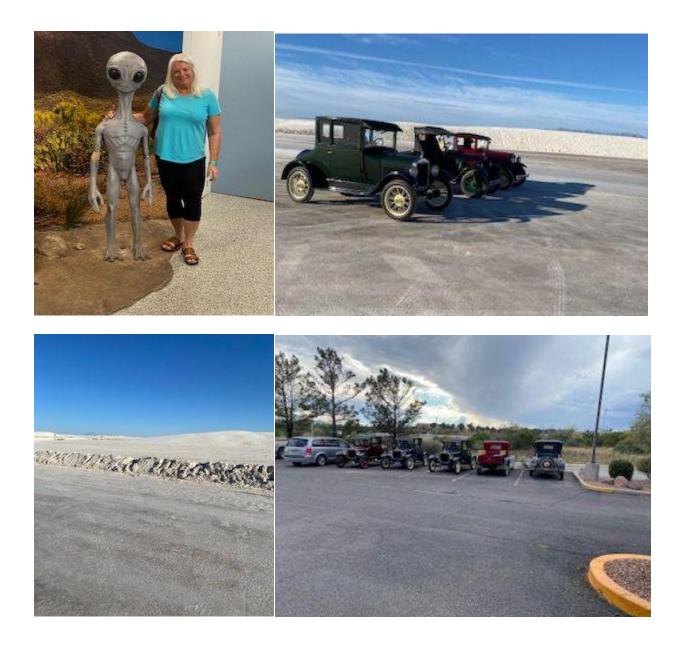
Usery Park Picnic







Pictures from The Harts and McAlpin's New Mexico Tour



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

Toronto Tour

While attending out Ontario Tour we were surprised to see our good friend Dave and Kathy (and another couple from Sun Country.

Joe learned, that the Ford Tri-Motor that was being restored, was not like the one he flew in as a teenager, but that was that very plane. More surprises!



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Visit to Gilmore Car Museum

On one of our desired places to see while on our summer trip East was at the Gilmore Car Museum in Michigan, and we were not disappointed in their 400 plus classic vehicles and displays in various buildings. A must see place for car enthusiasts to visit.

The "Michigan Jamboree of T's " of over 90 cars made a stop there while Joe and I were present. ! Unexpectedly Dave and Kathy McAlpin were with this group. SURPRISE!! Small world.

Learning that we had our T in tow, they invited us to join in their tour. We did and enjoyed 2 days off enjoying wonderful countryside, markets, Amish Luncheon, Gardens ,HOV-AIRE where they are restoring 3 Ford Tri-motors and finished with a delicious Farewell Banquet A much enjoyed bonus time with Dave and Kathy and meeting new friends.



Thank you, Joe & Coleen Davies, and Dave & Kathy McAlpin, for sharing your summer fun!

Model T Ford Club of America Calendar

January 2023 March 2023 FRI24 March 24, 2023 - March 25, 2023

58th MTFCA Annual Meeting

Staybridge Suites Las Vegas 5735 Dean Martin Drive, Las Vegas June 2023 SAT3 June 3, 2023

<u>5th Annual Pre-War Ford Swap meet</u>

Adams County Historical Society Museum 9601 Henderson Road, Brighton, CO SAT3 June 3, 2023

Homecoming at the Model T Museum

Model T Museum 309 N 8th Street, Richmond, IN SUN18 June 18, 2023 - June 23, 2023

"Experience the Flint Hills" MTFCA 2023 National Tour

Hilton Garden Inn 410 South 3rd Street, Manhattan, KS June 2024 SUN16 June 16, 2024 - June 19, 2024

MTFCA 2024 National Tour: Palm and Pine Trees National Tour

San Diego, CA San Diego, CA

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Looking for a New Job Situation

By Lizzie Jane Peterson

My current employers seem to be slowing down and considering a simpler life. I still feel rather chipper at 98 years, but my employers seem to be in decline at 85 and 80. It looks as if humans do not have the love of life and stamina of us Model T's. After 36 years of loyal servitude it seems that I would have taught them a thing or two!

Here is a short account of my life history. I was born in the Los Angeles assembly plant in 1924 and spent my early years commuting into downtown San Diego. My owner at the time put me in the same bor-r-r-ring parking garage every day. He kept this fresh in my mind by dropping the parking slips down in my rear window channel—hundreds of them!

Later I served as a "Go For" car for a California Ford dealer. They liked somewhat dowdy older gals like me to show the reliability of their Ford products. When they no longer needed my services, I was sent to a sheltered back corner, safe from the elements and scrap metal enthusiasts. Many thanks.

I came out of hibernation in the mid-1960s and spent some time in California and then moved to Arizona in the 1970s. I eventually came to work for the Petersons in the mid-1980s. They just put me to work—no fancy restoration. We went touring most every month. I did have some early failings, and we were the proud possessors of the Hard Luck Trophy for most of the first year.

Over the years Petersons have rewarded me with some nice benefits such as a shiny new old stock ring and pinion gear set, fresh babbbit, and recently a new interior. I am still holding onto all of my original wood—**very solid**—my original top, and pin striping. I have not seen a Trouble Trailer in over 25 years.

I would like to stay but have not been getting much exercise lately. I do not want to turn into a "Barn Find" again. It may be about time to pack up my "Model T Parking Only" sign and move on.

I don't want to toot my horn (a-oo-ga), but I am rather versatile—one might even say a renaissance gal. These clips might highlight some of my abilities. I can be a comfortable touring coach, a dinning coach, a sleeper, a luggage car and a roadside service vehicle. I am proud to keep up the Model T tradition.



I have a very nice picnic basket



I have a very nice Manifold Cooker



I have a luggage Rack to carry all my overnight things!





1924 Tudor for sale. Very nice driver! Call John Peterson <u>480 969-0695</u>

John also has a nice open trailer for sale.

Are you a member of MTFCA? If not, you are missing out on many benefits!

Adult Membership includes:

- One year (6 issues) of *The Vintage Ford* magazine which has information on all aspects of the hobby including: resources for Model T parts; repair and maintenance information; lists of tours, swap meets, and events; plus many pictures and articles for and about Model T enthusiasts;
- FREE admission to the Model T Museum, the Vintage Ford Agency Building, and the Bruce McCalley Memorial Library and Research Center;
- FREE (non-commercial) online and classified ads in magazine and on our Forum;
- Events and Tours: Join your fellow club members and relive the days of the Model T at national, regional, and local events and tours;
- Voting Privileges: Members (aged 18 and over) elect our Board of Directors each year;
- Time Travelers Perks: Your MTFCA membership card can be used at 300+ Time Travelers affiliated museums and sites for discounts and benefits.

NOTE: Ownership of a Model T Ford is not required.

Annual dues are \$40.00 for U.S. members. Membership includes all the privileges of the Club for members, their spouses, and their children under the age of eighteen. One ballot for election of National Directors is issued per member-family.

Lets get the youth involved!

Model T Explorer Youth Memberships (for ages 7-17) are also available and include:

- One year (3 issues) of *The Model T Explorer* newsletter full of fun and interesting Model T related stories, history, activities, hands-on experiments, and history;
- FREE admission to the Model T Museum, the Vintage Ford Agency Building, and inclusion in MTFCA events and tours

Annual dues for Youth memberships are \$15 for U.S. or international members.

To join go to MTFCA.com and click on Join or Renew. You will not be disappointed!

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

For Sale (All items are located in Chandler, AZ):

1) A really nice set of four 21" Model T wood wheels mounted with serviceable Goodyear whitewall tires. Includes spare rim with mounted used B.F. Goodrich blackwall tire. \$700 for all.

2) Like new set of four 4.40-4.50x21" B.F. Goodrich Silvertown blackwalls. It looks like they were mounted, but never saw the road. MACS Auto Parts has them for \$206.77 ea. with four of them coming to \$999.86 including tax and shipping. You can get these tires for \$125 ea.

3) I have three Model T wire wheels with one front hub and one rear hub. They haven't been primed or painted so there will be no surprises later on. \$350 for everything.

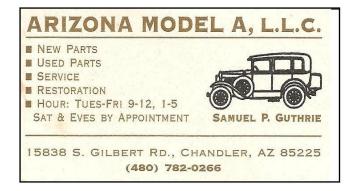
Contact Dale Guenther at dcguenther1@cox.net or 480-356-0733 for photos or info.

For Sale

I am selling my dual engine speedster project. Includes 2 model T Engines, complete frame, radiator, lights and Model A wheels. Asking \$1000. Call David Ker @ 623 341-6986.

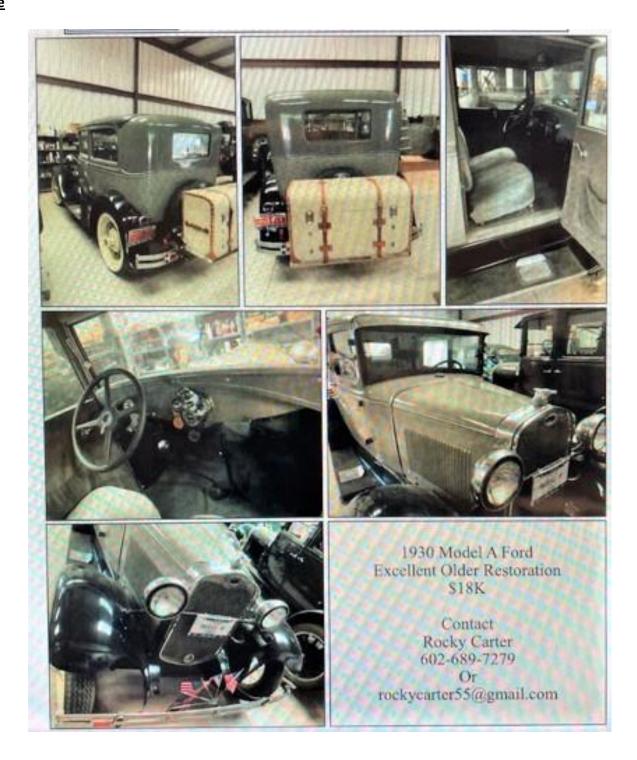
Need new wood in your Wheels? Contact Dave Seiler, 714 501 7080, He is in Brea, California. \$125 each. He does really nice work!

Get all your Model A and Model T Parts:



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For Sale



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For Sale

1923 Ford Model T. Touring Complete. Original four cylinder motor with water pump, electric start or crank, Ruckstell two speed axle. Car is in Chandler, Arizona \$11950.00 Stanley Whatley whasta7@gmail.com 602-999-7549

