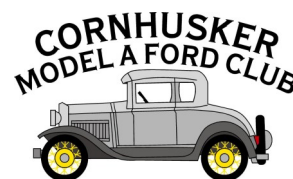


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AUGUST 2026

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The Club meets the 1st
Saturday of the month at
Fourth Presbyterian Church
5200 Francis St, Lincoln, NE

Next Meeting
Saturday
August 1, 2026
at 7 pm

REFRESHMENTS



Please let Shawn Kean
know if you will be
bringing snacks to the
August meeting

"EAT OUTS"

FIRST TUESDAY BREAKFAST

August 4th. Stauffer's, 5600 S 48th St.
Meet around 9 am.

Thursday Dinner Cruise

August 27th, Mia Tierra,
8320 Northwoods Dr..

Meet at the restaurant at 5:30. Please
make reservations with Jeff Thomas by
5 pm on Wed., Aug. 26th.

AUGUST EVENTS

Aug. 2nd.....Wilber Czech Festival. We will be
leaving from Shoemakers South (Hiway 77 and
Saltillo) at 10 AM. We will be having lunch in
Wilber. The parade is at 2 PM.

Aug. 7th.....Messiah Church Car Show.
1800 South 84th St from 10:00-2:00. The best
of show will be featured on next years dash
plaque. Entrants are invited to a 12:00 luncheon
provided by Messiah's Senior Ministry Team

Cars & Coffee started on June 27th at Speedway
Motors and continues on the last Saturday of
each month through October.

Happy Birthday

Beth Otto	5th
Steve Pozehl	6th
Valda Davidson	7th
Gayle Hanshaw	7th
Jason Nider	8th
Deb Waechter	10th
Judi Cook	15th

Happy Anniversary

Loren & Valda Davidson	4th
Shawn & Patrick Kean	5th
Myron & Barb Smith	8th
Tim & Theresa Colliton	18th
Steve & Susan Pozehl	30th



Cornhusker Model A Club Meeting Minutes

Date: July 11, 2026. The meeting was called to order by Jeff Meier, President, at 7:00 PM. There were 25 members in attendance. Jeff announced the birthdays and anniversaries of members in July, and the celebrants were congratulated.

Secretary's Report: A motion was made by Joan Taylor and seconded by Shawn Kean that the minutes as reported in the June newsletter be accepted. A vote was taken and the motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Bill Buckley gave the financial report for June. The checking account started the month with \$7787.96, income was \$172.00, expenses were \$350.00, and the closing balance for June was \$7609.96. The savings account started and ended the month with \$3632.35.

Committee Reports

Activities: Shawn Kean reported that we will have a dinner at the meeting in September at Dave and Nancy Alder's house. BBQ chicken will be provided by the club, and members are asked to bring side dishes or desserts.

Car Council: Dick Waechter reported that he did not attend the last meeting but will go to the meeting next week.

Parades: Dick Waechter reported that the Seward July 4th events were well attended, with 7 cars participating in the Car Show and 7 cars in the Parade. Bob Callaway won a second place trophy in the Car Show. The next parade will be at the Czech Festival in Wilbur on Sunday, Aug.2. We will meet at the gas station at Highway 77 & Saltillo Road at 10:00 AM, and drive on to Wilbur for lunch and the parade.

Car Shows: Don Cook reported that the next car show will be at Sumner Place next Monday, July 13, from 10:00AM until 12:00 noon. The Show and Shine Car Show will be at Messiah Lutheran Church on August 7, from 10:00 until noon, followed by a potluck to which those showing cars are invited.

Dinner Runs: Jeff Thomas announced that the next Dinner Run will be at Texas Roadhouse, on July 30. Please be sure to make reservations with Jeff.

No reports: Membership, Sunshine, Historian, Advertising, and Newsletter.

Christmas Party: Shawn Kean reported that she will receive information later this month from Misty's, regarding the menu. Bill Buckley announced that the entertainment has been arranged.

Revivers Group: Gayle Hanshaw reported that Steve Jones's carburetor has been repaired.

OLD BUSINESS

Nancy Hanshaw inquired about an audit for the treasurer's books from 2025. An audit has not yet been scheduled. Jeff Meier will see about scheduling a room at Walt Library, perhaps on a Monday. Jerry Waechter volunteered to be on the committee, as well as Jeff (President), Gayle Hanshaw (Board Member), and Linda Buckley (2025 Treasurer).

NEW BUSINESS

Ed Taylor announced that our club will help serve doughnuts at Cars & Coffee on October 31 at Speedway Motors. Dick Waechter has copies of the Car Council books available.

CAR POOL: Joan Taylor won the car pool drawing, with \$16 going to her & the same amount to the club.

ADJOURNMENT: A motion was made by Byron Burnham and seconded by Steve Jones that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried and the meeting was adjourned at 7:25.

Respectfully Submitted, Linda Buckley, Secretary



AUGUST MAFFI Minute

(Model A Ford Foundation, Inc.)



Happy Summer, Model A'ers!

I hope everyone is enjoying the driving season and finding plenty of opportunities to get their Model A out on the road. Whether you're heading out on a cross-country tour or simply enjoying an evening drive through the countryside, there's nothing quite like summertime in a Model A.

Here at MAFFI, preparations are well underway for Model A Days, and we're looking forward to welcoming everyone back to the museum. This year's event will feature an exciting display of Model A Speedsters, including vehicles from the Secrets of Speed Society. It promises to be a unique opportunity to see these remarkable cars up close and learn more about this fascinating part of Model A history.

If you're looking for ways to support the museum, please consider purchasing a memorial brick or participating in the My-A Program. Both are meaningful ways to leave a lasting impact while helping preserve the history of the Model A Ford for future generations. Be sure to also check out our sweepstakes 1930 Fordor Sedan- it's another great way to support MAFFI while having the chance to take home a beautiful Model A.

As always, the museum continues to stay busy thanks to the incredible efforts of our volunteers, who work year-round to care for the collection and keep the museum looking its best. Their dedication is what keeps MAFFI moving forward. We look forward to seeing many of you at Model A Days. Until then, enjoy the season, drive safely, and keep on motoring!

John Grossheim Trustee and Secretary, MAFFI

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INDEPENDENCE DAY IN SEWARD

July 4th began with a rainy morning on our drive to Seward. After registering for the car show and drying off our 'A's a couple of times, the rest of the day was dry with a comfortable temperature. Members showing their 'A's were Dick & Jerry Waechter, Bill & Linda Buckley, Gary Horn, Dean & Margaret Mays, Steve Jones, Dave Alder, and Bob & Scott Callaway. Dave drove back home after the show and Gayle & Nancy Hanshaw joined us for the parade. Bob received Second Place in the Model A Class. Gary received the Nebraska Award which was selected by Senator Jana Hughs of District 24.



SUMNER PLACE



On July 13, we displayed our 'A's for the residents at Sumner Place. Attending were Jeff Meier, Dick & Jerry Waechter, Steve Jones, Bill & Linda Buckley, Jeff Thomas, Gayle Hanshaw, and Margaret Mays.



Gary Horn showed his 'A' at several car shows. The award on the left is from Seward on the 4th. He received the Nebraska Award which was selected by Senator Jana Hugh of District 24. The middle is from he Brainard's Pride & Performance Show on July 12th, he received 3 place. The award on the right was on July 19 at Dwight's Bohemian Auto where he received 1st Place. All the awards were for his 1931 Roadster. Congratulations Gary

CAMP CREEK ANTIQUE MACHINERY AND THRASHING SHOW



For those enjoying hot & humid weather, Camp Creek was the place to be on July 18 or 19th. Several Model Aers were spotted during my visit— Gary Horn, Andrew Kean, Bob Callaway and Steve Jones and Gayle Hanshaw who drove their 'A's in the Parade of Power. Sorry if I missed anyone who was there that I didn't mention.

THIS & THAT, miscellaneous info...

If any member has items for sale or looking for parts, please send your request to heinz56@neb.rr.com and I will include it in the next newsletter I send. If any member has a tech tip they would like to share, you can email that to me too. Deadline to submit information for newsletters is the 20th of each month, however, if you know that you will be sending information after the 20th, please let me know by the 20th and I will save space for you. Also, if you attend a car show or other events with your Model A, and I'm not there, please send me information so I may include it in the newsletter. I would appreciate the location and date. If you take pictures, email them to me too. Margaret

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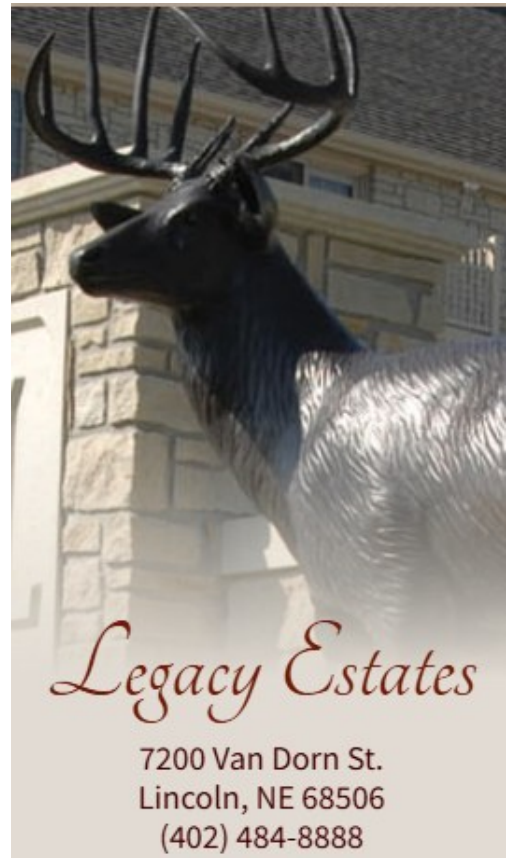


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SAVE THE DATE

- ★ Sept. 5th.....Club dinner meeting at Dave & Nancy Allders
- ★ Sept. 13.....Living History Museum, Dorchester.
- ★ Sept. 19th...The Lexington Car Display #2
- ★ Oct. 3rd.....UNL Homecoming Parade
- ★ Oct. 11th.....Car Show at Peace Church in Waverly
- ★ Oct. 31st.....Serve at Cars & Coffee at Speedway.



FOLLOW THE TRACKS OF TIME

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