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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):

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.

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President's Message January 2024

To all Ford Model T enthusiasts. January and early February were relatively slow. We had great turn outs at both breakfasts and the club meeting. Our breakfast at Black Bear Diner was not ideal and will be stricken from any future gatherings. We had 32 people show up for that breakfast. It seems the breakfasts were a great suggestion for the colder winter months. Sandy and Larry Hart organized a great Tea and brats' event that was well organized and attended. So, looking forward February 7 we will have a club meeting, February 10 we have the 2nd annual Tin Lizzy Roundup at Dave Ker's place, February 24 We have the Lost Dutchman Parade and Poker Run. March looks full also with that information to be talked about at our next meeting.

Tom Hoverson



UP AND Coming Events

Feb. 2 – Breakfast at Black Bear Restaurant

Feb. 7-General Meeting at Roadhaven Golf and RV Resort, Dakota room at 7:00pm

Feb. 10- 2nd Annual Roundup at Tin Lizzie Ranch

Feb. 24- Lost Dutchman Parade and Poker Run

February and March Birthdays

Feb. 2 Linda Jones

Feb. 12 Ken Henry

Feb. 14 Samuel Guthrie

Feb. 15 John Peterson

Feb. 17 Dick Edmunson

Feb. 17 Cheryl Hartzler

Mar. 4 George Elms

Mar. 5 Larry Hart

Mar. 18 Mark Jobin

Mar. 22 Pat Edmundson

Mar. 22 Steve Linney

Mar. 23 Austin Graton

Mar. 25 Kathy McAlpin

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

While our normal meeting place is under construction, we will be meeting at the Roadhaven Golf and RV Resort, Dakota room. Mark these dates on your calendar:

January meeting on January 10th

February meeting will be on February 7th

March meeting will be on March 13th

April meeting will be on April 10th

May meeting will be on May 8th

Note: We will not be having snacks or drinks! (Room restriction)

Thank you, Jim and Janine Rohde, for arranging a place for us to meet!

REMINDER..DUES ARE Still Just \$20

Contact Treasurer Dave Veres at 480-480-415-3235. davidveres@aol.com

Monthly General meetings resume, at 640 N Mesa Dr. Mesa AZ, 7 pm, always, the second Wednesday of each month.

Meeting Minutes Jan 10, 2024**Call to Order:**

The meeting was called to order by Tom Hoverson at: 7:05 there were 19 people in attendance.

Pledge of Allegiance. The pledge of allegiance was recited by the club.

Introduction of new members/guests Marty and Carol Johnson were introduced by Dave McAlpin They have a 1926 Tudor. They were able to find the meeting place by checking the website. Thanks to Jeff Henry for keeping the site up to date!

Approval of October minutes. The minutes were approved as published.

Vice President reports: Dave Doesn't have anything to report.

Treasurers report Dave: Membership forms are in stock and dues are \$20. Dave reported the income, membership payments, and balance on hand.

Hospitality Jan Peterson

Newsletter Ken & Cher Ken reported on the newsletter. Additional articles are always appreciated!

Old Business

Genesis house donation. It was approximately \$2000 raised by the club. They help people in dire straits go get back on their feet.

Jan 6-We had a breakfast 24 members were in attendance.

Other Old Business:

None was brought up.

New Business

Welcome back Bill & Kay Allen who are here for the next 3 months or so.

Ladies T and Men's brats: Jan 20 Men's part will be a pot luck, but the brats and condiments will be provided.

possible breakfast instead of ice cream A motion was made and 2nd to cancel the ice cream since there are so many events near it on the calendar. It passed.

January 20th Ladies Tea and Gentlemen's Brats: was discussed. Sign up and go!

Feb 10 will be the 2nd annual Tin Lizzy roundup at Dave Ker's. It's about 60 miles from here. It's out west of Buckeye. The directions were sent out by e-mail. If you didn't get them, please contact Tom Hoverson for information. Bring a dish to share and your own meat. Dave says there will be at least 6 clubs in attendance. A show of hands was given to get an idea of how many will be attending.

February Breakfast get together: Dave McAlpin will be looking for a breakfast location for a February date TBD. Probably the first Saturday in Feb.

Lost Dutchman parade Feb 24th – the club is registered for it. Bring proof of registration and insurance. It was checked at the Christmas parade. Poker Run, and Lunch are being planned also for the day. Sandy volunteered to setup the poker run.

March 9 Apache Junction Tractor & Engine Show. Lost Dutchman days at the fairground. We will have the chuck wagon there and will have a pot luck. A show of hands was taken to see how many would be in attendance.

Rosson house: Tom is looking into tours, it's near the Science center area. It's a plaza with a restored Victorian house. Sandy said how interesting the tour was when she took it last time. March time frame. Possibly March 2 or 16.

Dave McAlpin recommended taking a ride in the T's to Saguaro Lake with boat ride on the Desert Queen tour boat and having lunch out there. Saturday March 23 is the target date.

Tom Hoverson's son knows a guy that has a lot of model T stuff he wants to give away. He's going to try to get information on what it is and if we want to go to Wyoming to pick it up.

Other new business

Tom gave away a jar of pickles he won!

50/50 raffle Dave McAlpin won! \$34 was in the kitty. Dave donated most of it back.

Break

Thanks to Tom and the others that brought goodies for the meeting.

Bill Arnold needs a clinic to help change his starter and steering ball cap. Dale and Marcia and Dale Mewhorter for the snacks tonight!

Who was looking for them? If you were looking for brake and rear end parts for Model-T, Steering arm? Tie rods? Contact Dave McAlpin or Tom Hoverson.

Dave Veres discussed selling parts to a guy that is restoring a brass 1914. He is putting a 75 HP electric motor with Tesla batteries. The theme is new and old.

The Mesa Utility building will not be available due to remodeling from January to June.

Meetings for the immediate future will be at:

Roadhaven Resort

1000 S. Idaho Rd.

Apache Junction

We will be in the Green Room of the Golf Building until the Mesa Utilities building is available in the fall. A highlighted park map was sent out to help with directions.

A plaque was presented to Jim & Janine for their work as secretary last year. Thanks Jim and Janine



Congratulations Jim and Janine Rhode
For outstanding service as EVMTFC
Secretary 2023



Welcome New Members
Marty and Carol Johnson

Map to meeting room inside Roadhaven:



Directions inside the park:

Take Chippewa from the main entrance straight to the big building.

Turn left on Cheyenne

Turn right on Blackfoot

At the stop sign turn left on Zuni

At the second Right Turn onto Pecos go one block.

At the yield sign turn left and make an immediate right turn to stay on Pecos.

Go on black at the yield sign turn sharp left on Eno.

Follow the curve around and it changes to Inuit.

Cross Pomo and find a place to park. The golf building will be to the south.

EVMTFC having breakfast at Crackers & Co. January 6th. This in leu of, Ice Cream Sunday. We had a great turnout, looks like we like breakfast more than Ice Cream!



Ladies Tea and Men's Brats, hosted by Sandy and Larry Hart





So, the guys go to the garage and have a potluck, Larry cooks Brats. Yum Yum



Gotta kick the tires and tell a few stories!



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

Model T Ford Club of America Calenda

March 21, 2024 - March 23, 2024

59th MTFCA Annual Meeting

June 1, 2024

Homecoming at the Model T Museum

June 16, 2024 - June 20, 2024

MTFCA 2024 National Tour: Trails Less Travelled

San Diego, CA San Diego, CA, United States

August 15, 2024 - September 4, 2024

Adventures with Tin Lizzie in the Hungarian Landscape

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.

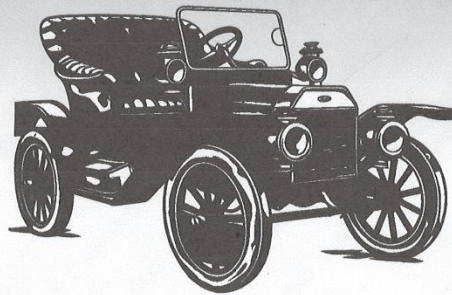
NOTE: ***Ownership of a Model T Ford is not required.***

Save the Date, Feb. 10th

2ND ANNUAL ROUNDUP
AT THE TIN LIZZIE RANCH
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH, 2024

8 AM -VENDOR SET-UP

9 AM -OPEN TO THE PUBLIC



- **Multi-Club Event**
- **Swap Meet**
- **Car line up**
- **Visit the Museum**
- **View the Garage**
- **Plenty of trailer parking**
- **Antique Engine Fire-Up**

Bring a dish to share and your own meat. We will have a BBQ going.

ADDRESS: DAVE KER, 22519 W. LOWER BUCKEYE RD, BUCKEYE 85326

CELL: 623-341-6386

CU THEN!
DAVE

For Sale**All items 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.

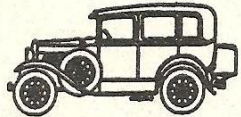
2) Like new set of four 4.40-4.50x21" B.F. Goodrich Silvertown blackwalls. It looks like they were mounted, but never saw the road. MACS Auto Parts has them for \$206.77 ea. with four of them coming to \$999.86 including tax and shipping. You can get these tires for \$125 ea.

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.

**Need new wood in your Wheels?
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