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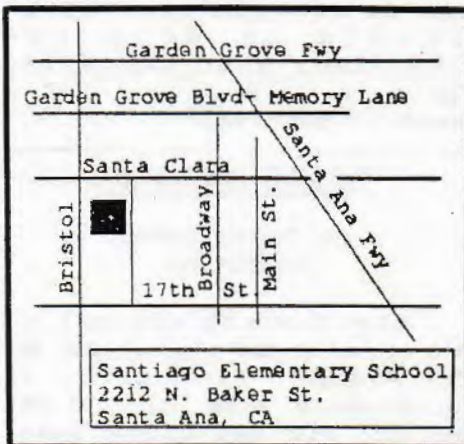
GENERAL MEETING

Will be held on:
Thursday, October 11, 1990.
AT: 7:30 P.M.

Location:
Santiago Elementary School
2212 N. Baker St.
Santa Ana, CA

Feature Event:

Will be a Shoe Box Swap Meet, as well, the program will be videos on the National Meet and one of the newly acquired technical tapes. Dennis Griffin will discuss his car, the "Car of the Month".



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A STORY ABOUT FOUR PEOPLE

The following story is a reprint from the September issue of Quail Call which is the newsletter of MARC/WAFCA of San Diego.

This is a story about four people named Everybody, Somebody, Anybody, and Nobody. There was an important job to be done.

And Everybody was asked to do it. Everybody

was sure Somebody would do it. Anybody could have done it, but Nobody did it. Somebody got angry about that, because it was Everybody's job.

Everybody thought Anybody could do it, but Nobody realized that Everybody wouldn't do it. It ended up that Everybody blamed Somebody when Nobody did what Anybody could have done.
Anon.

ELECTION REPORT UPDATE 1990

By Les White
Election Chairman

The story of four people sounds familiar, it happens every year. I still need people to run for the board.

The hardest thing for most people to comprehend is that the job is not that time consuming. I will not lie to you and tell you that it does not take some sort of effort, but it is rewarding. You get to know your fellow club members, as well as help YOUR club. You will also find that many of your fellow members are there to help out when you need it. Just think

about how many people DO show up to help out for the Pancake Breakfast.

When I call you to help out YOUR club please keep these thoughts in mind.

We also need volunteers to help count the ballots. This count must be done by members outside of the present and incumbent board.

The complete ballot must be published in the next Distributor to meet with our Chapter Bylaws, so please contact me immediately if you can help out with any of these openings. Les White: (714) 870-6417. There are openings on all positions.

YOUTH CONTEST

For the November issue, we thought it would be fun to have a contest for the youths in our club and youths related to our members.

We would like to have the youths submit a drawing for the outside cover of the Distributor. The theme is Thanksgiving and should include something related to the Model A somewhere in the drawing.

All drawings should be black on white paper, in order to reproduce.

The size of the drawing must be 5 x 8 inches.

All entries must be submitted by and received by October 25th. Please mail entries directly to the Editor:

Les & Martha White
121 W. Knepp
Fullerton, CA 92632

ISN'T THAT SPECIAL

By Paul and Joe
co-Special Events

There are no mall shows currently planned. Thanks again for your support for the last shows.

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MOOSE'S MESSAGE

By Jim Marsh
President

Well it is that time of year again. If you don't know what "that time" is I'll tell you. It is election time. Just as in years past, too few of you will be willing to help. It does take work to keep this club running and I know that many of you have done your time, but, many haven't. I think it would be most appropriate if you would talk to Les White and run for the board. Sure it is work, but, I know that most of us could spend 2 or 3 hours a week for the good of our club. I have been in this club for 28 years and been on the board some 10 or 12 times. I have done secretary, technical, roundup (in the older days) and been president four times. Babe has been on the board several times and she is the only past women president of this club. My point is that you, (male and female) can be on the board more than one time and also, it will not hurt you. In fact, I'm sure it will do you good. Being involved can be a lot of fun and very rewarding. We need help!

See you all at the October meeting back at the school. After the meeting is adjourned we will go to Me 'n Ed's Pizza on Garden Grove Blvd just west of Haster for some after the meeting tire kicking. Please give the election extra consideration.



THE END

HARD LUCK TROPHY

Congratulations to Paul Steed who was the sad winner of this month's Hard Luck trophy. Better luck next month Paul.

LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

By Martha White
Editor

It has been a great summer, full of many good friendships, activities, and fun. Yet the year is not yet over the best is yet to come.

This month marks the beginning of the fall holidays. We have many great activities planned, as well as a contest for the youngsters. This is my favorite time of the year, unfortunately it seems to pass by all too quickly. We hope that everyone will join into the festivities this season and have a great time Model A'ing.

Election Time is truly here and we need more candidates on the ballot. I sincerely hope that more of you will volunteer to run for an office. It is a sorry state indeed when it becomes necessary for our Election Chairman to have to call begging for candidates.

This is a volunteer organization, it would be nice if more members would volunteer. Please help Les to do his job the way it should be done and volunteer when he calls. This is YOUR club!! Let's keep it running!!

BOARD MEETING

By Terry Lucas
Secretary

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 pm by President, Jim Marsh. In attendance were Jim and Bev Marsh, Don and Linda Tune, Joe and Marion Wavra, Paul Steed, Terry Lucas, Dennis Griffin, Les and Martha White, and Wade Roberts. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were approved as read. For the upcoming October General Meeting, Dennis Griffin will have the "Car of the Month" and the program will

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BOARD MEETING
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be videos on the national show and one of the newly acquired technical tapes.

There was discussion on the cost of technical seminars and publishing the Distributor. Paul and Joe discussed upcoming mall shows and events including an apple tour and a harbor Christmas light tour. It was decided to send a letter to the Whittier Chapter regarding the poor treatment of our members at the Rim of the World Tour. The letter will be purely constructive criticism.

Martha reported on the Distributor. It was recommended that the ballot be put in the November edition to allow more time to recruit new candidates for the board. There was discussion on the editor's right to change articles without the permission of the author. The subject was left without agreement.

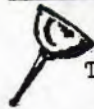
Don Tune reported that the October technical seminar will be on the installation of an overdrive. It will be held at the Ferrazzi's home. Les White reported on his progress on finding candidates for the 1991 board of directors. Still open are activities and special events as well as additional candidates for all offices. Several board members volunteered to help Les with recruiting. The next board meeting will be held at the Wavra's home on October 18th at 7:30 pm. The meeting was adjourned at 10:15pm.

Respectfully submitted.

BOARD MEETING MAP



TECHNICALLY SPEAKING



By Don Tune
Technical Advisor

Under the lead of Glenn Johnson, the two session brake seminar was concluded on Saturday, September 22. Martha White drove off in her pickup knowing that she could stop without hitting something. Thanks to all those who generously donated parts and labor. It's a good feeling to know that Model A tours will now be safer for all of us. Thanks again to Bob and Patty Ferrazzi for hosting the seminar.

For the October seminar, Bob Ferrazzi will demonstrate the installation of an overdrive. It will be hosted by the Ferrazis on Saturday, October 13 beginning at 9:00 AM.

Handy Hint: Paul Steed's overheating problem on the way to the Rim of the World prompted me to reevaluate our thermostat installations. The thermostats we all use are very restrictive to the flow of coolant, so I went searching for a better one. Robertshaw and Stant market one which allows a great deal more coolant flow (Model #330-160). It has a larger base so that it must be located in the coolant return hose at the radiator end. Otherwise, the installation is the same as described in the Restorer.

TECHNICAL SEMINAR MAP



ONE FOR THE ROAD



By Paul Steed
co-Activities Chairman

The tour to the Rim of the World consisted of overheating going up the hill, caused by an after market thermostat that I'd installed. Halfway up the hill and 2 gallons of water later, I removed the thermostat, no more car problems.

My hotel room in the newer of the two hotels, the one with an indoor swimming pool, had been given to somebody in another club. My registration number was #4. The ginkahna events were fun and challenging. Richard Parrish placed first in an event and so did I. The raffle was tainted with poor leadership. I had purchased \$70. in raffle tickets, a ticket had been drawn, the number called and I looked through the rows and rows of raffle tickets I had purchased. The MC quickly called one, two, three, lets draw another ticket. At that point I found the winning ticket, I quickly called out - Stop! Stop, wait. I have the ticket. Only to be disqualified because the MC called next ticket. I could understand if another ticket had been already been drawn, but it hadn't.

The next day I couldn't wait to get home. I was glad the "Rim of the World" was over. I'm generally not one to point out negativity, but I'm sorry.

If you missed the last General Meeting, you probably missed receiving your milage patch - Please check with me if you've been on tour lately.

October 7th Antique Drags, Carlsbad Raceway Tour departs 7am. 405 and El Toro Road (Coco's).

Regional tour to Temecula October 26, 27, 28, contact Paul Steed (714) 998-0394.

ONE FOR THE ROAD
(CONTINUED)

November 4th, we are having an Apple Tour to Oak Glen, you will need to bring a picnic lunch, there will be orchards with U-Pick Apples and lots of friends. So don't moth ball the "A" for winter yet. Lets get some apples. Departure time 8am from the Mall of Orange. See ya dare.

The club has reserved tickets to the World Famous Harbor Lights Tour of Huntington Harbor. The harbor boat tour is on Saturday, December 15th at 8pm. Contact Paul Steed for tickets \$8. adults, \$5. children under 12 years. We will board a harbor tour boat and tour the decorated houses and yachts of Huntington Harbor, dress warmly.

See ya on the Road.

RECIPE CORNER

Linda Tune was kind enough to give us her recipe for chicken, which we all enjoyed so much at the Progressive Dinner. She cut it down for us to a serving for six.

LINDA'S CHICKEN

- 6 slices lean bacon.
- White pepper
- 6 chicken breasts
- 5 Tbls butter or margarine
- 2 crushed garlic cloves
- 1/4 cup brandy
- 1 cup beef broth
- 1/3 cup white vermouth
- 1 cup harty red wine
- 3 Tbls tomato paste
- 1/2 tsp thyme
- 1 bay leaf
- 2 Tbls meat glaze
(flavor enhancer)
- 1cup fresh sliced mushrooms
- lemon juice
- 1 can pearl onions
- 2 tsp sugar

In a fire proof caserole dish brown six slices chopped lean bacon. Remove bacon. White pepper lightly six chicken breasts brown in bacon fat. Remove chicken.

LINDA'S CHICKEN
(CONTINUED)

Add to bacon fat 2 Tbl butter or butter substitute. Add to warm butter and bacon fat 2 crushed garlic cloves, saute' lightly. Drain fat. Return chicken to casserole. Warm 1/4 cup brandy, ignite, pour flaming over chicken, till flames go out. Return bacon bits to casserole, sprinkly lightly with white pepper. Turn up flame, add 1 cup beef broth, 1/3 cup of white vermouth, 1 cup harty red wine, 3 Tbls tomato paste, 1/2 tsp crushed thyme, 1 finely crushed bay leaf, 2 Tbls meat glaze (flavor enhancer). Simmer 10 minutes, stirring occasionally. Cover. Bake at 325 degrees, for 45 minutes.

In separate skillet add 3 Tbls butter or margarine, add 1 cup fresh, sliced mushrooms, saute, sprinkle with lemon juice, lightly dust with white pepper, remove and set aside.

In same skillet, under medium flame, add 1 can well rinsed, drained, pearl onions. On medium high heat, shaking gently add 2 tsp sugar, continue shaking until onions are lightly browned and glazed.

After 45 minutes, remove casserole from oven, add mushrooms and onions. Return casserole to oven uncovered for 15 minutes or until chicken is tender.

Serve with lightly seasoned rice, buttered peas, and a hearty red wine.

Note: To prepare casserole ahead once casserole is complete coat with butter or margarine, cover tightly. This will keep up to 3 days. Reheat slowly on low heat. It's even better this way!

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CALENDAR 1990

OCTOBER EVENTS

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Antique Drags, Carlsbad Raceway. Tour departs Coco's at 7am. (405 and El Toro Road) For more info call Larry McKinney (714) 963-2724

Throttlers Picnic, Buena Vista Park, Burbank. Tour to be announced.

Turlock Swap Meet

Horseless Carriage Club of America, 1st Annual Old Car Parts Exchange. Tulare County Agri-Center 4450 S. Laspina, Tulare, Ca. For more info: Jim Morefiels (209) 732-9729 or Vic Groah (209) 686-6607 or write P.O. Box 3603 Visalia, CA 93278

14th - SUNDAY

Pomona Swap Meet, LA County Fairgrounds in Pomona. Ganesha St off ramp from Interstate 10. 5am-3pm. Info (714) 547-5257 or (714)832-2041

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20th-21st-SATURDAY-SUNDAY

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26, 27, 28th - FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY

Southern California Regional Tour to Temecula. Club mileage tour. Reservations needed, contact: Paul Steed (714) 998-0394 / Al Bumgarten at 2720 Valley View, West Covina, CA 91792 (818) 946-6869

28th - SUNDAY

Escondido Deer Park Art & Auto Show

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Mt Sac Swap Meet

NOVEMBER EVENTS

4th - SUNDAY

Oak Glen Apple Tour. Bring a picnic lunch. Departs 8am from the Mall of Orange

9th - FRIDAY

Street Rod, Hi-performance & Collector Car Swap Meet at Veterans Stadium in Long Beach. For info: (714) 858-8180

17th - SATURDAY

Albany Indoor Swap Meet sponsored by the Enduring A's Chapter MAFCA. Linn County Fairgrounds, Albany Oregon. For info: (713) 463-4524 or (713) 572-2505.

24th-25th - SATURDAY-SUNDAY

24th Cole Collector Car Auction at Hyatt Newporter in Newport Beach For info: (818) 506-6533

25th - SUNDAY

SoCal Hot Rod/Speciality Car Parts Exchange & Car Show at Mt. San Antonio College in Walnut For info: (714) 923-4538

Nov.30th, Dec.1st FRIDAY, SATURDAY

MAFCA National Meeting and Banquet hosted by the Model A Ford Club of Colorado. MAFCA board of directors meeting. Info: Phil and Sharon Popish, 4424 S. Yates, Denver, CO 80236 (303)797-7984.

DECEMBER EVENTS

2nd - SUNDAY

Pomona Swap Meet, LA County Fairgrounds in Pomona. Ganesha St off ramp from Interstate 10. 5am-3pm. Info (714) 547-5257 or (714) 832-2041

8th - SATURDAY

Annual Christmas Party 7:00pm at the Claim Jumper Restaurant in Fountain Valley

15th - SATURDAY

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