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Pam Heiland, Editor  
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# Happy Easter!

Join our Easter Parades to



DePalmas  
Italian Village  
Apr. 29



Antique Nationals  
Drag Races  
Apr. 15



## APRIL MEETING

Date: April 12, 1973

Time: 7:30 PM

Place: South Jr. High School in Anaheim.

Program: Fire Prevention is the theme for tonight's program and it will be put on by the Anaheim Fire Department. This program may save your life or the life of someone you love so don't miss it!!!!

## COMING EVENTS

April 6, 7, 8: Yuma Tour

April 15: Antique Auto Drags

April 26: Board meeting at Martin's

April 29: De Palmas Italian Village Tour.

May 6: Orange County Model T Club Swap Meet.

For details on these tours and on tours sponsored by other clubs see Linda Hofstatter's article.

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MARSH'S MESSAGE  
by Jim Marsh, President

I would like to thank Richard Krist and Glenn Johnson for all their labor in putting on our March Technical Session. We had about 25 men there and I heard nothing but good reports from all I talked to. Great job! I would also like to thank Dean Salazar for volunteering and putting on a special seminar on the new national judging rules. This session was at my house, March 28, 1973. I hope you all got the word. It was rather short notice, but we wanted to get it in before the Yuma meet. For information on next technical session see Ragg's article.

I would also like to take this opportunity to ask if anyone has any special Model A talent, and would like to host a technical session. Please contact Ragg's Lindman or myself for a time and date.

Our Activities Chairman, Linda Hofstatter, has been doing a most outstanding job. In March we had two activities, the pancake breakfast which was a very big job and also a very big success. Thank you Linda. We also had a tour to Tropico Gold Mine near Lancaster. We had 5 "A's"

and 6 newer type make the trip. It was approximately 300 miles so here are 5 guys that need only 200 miles more to get a 500 mile patch. April also looks like a busy month for all of us and Linda. We have the Yuma Meet, Bowling nite, De Palmas Tour, and a technical session.

I would like to invite the newer members to take part in these tours and activities. This is a very good way for you to get to know the Orange County Model A Club. It would make the club a lot more fun and make the Model "A" an even more fun car.

That's all for now. See you Thursday, April 12, 7:30 at South Jr. Hi.

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## BOARD MEETING MINUTES 3-29-73

President Jim Marsh called the meeting to order.

The Secretary read the minutes. They were approved as read.

The Treasurer read the Treasurer's report. Balance on hand as of 3-29-73 was \$1059.35. The net profit for the breakfast was \$172.33. The Treasurer's report was approved as read.

The activities were given by Linda. The beach party was discussed and it was decided to invite all clubs to participate. The place will be Doheny State Beach on July 22. Invitations will be sent out to the various clubs.

The Tour Kit was discussed and Hal Martin made a motion that we bring the kit up to date, take inventory, sign out and charge for the item taken. Ragg's seconded it. It passed unanimously. Larry Boef made a motion that each "A" going on a tour be given a safety check before leaving. Ragg's seconded the motion. It passed unanimously.

Trent asked that the teenagers have another party this year. A teenage record dance with chaperones. It was decided that this should be brought up at the meeting and suggested that it be stressed that this is not a Model A party.

Pam needs articles by Sat. March 31. Pam asked for money for stencils.

Bill Vaughn and Rak Krist gave a talk on the Queen Mary Chapter. An article will be printed in the paper stating that the club does not have to make

\$50,000 because registration, banquet and other activities will help pay for it. The National Convention was discussed and explained. Rak asked the club to take out an ad for the convention booklet.

Raggs told us that the next meeting will be a Fire Prevention Program by the Anaheim Fire Department.

A drug prevention program was discussed for May.

The next Technical Session will be at Jim March's. Jon Heiland will be in charge and will be rebuilding a transmission. The session will be April 27 at 7:30 p.m.

Jim told us about the judging session held at his house on March 27. He said that the turn out was very successful and it was quite informative.

Hal Martin discussed the Round-Up. Ribbons were discussed for the next Round-Up. Trophies were discussed and it was suggested that the left over trophies from the last Round-Up be given at the beach party for club participation and longest distance. 43 trophies will be needed for the Round-Up.

The club participation trophy for the Round-Up was discussed and it was explained that the trophy has to be won three times in a row before it may be kept by a club.

Flowers and corsages will be given to the judges and registers. Larry Boef and Jack Roggenbuck will check into the prices for the flowers.

The Advertising Committee for the Round-Up will be meeting at Hal Martin's on April 20 at 7:30 p.m.

The raffle trip was discussed and Hal read a letter from a travel agency about the Hawaii trip. More information will be brought up at the next board meeting.

The Driver's Patch was discussed and it was voted not to include Yuma in the club tours.

A letter was received from the National Board thanking us for the gift we gave them for the National Banquet.

The next board meeting will be at Hal Martin's on April 26 at 7:30.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon Johnson, Secretary

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## HOPPIN' WITH HOFSTATTER

by Linda Hofstatter,  
Activities Chairman

Thank you's are certainly in order for ALL the people who did so much to make the Spring Pancake Breakfast the best we've ever had. We served 228 adults and 77 children for a total of 305. I think everyone enjoyed the Gymkhana and again thank you to ALL those who worked over there too. A special thank you for Maynard Grunklee for making all the arrangements for us to use the Union Bank Building.

Our tour to the Tropic Gold Mine was very interesting and a lot of fun. The drive was very nice and "sneaky" Hal Martin deserves a big thank you for leading us all the way up and all the way back.

On to our next fun filled month of April, another busy one!

On April 15 we hope everyone will come out to the Orange County Raceway for the Antique National Drag Races. Any car having a 1948 or earlier engine can participate in the drag races. Also there is a parade lap, a car show and a speed equipment swap meet for an admission fee of \$3.00 for adults and \$1.00 for kids under 12. An additional \$2.00 entry fee is charged if you race. Anyone participating in the parade lap receives a dash plaque. Bring a picnic lunch and join in the fun. Time trials start at 8 A.M. with the actual races starting around noon.

Also on April 15 we will have our bowling night at Carter Bowl in Fullerton at 1501 S. Lemon which is just north of the Riverside Freeway. The time is 7:30 P.M., the cost is 70¢ per game which probably will be 3 games if everyone holds up and the shoe rental is 25¢.

On April 28 and 29 the Takorsfield Chapter is having their annual Heritage Days Parade and Car Show.

On April 29 another full day of activities. In the morning starting at 6 A.M. the Early Times Car Club is having their Swap Meet and Pancake Breakfast at the Cars of the Stars. At 12:30 our own tour will be leaving the Parasol Restaurant in the Orange Mall on Tustin for DePalma's Italian Village south of Corona. For those who have never been there, this is an 8 course authentic Italian meal for about an average of \$5.00 per person. Also in the village there is an Italian

Hoppin', cont.

delicatessen, a flea market, a train ride and a petting zoo for the kids and a few other shops. It takes at least 2 hours to eat the 8 course meal but they do have ala carte things, too, including pizza. This is truly a meal you will remember for awhile.

Also on April 29 there is an Antique Auto Modified Auto and Motorcycle Swap Meet plus Antique and Modified Vehicle Show and Sale at the Rose Bowl.

May 6, the Orange County Model T Club is having their annual Swap Meet at the Santa Ana Bowl.

Also on May 6, the Stanton Lions Club is having a charity car show and swap meet. Proceeds will be used for sight conservations, youth groups and the City of Hope that are sponsored by the Stanton Lions. The event is being held at the Los Alamitos Race Track, south parking lot on Katella, from 9 A.M. to 5 P.M. Tickets will be sold at the meeting.

Mother's Day, May 13, we are planning a winery tour if the wineries will be open. Larry Boef is taking care of this one. More on this next month.

Our campout this year will be June 16 and 17 at El Lorro Ranch Camp on Hiway 78 just east of Ramona. The rates are \$4.00 per family per night which begins at 4:00 P.M. It is a western style campground with horseback riding at \$2.50 per hour, covered wagon ride, weekend hay rides and square dances, chuck wagon dinner on Saturday night, a 40 X 60 foot swimming pool and a wading pool for little ones, horseshoe pits, hiking and rock hunting, playground area, a juke box for dancing and a big recreation hall. It is minutes from bass fishing at Sutherland Dam Reservoir and San Diego Wild Animal Park. You may bring your dogs if they are kept on leashes. NO mini-bikes or other motorized vehicles are allowed. There are restrooms with hot showers. At the next meeting I will need to take firm reservations with a \$2.00 deposit per family. There is also a general store on the grounds with supplies, ice, etc.

This year we have decided to have a giant beach party on July 22. We are inviting other clubs to participate with us. For a charge of \$2.00 per person, \$1.00 for children, everyone will be able to dig for prizes and have all the corn and watermelon they can eat. It will be at

Doheny State Park as usual.

At our last board meeting it was decided that from now on on each tour, the tour chairman will make a legal safety check on each car before leaving. Make sure your lights are working, your windshield wiper is working, that your tires are driveable, that your brakes work, and that there is a sideview mirror on your car.

Another thing that was decided was that the tour patch will only include club sponsored tours, that is miles for tours set up primarily for our own club activities.

This should be enough to keep everyone busy for awhile. Tune in to this same paper next month when again the calendar of FANTASTIC events will be given. See you then!! (Right on! - the Editor)

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#### ROUND-UP REPORT #1

by Hal Martin, Round-Up Chair.

The eleventh Annual Round-Up at Knott's Berry Farm has begun to shape up very nicely. The following people are heading up committees and if you have a preference for working during the Round-Up event or prior to it please contact the committee head or myself.

The committees are as follows:

1. Goody Bags- Bill and Patsy Heller  
633-4095
2. Dash Plaques- Richard Parrish 534-8129
3. Judging- Maynard Grunklee 532-1418
4. Registration- Jim Douglass 543-2281
5. Tally- Jim Douglass
6. Traffic- Red Hofstattor 998-0964  
Jon Heiland 836-4244  
Rak Krist 639-5017
7. Publicity (a) Papers and Announcements  
Darrell and Joan Vandever  
534-7986  
  
(b) Posters and Flyer Design  
Sue Grunklee 532-1418  
Bev Marsh and Candy Cole  
  
(c) Flyer Printing Pam Heiland
8. Trophies- Glenn Johnson 528-0891  
Bill Vaughn 532-5363

9. Photographs at Round-Up- Sally Lindman  
 10. Donations for Raffle- Sally Lindman  
 774-9977

Club Visitations- Joe Eatherton 545-1435

We can make another successful Round-Up this year if we all contribute ideas and time so come on out and help. The major raffle prize this year will be a Hawaiian Holiday for two for 8 days and 7 nights subject to approval by the membership. I will continue to keep everybody posted on Round-Up progress with a monthly report.

P.S. There will be a committee meeting of all chairman at my house April 20 at 7:30 P.M. for time table schedule.

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TECHNICAL TALK  
 by Ragnar Lindman, Tech. Adv.

Orange County's Tech meetings are really great. The last one was held at Richard Krist's body shop, where Glenn Johnson striped a Model "A" Coupe and at the same time Rak gave a wonderful demonstration on finishing. Thank you Glenn and Rak.

Next will be a transmission demonstration conducted by Jon Heiland who gave one previously at a meeting. Place will be Jim Marshes on April 27 at 7:30 P.M.

The April meeting program will be an fire prevention. Please plan to attend this program given by the Anaheim Fire Department.

Where will the May technical meeting be????? We need volunteers!!!

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#### CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE: Infants wicker dressing table. Like new. Cost \$25.00, will take \$8.00. Call Sharon at 528-0891.

FOR SALE: '30 Model A Slant Window Coupe. Chevy engine- spl. headers. Body in very good shape. \$450.00 fixed. Call after 6 PM Tony Zavala, 714-897-6692.

FOR SALE: 4 new 19" white wall tires - \$70.00. Excellent tan naugahyde on new rumble seat spring

\$70.00. Also 1930 Coupe with rumble seat - \$1950.00. Call Joe Clary 772-2557.

WANTED: Names and addresses of 1939 Ford Woody owners. Rear seats for same. Technical information on the 1939 cars or woody.  
 Reply to Jim Marsh  
 14661 Bromley St.  
 Westminster, Ca. 92683  
 (714) 839-5203

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#### GOOD GUYS!

Maynard Brunklee	Merlin Hosler
Ragnar Lindman	Tim Virus
Chris Welton	Jerry Trail
Jon Heiland	Steve Guyer
Larry Beef	Tim Csanadi
Roger Sewersby	Tom Hollis
Bill Heller	Dick McNabb
Hoke Dillen	Vince Mariela
Pete Peterson	Darrell Vandover
Jack Roggenbuck	David Nelson
Glenn Johnson	Hal Martin
Jim Marsh	Joe Clary
Bill Vaughn	Rick Hall
Karl Elliott	Steve Chambers
Gene Hovatter	Rak Krist
Ray Griffin	Tom Hettel
Dalo Virus	Red Hofstatter
Roland Ferris	Joe Eatherton
Charles Barna	Jim Douglass
Donald Clark	Joy Csanadi
Dusty Trail	
John Shanafelt	
Stew Sale	

These are the GOOD GUYS because they have paid their \$1.00 to the Assoc. of Calif. Car Clubs to help support our fight against legislation that will be extremely detrimental to our old car hobby. If you aren't on the list check the list below. If you're on it, don't just sit there!!! Bring your \$1.00 to the April meeting and give it to Larry Beef or mail it to him as soon as possible!!!!!!

#### NOT SO GOOD GUYS

Dom Antonacci	Bill Cote
Dan Baldridge	Paul Cranor
Barry Bruet	Larry Conkel
Jerry Buyser	Bob Eveld
Don Buzzo	Dan Gale
Paul Chappell	Larry Geller
James Chelowinski	Richard Hall
Robert Cole	Ted Hammer
Gary Colletti	Bill Harris

Not so Good, cont.

Gene Howell	Bob Jones
Rick Krist	Dave Lippincott
Harold Looney	Wilbert Marsh
Tom Matthey	John Morgan
Tom Morris	Emmett Oehlert
Norman Orton	Neil Parker
Richard Parrish	Steve Popely
Ron Poston	Vert Queener
Andy Saez	Steve Sebastian
Mark Smith	Roy Taft
William Tasky	Roy Thorsen
Harold Trail	Phil Williams
Brad Worch	Fred Yeaw
Bud Znikker	

Please remember, our club has assessed each member the small sum of \$1.00 which is to be sent to the Assoc. of Calif.

**Car Clubs.** This Association has been formed in order to fight the bills that are being put before Congress which would make it impossible for us to drive our Model A's with their original equipment on them (for instance if some of the bills are passed we would have to have sealed-beam headlights, modern brakes, etc.). Also, they are trying to enact legislation to enable the authorities to confiscate our "piles of junk" at will without having to notify us. Please, do your part to help us fight these outrageous "goings on". Support the Association with your \$1.00 and write to your Congressman to let him know you don't like what is going on!!!!!!

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#### NAMES IN THE NEWS

CONGRATULATIONS TO Robin and Doris Dunlap who have adopted another baby boy. His name is Joseph Todd and he was born March 1, 1973 weighing in at 4 lbs. 2 oz. He was 17 in. long. Kind of a little guy, but worth so very much to his new mommy and daddy and his new big brother, Clark. We're so happy for you all!!!!

I'm very sorry to report that Bus Pearman has been ill again. We're all thinking of you Bus and we sincerely hope you're feeling better.

Talk about being perfect for a job. Who but Larry Beef to lead a wine tour?!!

Linda said that the 8 course meal at DePalma's Italian Village is truly a meal

to remember for quite awhile. Does that mean we're all going to have 8 days of heartburn????? Sounds like it would be worth it. Where else can you eat for 2 hours for about \$5.00???? Hope to see you all there.

Don't forget to buy your tickets for the Lion's Club Charity Car Show and Swap Meet on May 6. For every ticket we sell at \$1.00 our club will receive 50¢. Can't beat that for an easy way to make some money!!!

For all of you gals who are interested, Joan Vandover has set up a night for us to go out to H and H Floral Supply to learn how to do decoupage. The date is April 23 and the class is from 6:30 to 8:30 PM. If you want to participate please have \$1.00 with you at our April meeting and give it to Joan. We must have our reservations made by then so don't be left out. The cost is the \$1 plus you must buy your board and print from the floral supply.

That's about it for this month. See ya next month.

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#### AN IMPORTANT WORD!

In the last issue of The Distributor there was a note about the Queen Mary Chapter needing to make \$50,000 dollars to put on the National meet. This was not entirely true and my apologies to anyone who might have been misled by this figure. It actually does take that much to put on a national meet but most of it comes from the advance reservations, banquets and so forth. The club will actually only have to raise a few thousand dollars. I sincerely hope that this did not scare any of you away from joining the Queen Mary Chapter because what they need most right now are a bunch of enthusiastic, helpful members. As with any new club just getting started, the Queen Mary Chapter has had a few problems as to policies, etc., however, all of these problems are well ironed out now and everything is running smoothly and on schedule. I believe, along with a good many other people in this area, that the 1974 meet aboard the Queen Mary is going to be one of the biggest and best that NAFCA has ever seen. Won't you please join us in our efforts, so we can make this prophecy come true??

JOIN THE QUEEN MARY CHAPTER NOW!!!!

A word about the Tropico  
Gold Mine Tour!

FAN

TASTIC

We were having so much fun on the Tropico Gold Mine Tour that I completely forgot to ask anyone to write an article about it. If you didn't go on the tour, you miss one of the truly great tours of the year.

We all started out bright and early and, thanks to Hal Martin, had an unbelievable drive through some beautiful back country. Just as we were beginning to think we'd never get there, we did! The gold mine and all of the museums and displays were fascinating and they had a little picnic area where we had our lunch.

Some of us left a little early, but the hardier souls among us stayed on for a wild flower tour. Everyone had said that the flowers were really in full bloom this year because of all the rain, but unfortunately our group found out differently. There weren't any flowers to be seen but they had a great tour home anyway.

To make a long story short, as I said, if you missed this one, you missed something really special. Don't be left out again. We've got lots of great tours coming up in the near future, so come on out and join in the fun. We'll be looking for you!!!

THANKS LINDA?  
You did it again!

*By Sue Grunklee*

Fashions For A's - 1929



1929 - Different versions of the "new" cape collar made the fashion news of 1929. Perky bows, uneven pointed tiers, ruffles, and flounces added the frills popular with the feminine set. Many of these extremely chic dresses could be worn for less drossy occasions when the large cape collars were removed and with the addition of long, closely fitted sleeves.