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First Tuesday of the month 7:30 PM
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6244 East 22nd Street
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\$15/yr. Family or \$10/yr Individual

MONTHLY OUTINGS:

Fourth Sunday of the month or
As voted on by the club membership

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Monday after the outing at Jim Click
Ford

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PICNIC IN THE PINES — August 26, 2012

August Outing Report:

Mount Lemmon Fire Department - Chuck & Lynn Thim

5 Model A's and 47 attendees enjoyed the nice cool weather of Mount Lemmon and the hospitality of the Mount Lemmon Fire Department. An informative talk about their operations and services they provide was given by the fire chief and then lunch was served. After the outing was over the mountain was visited by some of the participants before heading back down the hill. It was a good time and enjoyed by all who attended.

Rich is willing to show, anyone who is interested, his skills at doing the Model A Drift.



Tucson Model A Club General Meeting

Tuesday, September 4, 2012

Meeting was called to order by President Gary Roberts at 7:30 PM.

Thank you to Shorty Allison and Betty Trimble for providing tonight's refreshments.

Treasurer's report was given and a motion was made and seconded to approve as presented.

Door Prize Winner:

Tape measure and clamp were won by Ann Williams.

Other

There were no new members or guests at this evening's meeting.

Correspondences:

Desert A Restorers Club and Phoenix Model A Club Newsletters
Fundraiser support letter from South Pointe High School

Car Shows for 2012:

Saturday, September 15, 2012 – Veterans Hospital, 555 East Ajo Way from 8:00 AM to Noon. Ray needs as many cars as the club can provide for this event.

Saturday, October 20, 2012 – The Cascades – 201 Jessica, Tucson - 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM. Ten plus cars are needed for this upcoming car show.

Sunday, November 11, 2012 – Fellowship Square, 8111 E. Broadway, Tucson -

Noon – 2:30 PM. Fifteen plus cars are needed for this upcoming car show. If there are any interests in either of these car shows, please contact Ray Feierstein.

Old Business:

August Outing – Sunday, August 25, 2012 – Chuck and Lynn Thim –

We had five Model A's and Forty-seven attendees that were at the Mt. Lemmon outing. All enjoyed the nice cool weather of the mountain and the hospitality of the Mt. Lemmon Fire Department. Before lunch an informative talk was given by the fire chief of the Mt. Lemmon Fire Department. A motion was made and seconded to donate \$100.00 to the Mt. Lemmon Fire Department for their support in hosting our Mt. Lemmon outing.

Thank you to the Kent's for allowing us to use their home for club members that arrived early to the outing. Also, a thank you to the fire chief and other fire members that helped with the step up and takedown and to Sally Beebe and Jeannie Mietzner for helping Lynn with the cooking.

September 04, 2012 minutes (Continued)

New Business:

Saturday, September 22, 2012 - International Model A Day – Ron Edwards – We will leave at 7:00 AM (Sharp) from the library at Ajo / Mission and then motor the McCain Loop and Saguaro Park West ending at the Sky Rider Coffee Shop at the Marana Regional Airport for breakfast. After breakfast, there will be a guided tour of the airport. If anyone has questions regarding this tour and breakfast, please contact Ron Edwards.

October 26 – 27, 2012 - Overnighter – Ray and Sandy Feierstein – Tour to Queen Creek Olive Mill and Schnefp Farm – hotel accommodations are at the Hampton Inn. Each member that wants to go, please contact the Hampton Inn at (480) 543-1500. Hotel reservations are the responsibility of each club member that will be attending. Reservations need to be made by September 22, 2012. However, if you need to cancel your reservations, the deadline for cancellation is 48 hours prior to trip. If questions, contact Sandy Feierstein.

Saturday, November 10, 2012 - Antique Car Drag Race – 1/8 Mile - Joe Findysz - Model T's, Model A's and Flat Head V-8's are invited. The race will be held at the SIR race track, 12000 S. Houghton Road, Tucson, AZ. The entry fee for car and driver \$25.00 and spectators \$5.00 each. Gates open at 9:00 AM and Racing starts at 10:30 AM to 1:00 PM. There will be no sign-up sheet for this event. If interested, just show up. Also, if any questions, please contact Joe Findysz at (520)-954-0372.

December Annual Banquet is just around the corner. The contract has been signed with the cost of \$20.00 per member. What does the club want to contribute to this year's banquet member cost? This discussion will be brought up at our next Board meeting and brought back to our next general meeting.

Officers &/or Board Members ** Needed/Wanted **

If interested in becoming an officers or board member for 2013, please contact President Gary Roberts or any other officer or board member. Our President encourages all members to think about becoming an officer or a board member. Good experience for you as well as the club. If you are interested in becoming an outing chairperson, please contact our President or any other officer or board member.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:00 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Maggie Edwards, Secretary

Upcoming Outings



October 26 – 27, 2012 - Overnighter

Ray and Sandy Feierstein

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We plan on leaving from Catalina, AZ on Friday morning, 10/26/12, promptly 9:00 AM. Traveling to Florence, then go north on Arizona 79 to the Hunt Highway and turn left [west]. Take the Hunt Highway to Gary Road. Turn right [north] on Gary Road until it turns northwest just before the Combs Road intersection. Turn right [east] on Combs Road and travel approximately 500 ft. Turn left [north] onto Meridian Road and the Mill entrance will be on your left.

Approximately 70 miles (one-way) trip.
Return Trip will be on Saturday, 10/27/2012.

November 25, 2012 - Biosphere 2

Shorty Allison



We plan on leaving Catalina about 8:30 AM and drive up to the Biosphere 2, and then take a guided tour of the facility. Our tour is at 9:30 AM, and should last about 2 hours. Reservations are required for tour so be sure to sign up at the October General Meeting if you plan on attending.

Admission is \$20.00 per person.
Approximately 24 miles (one-way) trip.

If you have questions please contact Shorty Allison (520) 982-8965

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Saturday, November 17, 2012 - Emeritus at Tucson, 2650 W. Ina Road, Tucson - 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM

If there are any interests in either of these car shows, please contact Ray Feierstein.

September Outing - Saturday—September 22, 2012

International Model A Day - Ron Edwards

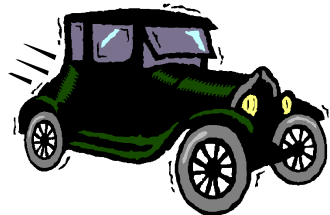
Meet and depart from the Library, at Ajo & Mission Rd., at 7:00 AM headed North on Mission, and then Grande. Turn left at Congress and veer right onto Silverbell Road and continue to Speedway. After making a left turn onto Speedway we'll travel up to Gates Pass where we will meet up with members from the north and west side of town approximately 7:20 AM. The group will then proceed down Gates Pass Road to Kinney Road. Turn right to the McCain Loop Road and then turn left to tour the McCain Loop Road/Saguaro National Park West ending up at Kinney Road again. Make a left turn onto Kinney Road and continue to Sandario Road. After making a right turn, continue North on Sandario Road to Avra Valley Road and the Avra Valley Airport. Breakfast/Lunch will be at the Sky Rider Restaurant at approximately 8:00 AM.

We will be given a private tour of some of the antique airplanes that are stored in some of the hangars.



Sky Rider Coffee Shop

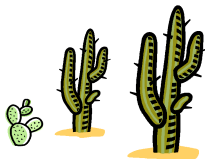
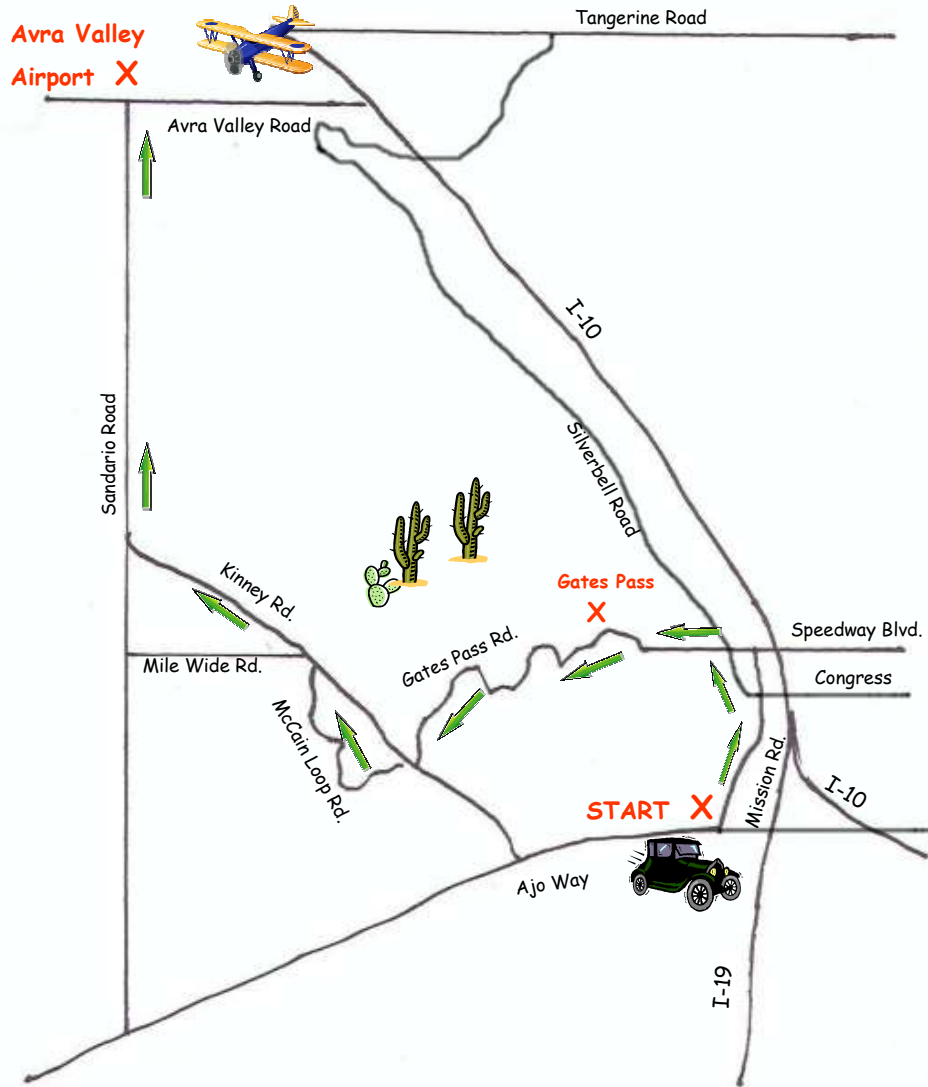
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Marana, AZ 85653



International Model A Day

September 22, 2012

Mission & Ajo Way to the Avra Valley Airport



Upcoming Events of Interest

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If you have any questions, please contact Joe Findysz at (520) 954-0372.



Saturday, November 17, 2012 "Rails in the Garden"

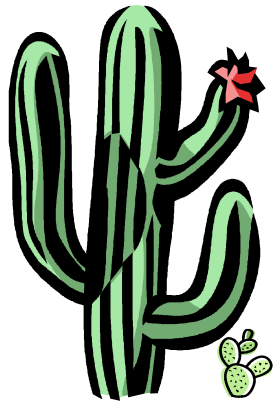
Bruce Edwards

The Club has been invited back to an open house at #4625 East Cerro de Agulia, from 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM. Which, if you remember, was the largest railroad layout on the tour?

If you have any questions contact Bruce Edwards.

December Holiday Banquet

The Annual Holiday Banquet is just around the corner. It will be held at the Tanque Verde Guest Ranch, (same as last year). Plan on attending, more details will be coming soon.



If you have any questions contact Bruce Edwards.



Celebrations!!!

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS!!!

- ★ 01 Ron Uhle
- ★ 03 Edie Friedrich
- ★ 07 John Dittmar
- ★ 13 Molly Ramsower
- ★ 14 John Stinn
- ★ 18 Bo Ratledge
- ★ 18 Deanne Uhle
- ★ 21 Sally Beebe
- ★ 21 Richard Dollinger
- ★ 21 Virginia Doty
- ★ 25 Larry Morehead
- ★ 27 Karen Pilcher
- ★ 29 Linda Bowers



SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES!!!

- ★ 11 John and Catherine Dittmar
- ★ 14 Carey and Shannon Kent
- ★ 14 John and Carolyn Stinn
- ★ 15 Andy and Anita Neal
- ★ 17 Mike and Suzanne Fehniger
- ★ 20 Andy and Tina Neal
- ★ 23 Chuck and Nancy Molander
- ★ 27 Howard and Susan Beebe
- ★ 28 Robert and Edie Friedrich
- ★ 29 Joe and Kelly Findysz



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!!!

We need volunteers for various tasks which are necessary for the successful operation of the club. These tasks include such jobs as outing chairpersons, board members, and officers.

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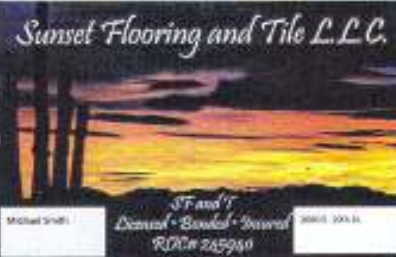
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