

Chatter & Clatter

September 2015

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REGULAR MEETING

September 5, 2015 @ 7:30p.m. Fourth Presbyterian Church 5200 Francis Street, Lincoln, NE

REFRESHMENTS

Snacks for the September meeting will be provided by Judy Callaway, Donna Best and Laverne Johnston.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Sept. 4 Harry Johnston

Sept. 7 Ray Hogrefe

Sept. 7 Helen Sougey

Sept. 8 Dave Allder

Sept. 21 Alan McVay

Sept. 26 Megan Beavers

Sept. 27 Dean Mays

Sept. 30 Terry Elliott

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Sept. 20 Dean & Margaret Mays

Dinner Tours

The dinner tour for August is to the Knolls, 2201 Old Cheney Rd. on August 27th. Meet at 5 pm. The September tour will be to Lee's.

OUT & ABOUT in your MODEL A

August

30th Calvary Church Show & Shine, 1st & Superior September

13th Havelock Avenue All Makes Car Show

19th International Model A Day. Display Model A's at Arbor Lodge in Nebr. City. Leave from 70th & Hwy 2 (Home Depot Parking Lot) at 7am. Lunch provided along with 2 admissions to Arbor Lodge

20th River City Classics Apple Jack Car Show, NE City

27th St. Michael's Festival/Car Show, 9101 S. 78th St October

4th ENWI Car Council Fall Foliage Tour to
Waubonsie State Park

December

6th Christmas Party

WELCOME

Our newest members are Jeff and Debbie Thomas.

They live in Lincoln and have a 1930 Cabriolet.

Roster information will be in the October newsletter.

Nominations for Officer/Board Members

Our annual election for officers and board members is rapidly approaching. Please consider having your name placed on the ballot and let Bill Buckely know if you are interested.

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August 9th ~ Ambassador Car Display

Participating in the car display were Bob & Judy Callaway, Harry & Laverne Johnston, Dick & Jerry Waechter, Charlie Cummings and Glen Manske. Leo & Helen Sougey stopped by to view the cars.

August 15th ~ Model A Day at Amana

Dean & Margaret Mays' Model A was one of the 80+ on display in Amana. Other events included an upholstery demonstration, tech session on scratch repair, button presentation, and hard times demo which included information on feed/grain sack usage during the early 1900's.



August 16th ~ Malcom Car Show

The Cornhusker Model A Club was well represented and all received plaques in classes. Showing their A's were Glen Manske, Bob & Judy Callaway and Gary Horn. Dave Allder showed his AA Truck. Ken Kovar showed his Ford Mustang.

August 22nd ~ Legacy Car Display

Participating in the annual Legacy Family Picnic were Dick & Jerry Waechter, Bob & Judy Callaway, Loren & Valda Davidson, Leo & Helen Sougey, Charlie Cummings, Darrell Best, Harry Johnston, Dale Kirkland and Margaret Mays

August 23rd ~ The Lexington Car Display

Moving across the street from the Legacy, on Sunday for the Lexington Car Display were Leo & Helen Sougey, Harry Johnston, Nick & Alex Heetderks, Dave Allder, Dale Kirkland, Dick & Jerry Waechter, Darrell Best, Charlie Cummings, Loren & Valda Davidson and Margaret Mays.

August 1, 2015 Cornhusker Model A Club Meeting Minutes

The Cornhusker Model A Ford Club (CMAFC) was called to order by President Joan Taylor at 7:50p.m. following an ice cream social at Fourth Presbyterian Church.

Roll call indicated 29 members present and one guest: Jeff Thomas whose family member owns a yellow and black Cabrolet with orange wheels. He asked advice regarding getting it to run better. Best wishes were extended to those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries.

Jim Cook moved the acceptance of the minutes of the June meeting. Linda Buckley seconded the motion and it was approved. There was not a July 2015 member meeting. Treasurer's Report: Jenn Elliott Heetderks sent a written report given by President Taylor.

June Starting Checking Balance: \$4,639.90 July Ending Checking Balance: \$4,500.57 June Starting Savings Balance: \$3,458.89 July Ending Savings Balance: \$3,459.12

Bills Submitted: Margaret Mays submitted a bill of \$16.18 for two months of the newsletter. Charlie Cummings made a motion seconded by Helen Sougey to accept the treasurer's report and to pay the bills as submitted. Motion was approved.

Committee Reports

Activities: Sharon Griess was absent, but had arranged for the ice cream social.

Calling Committee: Laverne Johnston reported that she had

contacted Lumir Vajgrt and that he was hoping to return home soon. She indicated Sharon Griess had back surgery and was unable to attend the meeting. News of Sharon's surgery was included in the newsletter so calls were not made to everyone. **Tours:** Dick Waechter reported on the upcoming events as listed on the sheet distributed at the meeting and as posted in the newsletter. (A copy will be attached to the file copy of the August minutes). He added additional information not on the Events handout. On Sunday August 30 there will be a car show at Calvary Church near 1st and Superior.

Dinner Tours: Darrell Best indicated that the Thursday dinner run of August would be to the Knolls Restaurant.

Membership: Dave Allder reported there were no new members. **Newsletter**: Margaret Mays read aloud a fun Ford Quiz she had included in the newsletter.

Tech Seminars: Ed Taylor reported he was planning a garage tour in August or October. Ed volunteered his garage and Dave Allder volunteered his. Ed hoped to call members to set up one more garage for the tour.

Advertising: Loren Davidson was absent.

Old Business: Laverne Johnston thanked Margaret Mays for being willing to send emails to those who have email addresses so that calling committee did not need to make as many calls. Appreciation was also expressed for tour reminder emails sent by the Waechters'.

New Business: A flyer regarding the Clay Center event "Old Rusty" scheduled for Sept. 12-13 was announced. Dick Waechter reported a donation of \$150.00 provided by Legacy Terrace. Dick also told of receiving a thank you from the Municipal Band organizers for the great showing of Model A's at a Sunday night concert.

CMAFC Board Meeting: President Taylor conferred with Board members and announced there would be a board meeting at the Taylor home on Wednesday, August 19 at 7:00 p.m.

Next Meeting: Our next meeting will be on September 5th at Fourth Presbyterian.

Carpool: Bob Callaway won the carpool.

Adjournment: President Taylor thanked those who brought refreshments for the evening and called for adjournment at 8:15 pm

Judi Cook, Secretary

Thank you to all the members who drove their A's in the Czech Days Parade on Sunday in Wilber. Our club received 1st Place in the Antique Car Division.



Tech Tip.....

COOLING PROBLEMS AND (SOME CURES)

Many cooling problems can be traced to improper ignition timing, improper carburetor air fuel ratios, poor coolant circulation or heat transfer (radiator blockage or bad pump), loss of coolant (leaks, holes, blown head gaskets, etc.) or other issues.

A fan shroud can be added to your engine. A plastic reproduction is available or talk to Lee at Brassworks. Brassworks makes a metal shroud for your Model A. It is highly recommended to use a temperature gauge. This is the only accurate way to monitor your cooling system performance.

The 2-blade fan is an advantage as it actually delivers 15% more cooling than the 4-blade fan because of propeller style blade. Also less drag on engine. It is not recommended to use the reproduction aluminum 2-blade fans. They do not seem to be balanced well or fit the water pump shaft.

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July 25th Ashland Stir-Up Days Parade

Participating in the parade were Dick & Jerry Waechter, Harry Johnston, Bill Buckley, Gayle & Nancy Hanshaw, Loren & Valda Davidson and their niece, Nancy, and Dean & Margaret Mays.









July 25th ~ Legacy Terrace Car Display

There was no time to waste after the parade and members headed back to Lincoln for the car display at the Legacy Terrace. As usual, a delicious meal was served and enjoyed by Dick & Jerry Waechter, Bill Buckley, Charlie Cummings, Glen & Margaret Manske, Loren & Valda Davidson and their niece, Nancy, Dean & Margaret Mays, Gayle & Nancy Hanshaw and Harry & Laverne Johnston.

August 5th ~ Lancaster County Super Fair

What would "Good Old Days" at the fair be without Model A's? Spending the afternoon and evening at the fair were Dick Waechter, Bill Buckley, Dean Mays, Charlie Cummings, Harry Johnston and Bob & Judy Callaway with grandkids, Shopie and Josh.



August 7th ~ Messiah Show & Shine Car Show

Attending the event were Bill & Linda Buckley, Dean Mays, Charlie Cummings, Dick Waechter, Don & Kathy Cook, Ed Taylor, Ray Hogrefe, Glen Manske and Harry & Laverne Johnston.





Wilber Czech Days Parade



Getting ready to leave Lincoln.



Lined up and ready for the parade to start.

August 2nd ~ Czech Days Parade

Once again it was sunny, hot (95 degrees) and humid for the parade in Wilber. Braving the heat were veteran parade goers Dick & Jerry Waechter, Dale Kirk, Harry & Laverne Johnston, Bill & Linda Buckley, Helen & Leo Sougey, Gayle & Nancy Hanshaw, Dean & Margaret Mays and Loren & Valda Davidson with their grandkids, Peyton, Kiara & Kristian Leask and daughter Jolene. Enjoying the celebration for the first time were Bob & Judy Callaway, Dave Horn and Glenn Manske. It was great to see a large number of Modal A's, almost a block long in length. Ed & Joan Taylor also braved the heat, socializing with members before the parade began.



Don't forget your lawn chairs or you may have to sit on a float.



Keeping cool in the shade while waiting for the start of the parade.



Gary Horns 'A'



STOP

Headed towards downtown.

CMAFC Board Meeting Minutes August 19, 2015.

President Joan Taylor convened a CMAFC Board meeting at her home at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 19, 2015. Board members in attendance were Bob Callaway, Harry Johnston, Margaret Mays, Jenn and Nick Heetderks, Bill Buckley, Judi Cook and Joan Taylor.

Joan announced that there were two main agenda items: Determining who would chair the Sept. 5, 2015 meeting in her absence and making decisions related to the December Christmas party.

Judi Cook will chair the Sept. meeting and Jim Cook will take minutes. After discussion related to board member absences on the Labor Day Weekend the suggestion was made to consider amending the rules for 2016 and schedule the September meeting on the second Saturday and the October meeting on the first Saturday. We no longer have the first Saturday of October conflict we had previously when current club rules were made. We will keep the second Saturday of October as already set up for 2015.

As an introduction to decisions about funding for the Christmas party, President Taylor suggested that we modify the November meeting and not have the expenditure for purchasing chicken for the main dish. She proposed a "soup supper" with about 5 members bringing varied soups and others bringing accompanying dishes. Bill Buckley made a motion to have a soup supper in November that was seconded by Jenn Heetderks and passed by the board.

Joan said that the Borcher family had agreed to provide entertainment and had said no payment was required. The board agreed that the Borchers' meals should be provided as an appreciation gift. Margaret Mays said she would provide a video loop of the year's activities as she has done in the past. The schedule was review of 5:30 p.m. cash bar, 6:30 dinner and 7:30-8:00 entertainment followed by installation of officers. Joan indicated she had obtained quotes for food from Misty's the site reserved for the Christmas party. A buffet similar to ones of previous years would cost more than in the past. An option of requesting a particular main entrée was proposed. After discussion, the board voted to provide the following options for food to be served at our tables rather than buffet style:

A prime rib meal with dessert would be about \$36.00;

A salmon entrée with dessert would be about \$34.00;

A chicken entrée with dessert would be about \$27.00;

Nick Heetderks made the motion that those choosing Prime Rib would pay \$16.00, those choosing Salmon would pay \$14.00, those choosing Chicken would pay \$7.00 and club funds would be used to pay the balance. Bill Buckley seconded the motion which was approved.

Discussion followed regarding the contributions given to charities in the past. It was the consensus of the group that bringing gift cards was an efficient and effective way to provide assistance in the community. Various organizations were considered as potential recipients with a suggestion to find out if the Center for People in Need would also find gift cards as helpful as they have been for the City Mission.

President Taylor asked if there were any other items of business. Nick Heetderks made a motion that CMAFC begin the process of transferring our funds from Bank of the West to Union Bank so that the transfer would be effective in January at the time of change of officers. Bill Buckley seconded the motion which was approved.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Judi Cook, Secretary

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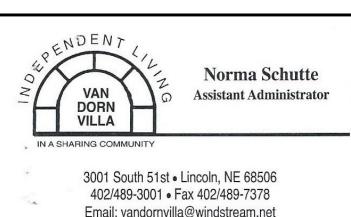












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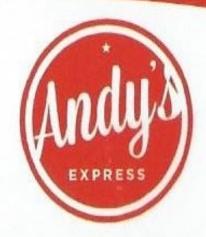
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