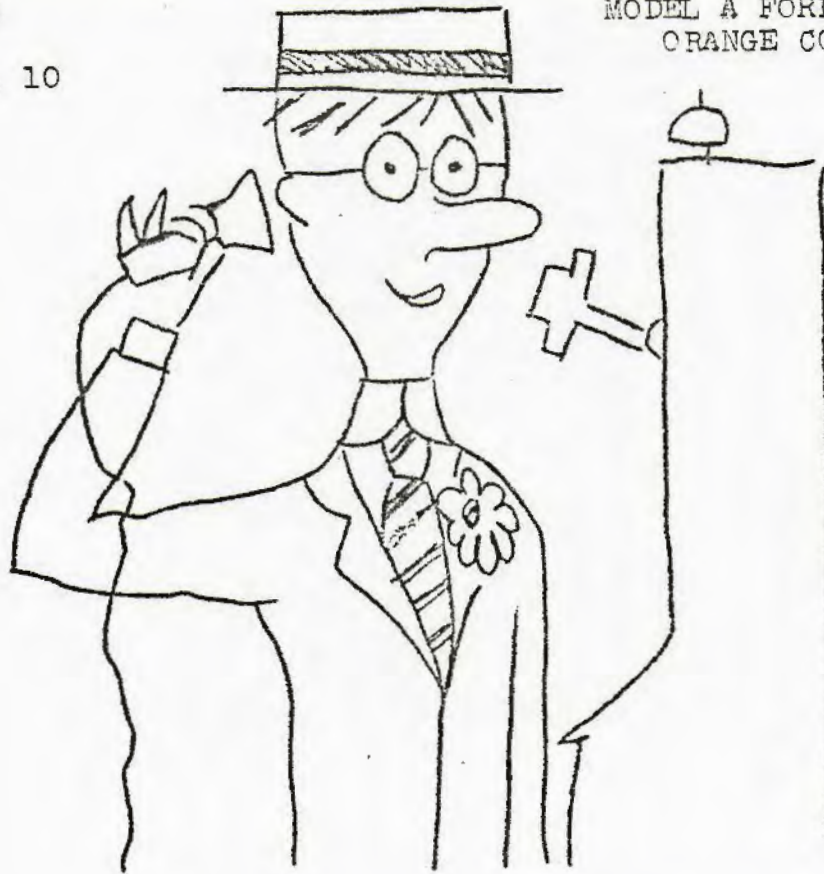


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MODEL A FORD CLUB OF AMERICA
ORANGE COUNTY CHAPTER



"I'll be seeing you at the Third Annual Model A Ford Club of America Orange County Chapter Roundup at Knott's Berry Farm on Highway 39 in Buena Park on Saturday, October 23rd from 9 am till 3 pm and don't forget your car and era clothing," said Tom breathlessly.

CLUB OFFICERS

Gene Robinson.....President
Andy Baudino...Vice President
Jack Dierberger.....Secretary
Gayle Hasenplaugh...Treasurer

Sally Lindman..Activities Chairman
Bob Twyman.....Technical Advisor
Larry Boef.....Distributor Editor
Richard Parrish...Roundup Chairman

OCTOBER MEETING

DATE: October 15, 1965
 TIME: 7:30 pm
 PLACE: Izaak Walton Club House
 1714 Santa Clara, Santa Ana

THE PREZ SAYS: ...
 by Gene Robinson

It is time for our yearly election of club officers. Since the voting procedure has been changed from last year I will explain how the election will be handled. We have asked people to run for the board who have been active in the club this year: attending club meetings, participating in club activities, etc. These names are listed on the ballot on the back page of the paper. This year both husband and wife are regular members, and therefore will be able to vote. Also, anyone who has paid a \$5 membership fee for 1965 is a regular member, and is eligible to vote. Family members are not able to vote. Board members are elected for one year, beginning January 1st and ending December 31st. See the ballot for instructions. The ballot may be brought to the regular meeting this Thursday and put in the ballot box, or it may be mailed to Orange County Model A Ford Club, P.O. Box 5023, Santa Ana.

CALENDAR

- OCTOBER 10 999 Inc., Street Drags at Fontana Drag Strip
- OCTOBER 17 Annual Pomona Valley MAFC Meet - Trophy & Swap Meet
- OCTOBER 23 3RD ANNUAL ROUNDUP !!!!!
Orange County Chapter at Knott's Berry Farm. Combination costume-car judging.
- NOVEMBER 7 Club tour to apple country
- NOVEMBER 14 So. Calif. Model T Swap Meet, Burbank
- DECEMBER 9 Annual club children's Christmas party
- DECEMBER 11 Adults' Christmas party.

It was my pleasure to attend the monthly meetings of the Pomona Valley Chapter and the Whittier Chapter during this past month. We had a lot of fun, and received a warm welcome from both clubs.

PHIL FELL!!

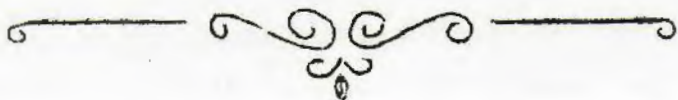
One of our more athletic members, Phil Jouion-Roche is hospitalized as the result of a surfing mishap. He will be out of commission for several weeks, and would appreciate hearing from any of you.

"I'll swing by and pick you up in my new Model A ambulance, Phil," said Tom hospitably.

I hear that the Bonds, Ed and Gary, put their foot on the carburetor and came home with a trophy from the 999 Street Drags. Bring your hardware to the next meeting, fellows, so we can admire it.

We will be signing up members for 1966 club membership in November. If you see an unfamiliar A around, stop and put one of our cards in it. It's surprising how many A owners don't know that there is a Model A Ford club in Orange County.

I hope to see many Orange Countians at the Pomona meet on October 17th. Larry Boef and I are going to be part of the judging staff at the meet. Busy with judging, running events and a



MODEL A's IN THE NEWS

Our Orange County members have been busy lately, acquiring new cars, unloading old ones, and fixing up what they have. Here are some of the most recent dealings.

Ragnar Lindman is the proud new owner of a '29 2-door phaeton. It's hardly in shape for competition at the present time, but it's a real beauty, and promises to bring fame and fortune to our club as well as to Rags.

Ed and Gary Bond have done it! They've gone and painted the coupe authentic! We're gonna miss those yellow fenders, but the new green-with-black colors are very attractive. (Is it true what they say, Ed and Gary, that the green is elk-point and rock-moss COMBINED?)

Chuck and Gail Gammell have recently acquired not only a new Model A, but a new home as well. Their new address is 346 W. Jacaranda, Fullerton, phone 879-5462. And of course, the real news: the new car is a '29 2-door sedan. Some of the more experienced Model A wives are still trying to explain to Gail that no true Model Aer is happy unless he has at least one machine in 2,000 pieces all over the floor of the garage, in addition to occasional repairs on his "road car."

In one of the surprise trades of the month, Larry Boef has traded his 4-door '31 town sedan to Jack Dierberger in exchange for (now hold on to your hats) Old 99! For any of the newer club members who don't know, Old 99 is a '30 roadster pickup that Jack picked up a year or so ago in a clay field near Elsinore. It was the talk of the club for several months (how could anything that looked so bad still run?) until Jack began restoration. Larry will continue to mend Old 99 till she's as healthy inside as out, and Jack is back in the restoration business.

ACTIVITIES REPORT
by Gally Lindman

October 17 is the Annual MAFCA Southern California trophy and swap meet scheduled under the pavilion at the L.A. County Fairgrounds in Pomona, sponsored by the Pomona Valley Model A Club.

October 23rd is the big day!! Richard Parrish, head of our 1965 Roundup, needs full support for each member of our club. Below is a list of some of the jobs there will be on the day of the Roundup, and some of the people we have chosen to carry them out. If you find it impossible to carry out the job assigned to you in this list, please make arrangements with another member to take your place.

Also, please watch your local paper for Roundup publicity, and save it to give to Stew and Beth Sale, club historians.

ROUNDUP COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Registrars: Chuck and Gail Gammell

Distribution of Ride Tickets: Sandy Antonacci and Ed Bond

Decision of Car Classification: Bill Vaughn and Herb Whitmore

Traffic Directors: Mel Howell, Jack Dierberger, Andy Baudino, Bob Graves, Larry Boef, Jim Marsh, Bob Twyman, Bob McDaniel

Horseless Carriage and Antique Auto Directors and Protectors: Dan Doller, Steve Kannard

If you're confused about just what your job requires (what time do I get to Knotts, what do I do, where do I do it), check with Richard Parrish at the meeting Thursday.

RIM OF THE WORLD TOUR

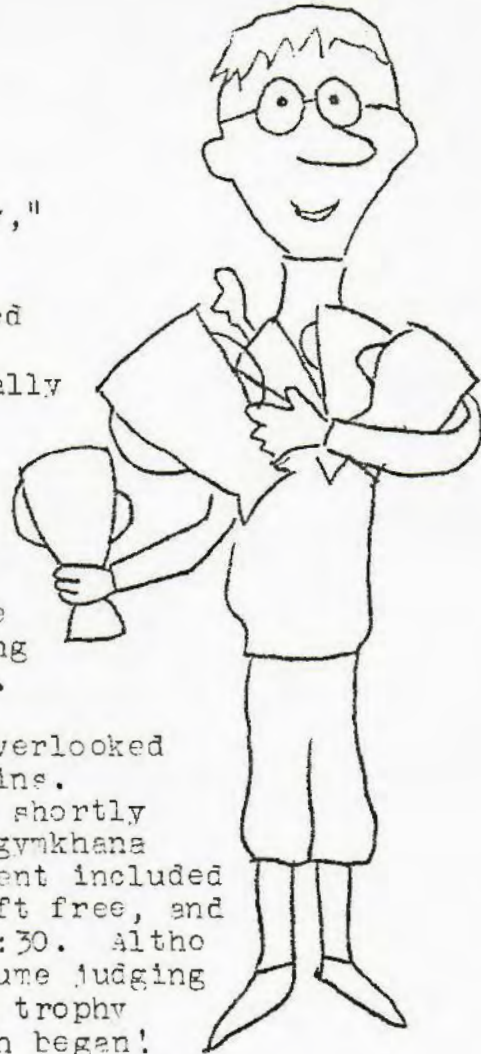
or

"Gee whiz, fellas, we won another trophy,"
said Tom winningly.

What started out as just a fun trip ended up as a triumphant trophy-bearing procession last month, as Orange County really cleaned up the awards at the Whittier-sponsored Rim of the World tour.

Gene and Mary Robinson, Pat and Donna Peddicord, Steve and Beth Sale and their friends Ed and Carole Bath began the tour early Saturday morning, meeting the Whittier group at La Habra and proceeding with them to Crestline and Lake Gregory.

The weather was lovely, and the cabin overlooked Lake Gregory and the surrounding mountains. The competition in running events began shortly after lunch, and included four or five gymkhana events. There was a ladies' driving event included also. The rest of the afternoon was left free, and the banquet was scheduled to begin at 6:30. Although things got started a bit late, the costume judging was completed and they began announcing trophy winners about 9:00. Then's when the fun began! The three Model As from Orange County garnered a total of EIGHT trophies, Donna Peddicord was awarded first prize in the ladies' clothing division, and Gene and Mary Robinson were awarded first prize as best-dressed couple! It began to be embarrassing to stand up to receive another prize! (In all there were only 18 trophies awarded!) In addition to all this, Pat Peddicord won an explosion whistle as a door prize. All in all, the Rim of the World Tour was a memorable one. Everything was well-handled, and a grand time was had by all. (Do you suppose we'll be invited back?)



SEPTEMBER SWIM PARTY
by Rosemary Baudino

The annual Orange County swim party, held at Pat and Larry Boef's this year, turned out to be a real blast. A couple of the male members of the club made sure everyone went swimming (didn't they, Gail?). After a few hours of swimming in 90 degree water in the Boef's beautiful pool, (which was delightful) everyone was famished.

On went the steaks to the barbecues, and out came the rest of the potluck -- bread, salads, etc. If you wondered why there was a shortage of salads, I forgot mine!

All in all, the swimming, eating, joking and tire-kicking was a lot of fun. A big THANKS to Pat and Larry for their hospitality.

THE POKER RUN

or

Beware the Ides of October!

by Secret Agent X-J-Boef

It was dark on the 2nd of October, 1965, and all through the night stealthy shadows crept through the dark streets of Orange, California. One by one, thirteen cars left from point X to a rendezvous with Destiny! The lead car followed a carefully marked trail of white spots left only moments before by the two crafty denizens, Lacquer Andy and Bill Vickv. Five carefully planned pick up points were searched out with flashlight, and a prize gleaned from each.

Onward with stalwart perseverance pushed our thirteen brave adventurers and their co-pilots. Soon paths were crossed and re-crossed as some strayed from the trail while others were lost in dark subterfuge, and missed their assigned pick ups. These desperate souls had to double back, retrace their steps and then push on in hopes of gaining a reward for a job well done.

After several hours of death-defying bravery, our stalwart crews finally rendezvoused at the secret hideout of their mysterious leader, where he handed out prizes to the victors and crumbs (pizza crumbs, of course) to all others who had the courage to persevere to the end.

CLASSIFIED ADS
and comments

WANTED: Two '30 front fender brackets (2 floppy fenders need immediate help!) Bob Deshon, TR 1-2249.

FOR SALE: '30 standard coupe, rumble seat, new chrome (made it to Idyllwild in '65) Chuck Gemell 879-5462.

WANTED: 1930 right rear fender for sport coupe (the poor guy he hit needs one too!) C.F. LeBon, 526-2407.

TRADE: Practically new tires: two 21" whitewalls, two 21" blackwalls for 19" tires and wheels. Jack Dierberger, 776-2679 (did you say the name was Deer-Burglar?)

WANTED: 2 rear fenders for '31 town sedan. Dom Antonacci, 213-591-6830. (if he can't find these it'll be a Dom shame)

WANTED: Cowl section for 30-31 2-dr. sedan. Steve Kannard, ask for Steve at 535-1143. (did the tiger eat the tank, too, Steve?)

"It seems I have to do everything around here lately," said Tom helplessly.

AT THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS
 IN POMONA
 SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17
 FROM 9 'TIL 4



NINTH ANNUAL MEET

PARTICIPATION OPEN TO ALL RECOGNIZED MODEL A FORD CLUBS.....
 PUBLIC INVITED.....USE THE ENTRY BLANK BELOW AND REGISTER NOW
 FOR THE YEAR'S BIGGEST EVENT.

There will be more awards than ever before, Model A Fords to be judged in individual classes using the nationally tested point system Gates open at 9, judging and field events start immediately, all cars must be on the grounds by 12 noon Pre-registration preferred, so tear off the entry blank below and register NOW! Supervised playground area for the children Under cover, rain or shine, under the carport.

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Ninth Annual Meet
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