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# THE RUMBLE SHEET

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## CHUCK'S THOUGHTS

I am writing this on the morning of the 21st day of January 2015, this being the morning after my first meeting as president of this fine organization. Last night was an important night for me. My purpose was to learn what was important to the members of this group so that I could attempt during the next year to make our time together fun and meaningful. I want everyone in our membership to feel that this club is taking the steps necessary meet their individual needs as well as the needs of the group. I left the meeting feeling that I had a better understanding of our club's needs but also felt like I do when I accidently step on my cat's tail. I felt as if I had to threaten the foundation of our club in order to get people to think about the direction in which they want this club to proceed. I learned last night, the importance of the social aspect of the monthly meetings. I learned that to many members of the club the social aspect of the monthly meetings is far more important than actually driving our vehicles. This took me by surprise and has forced me to rethink some of my ideas for the club. I still feel that we need to get out more and spend time behind the wheel and I will do my best to incorporate my feelings with the feelings of the club so that 2015 is a good year for all of us.

Chuck



# NUTS AND BOLTS (OR MISCELLANEOUS TIDBITS)

By Ken Brust



We kicked off the new year with a very interesting January meeting. President Chuck went over his plans for less formal structured meetings. He is more focused on getting club members together out to drive our cars rather than holding meetings but the membership responded that it also enjoys the monthly social aspects which the meetings allow. The Board will, however, only meet quarterly and conduct all necessary business when possible by phone and email. Chuck and the Board are wanting your ideas for things to do and places to visit so don't be shy with offering your suggestions. Also, please thank those who have served on the previous Board and the three new members, Linda Ochs, Jerry Conrad and Tory Brust, who have agreed to serve two-year terms.



Our Regional this year will be in St. Joseph, Missouri, June 8-12. Many from our club are planning to attend. The club in St. Jo brought over 20 cars down to Tulsa for our Regional last summer so we'd like to support them as best we can during this event. Check the web site out at [www.2015regional.com](http://www.2015regional.com) and come join the fun!

The Sooner Club is planning this year's Spring Tour and is coordinating the tour in conjunction with the Jefferson Highway Centennial Celebration in Muskogee. In 1915, construction started on the Jefferson Highway. It was a cross country highway running from New Orleans, up through Muskogee and on into Winnipeg. We now know this highway as Hwy 69. Stay tuned for more news on this event but mark your calendar now for May 1-3. Our Tulsa Club will then plan the Fall Tour so offer any ideas you

might have for a destination to Chuck and the Board. A group of guys have been meeting regularly on Tuesday mornings for coffee and/or breakfast at the McDonalds in Jenks. Bring your Model A and join the group any Tuesday morning around 7:30.

## HAPPY TRAILS TO ALL

### TULSA MODEL A FINANCIAL REPORT

January 31, 2015 by Jerry Conrad

#### DEPOSITS:

New Members.....	\$20.00
Renewals.....	\$280.00
Vendor Advertising .....	\$60.00
Clothing and Name tags.....	\$312.00
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$672.00</b>

#### EXPENDITURES:

Clothing.....	\$259.78
Flowers.....	\$47.75
Office.....	\$25.00
Postage .....	\$98.00
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$430.53</b>

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# 2014 1000 MILE PROGRAM RESULTS

by Roy Cail

The results are in for those participating in the 2014 1000 Mile Program. We had 23 participants with 21 achieving 1000 miles or greater. Rocky and Maryann Simmons drove the most miles in 2013, driving 6,563 miles. The Hoyle's and Robinson's rounded out the top three spots with 6,339 and 3,086 miles respectively. Congratulations to all those achieving 1000 miles and especially to the our top three.

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|---------------------------------------|-------|
| 1. Rocky and Maryann Simmons          | 6,563 |
| 2. Greg and Sheryl Hoyle              | 6,339 |
| 3. Rich and Donna Robinson            | 3,086 |
| 4. Chris DuVall                       | 2,426 |
| 5. Don and Terri Ulberg               | 2,399 |
| 6. Bob and Margaret Soper             | 2,320 |
| 7. Marvin and Linda Mellage           | 2,273 |
| 8. David Black                        | 2,140 |
| 9. Charlie and Charlotte Clevenger    | 2,128 |
| 10. Roy and Barbara Cail              | 1,907 |
| 11. Ralph and Connie Hudson           | 1,875 |
| 12. Ken and Tory Burst and Linda Ochs | 1,802 |
| 13. Jerry Conrad                      | 1,726 |
| 14. Robert and Elaine Bullard         | 1,670 |
| 15. Benny Benson                      | 1,590 |
| 16. Harold and Virginia Helton        | 1,461 |
| 17. Mitchell and Melody DuVall        | 1,338 |
| 18. Chuck and Lisa Ramsey             | 1,315 |
| 19. Kent and Jeanne Washburn          | 1,302 |
| 20. Jerry and Charlene Sloan          | 1,176 |
| 21. Rick and Lesa Jensen              | 1,120 |

We have been tracking mileage for the past five years. Below are the results by year:

2010	24 participants	18 (1000 miles or greater)
2011	22 participants	14 (1000 miles or greater)
2012	23 participants	15 (1000 miles or greater)
2013	25 participants	18 (1000 miles or greater)
2014	23 participants	21 (1000 miles or greater)



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# Calendar of Events

DATE.....	EVENT AND LOCATION.....	TIME
February 7 .....	Breakfast, Union Street Cafe, 4759 South Union Avenue, Tulsa .....	9:00 a
	Drive you're A for a visit to the car collection of the Burton's in Sand Springs	
February 17 .....	Monthly Meeting, East Central High School .....	7:00 p
March 3 .....	Board meeting, Hardesty .....	7:00 p
March 7 .....	Breakfast, Tally's Café, 1102 S Yale, Tulsa .....	9:00 a
March 17 .....	Monthly Meeting, East Central High School .....	7:00 p

## SERVICE AWARD WINNER

By Harold Helton

Connie Hudson was awarded the 2014 Service Award by our club at the Christmas Party. She received the recognition because of her 29 years of membership in the Tulsa club and membership in MAFCA. Connie has served as a chapter officer, committee chair, and published the Rumble Sheet for the past five years.

In addition she served on the Regional Planning committee and hosted meetings at her workplace. Connie is recognized in the January/February Restorer on page 43.

Connie is the fifth member of our club to be recognized for long term membership and outstanding service to our club. Members that have been recognized in the past are: Ralph Hudson, Marvin Mellage, George James, and Jerry Sloan.

Congratulations and thank you Connie for a great job!



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FEBRUARY

- 07 Johnny Beard
- 17 Charles Clevenger
- 17 Bobbie Kendall
- 17 Edna Pogue
- 19 Bill & Carma JENKINS
- 22 Jan Crismond
- 23 Don Crismond
- 24 Claude Blackwell
- 26 Katie Owens
- 28 Chuck Ramsey



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**FYI RELATED**

- February 6-7, 2015, Sunflower Swap Meet, Wichita
- March 19-20, 2015, Chickasha Pre-War Swap Meet
- May 7-9, 2015, Chickasha Spring Swap Meet
- June 8-12, 2015, Midwest Regional, St. Joseph, Missouri
- June 19-24, 2016, National MAFCA Convention, Loveland, CO

# AWESOME APRICOT BARS

by Nancy Forcum

## CRUST

1 cup all purpose flour

1/4 t salt

6 T butter

1 T water

1. In medium bowl combine flour and salt. With pastry blender, cut in butter until mixture resembles coarse crumbs..

2. Sprinkle in water, tossing with a fork until pastry is just moist enough to hold together.

3. Press into 8 inch square pan. Refrigerate 15 minutes. Put in a preheated 400 deg. oven and bake for 15 minutes.

## APRICOT LAYER

Mix together: 1 cup (about 6 ounces) dried apricots,,

1/4 c. water,

1/4 to 1/2 c. Disaronno amaretto,

1/3 c. water

## ALMOND LAYER

1/2 c. butter, softened

1/2 c. sugar

2 eggs

1/4 c. all purpose flour

1 c. (about 4 ozs) ground blanched almonds

1 t. vanilla extract

1/8 t. almond extract

## ICING

1 T. softened butter

1/2 t. vanilla extract

1 T. milk

1 t. amaretto

Enough powdered sugar to make thin icing

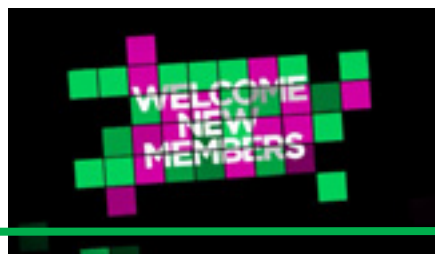
1. APRICOT LAYER: In small saucepan combine the above 4 ingredients. Bring to a boil.

Reduce heat and cook about 15 minutes or until soft and can be mashed with a fork. Cool

2. ALMOND LAYER: In mixing bowl cream butter and sugar until light and fluffy. Add eggs, one at a time and beat until mixed. Add flour, almonds and extracts.

3. Reduce oven to 350 degrees. Spread apricot mixture evenly over pastry. Smooth with a spatula. Bake 30 - 35 minutes. Cool in pan. Drizzle with icing and sprinkle with sliced almonds. Cut in small squares.

Note: Can use cranberries but will need to add more sugar. Will freeze for up to 3 months



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Members are encouraged to submit articles containing technical or any club related information. Articles must reach the editor by the 5th of the month to insure publication in that month's newsletter. Articles received after that will appear in a following newsletter.

Membership dues for the Tulsa Model A Ford Club are \$20 per family annually payable at the end of the year. Contact the New Member chairperson for new memberships and the Treasurer for renewals. The Tulsa Model A Ford Club recommends membership in the national MAFCA organization.

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- Business Meeting - 7:00 p.m. 3rd Tuesday of each month at East Central Junior High, 12121 East 21, Tulsa
- Breakfast - 9:00 a.m., 1st Saturday of each month, location to be announced
- Board Meeting - 7:00 p.m., 1st Tuesday of each month, Charles Hardesty Library, 8316 East 93rd Street, Tulsa

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