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Happy  
Valentine's  
Day

(Take your Valentine to the  
Snow with O.C. Chapter)

Feb. 10 &

11)

P.S. Happy Birthday  
Presidents Lincoln &  
Washington!

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## FEBRUARY MEETING

Date: Feb. 8, 1973

Time: 6:30 - Pot luck!!!!

Place: SYCAMORE JR. HIGH SCHOOL

Due to unexpected circumstances we will be meeting at a new school for THIS MEETING ONLY. Sycamore is only a few blocks from our regular meeting place. We hope this doesn't inconvenience anyone.

Program: Pot luck dinner. Everyone come out for a great meal and to pay your dues!!!!!! Also, please be there to vote on the by-laws revisions. We didn't have a very good turn-out at our last meeting but we had a rousing discussion and I think we got all of the problems ironed out of the by-laws so don't miss this meeting. We'd all like to get this business taken care of so we can go on to bigger and better things.

## COMING EVENTS

To save repetition and space (and my poor little fingers from writer's cramp) as of this issue, I will only be putting dates and events here in the calendar. All information about the events will be found either in Linda Hofstatter's article or in Jim Marsh's. Please note these activities and see Linda's article for all the "inside dope". Linda is doing a great job as our Activities Chairman and she has lots of fun-filled events planned for us so don't miss them!!!!

Feb. 10 and 11: Snow and Ski Weekend at San Maritts.

Feb. 25: Roller Skating party.

Activities of other clubs in the area include:

Feb. 17 and 18: HCC, Early V-8 and AACCA meet in El Cajon.

Feb. 18: Kaiser Frazier Owner's Club meet.

Mar. 10: Queen Mary Chapter fund raising dinner.

Mar. 11: Pomona Valley Chapter's swap meet.

AND DON'T FORGET ORANGE COUNTY'S SPRING PANCAKE BREAKFAST ON MARCH 18!!!!

## MARSH'S MESSAGE

by Jim Marsh, President

Well, it looks like we are off to another active Model A year. We just got back from the "Founders Day Parade" at Knott's Berry Farm. We had the whole family dressed in era clothing and drove the '28 Phaeton in the parade through Ghost Town. Raggs and Sally Lindman were there also with their '29 Phaeton. Last week-end was the poker run, which was a huge success thanks to Sharon and Glenn Johnson. Most of us made it thru the 35 mile "spooky" course without getting lost too many times. The day before the poker run was our tour to Riverside to participate in the "Permatex 200" parade. We had 2 cars that toured to Riverside. The Marshs' and Williamses. Phil and Mary Williams are our newest club members. There were about 50 cars total in the parade from the So. Calif. clubs. Most of the cars were "A's", a few "T's", a Chevy, Chrysler and some early V-8's; All of the participants got into the race for \$1.50 per car. We also got to take our car on a hot lap around the course at Riverside before the race.

At the last board meeting we unanimously approved some of the suggestions that have been mentioned to me and other board members. The first item approved was to have a club tour patch. The patch will be designed around the "A" motometer and will be made to sew on the club jackets. You will receive a patch after 500 miles on tour with the club. There will be an add-on pin for each additional 500 miles on tour. The 2nd item that was approved was to bring back the Model "A" driver's prize. This is a \$5.00 prize that is given away at the membership meeting to one of the persons who has driven his A to the meeting. We had this prize 5 years ago but it was dropped for some reason.

The 3rd item we discussed was to have a technical session every month. This session will not be at our regular meeting time but on a Saturday morning or maybe in the evening. Raggs Lindman (Technical Advisor) will have more info at the meeting, so be there if this activity interests you.

And speaking of activities, Linda Hofstatter has so many activities lined up for us this year that we will probably have two or three a month to get them all in this year. Read Linda's article for

Marsh's, cont.

further information.

In closing I will say again, if you have any suggestions or complaints, let me know. The next meeting will be a pot-luck dinner Feb. 8, 6:30 (NEW LOCATION FOR THIS MEETING ONLY). See attached map.

"KEEP ON MODEL A'in"



### BOARD MEETING MINUTES 1-25-73

The meeting was called to order by Pres. Jim Marsh.

The Secretary read the minutes.

The Treasurer gave the cash on hand as of 1-25-73 at \$694.86.

A discussion was brought up to audit the books. A separate meeting will be set up for the audit.

Bobbie asked that the Treasurer be given a petty cash fund. The board approved a petty cash fund of \$10 for the Treas.

The Activities Chairman gave the events for the next two months.

Pam asked for all articles for the paper no later than Sat., Jan. 27.

The National Club has reprinted Vol. I, issues 1-6 of the Restorer and copies are available for \$1 each.

Raggs gave a financial report for the Round-Up. The total profit for the Round-Up and Hawaiian trip was \$669.89.

Due to conflicting schedules the next meeting will be held at Sycamore Jr. High School on Sycamore in Anaheim. There will be a potluck and the program will be the By-laws revisions.

Hal Martin discussed the Round-Up and told us that the new Assistant Director of Public Relations for Knott's is Margie Valasquez. Hal is taking names of people that are willing to help with the Round-Up. Acapulco was discussed for the Round-Up raffle trip this year. All bills for the Round-Up must be approved by Hal before being paid.

Knott's Frontier Days are on Jan. 27 and two cars from our club will be attending the parade.

Joe Clary explained the tour badge to the board. After driving your "A" on tours for a total of 500 miles you will receive a tour badge. A co-pilot's badge is under consideration for the wives. Rod Hofstatter will check into the price and design of the badges. Sharon Johnson

made a motion that the club adopt the tour badge as an incentive for our club members to drive their "A's" to more club functions. Bobbie Roggenbuck seconded it. It passed unanimously.

Jim mentioned the Model A Driver's Prize. Each Model A driver would receive one free ticket for driving their "A" to the meetings. All the "A" drivers would be entitled to a free raffle. The prize to be raffled would be worth at least \$5.00. Linda Hofstatter made a motion that the club start this at the next meeting. Pam Heiland seconded it. It passed unanimously.

Jim suggested that the men have a technical seminar on Saturday once in a while. Discussion will be held at the next general meeting.

The National club will give a prize for the club coming the closest to the amount of cars received in the final tabulation of their nation wide survey. The guesses will be for commercial, passengers, and the total. The chapter coming the closest will receive a special prize.

A letter was received from the Assoc. of Calif. Car Clubs stating that they have a lobbyist in Sacramento. He will protect all bills pertaining to old cars. Discussion will be brought up at the Feb. meeting. One dollar will be taken for each person wishing to join this organization.

Bobbie asked for more membership cards and invitation cards. They will be ordered from petty cash.

The next board meeting will be at the home of Sharon Johnson.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon Johnson, Sec.

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### HOPPIN' WITH HOFSTATTER by Linda Hofstatter, Act. Chm.

First, I'd like to thank Glenn and Sharon Johnson for an excellent poker run last month. Everyone who attended had a good time even if we didn't know who the 8th President was.

This month we are planning two events. First, the Snow and Ski Weekend if there is snow that is. Even if there isn't we are going to the mountains on Feb. 10 and 11. We will be leaving from

Hoppin', cont.

The Parasol Restaurant at 9 A.M. Saturday Feb. 10. We are going to San Maritts outside of Crestline. Bring along sleeping bags and any drinks you may want. A few of the women are getting together to plan a menu for the whole group, we will do the grocery shopping, figure the cost per person and charge accordingly. This cost will be given to you a little later. We feel that this will be the simplest way since the kitchen facilities are small for such a large group. If you don't wish to participate in this arrangement you may bring your own food. There is room for a few more families but please let me know as soon as possible if you plan to attend. The cost of the chalet is \$3 per adult, no charge for children. There is ice skating facilities close by at Blue Jay. Skates can be rented there. Call me if you have any other questions. I will try to answer them.

Next, on Sunday Feb. 25 we will have a roller skating party at the new Roller Village at 464 W. Commonwealth in Fullerton. This is at Commonwealth and Richmond in the French Village Shopping Center. The time will be 6 to 9 P.M. The cost will be 75¢ per person regardless of age which includes skatc rental. So bring the family and join in the fun.

Other club activities that may be of interest to some of you are Feb. 4 the VCCA So. Calif. Region is having their annual Swap Meet at J.C. Penny Western Warehouse at Valley View and Orangethorpe. The rain date is Feb. 11.

Feb. 17 and 18 is a two day meet for 1973 sponsored by HCCA, Early Ford V-8 and MCA clubs at the Sears parking lot in El Cajon.

Also on Feb. 18 the Kaiser Frazier Owner's Club is having a Winter Meet at the Bower Museum at 2002 N. Main in Santa Ana at 11 A.M.

March 10 the Queen Mary Chapter is having a fund raising dinner-dance aboard the S.S. Princess Louise. The cost is \$25 per couple. The name of the band is Jeff Beaumont's Dixieland Band. You can buy your tickets from Hal Martin or Jim Douglass.

March 11 is Pomona Valley Model A Club's Swap Meet at the Los Angeles County Fairgrounds in Pomona.

And of course we must mention our annual Spring Breakfast and Gymkhana on March 18, at Hart Park in Orange. You'll

hear a lot more about this later when I beg everyone for their help on this one.

Hope to see all of you at these events, at least some of them!

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### 3-Easy Ways to Win the Booby Prize on Sundays Poker Run

By Jackie Chambers

1. The first and most important is not to study the directions before you speed away into the wilderness.
2. The second thing is to know the difference between a street light and a traffic signal. If you go 20 miles just counting traffic signals (9 to be exact) you are bound to win the booby prize.
3. The third is after you have driven for an hour and you haven't found an A or a street named Kingston or a Caribbean Island in the Orange Mall area. Let's say you are lost! You would never think that Kraemer goes all the way to Tustin Blvd.

We found that the above steps really aren't as bad as they seem. All you have to do is go back to START again. On the 20 miles back I was able to read the directions and everything went just fine after that.

After 4 hours of sitting, starving, and arguing we were glad to find the park-at last!

Thank you Sharon and Glenn for the experience and of course for the map of Orange County.

-You would never guess-

The Booby Prize.

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Thanks, Jackie, for the great article. See, I told you it wasn't hard to become a writer for "The Distributor!"

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I would like to thank Lorna Grunklee for bringing the following article to my attention. It's from the Sept. - Oct., 1966 "Restorer" and we thought it was a very good thought to start us out in the new year.

Berry Stohler of the Paradise Valley Chapter, Colton, Cal. reports that someone recently made the observation that

membership in any group is made up of four kinds of bones, as follows:

The wish-bones, who wish that somebody else would do the work:

The Jaw-bones, who concentrate on talking but don't do anything else:

The knuckle-bones, who knock anything that anyone else does:

And the back-bones, who get under the load and work.

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Be a back-bone. The harder you work and the more you put into something, the more you enjoy it!!!!

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#### NAMES IN THE NEWS

It seems that everyone is moving these days. Darrell and Joan Vandever and family have moved to 12201 Brookhaven Park in Garden Grove. Their new phone # 543-7986.

Rak and Joan Krist also are week-end nomads. They moved just down the street from the Grunklees this week. Their new address and phone are 736 N. Cambridge in Orange. 639-5017.

We hope that you will all be very happy in your new homes.

A few people have asked me why they have not seen the names and addresses of our new members in the paper for the last couple of months. Well gang, the simple truth is that we have so many new people with us now that it would be like including a complete roster in the paper and with everything else that's been going on around here, I decided to just wait and put them all in the roster. Our new roster will be out very shortly since the Feb. meeting is the last meeting you can join and have your name appear in the roster.

DON'T FORGET TO PAY YOUR DUES SO YOU

WON'T BE LEFT OUT!!!!

Received this anonymous tip right after the Krist's got moved into their house: Rumor has it that Grunklees, Hellers and Vaughns will be putting their homes up for sale soon. Seems as how a certain person has just moved into their area and now the property values will be changing. Polacks are at it again!!

Also, from the same source: The Krist's would like to know where the aster-

icks were after the poker run on Sunday night. For those of you who aren't familiar with the \*\*'s, they're a group in our club who have controlling interest in a toilet paper factory. At least I think they do. They'd have to have after what they accomplished. 21 roles of TP decorated the Krist's property after that weekend. Not only did they do the new house, but the old one and Rak's shop as well. They must really be fast and extremely quiet because at the old house, they did their work in less than 45 minutes and they didn't even wake up the dog!!!!

Quite a few of our members have been bitten by that old flu bug. Sure hope all of you are much better by this time. We miss your smiling faces!!!!

I guess that's about it for this month. See you all next month!!

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Congratulations to Jackie and Steve Chambers. I don't know exactly what to congratulate them for, but anyone who can drive 83 miles on a 35 mile poker run ought to be congratulated for something!!!

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A big thank you to Rak and Joan Krist for helping me get the paper out this month, and of course to my dear, sweet Jon, who puts up with an awful lot when I'm busy with the paper (I don't know what I'd do without him).

We shall make every effort to do it right this time and not come up with a "Polish" paper as Rak called the last one they helped with.

Have you ever noticed how great the people in our club are when you get in a bind and need a little last minute help!

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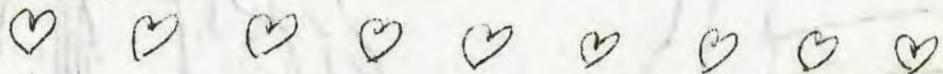
#### CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE: One pair of size 4 roller skates and case. \$5.00. Call Kim Krist - 639-5017.

Just a reminder to everyone, ads for anything will be placed in the Distributor free of charge to any member of our club. Your ad does not have to be for car parts or related items. So..... if you have anything you want to get rid of, or if you are looking for anything, let me know!!!!

# Things to Remember!

Feb. meeting is a pot luck!  
Everyone bring a main dish  
to serve 8 to 10 people plus A-L  
bring a vegetable or salad - M-Z  
bring a dessert. The club will furnish  
coffee, punch, rolls & butter.



DUES ARE DUE! FEB. IS THE  
LAST MONTH YOU CAN PAY YOUR  
DUES & GET YOUR NAME ON THE ROSTER.  
IF YOU DON'T PAY YOUR DUES AT THE  
FEB. MEETING YOUR NAME WILL BE  
REMOVED FROM OUR MAILING LIST AND  
YOU WILL NO LONGER RECEIVE OUR  
FANTASTIC? NEWSPAPER? PAY YOUR DUES!



Technical seminar at Joe Clary's — be at the Feb. meeting for all the details! ♡ Thought for the month — Some open minds need to be closed for repairs! ☺

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