



Model A Club News

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Will this rain ever stop? We just returned from the Autumn Trails Tour where we had three days of good weather (windy and cool at times, but overall it was good) and, wham, it starts around midnight Sunday and hasn't stop yet. It's now ten o'clock Sunday morning, by the way. Enough already!

Several members (18 I heard someone say) had dinner at Roma's in Athens on October 2nd and then attended the musical play "Nunsense" at the Henderson County Performing Arts Center. A fun time was enjoyed by all.

Walt had an "exchange engines" tech session on October 13th when several members took an engine from a "rolling frame" and installed it in Walt's Tudor. The new engine fired right up and ran great, and it seemed as though Walt's problems were over with that car. However, some forty miles or so later an oil problem caused the center main bearing to seize, and poor Walt is back to square one. Sorry, Walt.

Our overnight trip to Jefferson scheduled for October 8th

and 9th was canceled due to bad weather, but I think we can be assured that Bill W. will get this rescheduled next spring. Something we have to look forward to in 2010.

If you missed the Classic Car Show at the Dairy Queen on October 17th you missed seeing Bob Beck's "Vicky" and my Chevrolet Cheyenne win first place in their respective classes. There were so many beautiful cars on display that it was difficult for all (except Bob and me) to choose a favorite.

As I said earlier, we just returned from the Autumn Trails Tour and I think I can safely say that it was a fun trip for all who attended. While I got stuck in the mud at the Friday night "stew party" at the Willis's and had to have six or seven guys and one gal push us out, it didn't dampen our spirits for the parade and Sunday driving tour. Several of us pooled our extra A parts, rented a spot at the swap meet, and had some fun pushing some parts on the shoppers. This is the best tour and our reservations are made for next year!

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Mary Worman	11/8
Harold Hemphill	11/12
Ann Cooper	11/13
Richard Smith	11/15
Erma Reynolds	11/17
Clark Clay	11/20
Janelle Seabourne	11/25

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

John & Teena Shore
Mabank, Texas

Harold Hemphill
Eustace, Texas

It's that time of year, 2010
Club Dues are being
received. Dues are \$15.00 for
twelve months.

COMING EVENTS

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**NOV 3, 2009 _ CCMAFC Meeting at
the 7-Points Dairy Queen. 5:30 p.m.**

**NOV 6-7, 2009 - Southwest Swap Meet -
Arlington**

**NOV 14, 2009 -- Southwest Speedster
Rally and Hillclimb - Mineola**

**NOV 19-22, 2009 -- Leake-Kruse
Auction**

NOV 26 - Thanksgiving - everywhere!

**DEC 5, 2009 - CCMAFC Christmas
Lunch and party - Civic Center in Tool**

Cedar Creek Model A Ford Club Minutes of October 6, 2009

President Don Dyess called the October 6, 2009 meeting to order at 5:30 p.m. in the meeting room of the Seven Points, Texas Dairy Queen.

There were twenty-eight members and one guest attending with three Model A's driven. Don led the group in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance. The President welcomed everyone and asks if everyone had read the Minutes of the last meeting. Don asks if there were any changes that needed to be made, there were none. The President asks and received a motion to accept the minutes from John Bell with a second from Chuck Sportsman.

Joe Creecy announced the August Treasure's report: Cedar Creek MAFC had income of \$79.00.

Birthdays were recognized: there were nine members having September birthdays. The group sang Happy Birthday.

Walt Hellebrand introduced his guest John Shore. John now owns the Model A chassis that Ola Power once owned and is looking for a body for the chassis.

Sunshine Report: Sue Capps reported that all was the same as in the September Newsletter.

Announcements: The over night tour to Jefferson, Texas has been canceled due to the weather. October 9 -11 is the Canton Swap meet at the First Monday trade grounds. Danny Hampel reminded everyone of the Classic Dairy Queen Car Show the 17th. Danny wanted the Model A's there early and to park next to Scotty's. The show starts at 12:00 p.m., but be there at 11:00 a.m. October 23 -25 is Autumn Trails in Winnsboro, Texas. Don Dyess announced that he was taking Model A parts to sale at Winnsboro. Any member with parts to sale gets them to Don.

The Southwest swap meet in Arlington on November 6-7 was announced. The Speedster and Hill Climb Rally is November 14th in Mineola, Texas. Ken Parker passed a job assignment list

around for volunteers to sign. Volunteers need to be there at 8:00 a.m. and Autumn Trails Club is helping with the event. Ken announced that Chuck Sportsman, Bud Calicutt and Ron Kelly had been working on the timing device and had it ready. Bill Lee announced that on October 31 there would be October fest in Palestine, Texas with the MG Club as part of the event.

Ola Powell announced that with everything that was already scheduled for October he had no events to add.

Walt Hellebrand announced that he wanted to host a tech session on Tuesday the 13th starting at 9:00 a.m. at his shop to remove the engine from his frame and install in the Tudor.

Wanda Bell brought the group up to date on preparations for the Christmas lunch. The lunch will be held on December the 5th, 11:00 a.m. at the Oran White Civic Center in Tool, Texas. (*Same place as last year*) A discussion of food for the lunch was undertaken. The group decided that the Club would purchase Bar-B-Que from Extreme Bar-B-Que and members will supply sides for the lunch. President Dyess and members thanked Wanda for planning the dinner and theater outing.

Slate of 2010 Club officers were announced: President- Bill Wittner, Vice-President- Chuck Sportsman, Secretary/Treasurer- Joe Creecy, Directors- Walt Hellebrand, Sue Capps and Bob Harris. The President asks for nominations from the floor, there were none.

Bob Harris reported on St Jude's fundraiser progress. Auto shows are numerous in the area. Bob suggested exploring a walk-a-thon involving area school kids. After considering the number of members needed to host an event and the return on time invested, there would be little raised in this area. A possible member or Club donation to St Jude's is under consideration for 2010.

Bill and Kathy Holmes were thanked for hosting the picnic lunch and wild life event on International

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Model A Day. **Bill and Nancy Wittner** were thanked for planning the International Model A Day event and contacting the local News Papers for coverage.

The October raffle was held with ticket number 986 drawn.

President Dyess asks for and received a motion from John Bell with a second from Walt Hellebrand to adjourn.

The October 6, 2009 Cedar Creek Model A Ford Club meeting was adjourned.

Joe Creecy, Secretary/Treasurer

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If you possibly can you should attend our monthly meeting on November 3rd at the Seven Points Dairy Queen. We will vote for the Club's 2010 Officers and you need to be there to vote and/or nominate a candidate for office. The Board's slate, which was presented at last month's meeting, is as follows:

President - Bill Wittner
Vice-President - Chuck Sportsman
Secretary/Treasurer - Joe Creecy
Director - Walt Hellebrand
Director - Sue Capps
Director - Bob Harris

See you November 3rd at the DQ.

Don

SUNSHINE REPORT

Mary Worman, Walt Hellebrand and Paul Pirtle have had weather related allergy problems.

Jim Bellah had shoulder surgery to remove a bone spur and repair a torn muscle.

Eddie Powell is getting better. Ola's ear is getting better.

O V Cliver got good test reports.

Shorty's hand is well.

Gene and Sandra Tregre are doing better.

Jimmy Reynolds is getting out and around some...still doing therapy and rehab at home.

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