

THE RUMBLE SHEET



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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE BY ROY CAIL

The January weather seems to be the same as last year, cold and a little snowy. Let's hope February repeats last year which was quite mild. Our A's like nice cool weather so some winter driving can be quite nice.

Our Rumble Sheet is a major way to communicate with you on current and future activities. Our goal is to distribute (email) the newsletter by the 23rd of each month for the upcoming month. By emailing on the 23rd that gives us a minimum of 7 – 8 days prior to any activity scheduled for that month. For those writing articles or publishing dates must have these to Pam Lundy (email: pianopam@aol.com) by the 20th. Harold Helton, who has been assisting with the Rumble Sheet for the past few years, opted to step away from this task. A big thank you to Harold for helping all these years. Therefore, all articles, photos, etc, should be sent directly to Pam. We appreciate everyone helping to make this happen.

Our Club is responsible for the Spring Tour in 2025. We have selected as our destination Ponca City. The dates selected are April 24 – 27. Tim Bodine is leading the planning of the Spring Tour. Tim has an article in the Rumble Sheet with key information about the tour such as hotel contact.

We plan on publishing the directory for 2025 in February. In order to be in the directory your 2025 dues (\$30) must be paid. In addition, if you have any corrections that need to be made, please use the form below so we can pass them on to Steve Riser who publishes the directory.

Membership Renewal Form: Tulsa Model A Club 2025

\$30.00 Check # _____ Cash _____ Date Paid (mm/dd/yy) _____
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 Spouses Name _____ Member Since (mm/yyyy) _____
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 Model A Changes _____

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Jackie Dunn has laid out by month what our programs will be for our meetings for 2025. You will note she had listed the programs as "tentative" since we are so early in the year. Our goal is to keep you well informed.

Tim Bodine has arranged our first mid-month drive on March 15. You will find all the details in his article in the Rumble Sheet. Again, our goal is to keep you informed so you can make plans to participate.

Breakfast for February 1 is at Silver Skillet, located at 8228 E. 61st St. Suite114, Tulsa, 8:30 a.m. No drive following breakfast due to Celebration of Life for Rus Shuler at 1 – 3p.m., First Baptist Church, Broken Arrow.

Breakfast for March 1 is at Big Biscuit, 5335 E. 41st St., Tulsa, 8:30a.m. We hope to have two car collections to visit following breakfast.



Looking forward getting those A's on the road again!!!

THE FINER POINTS

by Chris DuVall

You know a car is getting close when you're starting to add back little details. Recently for me, this was the mirror and windshield wiper on my 400-A. There were several changes made to the mirror throughout production, but my car has the last style. Luckily, I was able to come across an NOS mirror for my car at a swap meet several years ago.



The 400-A has a special mirror basket that was only used on it and a few slant windshield Cabriolets. Of course, it's chrome plated. You can also see my wood grained trim for above the windshield.



As a bonus and to make our new president, Roy, jealous, I'll show you a photo of my original chrome plated wiper motor that is installed on the 400. I hope you enjoyed some of the jewelry that's installed on my car. We're ready for top and interior now!



One small item that is often overlooked by restorers is the small piece of cloth that is meant to go between the mirror and the bracket. It's visible from outside the car, and the judges definitely look for it. Also, it's practical since it helps to keep the bracket from scratching the mirror!



MARCH 18 MEMBER MEETING: SHOE BOX SWAP MEET



At the March 18 meeting we will have a “Shoe Box” swap meet. Some have asked what this is and does it really have to be a shoe box. The answer is: no, it does not have to be a shoe box but rather an opportunity to bring a limited number of small items that you may want to sell such as – carburetors, head light lens, tail lights, jewelry, hats, pins, etc. Be sure to mark your items with your name and price. As you can tell both ladies and gentlemen can participate in what we think will be a fun evening. The one rule is: you can not start selling/purchasing any items until after the business meeting ends. All boxes must be kept closed until the swap meet starts --- thanks in advance for your cooperation. This provides ample opportunity to sell your items, have some fun and give all an equal chance. Come and enjoy the fun!!! Jackie Dunn will be coordinating the swap meet.

BROKEN ARROW COMMUNITY THEATER AND DINNER APRIL 6, 2025

Performance: On Golden Pond

Date/Time: April 6 at 2p.m.

Cost: \$20 per person

Theater Address: 1800 S. Main Street

Broken Arrow

Dinner: To Be Determined

Come join the fun of reminiscing about days gone by while we enjoy a performance of “On Golden Pond”. Following the performance, we will have dinner at a restaurant near the theater. Since we are going to a matinee, we encourage you to drive your Model A. The theater has set aside 26 tickets so that we can get good seats. We will have a sign-up sheet at our January, February, and March meetings. Payment is required no later than our member meeting on March 18, which is also the cutoff date for tickets. Looking forward to having you join us for this popular show.

SATURDAY DAY TRIP

by Tim Bodine

This is a new feature your BOD is introducing. We will try to have a Saturday Day Trip on the third Saturday of most months during nice weather. This is our first such event.

On March 15th, we will be driving our old cars to Rachel’s Kitchen, located south of Chouteau at 12233 S 428 Rd, Chouteau, OK for a home style Amish meal. The meal will include salad, two meat dishes (chicken and ham), lots of side veggie dishes, homemade dinner rolls with apple butter, and pecan and cherry pies for dessert. Everything is served family style at large tables by the Amish ladies. You will not leave hungry.

We will meet at the parking lot of Inola High School and depart for Rachel’s Kitchen at 10:30 am. Cost of the meal is \$22.50 per person including tax and gratuity. Amish baked goods and candies will be available for purchase. After the meal, we will drive south on nice secondary roads to OK Hwy 51 and on to Broken Arrow and Tulsa areas. This would be an excellent opportunity to invite guests to ride in your old car, eat a good dinner and experience the fun of the Model A hobby!

We must guarantee at least 20 diners. Sign up and pay during January and February membership meetings.



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2024 1000 MILE PROGRAM RESULTS

by Roy Cail

The results are in for those participating in the 2024 1000 Mile Program. We had 19 achieving 1000 miles or greater. Greg and Cheryl Hoyle drove the most miles in 2024, driving 15,237 miles. Robert and Elaine Bullard and Sam and Carina Slavens rounded out the top three spots with 11,238 and 4,034 miles respectively. Congratulations to all those achieving 1000 miles and especially to our top three. Total miles driven by all participants was 61,679.

1000 Mile Club for 2025

If you did not participate in 2024 and want to participate in 2025 please email me (rcail102244@gmail.com) your beginning odometer reading(s). Some have already submitted their readings to which, I say thank you.

2024 Miles per participant:

1.	Greg and Cheryl Hoyle	15,237
2.	Robert and Elaine Bullard	11,238
3.	Sam and Carina Slaven	4,034
4.	Mitch and Teresa DeCamp	3,321
5.	Mitchell and Melody DuVall	2,779
6.	Marvin and Linda Mellage	2,765
7.	Chris and Julianna DuVall	2,703
8.	Bob and Linda Stine	2,362
9.	Johnny Nicholson	1,937
10.	Charles and Karen Dusenbery	1,925
11.	Ken and Tory Brust	1,806
12.	Jerry Conrad and Linda	1759
13.	Rodger and Debbie Johnson	1,702
14.	Ralph and Connie Hudson	1,621
15.	Kent and Jeanne Washburn	1,439
16.	Andy and Jackie Dunn	1,336
17.	Oli and Virginia Harris	1,319
18.	Lonnie and Sherry	1,261
19.	Roy and Barbara Cail	1,135
TOTAL MILES DRIVEN		61,679

We have been tracking mileage for the past 14 years. Below are the results by year:

• 2010	18 (1000 miles or greater)
• 2011	14 (1000 miles or greater)
• 2012	15 (1000 miles or greater)
• 2013	18 (1000 miles or greater)
• 2014	21 (1000 miles or greater)
• 2015	19 (1000 miles or greater)
• 2016	19 (1000 miles or greater)
• 2017	18 (1000 miles or greater)
• 2018	20 (1000 miles or greater)
• 2019	20 (1000 miles or greater)
• 2020	12 (1000 miles or greater)
• 2021	19 (1000 miles or greater)
• 2022	15 (1000 miles or greater)
• 2023	19 (1000 miles or greater)
• 2024	19 (1000 miles or greater)

SPRING TOUR - 2025

by Tim Bodine



It's time again for our annual Spring Tour joint event with the Oklahoma City clubs. This year the tour will be to Ponca City. Dates will be April 24-27. We will be staying at the Holiday Inn Express located at 2809 N 14th St., Ponca City, OK where we have 30 rooms being held for our use. You may reserve your room by calling (580) 762-3700 before April 3, 2025. We have a special group rate, so be sure to mention our club.

We have several group tours and a group dinner planned. In addition to visiting interesting sites in Ponca City, we will emphasize driving the cars with group drives to nearby locations.

More information will be forthcoming, but now is the time to mark your calendars and make your room reservations. If you have any questions or concerns, contact any club Board member.

MODEL A BREAKFAST

FEBRUARY 1, 2025, 8:30 AM

by Bob Stine



Arrangements for the February Tulsa Model A Ford Club breakfast will be at The Silver Skillet restaurant at 8228 E. 61st St. Tulsa, OK. 74133, 918-940-3888 on 01 February 2025, 8:30 AM.

Looking forward to seeing many of you. A change of plans following breakfast. Originally we were going to visit 2 car collections. Due to some unforeseen issues we are postponing with a target date of March.

If you have ideas for places to have breakfast please let Bob Stine know, Cell Number 918-829-6555.



MONTHLY COFFEES

Marvin's - 8:30 a.m.
 ▶ 1st Tuesday
 McDonald's - 8:30 a.m.
 ▶ 2nd, 3rd, & 4th Tuesday
 Bob Stine's - 8:30 a.m.
 ▶ 3rd Wednesday



FEBRUARY 2025 MONTHLY MEETING GUEST SPEAKER

The Club is pleased to announce that our special guest speaker at the February 2025 monthly meeting will be Mr. Mike Bender.

Mr. Bender rode "shotgun" for the "Sea to Sea in a T" tour in June 2024, along with Mike Vaughn and Ted Hathaway, commemorating the 100th anniversary of the 10-millionth Model T to roll off Ford Motor Company's assembly line in 1924.

Back in the day, the Ford Motor Company, as part of their advertising campaign, sponsored a "sea to sea" transcontinental tour, following the old Lincoln Highway from New York Times Square to San Francisco's Lincoln Park.

And, as Mr. Bender will relay, their June 2024 trek along the old route, 100 years later, had its own unique challenges, adventures, and inspiration.

Our own Model A's are fast approaching their 100-year milestone, soon to join the centennial ranks with the grand-daddy of them all, Henry Ford's Model T.

Look forward to seeing you at our February, 2025 club meeting to greet Mike and hear his wonderful story of a lifetime, "Sea to Sea in a Model T".



Ladies' Luncheon Every Third Thursday

Thursday, February 20, 11:30
 Ti Amo Ristorante
 6024 South Sheridan Road, Tulsa



>January Ladies' Lunch at Houlihan's.



Calendar of February Events

February 1 - 8

1/Saturday, 8:30 a.m.
Silver Skillet, 8228 East 61st Street

1/Saturday, 1:00 p.m.
Rus Shuler Celebration of Life

4/Tuesday - 8:30 a.m.
Coffee at Marvin's

February 9- 15

11/Tuesday, 8:30 a.m.
Coffee at McDonald's

11/Model A Board Meeting, 1:00 p.m.
Hardesty Library, Ash room

February 16 - 22

18/Tuesday, 8:30 a.m.
Coffee at McDonald's

18/Tuesday, 7:00 p.m.
Model A General Meeting, Hardesty Library
Speaker Mike Bender, Sea to Sea Race in a Model T

19/Wednesday, 8:30 a.m.
Coffee at Bob Stine's

20/Thursday, 11:30 a.m.
Ladies' Luncheon



MARCH

1 - Breakfast, 8:30 a.m., Big Biscuit, 5335 E. 41st
Tour 2 Car Collections,

3 -Coffee at Marvin's - 8:30 AM

7 -Model A Breakfast - 8:30 AM - Bob Stine

10 - Coffee McDonald's - 8:30AM

13 -Model A Board Meeting - Hardesty Library -
1:00 PM

15 - Driving Tour/Lunch, 11:00 a.m., Rachel's Kitch-
en,

12233 S 428 Road, Chouteau, Amish Meal

17 - Coffee McDonald's - 8:30 AM

17 -General Meeting - Hardesty Library - 7:00 PM

18 - Coffee Bob Stine's - 8:30AM

18 - Monthly Meeting: Shoebox Swap Meet, 7:00 p.m.

19 -Ladies Luncheon - 11:30 AM - Jeanne
Washburn

24 - Coffee McDonald's - 8:30 AM

31 - Coffee McDonald's - 8:30AM

TBD - Wichita Swap Meet, Wichita, KS

TBD - Pre-War Swap Meet, Chickasha

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- Carina Slavens suffered a mild stroke on 17 December 2024. She is progressing well.
- Jerry Conrad fell on 18 December 2024 and cracked a rib and punctured a lung. He also is progressing well.
- Kent Washburn reported he contracted a mild case of Covid during the 2024 Christmas observance and his wife Jeannie was under the weather at the same time. Mr. Washburn reports that the both of them have recovered and are doing well.



BIRTHDAYS



January 28 – Melody DuVall & Barbara Cail

February 18 – Linda Mellage & Carina Slavens

March 18 – Carolanne Mahan & Kim Sutter

April 15 – Tory Brust & Linda Ochs

May 20 – Jeanne Washburn

June 17 – Melody DuVall & Jackie Dunn

July 15 – Connie Hudson

August – Linda Bodine

September – Connie Hudson & Jeanne Washburn

October – Barbara Cail & Linda Mellage

- 6 Tim Bodine
- 6 Vi Curtis
- 7 Johnny Beard
- 12 Carina Slavens
- 13 Don Curtis
- 15 Kendall Sutter
- 23 Kim Sutter
- 27 Susan Cherry
- 28 Chuck Ramsey
- 29 Celinda Burton



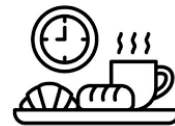
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>Jackie Dunn pitches an idea to promote displays of era items at meetings.



JANUARY BREAKFAST



2025 CALENDAR

APRIL

- 5 - Breakfast, Big Biscuit, 8529 N 129th E. Ave, Owasso, 8:30 a.m.
- 6 - Broken Arrow Community Theater: BA Community, 1800 S. Main Street, 2p.m.
- 10 - Board Meeting Hardesty Library, 1 p.m.
- 15 - Monthly Meeting: Chili dinner Hardesty Library, 7 p.m.
- 18 - 19 - Tulsa Swap Meet, Creek County Fair Grounds
- 24 - 27 - Spring Tour, Ponca City and Local Area

MAY

- 3 - Breakfast, TBD
- 20 - Monthly Meeting: Dan Threlkeld, Master Garden, Hardesty Library, 7 p.m.

JUNE

- 7 - Breakfast, TBD
- 17 - Monthly Meeting: Audrey Martin, Hardesty Library, 7p.m., Preservation Cherokee Basket & SE US basket Art, Barbara Cail

JULY

- 3 - Concert: 4th on the 3rd Patriotic/Dinner, TCC 81st St. at Hwy 169 TBA
- 5 - Breakfast, TBD
- 19 - Ice Cream Social/Meeting, Joanna Cooper's, 11 a.m.

AUGUST

- 2 - Breakfast, TBD
- 19 - Monthly Meeting: Kim Sutter, Hardesty Library, 7p.m., Grandmother's A Trip to West Coast

SEPTEMBER

- 6 - Breakfast, TBD
- 16 - Monthly Meeting: Route 66 Centennial Review, Hardesty Library

OCTOBER

- 4 - Breakfast, TBD
- TBD - Hershey Swap Meet, Hershey, PA
- 21 - Monthly Meeting: Baked Potato Dinner, Hardesty Library, 6:30p.m.
- Fall Tour

NOVEMBER

- 1 - Breakfast, TBD
- 18 - Monthly Meeting: Cake Walk, Hardesty Library, 7 p.m.

DECEMBER

- 6 - Breakfast, TBD
- NO MONTHLY MEETING
- 13 - Christmas Party, Country Cottage, 1 - 3p.m.

As other events surface, more activities may be added or substituted for some of the above.

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2025 MONTHLY MEETINGS: **TENTATIVE** SCHEDULE 1.22.25 by Jackie Dunn

JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH
<p>Hubley Races</p> 	<p>Guest Speaker: Mike Bender, Sea to Sea in a T Valentine's Table with gifts for Ladies VALENTINE BACKDROP FOR PHOTOS</p> 	<p>Guest Speaker: Rhys Martin, President - Oklahoma Route 66 Association Display Table: Route 66 Centennial</p> 
APRIL	MAY	JUNE
 <p>Display Table: 1928 memorabilia Tulsa Auto Show (tentatively scheduled Apr 2025)</p>	<p>Guest Speaker: Dan Threlkeld Display Table: 1929 memorabilia</p> 	<p>Guest Speakers: Preservation of Cherokee Heritage of Basket Weaving by Audrey Martin and East Coast Baskets by B. Cail</p> 
JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
<p>20th Century Vintage Ice Cream Social</p> 	<p>Guest Speaker: Kim Sutter, Grandmother's Model A Trip Part II</p>  <p>Display Table: 1930 memorabilia</p>	<p>Guest Speaker: Pulitzer Author Michael Wallis, "Belle Starr" (unconfirmed)</p> 
OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
 <p>Display Table: 1931 memorabilia</p>		 <p>Christmas Party, Country Cottage Restaurant, Locust Grove</p>

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Chapter #8231 of the Model A Club of America (MAFCA)

This is the official publication of the Tulsa Chapter of Model A Ford Club of America. This monthly newsletter is mailed to members, prospective members, advertisers and editors of similar publications. It's purpose is to keep you informed of what has taken place, scheduled activities and to promote fellowship among club members.

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 \$30 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.

Members may advertise at no cost, non-business ads in the newsletter For Sale, Wanted or Trade section. Businesses may advertise with cost by the ad size, (business card size or 1/4 page) in the advertising section. The number of ads are restricted to space available in the Rumble Sheet. Contact the Advertising chairperson for details.

Meeting Schedule

- Business Meeting - 7:00 p.m., 3rd Tuesday of each month at Charles Hardesty Library, 8316 East 93rd Street, Tulsa
- Breakfast - 8:30 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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