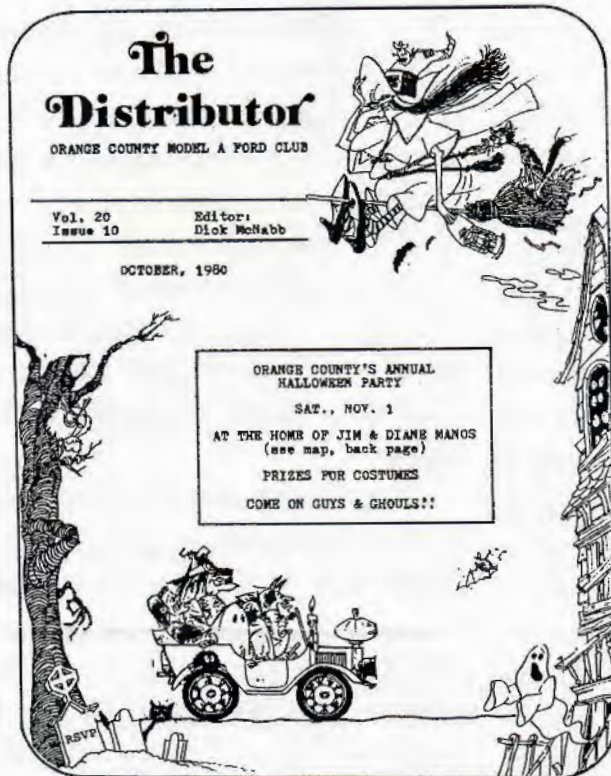


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Reminder:

It is time to send in your 2001 MAFCA dues and OCMAFCA nominations.

From the Other John

"Stay away from Santa Rosa on Wednesdays." This phrase is now laughed about by our family. We broke down on a Wednesday last year just north of Santa Rosa, California, and last Wednesday, just before the off ramp in Santa Rosa, New Mexico. No, it does not qualify us for the hard luck trophy! We were in our modern. See folks, these moderns break down too, so go ahead and use your "A"s.

Our trip along Route 66 to see our eastern based kids has not been as eventful as those who went to St. Louis this summer. Jerry's rendition last month of her and Larry's trip in their speedster can't be beat. We have had a fun trip on 66 except for the replacement of our alternator and a water hose. As

we went by an auto museum in the tow truck I vowed to stop in the next time we are in town. It won't be on a Wednesday in Santa Rosa.

Be sure and come out to our October meeting. Glen is arranging for all the St. Louis cars, driven or towed, to be on display. I understand there will be some of Glen's great slides. The meeting will be run by Greg and we'll be back at our wonderful setting at CHOC.

Dorothy and I will be back for the November General Meeting. Make sure when the nominating committee asks for your service for this next year that you say "Yes."

Keep those wheels rolling.

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33rd Annual Fiesta Day Parade and Street Faire

by John Taylor

On October 28, 2000 the Yorba Linda Service League will present the 33rd Annual Fiesta Day Parade and Street Faire. If you would like to participate in this event as part of any entry titled "The History of Authentic & Classic Automobiles" we would love you and your vehicle(s) to be part of this fun event. The event is locally televised and I will provide a video copy of the telecast to all of our participants. We need classic and historic vehicles along with hot rods and famous celebrity vehicles. Our entry will be organized from oldest to new and we will have a famous racecar entry to highlight the procession. We will organize the formation at 8:00 AM in Yorba Linda community center area. Details, maps and schedule will be provided upon confirmation. The parade starts at 10:00 AM and you should be finished midday. Street Faire booth activity follows the parade in the Nixon Library lot, but your parade participation only requires Saturday AM. To sign up call John Taylor – phone (714) 231-9542, fax (714) 777-5655, email: jt2024@pacbell.net.

Announcement

December general meeting will be on Thursday, December 7, 7:30 PM at CHOC Wade Education Center.

And the Dinner Progressed

by Alice Graves

Maybe it was the hottest day of the year, if not it was close. The best count was 76 people who braved the heat and had a great time attending the "dinner".

The first stop for the appetizers was at the beautiful home of Mel and Terry Collings. What a wonderful display of food – and tasty! Bev Marsh and the Deutsches helped along with all of Terry's family.

Next it was on to the Knox's for main course. It was easy to find since we could follow John Taylor, the new member from Yorba Linda (running for city council). The Knox house is fun to just meander around. It grew much like Topsy and has many interesting nooks and crannies. Helping with the food was the Adelmans, Nordins and Schmidts. Vince and Joan must have felt at home with the Italian theme. The Earharts made it after a shaky start in their A. The A just wanted to stay home on such a hot day.

And of course, the glorious dessert. Patty made individual angel food cakes, which could be piled with ice cream, fruit, whipped cream, nuts and chocolate. By that time the evening was cooling things off and their yard was perfect.

A lot of other people were helping. Tables and chairs had to be moved, as well as just "step in and help" situations. There was a great turnout and a big thanks should go out to everyone who made it such a success.

Schedule of Activities

October

7, Saturday
OC Model T Parts Exchange
Vintage Ford Parts, 6 AM - 3 PM

8, Sunday
Pomona Valley Swapmeet

12, Thursday
General Meeting
CHOC @ 7:30 PM

NEW
14, Saturday
Technical Seminar
Installing a Michell O/D.
Adelmann's @ 8:30 AM (pg. 4)

NEW
15, Sunday
2000 CHOC Walk
Next to South Coast Plaza,
corner of Anton Blvd. and Avenue
of the Arts. Collect money from
sponsors before the event. Contact
Kathie Mc Call for details.

17, Tuesday
Board Meeting
Adelmann's @ 7:30 PM (pg. 4)

20, Friday
November Newsletter
Deadline

21, Saturday
Oak Glen Apple
Coordinated by Richard Parrish.
Departure from Orange Mall Sears
@ 8 AM. Be gassed up and ready.

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29, Sunday
Old Town Music Hall
Coordinated by Lou Spielberger.
Departure from Valley View Cocos
@ 10 AM and bring your lunch.

November

4, Saturday
Parts Exchange
Vintage Ford @ 7:30 PM
Diamond Tread (562) 941-7935

5, Sunday
Bates Nut Farm
Coordinated by Lou Spielberger.
Departure from South Coast Plaza
Sears @ 9:30 AM.

9, Thursday
General Meeting
CHOC @ 7:30 PM

RESCHEDULED & UPDATE
11, Saturday
Board Meeting
Will be held at John and Alice
Graves' home, 6:30 PM. Bring
your own meet to BBQ for dinner.
Must RSVP to Alice. Carpool
with someone; because, parking
space is **VERY** limited.

RESCHEDULED
17, Friday
December Newsletter
Deadline

18, Saturday
Palm Springs Follies
Coordinated by Greg
Carcerano. Tickets must be paid
in full by October 12th General
Meeting. Departures from the
Orange Mall Sears are: Friday the
17th @ 9 AM and Saturday the 18th
@ 9 AM from the same location.

December

2, Saturday
Nativity Display
Coordinated by McKinney.

RESCHEDULED & RELOCATED
7, Thursday
General Meeting
December general meeting
has been rescheduled to the first
Thursday. CHOC Wade
Education Center @ 7:30 PM

8, Friday
Lucern Valley
Coordinated by Riggs.

14, Friday
Kids Christmas Party
Held at CHOC.

19, Tuesday
Board Meeting

22, Friday
January Newsletter
Deadline

General Meeting Minutes

Orange County Chapter
Model A Ford Club of America
September 14, 2000
by Kathie Mc Call, Secretary

Presiding: John Knox

The September meeting was held at Hart Park in Orange following a potluck supper. The meeting began with the flag salute. The minutes were accepted as printed in *The Distributor*. Alice Graves presented the Treasurer's Report, which was then made available to members to review.

Old Business

Dick Smith provided an update on the *Club Resource Book*. This book will contain information on such things as tools to loan and members who have expertise in certain areas.

The nomination ballot box was made available, Richard Parish volunteered to review these and provide the list to the Nominating Chairperson.

Activities

Ken Dierken, Activities Director provided an update on the many activities planned.

The Hard Luck Trophy had no candidates, which is somewhat of a miracle in itself!

Editor Report

Rick Peterson is always looking for interesting articles.

New Business

Several cars are needed for the Yorba Linda Fiesta Days Parade on October 28th. Contact John Taylor for more information (714) 231-9542.

2 representatives from the ASB of Estancia High School asked for open cars for their Homecoming Event on October 20th to be held at Orange Coast College.

Dick Smith made the suggestion that *The Distributor* have a permanent list of past club presidents, as a perpetual thank you. All present were in agreement.

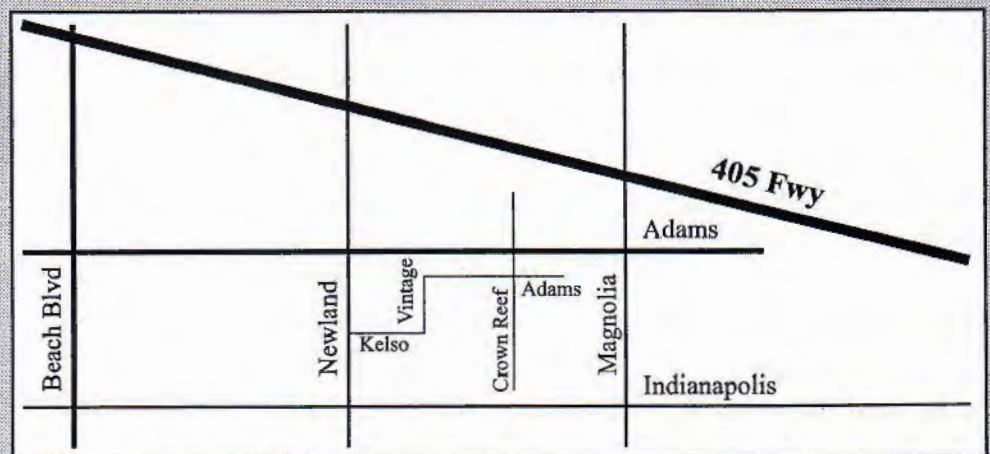
It was suggested that the cars who went on the Kansas City Tour be the October Cars of the Month.

Next General Meeting will be at Children's Hospital, Education Center.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:00 PM.

October Board Meeting & Technical

Dan & Sylvia
Adelmann's Home
20092 Vintage Lane,
Huntington Beach
(714) 963-6318



Board Meeting Minutes

Orange County Chapter
Model A Ford Club of America
September 19, 2000
by Kathie Mc Call, Secretary

Held at Adelman home in Huntington Beach. Members Present: Greg Carcerano (presiding), John/ Alice Graves, Ken Dierken, Dan/Sylvia Adelman, Dale/Kathie Mc Call, John/ Jeannie Mc Millan. Rick Peterson, Richard/Jeannie Parrish.

August Board Meeting minutes were approved as printed in *The Distributor*.

Alice reviewed the Cash Flow Report.

Old Business

Ken Dierken (Activities Director), Greg Carcerano and Richard Parrish reviewed upcoming events. The 10/21 Oak Glen Apple Tour and Manifold Cooking sounds like great fun. This event will also be a Ladies Drive Tour, with the opportunity to earn the *This Lady Drives a Model A* patch. Dan Adelman provided the revised Touring Guidelines and Car Safety Checklist. These 2 lists will be included in the new member kit.

Youth Membership was again discussed. The

purpose is to promote interest in young people for the Model A hobby. The ideal would be to have a club member serve as Youth Representative on the OCMAFCA Board. **Any Volunteers?** It was suggested that a small fee be charged for the cost of printing and mailing the Distributor. No action.

New Business

Discussion was held regarding the T-shirt design for 2001 Pancake Breakfast. No action.

Discussion re: Music/Dancing for January Installation Banquet. Dan Adelman will follow up.

An important change for December General Meeting, due to no available rooms at CHOC on 12/14. **Action: December general meeting will be on Thursday December 7, 7:30 PM at CHOC Wade Education Center.**

The meeting was adjourned at 9:30 PM. Next Board Meeting will also be at the Adelman home in Huntington Beach. November meeting at the home of John/Alice Graves.

Oak Glen Apple Tour

by Richard Parrish

- Saturday, October 21, 2000
- 8:00 AM Sharp
- Arrive Early for briefing
- Orange Mall Sears Parking Lot
- No Overdrive needed this tour only 3 or 4 miles of freeway that can't be avoided
- Lady Drivers qualify for Drivers Patch
- Backup truck with car trailer on tour
- Special Manifold Cooking Recipes and discussion at General Meeting Oct. 12th

Oak Glen is beautiful this time of year. Bring the kids, grandkids and neighbors. We will travel country roads, have a lot of fun and be home before dark. The perfect first tour out of town for your Model A, but come in your modern car if you must. The manifold cooking is for fun, but strictly optional. We hope to have some new lady Model A drivers this tour, but again that is optional.

Come to the meeting Oct. 12th for latest information and recipes or call Richard Parrish at (714) 638-2355, the one who got you into all this.

2001 Nominations

Orange County Model A Ford Club

Turn in your nominations by October 12th!

- 1) At the October General Meeting.
- 2) Mail to:
Richard Parrish
10622 Artcraft Avenue
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- 3) FAX to (714) 638-2355.
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PUMPKIN BREAD

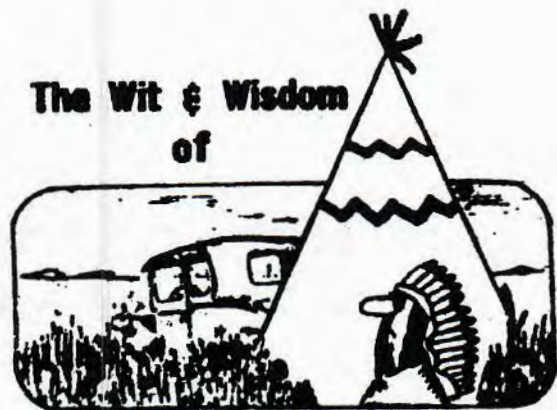
1/3 cup shortening
1 cup sugar
2 eggs
1 cup mashed pumpkin
1/3 cup water
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
1/2 cup chopped nuts
1-2/3 cups sifted flour
1 teaspoon baking soda
1/4 teaspoon baking powder
3/4 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
1/4 teaspoon ginger

Cream together shortening and sugar. Add eggs one at a time, beating well after each addition. Stir in pumpkin. Sift together dry ingredients and add alternatively with water. Stir in vanilla and nuts. Turn batter into a greased 9x5x3 inch pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 45 minutes or until done. (May need longer time). Yield: One loaf.

SALTED PUMPKIN SEEDS

Wash pulp from seeds and soak up excess water with paper towels. Seeds should be quite damp. Place seeds on jelly roll pan, salt to taste and put in oven for 30-45 minutes at 250 degrees. Turn seeds often until golden brown.

The Wit & Wisdom
of



Chief 'Yellow' Snow

The Chief says:

Why do we always have to elect the President of the United States? Can't we just "live" with him first?

OLD INDIAN TALE-

An Indian Princess once met a pig while walking in the woods. The pig said to her, "If you kiss me, I will turn into a handsome Prince". The Princess did so and they became engaged to be married. At the conclusion of the wedding ceremony, the Princess answered the customary question with "I do", whereupon the Prince, when asked the same question, answered loudly, "oink!."

"The Stranger"

Who's the stranger mother
Look, he knows us, ain't he weird?
Hush my child, don't talk so wild,
He's your father, dearest child.
He's my father? No such thing!
Father died a-way last spring.
Father didn't die you dub;
Father joined an old car club.
But now the snow has come and so,
There's no place left for him to go.
There's no swap meets for him to roam,
That is why he came back home.
Kiss him, he won't bite you child,
All the car nuts look that wild.

* * *

The mafia has recently merged with a gay lib. group. Now with the "kiss of death" you get dinner and dancing.

Rim of the World Tour

by Don and Sally Miller

This was our first trip to Big Bear

Four A's and two moderns met at the Orange Mall for the trip to Big Bear. Vince and Joan Mariola, John and Gwen Riggs, Bill and Eleanor Shaner and Don and Colleen Schmidt were in their A's while Don and Sally Miller and Marion Wavra and Kathryn Holbrook were in their moderns.

We didn't do very well but it was lots of fun

We arrived at the Black Forest Lodge in Big Bear without incident. We all went to lunch and then hung out until cocktails and appetizers. It was all so good we didn't need any dinner.

Friday morning found John Riggs with some kibitzing, helping to fix Vince's break lights. We all got registered for the meet and had a dip in the jacuzzi. We had a great Tri-tip dinner put on by Marion and Kathryn. Bill Shaner was the barbecuer and cooked the tri tip to perfection.

Eleanor Shaner took home most of the loot

On Saturday we all got up to enjoy a wonderful pancake breakfast put on by John and Jean McMillan who had arrived Friday in time for the barbecue. The blueberry and raspberry pancakes, John made them from scratch, were out of this world. Vince cooked the sausage and bacon to go with the pancakes and we had fresh cantaloupe to round out the meal.

After breakfast we went to the gymkana at the Elks Lodge and John Riggs let me drive his sedan in the gymkana. We didn't do very well but it was lots of fun. In the afternoon we took the drive around the lake in the As where we were treated to a free ice cream cone in Fawnskin.

The banquet was very eventful with some of the OCMAFCA members doing very well in the drawings. As usual Eleanor Shaner took home most of the loot. She won a pair of earrings, X-mas napkin rings, a neat toy Chevy tow truck and a \$50 gift certificate from C.W. Moss for Bill. Eleanor gave the napkin rings to Gwen Riggs and the earrings to Sally Miller who had been pining over them. Don and Colleen Schmidt won a nice book called Henry's Lady. Eleanor was rewarded for her generosity as she won \$100 in the money drawing and the \$25 check from our club.

Ben and Ruth Wilbur and Dale and Kathy McCall arrived in time for the Saturday activities.

The trip back down the hill on Sunday went well as all arrived home safely. This was our first trip to Big Bear and it was a wonderful experience we will remember for long time.



Membership Update



'30 Fordor (Briggs)

This is a project Car. Lots of new parts.
Complete new Body Wood Kit.

\$6,000 or ??

Dennis Ashburn
(714) 960-7102

Tires

Four white wall Firestone 475x19 with little tread remaining.

Best Offer
Don Krout
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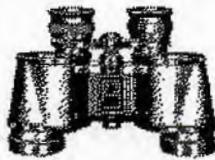
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Cars: '28, 40-A, Standard Roadster, Touring
'31, 180-A, De Luxe Phaeton, Touring
'31, 190-A, Victoria, Touring



Wanted

'31 S/W Fordor Sedan

Preferably restored.
Ted & Martha Dobbins
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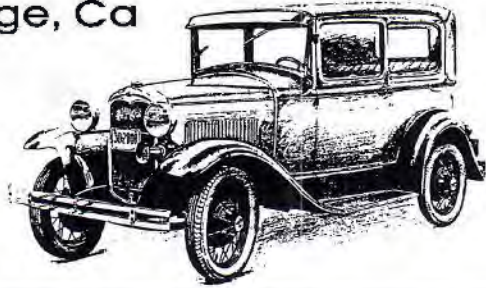
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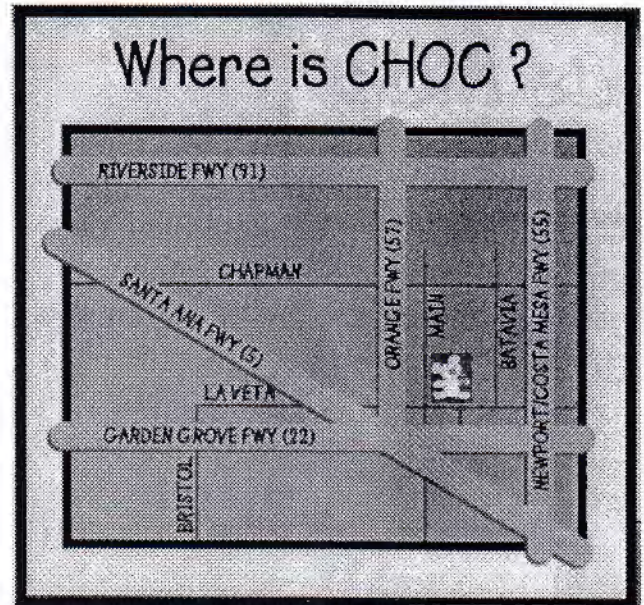
General Meeting Location

[Second Thursday of every month]
October 12, 2000 @ 7:30 PM

CHOC Hospital
Clinic/Research Bldg: #3
455 South Main St.
Orange, Ca



The car of the month will be Dan Adelman's 31 De luxe Coupe and all cars from the Kansas City Tour.



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