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Fourth Saturday or Sunday of the month, or as voted by the club membership

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MARCH OUTING - HF COORS











On Thursday, March 9, 2023 the Model A and T Clubs arrived at HF Coors where we displayed our vehicles outside the factory fences. Greg, the manager, told us about the various restaurants here in Tucson and throughout the US that use their products, including mugs for Air Force One. We then preceded with the tour. The clay, paint and glazes are all mixed in the factory. We watched as workers placed the clay onto molds, trimmed the pieces and placed them on racks. The pieces then went onto be re-wet and all excess clay was removed. From there the pieces were stamped with the HF Coors logo. All completed pieces are air dried and then readied for firing in the enormous kiln. After firing, depending upon the piece, they were either hand-painted or had decals applied, which we were able to observe. Depending upon the pieces they may have been glazed and put back into the kiln. All pieces are inspected for any defects and should there be any these pieces are sold as seconds. The products in the store included place settings, serving pieces, cups, mugs and ornaments. After the tour we went onto BJ's for a yummy lunch. We had over 40 members who attended the tour. Those who ordered mugs were able to pick them up easily as they were already wrapped, bagged and ready to go, and of course we were able to purchase other items as well. We appreciate the wonderful turnout and hope all enjoyed the (Submitted by Sandy and Ray Feierstein) day.



GENERAL MEETING MINUTES



General Meeting - 4 April 2023

Call to Order: Tom McWilliams at 7:00 pm.

New Members and Guests: John & Vicky Gibbs briefed the 2024 MAFCA Model A Convention (need for volunteers, individuals with previous experience, events) to be held in Ruidoso, NM (23-24 June 2024).

Minutes: Motion approved for 7 March 2023 General Meeting Minutes.

Refreshments: Thank you to Tom & Kathie McWilliams and Harvey & Betty Ross.

Correspondence: John Gibbs's 2024 MAFCA National Convention. Model A A400 for sale.

Treasurer's Report: Dan Jensen provided a summary of income and expenses. A motion to place \$10,000 within a certificate of deposit was approved by club members

Outings: March 2023

9 Mar: HF Coors Tour, Ray & Sandy Feierstein. Sandy Feierstein provided a summary of the outing and lunch.

Outings: April 2023

15 Apr: License Plate Sale at Arizona Auto Experience (8:00 AM – 1:00 PM)

15 Apr: Cascades Car Show, 12-15 Cars, 201 N Jessica, Gary Roberts (9:00 am – 1:00 pm)

22 Apr: Rodders Days (Pima Community College - Downtown).Model A Club discount.

23 Apr: Progressive Dinner. Gary Roberts.

Stops at the Blankenship, and Williams' homes.

Bring chairs and help clean up at each stop.

29 Apr: Pima County Fair, Ray Feierstein

Meet at 09:30 for escort in at 10:00/escort out at 3:00

Fair tickets will be available for family and friends.

Outings: May 2023

28 May: Breakfast in the Park. Work Crew starts at 0600. Richard Kuntz

29 May: Tucson Estates Memorial Day Parade

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Outings: June 2023

18 Jun: Villa Hermosa Car Show, Father's Day (9:00 – 11:30), Ray Feierstein.

New Business

Potential Lavender Farm Outing, Sandy Feierstein.

Motion carried to purchase 10 Model A coffee mugs from HF Coors.

Bernice Edwards' Birthday Celebration.

Next Board Meeting: 24 April 2023 at ACE Hardware on 22nd St.

Next General Meeting: 2 May 2023 at Park Avenue Car <u>Experience</u>, 4750 S.

Park Ave.

EVENTS CALENDAR

License Plate Sale

<u>Park Avenue Car Experience</u>

<u>4750 S. Park Avenue - Tucson, AZ</u> <u>85714</u>

<u> April 15 2023</u>

(8:00 AM-1:00 PM)



Saturday, April 15 — Car Show at the Cascades (9:00 AM to 1:00 PM).

201 N Jessica, Tucson, AZ

(Jessica is located halfway between Wilmot & Kolb Road on the north side of Broadway Blvd.) 12—14 cars are needed.

Contact Gary Robert. 520-909-3743

EVENTS CALENDAR (CONTINUED)

Saturday April 15 - Car Show at the Cascades
Cascades of Tucson
201 N. Jessica Avenue, AZ
(Contact Gary Roberts)

<u>Saturday April 15</u> - License Plate Sale 4750 S. Park Avenue, Tucson AZ (Contact Joe Findysz)

Saturday April 22 — Rodders Days
Pima Community College (Downtown Campus)
1255 N. Stone Avenue, Tucson AZ
7:00 AM— 2:00 PM

Sunday April 23 Progressive Dinner (See page 8 & 9)

Sunday May 28 — Breakfast in the Park

Monday May 29 — Memorial Day Parade at Tucson Estates.

June 11-16 — 2023 High Country Tour Breckenridge, Colorado.

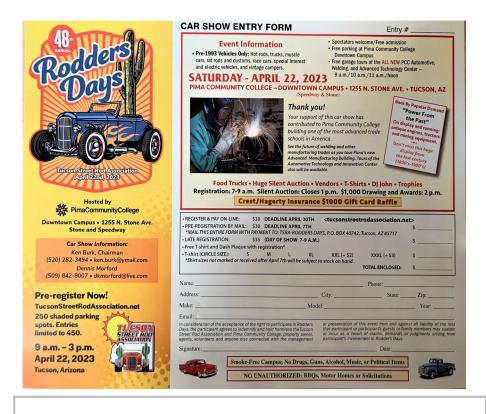
Sunday June 18 — Car Show, Villa Hermosa.

Contact: Ray Feierstein 531-9724.

EVENTS CALENDAR (CONTINUED)

Saturday — April 22, 2023 / 7:00 AM to 2:00 PM

1255 N. Stone Avenue, Tucson, AZ



If you are going to attend the Rodders Day Car show on Saturday, 04/22/23. We need to go in as a group so we can all park together. We will meet at 1145

North 5th Avenue, Tucson, AZ 85705. At the Findysz house at 6:45 AM. And they will leave about that time so don't be late.

Progressive Dinner Sunday April 23

This year our Model A Club annual Progressive Dinner is scheduled to

be held on Sunday - April 23 it will start

about 11:00 AM and ending about 3:45 PM +/

Stop # 1 host are Jim & Janis Blankenship

3501 W. Camino del Norte

Tucson, AZ 85742

Stop # 2 & # 3 host are Ernest & Ann Williams

10701 E. Pantano Trail

Tucson, AZ 85730

** Starting Point **

W. Ina Road & Thornydale Road

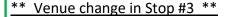
Go north on Thornydale to W. Camino del

Norte (Approx 5 miles)

Turn right and arrive at Stop # 1

Enjoy the appetizers and a walk around Jim's shop.

Stop # 1, should last about 1 hour before heading to the East Side.



We want to offer our condolences to Harvey & Betty Ross as Harveys' sister passed away this past week



Progressive Dinner Sunday April 23

It's time to continue down the road. As we leave the Blankenship's' home just go West to Thornydale and turn left.

Drive South to the intersection of Thornydale and Orange Grove Road, (approx. 7 miles) (This where Thornydale turns into River Road.

Continue to follow River Road, East to Alvernon Road (approx. 12 miles).

Curve to the right and go south on Algernon to 22nd Street, (approx. 6 miles)

Once you arrive at 22nd Street, turn left and go, (approx. 12 miles) to Houghton Road. Cross over Houghton Road and travel less than 1 mile, to Avenida los Reys and turn right.

Travel less than 1 mile to E. Pantano Trail and you have arrived at Stop # 2 & # 3 The Main Course & Desserts. Lunch should start about 1: 20 PM to about 3:00 PM +/-.

Set back enjoy the food and side dishes that you are bringing to share. Enjoy Ernie's shop and projects.

We hope I didn't get anyone lost and we hope everyone had a good time and got plenty to eat...

Thanks in advance to those that open there homes up to us, and everyone that participated.

Questions contact Gary Roberts

Pima County Fair Saturday April 29

Hello A'ers and T'ers,

We have been invited to go to the Pima County Fair on Saturday April 29, from 9 AM to 3 PM. If you're interested, let me know so I can lock in the date. We will be parking in Central Park, and it will be a fun day. I will get extra tickets to give family members at the East gate after 10 AM. We will meet before 9 AM at the vendor's entrance on Brekke at Houghton.

Thank you, Ray Feierstein - (520) 531-9724

Hello Model A'ers and T'ers,

We have been invited to spend the day, Saturday April 29, 2023, from 9 AM to 3 PM at the Pima County Fair. We will all need to be in line off the Brekke Road vendors' entrance before 9 AM. We must all go into and out of the park together, with our antique vehicles, for security reasons. All of your guests will be invited, with free tickets to give them after 10:00 AM at the main gate. Please let me know ASAP who would like to come so I can let them know how many to expect.

Thank you, Ray Feierstein 520-531-9724



NEXT MEETING:

Tuesday May 02, 2023

Meeting Refreshments will be provided by:

The Franklin Museum



April 01 - Alejandro Allison

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April 07 - Barbara Jo Birt

April 11 - Ann Grodzicki

April 12 - John Lundberg

April 15 - Sandy Feierstein

April 17 - Rita Boaz

April 20 - Gene Zlacket

April 22 - Sandy Zimeroff

April 25 - Ray Feierstein

April 25 - TK Mohr

April 29 - Tanya Lown



John & Vicky Gibbs



April 28 - Ray & Sandy Feierstein

Event Calendar

<u>High Country Tour</u> <u>2023 — Breckenridge, CO</u>

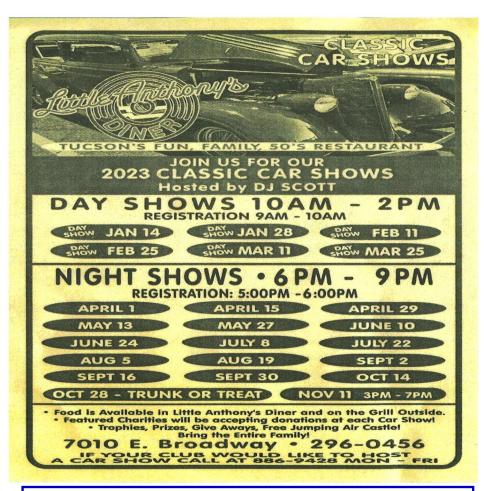
Their has been a lot of interest shown by some members, in attending the High Country Tour in June of 2023.

There will be a planning group, for those to discuss routing and lodging preferences. If you are interested &/or have some input that

Do you want to try out your racing ability or your car on our indoor race track?

Contact Chuck Thim for more details (520) 444-9939





The night shows have started at Little Anthony's Diner. Come out some evening and enjoy your friends, the cars and the atmosphere.

May 28th - Breakfast in the Park

We have reserved a remada at Udal Park for that Sunday, so come out and enjoy a good breakfast, Give your wife &/or your "Better Half" the morning off from cooking and serve them a good meal that is cooked by the men of the club. We'll be serving Bacon, Sausage, Eggs, Pancakes, Coffee, Juice, Donuts, Contact Richard Kunz (520) 907-5811

Complements from a friend

Chuck & Lynn Thim

Joe & Kelly Findysz

Shorty & Isabel Allison









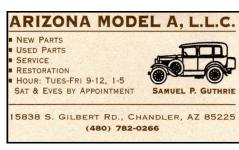


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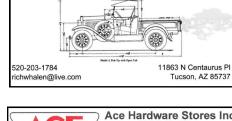
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