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May 2015

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REGULAR MEETING

May 2, 2015 @ 7:30p.m.

Fourth Presbyterian Church
5200 Francis Street, Lincoln, NE

Special speaker will be Ted Genoways who will talk about his book "The Chain: Farm, Factory and the Fate of Our Food". THE CHAIN HAS BEEN NAMED A FINALIST FOR THE JAMES BEARD FOUNDATION AWARD FOR WRITING AND LITERATURE.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

May 2nd Nancy Green
May 12th Glen Manske
May 16th Judy Jecha
May 16th Norma Cummings
May 17th Judy Callaway
May 23rd Steve Green

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

May 9th Jay & Megan Beavers
May 17th Nick & Jenn Heetderks
May 18th Leo & Helen Sougey

Dinner Tours

The dinner tour on April 30th will be to Greenfields on Hiway 2. Meet at 5 pm.

OUT & ABOUT in your MODEL A

May 15-17 Three Rivers Tour, Sioux City, IA
16th Berean Car Show
30th Grammercy Hill, 68th & A

Jun. 6th Gretna H.S. Car Show, 10-3
8-12th Regional Meet, St. Joseph, MO
17-20th HCCA Tour, Abilene, KS
26th Southlake Village, 10-1
27th Legacy Estates, 7200 Van Dorn
27th Ceresco Days Car Show
28th Rebels Car Show, Pioneers Park
30th Windcrest Retirement Home Display

Jul. 4th Forth of July Parade, Seward
10th Sumner Place, 2-4
11th Andy's Express, 3201 Yankee Hill
11th All Ford Show at Anderson Ford
19th Car Display at Antelope Park Concert
25th Ashland Stir-Up Days Parade
25th Legacy Terrace, 5700 Fremont St.
30th - Tour with Meadowlarks,
Aug. 2nd Greenfield, IA

Aug. 2nd Czech Days Parade, Wilber
15th Model A Day at Amana, IA
22nd The Legacy, Car Display, 5600 Pioneers

Sep. 19th International Model A Day

REFRESHMENTS

Snacks for the May meeting will be provided by Janet Beauvais, Bernice Jeffries, Laverne Johnston and Joan Taylor.



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OOPS.....

For those of you who studied the photos of the Swap Meet, you probably noticed that Leo Sougey was in one of the photos but his name was omitted from the list of those helping. Sorry Leo. Thanks to you and the rest of the members helping to make the Swap Meet a success.

Breakfast Meeting



April 4, 2015 Cornhusker Model A Club Meeting Minutes

The April 4, 2015 monthly meeting of the Cornhusker Model A Club was convened by President Joan Taylor at 9:45 am. The meeting was held at the Golden Corral in Lincoln following a club-provided buffet breakfast at the restaurant. Forty six members were present along with the following six guests: Alex Heetderks (son of Nick and Jenn Heetderks); Alana Ray and Kaitlin Ray (granddaughters of Don and Marcia Borchers); Bo Beavers and Jude Beavers (sons of Jay and Megan Beavers); and Lanz Jecha (grandson of Harvey and Judy Jecha). President Taylor extended best wishes to those who have or will celebrate birthdays or anniversaries during the month of April.

Minutes of March 7, 2015 Meeting

Jim Cook noted a correction offered by Judy Callaway to the March minutes. The draft minutes indicated a bill had been submitted by Judy in the amount of \$8.69; the correct amount was \$6.31. Motion was made by Linda Buckley and seconded by Helen Sougey to approve the March minutes with the correction noted. The motion was approved.

Treasurer's Report and Bills Submitted

Jenn Heetderks provided the following report: Checking acct: Opening balance of \$2927.43 with income of \$854.00 and expenses of \$25.71 for an ending balance of \$3755.72. Savings acct: Opening and closing balance of \$3458.54. Bills submitted: Margaret Mays in the amounts of \$6.59 and \$29.40 for newsletter expenses. Motion was made by Ed Taylor, seconded by Bill Buckley to approve the Treasurer's report and to authorize payment of the bills submitted. The motion was approved.

Committee Reports

Prior to committee reports, President Taylor mentioned that many members knew that she had been ill recently. She reported that she had corrective surgery a week before the meeting and was doing much better now.

Activities: No report

Swap Meet: Dick Waechter reported that the swap meet had been very successful, so much so that some vendors had to be turned away because of lack of space. Costs will be increased by about 40% next year so, for the first time, there will be a \$3.00 charge for public parking. Dick also indicated that the amount of cash and food contributed to the Food Bank had both been records -- \$5722 in cash and 6524 pounds of food.

Parades and Tours: Dick Waechter noted the following upcoming events; more details will be in the newsletter: 4-11 and 4-18, 2 separate tours of Kuck's Museum; 4-25, Norris High School car show; 4-26, opportunity for joint activity with Meadowlark Model A Club in Lincoln; 5-15, Sioux City Tour; 5-16, Berean car show; 5-30, Gramercy Hill; 6-30, Windcrest Retirement Home; 7-11 All Ford Show at Anderson Ford and car show at Andy's convenience store (because of conflict, Dick will check to see if the car show at Andy's

can be changed to a different date). Dick also mentioned that Arbor Lodge had expressed interest in having the club show our cars there sometime in the fall. Many members indicated support for doing that so Dick said he would contact the Lodge folks for a possible date in September.

Calling/Sunshine Committee: Laverne Johnson indicated no calls were made and no cards sent in the last month.

Dinner Tours: Darrel Best stated that the April dinner tour will be at Greenfields on Hwy 2 starting at 5:00 pm.

Membership: Dave Allder said there were no new members since the March meeting.

Advertising: Loren Davidson had nothing new to report.

Tech seminars: Ed Taylor said he had a list of the tools that members were willing to loan to other members; copies of the list can be obtained from him. He also noted that a brake adjusting seminar was still planned but that no date had as yet been set.

Old Business

None

New Business

Gayle Hanshaw said there were no new details to report regarding the planned joint picnic with the Meadowlark Club at Mahoney Park on Sept. 19. It has been suggested that each club appoint 3 members to serve on a committee to plan that picnic and to propose arrangements for future joint outings. Gayle and Ed Taylor volunteered to serve. President Taylor appointed Gayle as Chair and authorized him to select another committee member. The May 2 meeting will be at 4th Presbyterian with treats to be provided by Janet Beauvais, Bernice Jeffries, Laverne Johnston and Joan Taylor.

Adjournment

With no further business to conduct, President Taylor adjourned the meeting at 10:06 am.

Jim Cook, Acting Secretary

Auction site with Model T's, Model A's and parts

Here's a link to an auction ad that might have appeal to some members. <http://www.fowlkesrealtyandauction.com/auctions282.htm>

Tech Tip

To bring the brake pedal to full upright position, it may be necessary to replace the worn bell housing brake pedal stop. This is located on the bell housing. A complete bell housing rebuild should include 1. new bushing in the bell housing, and new bushings in both pedals. 2. new clutch pedal collar (clutch pedal collar, with stops, P/N A7507-C).

Speed was high

Weather was not

Tires were thin

X marks the spot

BERMA SHAVE

FIRST TOUR 2015



A's by Branched Oak Lake.



View from a rumble seat.



Almost ready to leave Belmont parking lot.

Seven 'A's were ready to go on the clubs first tour of the year. After driving around Branched Oak Lake we stopped for a photo op near the lake. Then it was on to Denton for lunch at the Daily Double. Touring were Darrell & Donna Best, Dick & Jerry Waechter, Harv & Judi Jecha, Dale Kirkland, Nick, Jenn, Gerry & Cathy Heetderks, Laverne & Harry Johnston, and Dean & Margaret Mays.



How do you keep warm in a rumble seat ?
(Ask Neck's mom or dad)



Lunch at the Denton Daily Double.

Displaying their 'A's at Tabitha's Hollywood in the 1920's themed prom night for their residents were Darrell & Donna Best, Harry & Laverne Johnston, Dick & Jerry Waechter, Bob & July Callaway, Glenn & Margaret Manske, Gayle Hanshaw, and Margaret Mays. It was a great place to display our 'A's...no wind or rain or hot temperatures.

TOOLS TO LOAN OUT

Some of our members have tools that may aid others in restoration of their Model A's. If you are in need, please contact Ed.



BRAKE SEMINAR



FOR SALE

Here are a few pictures of Bud and Barb Clark's 1930 Model A. Paula and Fred Denton have decided to part with Bud & Barb's Model A. They have found with their current hobbies and obligations, they just don't have time to get involved with an additional hobby. It's not fair to just let it sit under a cover in a garage, when someone else could be enjoying it. They are asking \$10,500 for the car and some spare parts yet to be inventoried. Interested persons wanting to see and/or test drive should call Fred or Paula.

Fred & Paula Denton 402-486-0122 Home

402-430-5972 Paula's cell

402-450-9028 Fred's cell



MISSING SIGN-UP SHEET.....

Earlier this year a sign-up sheet for bringing snacks to the meeting was passed around. The sheet can't be found, so it is requested that if you signed up for a particular month please let Sharon Griess know which month. If you aren't going to be at the May meeting, please call her or send her an email.



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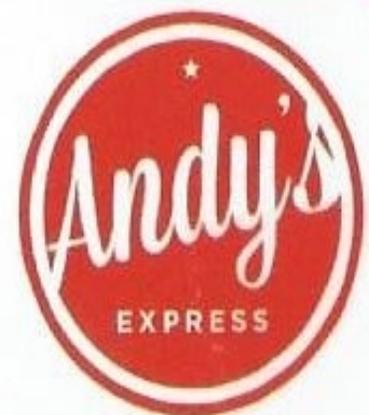
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