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Regular monthly meeting:  
First Tuesday of the month  
7:30 PM—Jim Click Ford  
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### **Dues:**

\$15/yr. family or \$10/yr. Individual

### **Monthly Outing:**

Fourth Sunday of the month or  
As voted by the club membership

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Jim Click Ford

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# Old Pueblo News

September 2010

## **Mount Lemmon Outing**

Thank you to all who once again made the trek up the mountain road to enjoy a cool day in the pines. A special thanks to the five brave souls who drove their As (Epleys, Etechells, Meitzners, Rich Whalen, and the Williams), one Model T driver (Vegasky) and the R. Edwards who drove that modern '35 Ford V-8. The cars all made it up and down just fine. Altogether, we had 35 members and 12 guests. There was a lot of yummy food and even some left over so everyone must have gotten their fill.

A big thanks to our co-hosts, Chuck and Lynn Thim, for doing all the behind the scenes legwork that make this outing possible. It's not much fun gathering stuff from the shed, doing the shopping, loading everything up, and then unloading it again twice in the hottest part of the summer. Give them an extra hug next time you see them. Also, thanks to everyone who pitched-in to help cook, clean-up, and who took bags of trash. Many hands make light work and it was much appreciated.

We hope that everyone had an enjoyable day.

Carey & Linda Kent

*Chuck & Lynn Thim*

# *The Forum At Tucson* **Saturday August 28<sup>th</sup> 2010**

Our second event this year at the *Forum At Tucson* Five Star Senior Living center was a great success with 28 Club members, 19 Model As and two Model Ts. Some of the staff and perhaps a few residents were treated to car rides and we enjoyed a great buffet lunch. Thanks to all who came out and hopefully those heading to the east side made it home before the thunder storms.

Thanks to the following people for contributing: Rich Whalen, Bob Carney, Ron/Bernice Edwards, Bruce/Maggie Edwards, Rod/Nancy Frazer, Shorty Allison, Ron Sotardi, Fritz Mietzner, Ron/Jane Uhle, Jim Boaz, Fabricio Rivera, Tom/Connie Carr, Charlie Etchells, Si/Millie Burgheimer, Jack Stroehlein, Frank Pyrdeck/Nancy Gurley, Bud Duball, Larry Morehead, Chuck Thim, Scott Parsons, and Don Vagasky

Rich Whalen



We all enjoyed chatting while residents viewed our cars



Bud Duvall relaxes in the shade

**Monthly Club Refreshments at our General Meetings:**

**Oct. 5, 2010**

Gary and Laura Roberts  
John and Catherine Dittmar



Please notify Rey Brown if you would like to volunteer to provide refreshments



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**Pictures of Mt. Lemmon outing**



Linda Kent introduces their new puppy, Belle

Ernie Williams and Don Vagasky visit together



# Upcoming Events

Saturday, Sept. 18, 2010 : celebrate International Model A Day with breakfast, a car show at Casa de los Niños, and a tour of Tucson's newly restored fire engine

Saturday, Sept. 18, 2010 : Vail Parade and car show 1-4 PM; chair Ray Feierstein

Monday, Sept. 27, 2010: Board meeting

Sunday, October 22-24, 2010: Overnighter to Green Valley and area; chairs Ron Edwards and Chuck Thim

Sunday, Nov. 7, 2010: Picacho Peak Hill climb; chair: Fred Secker

Sunday, Nov. 28, 2010: Wagonride, Betty Trimble, chairperson

Sunday, Dec. 12, 2010: Holiday Banquet Tanque Verde Guest Ranch

# Upcoming Car Shows

Casa de los Ninos - Sept. 18, 2010  
9 -10 AM (Ron Edwards, chair)

Vail Parade - Sept. 18, 2010 1-4 PM

Cascades of Tucson — Oct. 9, 2010  
10 AM—2 PM

For details on car shows, call Ray Feierstein at 531-9724



We circled the fountain at The Forum with lots of pretty Model A's

September 18, 2010  
Monthly Outing

## Come celebrate International Model A Day

- Have breakfast at Micha's,
- Give a car show at Casa de los Niños,

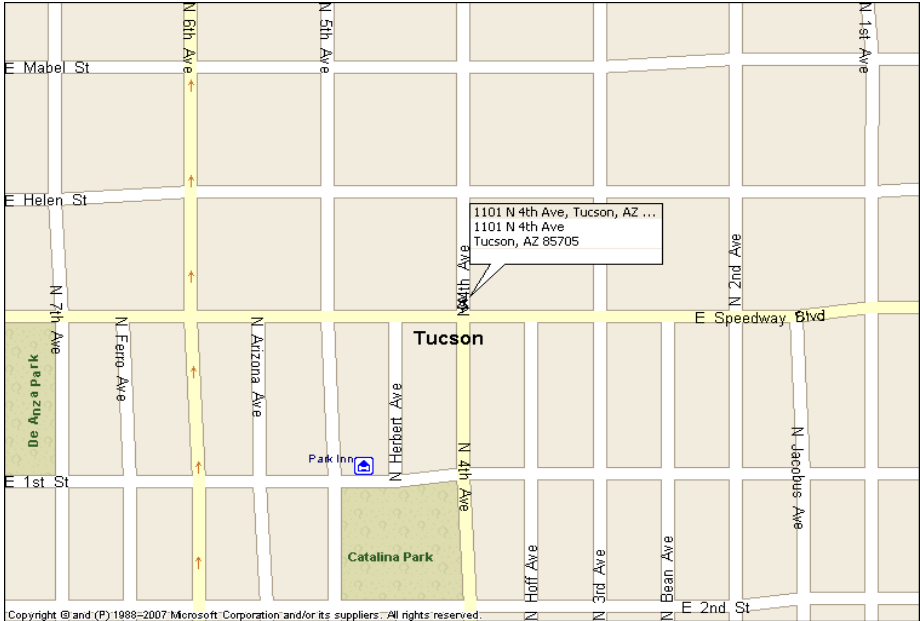


- See Tucson's steam fire engine and it's newly re-stored 1928 Fox Ahrens fire truck





# Map to Casa de los Niños



Contact: Ron Edwards  
751-1226  
Star Auto Parts: 623-5755

7:30 AM meet at Micha's  
2908 South 4th Avenue

9:00—10:00 AM  
Casa de los Niños  
1101 N. 4th Ave.

10:30—11:30  
Firehouse #1  
265 S. Church St.

## General Meeting Minutes , Tuesday, Sept. 7, 2010

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 by President Nancy Frazer. We had one guest tonight, Larry Morehead who is also joining the club. He is the proud new owner of Miss Boop, the '29 Tudor previously owned by Betty Trimble.

Thanks to Chuck and Lynn Thim and Betty Trimble for our refreshments.

Name badge fines were collected and will be given as a door prize at the January 2011 general meeting.

The Treasurer's report was given and approved as read.

Correspondence: The Desert A and the Phoenix Model A newsletters, advertising for "Model A Junkyard Collection", notice for a Swap Meet on Sept. 26, 2010 in San Bernardino, CA., and a request for donations by the Food Bank.

Old Business:

August Outing – Mt. Lemmon outing – There were 47 people attending with 5 Model A's, 1 '35 V-8, and 1 '27 Model T. There was lots of good food and good times had by all. Thanks to everyone who participated and especially to co-chairs, Chuck and Lynn Thim for doing all the legwork and hauling all of the goodies up and down the mountain. September Outing – Ron Edwards reported that International Model A Day is September 18. Meet at Micha's (4<sup>th</sup> Ave. just North of I-10) for breakfast at about 7:30 and then leave for the Casa de los Nino's (Speedway and 4<sup>th</sup> Ave.) where we will have a show. We will then go down to the main Fire Station (10:30) to see the restored antique fire engine. We will park inside the station fence on Cushing Street.

October Overnighter - October 22 – 24 – Carl & Pat Gremmler Memorial Overnighter - Meet on Friday morning for breakfast at Micha's. Leave Mission Library (Ajo and Mission Road) at 9:00, tour to San Xavier, then to Green Valley. Suggested hotel is the Windermere. Rates = \$79.00 non-refundable or \$89 refundable if cancellation is needed. Or, there are several suggested activities; some that are only available on Saturday are: Mesquite Saw Mill, ASARCO Mineral Museum, and Santa Cruz Spice Co. Other possible activities for Friday include Wisdom's Café, Missile Site, Green Valley Pecan Company, Tumacacori Mission and Tubac. More details will be available at the general meeting.

Helldorado Days - October 16 & 17. Arrangements are on your own. Drive down on the 15<sup>th</sup> if you want to stay over Friday night in Sierra Vista. More details will be available at the General Meeting. Talk to Chuck Thim if you want to stay overnight and he will try to get our usual discount at the Fairfield Inn. Participation is optional. Contact Jeff Epley if you plan to go.

Car Shows:

September 18: Vail Parade and show from 1:00 – 4:00. Ray has the needed six cars for this show.

October 9: The Cascades – 10:00 – 2:00

August 28: The Forum – 28 members attended, along with 19 Model As, and 2 Model Ts.

Gary Roberts reported on the MAFCA 2010 International Convention. They had a great time and enjoyed the tours of the area. There were people from six countries attending. There were several very interesting war stories told about happenings in Vancouver. Our club donated a \$100 gift certificate to the convention.

#### New Business:

Hill-climb - Nov. 7. Fred Secker will be in charge and we need a report from him.

Ads have been placed in magazines. Nancy confirmed that Fritz will do the cooking. Ron will plan a tour for Saturday. See if Chuck would like to lead the group to TFD Station 1 to see the restored fire engine. It may also include a tour of Ernie William's garage. We will need some help to transport the food and help with the meet. Plan to be there about 7:30 a.m. We will need someone to shuttle people from the parking area to the spot for the Hill-climb.

Hayride – Betty Trimble provided two options for the Wagon-ride” on November

28. Choices: Option 1: Fred's Arena off of Ajo and Kinney road about 13 miles. Several food choices and a “Wagon Museum” to view. There is a ½ mile of dirt road. Option 2: Rocking K Ranch on Old Spanish Trail. Both would be about 45 – 60 minutes and cost approximately \$20 per person. The club selected Fred's Arena. Time of day: Mid-day. The club voted to opt for the Chicken and Steak and the club will bring the side dishes and dessert. Need to know if that includes beverages. A motion was made and passed to reimburse Betty for water and other incidentals.

It is possible to just go for the meal. Price is \$10 for the wagon ride and \$10 for the meal. Another motion was made and passed to subsidize \$10 per member. We will decide next month whether to have the ride or the meal first.

Holiday Banquet: There was discussion about the amount needed for awards and other expenses. We will delay the motion for an amount until the October meeting.

Ron Edwards asked for volunteers for next year's officers and board. Contact Ron if you are interested in serving.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:34 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Kent

## Editor Needed

Our club is in need of a volunteer to serve as our Editor. The position is responsible for producing the monthly newsletter, as well as for publishing the annual roster and the program for our annual Holiday Banquet.

If you have computer skills and are willing to serve, please contact Nancy Frazer on 531-8893 or by e-mail at [nancyfrazer2@comcast.net](mailto:nancyfrazer2@comcast.net).

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7	John Dittmar
13	Molly Ramsower
14	John Stinn
16	Flora Gerber
18	Bob Ratledge
21	Sally Beebee
21	Richard Dollinger
27	Karen Pilcher
29	Linda Bowers

## ***September Birthdays***



## ***September Anniversaries***

Sept 11	John and Catherine Dittmar
14	Carey and Shannon Kent
14	John and Carolyn Stinn
15	Andy and Anita Neal
17	Mike and Suzanne Fehniger
20	Andy and Tina Neal
23	Chuck and Nancy Molander
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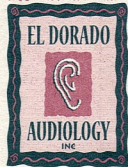
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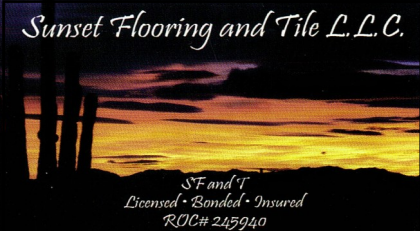
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