

# The Distributor

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9 Swap Meet	10	11	12	13 General Meeting	14	15 OCMAFC Roundup
16 ALL FORD DAY	17	18	19	20 Technical Seminar	21	22
23 30 Pumpkin Tour	24 31 HALLOWEEN	25	26	27	28	29

NOVEMBER

Friday-Sunday, November 4-6  
 San Diego Fun Meet  
 Application Enclosed  
 Deadline: \$7.00 by Oct. 4 and \$8.00 after the deadline. Banquet \$13.50 per person. Deadline for room confirmation: Oct. 23.

DECEMBER

Thursday, December 8  
 Children's Christmas Party

Saturday, December 10  
 Adults' Christmas Party  
 Claim Jumper Restaurant  
 Fountain Valley

OCTOBER

Saturday-Sunday, Oct. 8-9  
 Antique-Indoor Car Parts Swap meet; LA County Fairgrounds

Sunday, October 9  
 Concourse de Elegance--UCI  
 Irvine, California

Thursday, October 13  
 General Meeting  
 Yorba Junior High School  
 7:30 P. M.

Saturday, October 15  
 OCMAFCA ROUNDUP  
 Knott's Berry Farm

Sunday, October 16  
 All Ford Day  
 La Palma Park, La Palma

Thursday, October 20  
 Technical Seminar  
 Pete Hiatt's house (see map)  
 7:30 P.M.

Sunday October 30  
 Harbor Area Rose Bowl Swap and Car Meet, The Rose Bowl, Pasadena

Sunday, October 30  
 Pumpkin Tour  
 Leave South Coast Plaza at 9:30  
 Please bring your lunch and pumpkins with you. We will have a carving contest when we reach our destination.

SPECIAL ROUNDUP MEETING

Those club members helping with the Roundup, call Bud Lacey (714) 990-0750 as to the special meeting date and time. Plans need to be finalized before the General Meeting on the 13th.

Next Meeting

Date: October 13, 1983

Location: Yorba Junior High School  
 935 North Cambridge  
 Orange, CA

Time: 7:30 P.M.



FROM  
THE  
DRIVER'S  
SEAT



**PIETER N. DWINGER**

**639-4767**

**633-1921**

I wish to start off by congratulating all those who participated in our progressive dinner. I have never seen so many people, eat so much food, so fast!! This progressive dinner has proven again, our club is made up of champion eaters. A great big thanks to the Appetizer Team of Earlene Beazley, Pete Hiatt, Judi Dwinger, McKinneys, Waveras, etc. The Entree Group of Dan and Val Simmons, Joe and Rickie Lane, etc. The High Calorie Clan of Bob and Kim Kelly, Dick and June Riha, etc. A special thanks to the chair and table crew of Bob Ferazzi and Pete Hiatt. Any of you who did not attend our dinner, really did miss out on a fun evening, the food was fabulous, the weather perfect, no car breakdowns, and what a sight we were on the road, with twenty-three Model A's and ten modern cars in one l-o-n-g convoy. This was also a mileage tour of 40 miles.

The steering column seminar was hosted by the Waveras and conducted by Whittier A's Barry Dagastino; he sure does know his stuff about steering columns. Now those who attended this seminar won't be steered wrong (pun intended).

Bud Lacey is now accepting nominations for those interested in running for a position on the 1984 Board of Directors. Nominations are to be submitted no later than at the October 13 Business Meeting. The election ballot will be in the November The Distributor and will be due by December first. The winners will be announced at the December Installation Banquet, which will be at the Claim Jumper

Restaurant in Fountain Valley, on Saturday, December 10. Let's all plan now to schedule this into our December party plans. The Waveras are working hard to organize a special evening for us all.

It's Roundup time!! Saturday, October 15, at Knott's Berry Farm is the date and place. Bring your A even if it is not perfect. This is your opportunity to really support your club; you don't need to show your car, just bring it!!!! Register with Bud Lacey or Bev Marsh A.S.A.P. If we can get 42½ cars at a mall show, we should be able to get at least that many at our own Roundup. The last few years visiting clubs had more cars at our show than we did. Let's have a huge Orange County turn out: Register right now!

Bring your shoe box swap meet items to the October 13 Business Meeting. Also, start planning now to get those one-of-a-kind White Elephant Auction items ready for the November 10 Business Meeting.

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### IT'S ELECTION TIME

Nominations are open for the 1984 Board of Directors. If you wish to become a board member, call Bud Lacey at (714) 990-0750 to have your name placed on the ballot. The ballot will be in the November The Distributor.



# Board Meeting Notes

# Editors' Note

The OCMAFCA Board Meeting for the month of September was held on the 29th. Items of interest under the officers' reports included the following:

1. Bring canned goods to the November and December meetings. These will be given to a charity which will be determined at the October General Meeting.

2. Membership dues will be collected starting in November. An application-information sheet will be included in the November The Distributor.

3. Jim Manos will conduct the October Technical Seminar on THURSDAY, October 20. There will be a shoe box swap meet at the next meeting and a "White Elephant Auction" at the November General Meeting. There will also be an era clothing seminar at the November Technical Seminar. The parts and tools for the club will be all together soon. It was suggested that the tools be engraved and painted orange.

4. It was moved by Ferazzi and seconded by Simmons to give to send Knott's Berry Farm \$150.00 (refundable when the gross sales reach \$150.00) for a refreshment stand. Motion carried. The work crew for the Roundup will meet at Keno's at 6:00 A.M., for breakfast. Trophies will be shipped on October 3. The possibility of an after Roundup party was discussed.

5. Twenty (20) dollars was appropriated for Bev Marsh for flowers, cards, etc.

6. Bud Lacey is the Election Chairperson for the upcoming elections. He is accepting names of people who want to run for the Board.

7. A contract has been signed with Yorba Junior High School for the second Thursdays of the month for the club general meetings.

8. Ed Davis has requested the club support for election to the MAFCA National Board. The Board Meeting for October will be held at the Simmons', at 7:30 P.M., on the 22nd.

9. It was moved by McKinney and seconded by Simmons, to purchase a quail for a raffle prize for the upcoming San Diego Fun Day. Motion carried.

New member information is located on Page 5 of The Distributor. The names of the two new members should be placed on Page 24 of the Roster. If you have not made a new page for your Roster, you should now do so, for any additional new members that join the club between now and next March when you will receive your 1984 Roster will only be included in this manner.

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## MODEL A TO THE RESCUE By Bob Kelley

It's Friday, 3:00 P.M., and I'm starting vacation. Cruising down the Newport Freeway in the fast land, when "pow", a blow out on my VW camper. So there I am stuck on the center divider, and of course, my spare has no air. I knew a freeway officer would be along shortly to get me off that race track. Fifteen minutes, 30 minutes, one hour, 1½ hours. Now I'm wondering who's going to put my daughter through college. When to my surprise, from Heaven came an "A" roadster pickup and pulled in behind me. (Something about pies written on the side.)

Out flies the owner of this little beauty. He says "I'll take your spare to get that air." I turn around and this "crazy man" is running across the Newport Freeway. After a few minutes waiting for a break in traffic, those agile feet carried him back across the freeway with tire and wheel in hand.

Who was that crazy man and his flying "A"?

--Thanks Joe Recker



## IT'S ROUNDUP TIME

There will be a table set up at the October General Meeting for pre-registration to the Roundup. By preregistering you save \$2.00, plus you won't have to wait in a line to fill out the registration form at the Roundup. You just drive up to the preregistration table, give your name, and you will be given a goody bag and a number placed on the headlight. And that's it, quick and easy.

Some of you new members may be asking, what is the Roundup? It is a gathering of Model A's and people, some of whom dress in era clothing and have themselves and their cars judged. Judging is based on 50% car and 50% era clothing. Trophies are awarded at a ration of one for every three entrants. It's also a place where older members renew old acquaintances, and newer members can make new friends and see Model A's you have not seen. There is a raffle for a handmade quilt, with squares pertaining to Model A's and an antique oak wall telephone. Another raffle has Model A parts, restored and new, along with items to please the non-Model A'er. In this raffle you put your tickets only into the container representing the item or items you would like to win.

Each registration will receive two (2) unlimited use tickets to Knott's Berry Farm. Additional tickets are available at \$8.00 each.

If you do not have a nice 8 x 10 inch picture of your car, come to the Roundup and have one taken next to Independence Hall at a bargain price of \$3.00.

So, y'all come, ya hear!

## AFTER ROUNDUP PARTY?

Needed: A host to have it. Any volunteers?

## New Members

YOUNG, ANSEL AND  
13121 Malena Drive  
Santa Ana, CA 92680  
Telephone: (714) 532-2089  
Model A: 1930 Coupe  
Auto's Name: FORD

ALVARADO, AL AND KAREN  
21402 Seaforth Lane  
Huntington Beach, CA 92646  
Telephone: (714) 960-1256  
Model A: 1930 Deluxe Roadster

## CHANGE OF ADDRESS

JUSTICE, KEITH AND CAROL  
25042 Owens Lake  
El Toro, CA 92630  
Telephone: (714) 472-9210

## Guests

Jeff and Carolyn Tournbaugh  
Mark and Mary Marquardt



# Let's Get Technical

BY PETE HIATT

998-2510

Our steering column seminar in September was conducted by Barry Dagestino of the Whittier Chapter. Twenty-seven men and six ladies were present and enjoyed a fine evening of camaraderie and enlightenment. Barry discussed all aspects of both the early and late model columns. He also went into why and what to look out for in regards to reproduction parts and original type parts. Thanks to Barry and to the Wavaras for hosting the seminar.

October's seminar should be a good one! Jim Manos will discuss with us the finer points of car and engine tune-up as concerns the Model A. Anyone who has gone on tour with the Manos' car knows how well the car performs. We will conduct the seminar at Hiatt/Beazley's house, Thursday night, October 20, at 7:30 P.M. Make a list of questions or comments pertaining to the subject ahead of time so we may discuss them at the seminar. We will discuss the operation of the Model A "four-banger" and get into how and why it does what it do! How do it know?!

Just a little reminder to all of you swappers who just cannot get enough swap meets to keep you happy: Shoe-box Swap at our October meeting. During the break we will get together and swap, sell, buy, etc. NEW MEMBERS: Bring a small box of stuff to the meeting so we can have a good turnout!

Another friendly reminder about the "White Elephant" sale (auction). At the November meeting Pieter will be conducting our annual auction to raise a few bucks for our kitty. Bring those unspeakable "white elephants" that you have stashed away or locked up. Now is the time to get rid of all that stuff the relatives gave you. You won't hurt their feelings. Tell them you donated the stuff to a needy group--us!

Valerie Simmons has volunteered to get a ladies era clothing seminar put together for the November meeting. All ladies are encouraged to attend. Valerie is a past multiple-trophy winner for era fashions.

Last, but certainly not least, I would like to discuss an issue which is very important to the free democratic countries of our world. An issue which has been discussed at great length at the United Nations. I am talking about, of course, the right of free people to buy roundup raffle tickets. Buy yours today: Keep America Free!

## Short Notes

The Hard Luck Trophy went to Terry Lucas. Merle McClellan won the Driver's Award and Mike and Bonita Kelley were the Name Badge Winners.

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MODEL A FUN MEET

RAMADA INN, ESCONDIDO

NOVEMBER 4, 5, 6, 1983

REGISTRATION AND BANQUET RESERVATION FORM

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ CLUB \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

YEAR AND MODEL OF CARS ENTERING COMPETION \_\_\_\_\_

	Before Oct. 4th	
Registration Fee	\$7.00	\$8.00
Additional Car (See rules)	\$2.00	\$2.00
Banquet	\$13.50	\$13.50

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \_\_\_\_\_

Banquet Reservation must be received at this time as there will be no tickets available during the Meet. Refunds for Banquet tickets will be made only if they can be sold at the Fun Meet.

Registration is required to purchase banquet tickets or participate in events.

Mail to: Charlotte and Bob Hunsberger  
18128 Highway 67  
Ramada, CA 92065

INN RESERVATIONS DEADLINE: OCT. 23

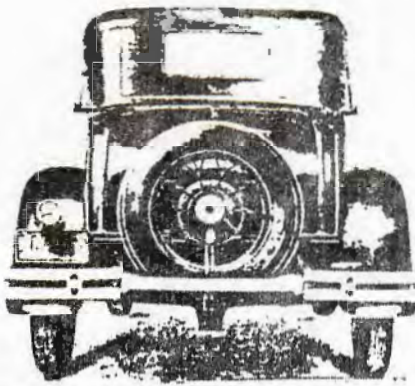
RAMADA INN  
2500 S. Escondido Boulevard  
Escondido, CA 92025

Make Checks payable to: MODEL A FUN MEET. (619) 747-5000 See last month's  
The Distributor for

Hotel Reservations Form enclosed should be mailed with deposit to the Ramada Inn. Deadline for room confirmation is October 23, 1983. particulars.

Note: Feel Free to Duplicate Applications





## On The Road Again

BY GERRY MC KINNEY 963-2724

September is nearly over. I'm sure everyone has mixed emotions about summer being over; I know I'm sorry to see it end. We had two wonderful events and tours for the month. The trip to Apple Valley was fun for all. We came home with a couple of trophies. Some lucky folks went on an extra tour led by Dennis Griffin out in the desert. They really had a great time?! Bob and Kim Kelley invited the whole gang to stop for lunch in Big Bear on the way home from Apple Valley. It was really super at their cabin--even the rain. It was 60° there and 107° in Redlands when we got down the hill. Wow--the air conditioning in our car failed us again! Many thanks to Bob, Kim, and Daylin for a super lunch. We had twelve Model A's and three moderns to Apple Valley.

The Progressive Dinner as always was a hit. I think it's better with three stops. We are able to spend more time at each stop and enjoy ourselves. The folks fixing the food get to talk to each table too. Instead of dashing in and dashing on to the next stop, it was a relaxing time for all. The hors d'oeuvres were just wonderful; Earlene Beazley and her helpers had two tables of treats. Val and Dan Simmons and Ricki and Joe Lane had beef and ham, cole slaw, baked potatoes, and corn on the cob. The main

course was so good too. The last course was a sight from a dream book. The goodies that Kim Kelley and June Riha fixed were better than any bake shop in this world. Many thanks to all who worked to host the courses and all who loaded furniture. We just can't do it without all your help. Many thanks to those who attended. It's so nice to see new members take a chance on our events, and it's especially nice to see the old members keep coming. We had seventy-five people--twenty-three A's and ten moderns.

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## Birthdays

- 2 Larry Boef  
Joe Lane  
Steve Sebastian
- 4 Jo-Ann Cutshall
- 6 Beulah Myers
- 11 Tom Schenk
- 13 Larry Conkol, Jr.  
Bonita Kelley  
Robin Raskin
- 15 Marlene Hester
- 18 Cherissa Conkol
- 19 Tom Matthey
- 21 Allison McKinney
- 24 Joe Wavra
- 30 Joan Mariola
- 31 Alan Plotkin

## Anniversaries

- 6 David and Barbara Graham
- 9 George and Pat Curran
- 29 Richard and Shirley Powell



# "Formerly Owned"



## Cars & Parts

WANTED Passenger side  
cowl arm for

WANTED Passenger side cowl  
arm for 1929 Sedan (cowl  
lamp arm). Vince Mariola  
(714) 530-1632.

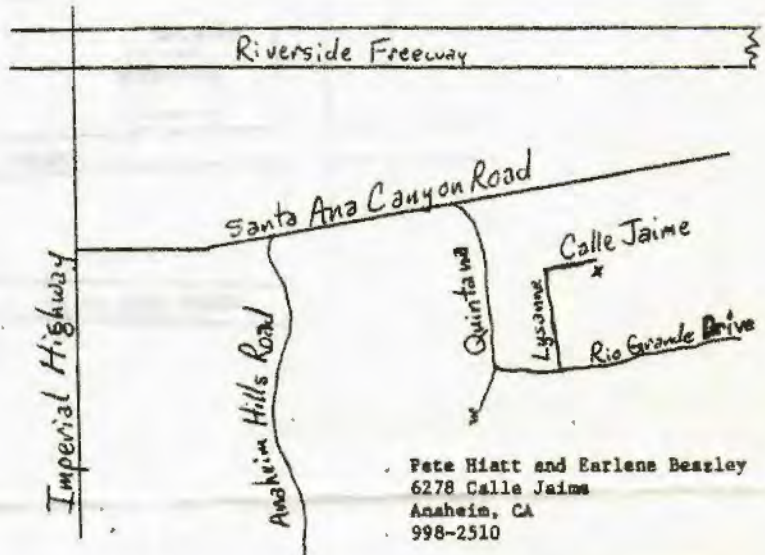
WANTED 21" wheels. I need  
three (3) straight ones.  
Mark Veenhuyzen.  
(714) 998-9268.

WANTED Rebuilding a 1930  
Coupe. I need:  
Both front fenders  
Both front fender braces  
Running boards  
Full hood or lower portions  
and assembly  
Steering wheel  
Horn assembly  
Head lamp holding bar  
Front bumper and assembly  
Complete wood or patterns  
Seats  
Ansel Young. (714) 544-1432.

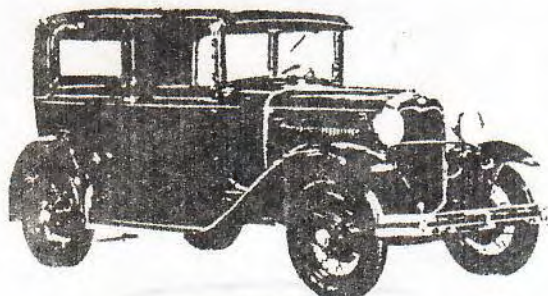
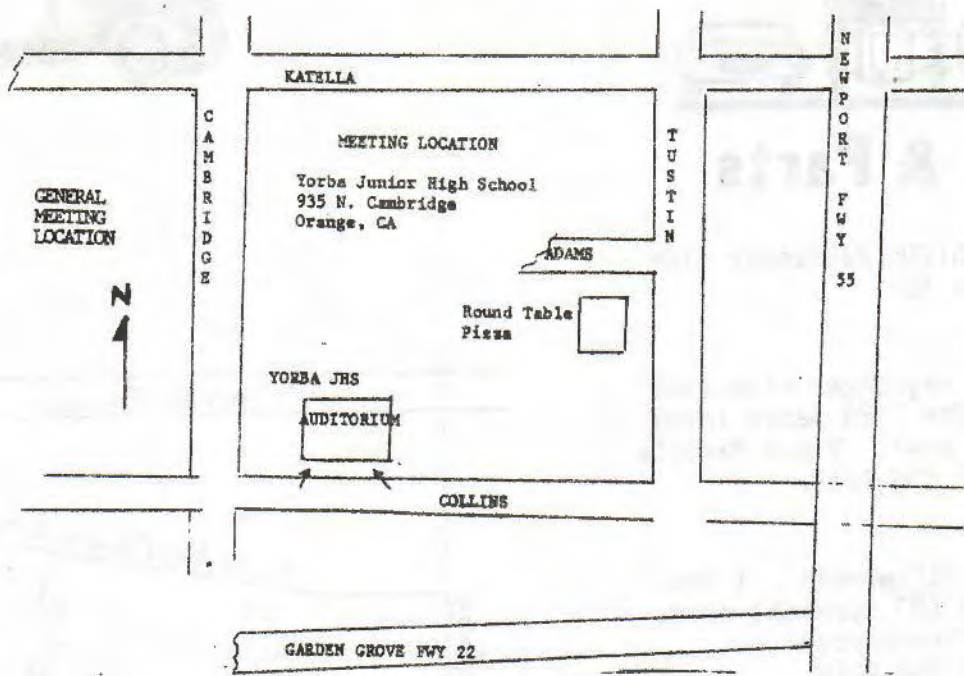
WANTED For a 1929 Pickup. Need  
gas shut off valve and live  
tail light bracket.

FOR SALE Chrome plated front  
bumper (set of 2 bar) 1928-29.  
Front and read--never on car.  
\$220.00 or trade for 1930-31  
bumper. George Brisby  
(714) 534-0496.

FOR SALE Dresses from the Model  
A time period and cloche hats.  
Ron and Bev Nelson, Lake Elsinore  
(714) 674-7387.







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