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Regular monthly meeting:
First Tuesday of the month
7:30 PM—Jim Click Ford
6244 E. 22d St.
Tucson, AZ 85732

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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Monday after the outing
Jim Click Ford

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Old Pueblo News

DILLINGER DAYS JANUARY 2012

Our official outing on January 21, 2012 for Dillinger Days was fantastic! The perfect weather brought with it 45 vehicles which included 38 Model A's, 3 Model T's, a 1925 Pierce Arrow, a 1931 Chevy, a 1934 V8 Ford and a fire truck. A special thanks to Model A actors Andy Neal Jr. and Bud Duvall who partook in the three live re-enactment shows and to Rey Brown for his assistance in parking the vehicles. Also, a special thanks to Jeff Epley who dropped off many of his personal vehicles for activities occurring the night before. All attendees were entertained by the re-enactment shows, various vendors and the time to be able to socialize with the public and ourselves. A good time was had by all.

Thank you for your support.

Ray Feierstein



Tucson Model A Club General Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, February 7, 2012

The meeting was called to order by Acting president Shorty Allison at 7:30 pm.

Thank you to T.K. Mohr And Rey Brown for providing tonight's refreshments. We need folks to sign up for refreshments for August and November. If interested, please see Rey Brown.

Treasurer's report was given and a motion was made and seconded to approve as presented. Treasurer announced that Dues for 2012 are due. In fact, 2012 dues are overdue. Linda Willmore and Treasurer will get together to decide on final deadline for issuing the 2012 Club Roster.

A motion was made, seconded and approved to accept the January 2012 General Meeting Minutes as written.

Door Prize Winner:

_Seven Function Digital Multimeter—Rich Whalen
Laminated Shop Drawings—Ron Sotardi

Correspondences:

Desert A Restorers Club and Phoenix Model A Club Newsletters were received

24th Annual Laughlin Model A Tour—Laughlin, NV—March 22-24, 2012

Community Food Bank Note

Notes from President Gary Roberts. His dad is recovering nicely and Gary sends his good wishes to the club. Gary is hoping to return to Tucson the middle of March.

Car Shows for 2012:

March 10th-Fellowship Square-10:00 am—12:00 noon. Fellowship square, Vill#4 at Oasis Assisted Living, 8111 E. Broadway, Tucson. Thirteen cars are needed. If interested, contact Ray Feierstein.

Minutes of 2-7-12 continued

Car Shows for 2012 (cont)

March 17th—11:30 am –4:00 pm—The Fountains at La Cholla and Rudasill. Thirteen cars are needed. If interested, please contact Ray Feierstein

The Cascades-(TBD)

International Model A Day-September 22, 2012-If you have any ideas or suggestions for this outing, please contact our acting President Shorty Allison.

Old Business:

January Outing-Dillinger Days-Rich Whalen reported on behalf of Ray Feierstein that Dillinger Days was a great success. We had 45 vehicles which included 38 Model A's, 3 Model T's, a 1925 Pierce Arrow, a 1931 Chevy, a 1934 V8 Ford and a vintage fire truck. Special thanks to our Model A actors, Andy Neal, Jr. and Bud Duvall. Also, a special thanks to Jeff Eppley for supplying so many of his vintage cars. Mark your calendar for Dillinger Days 2013 as the Club has been invited back.

New Business:

February Outing: White Elephant sale-is scheduled for Sunday February 19, 2012 at the Tucson Estates-11:00 am -4:00 pm. Bring a wrapped/bagged hardly used white elephant item for the sale and a covered dish to share. This sale is a major fundraiser for the club which helps cover some of the cost for our December Holiday Banquet. As in the past, Club's chef Fritz Mietzner will be grilling Brats. For those who want to tour together, meet at the Mission Library (Mission and Ajo). The tour will begin at 11:30 am to the Foothills Club House. Lunch will begin at noon and sale to follow.

March Outing: Sunday, March 11, 2012-Chairperson Bruce Edwards gave an update on "Rails in the Garden." It will be the responsibility of each club member to purchase their own rail tickets. The price per ticket is \$5.00 per adult. Eighteen and under are free. If you plan on attending, purchase your tickets at the Ace Hardware Store,

Minutes of 2-7-12 (cont)

22nd Street, Tucson or at one of the rail stops. We will meet at 22nd Street across from Denny's beginning at 9:30 am and will begin the tour at 10:00 am. We will stop for lunch after Railway #3 on Sunrise. There are four places to have lunch (1) Golden Dragon Chinese Restaurant, (2) Subway (both are in the Sunrise Village), (3) Pizza Hut and (4) McDonalds. After lunch we will meet up again on Sunrise to continue our rail tour. (Meeting spot to be determined.) Due to time, we might not be able to make all rail stops. Donations to the food bank will be at each stop. Gas stations are limited, so be sure to have a full tank of gas and restroom facilities are also limited. If you have questions or need further clarification, contact Bruce Edwards at 520-975-1609.

April Outing: Sunday, April 29, 2012-Progressive Dinner. All stops are filled (1) Appetizer—Jim and Sally Beebe, (2) Main Course—Joe and Kelly Findysz and (3) Desserts—Bruce and Maggie Edwards. A motion was made, seconded and approved to have the Model T Club join our club at the progressive dinner.

At the Board Meeting a recommendation was made that the club purchase a brick from the Model A Ford Foundation in the amount of \$150.00 A motion was made, seconded and approved to purchase a brick in the amount of \$150.00.

Webmaster Rey Brown gave a presentation on our current website provider cost. Rey recently received notification that there will be an increase in cost to keep our current website provider. The current cost of our website is \$15.00 per year. To keep our current website provider the cost will be \$6.00 per month or \$72.00 per year. A motion was made, seconded and approved by the membership to keep our current website provider.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:00 pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Maggie Edwards



UPDATE OUR RECORDS! The 2012 Old Pueblo A Roster will be coming out in April. If you have any changes, additions etc please contact Linda Willmore at 743-3137 or slogan16@cox.net. Thank you.

DILLINGER DAYS PHOTOS



FEBRUARY OUTING

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 19

Join club members and guests for our annual White Elephant Event. Enjoy the fun and surprise of bidding on mysterious packages-who knows what treasures you may go home with! Bring a wrapped or bagged hardly used white elephant item for the sale.

A buffet lunch will be served at the Foothills Clubhouse. Bring a covered dish to share. Of course, the club's chef, Fritz, will be grilling his famous brats.

WHEN:

Sunday, Feb 19. Clubhouse is reserved from 11 am to 4 pm. Lunch will be served at noon with sale to follow.

WHERE DO WE MEET:

Members who wish to tour to the event may meet at the Mission Library at Mission and Ajo. We will leave at 11:30 am.

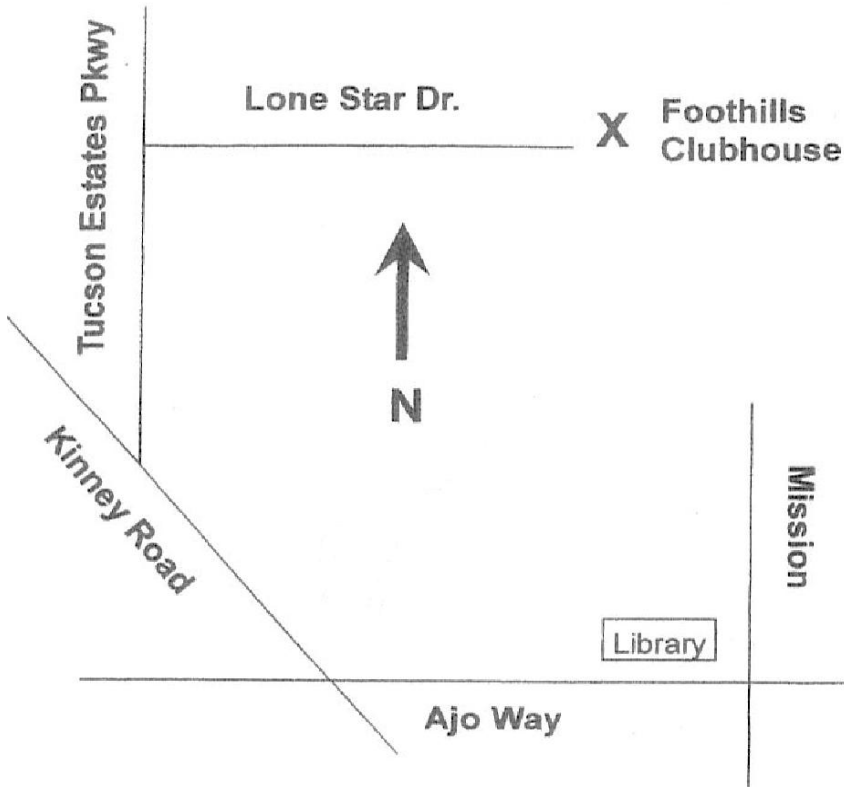
LOCATION:

Foothills Clubhouse at Tucson Estates, 5900 W. Western Way (SEE MAP)

CONTACT: Allen Elvick at 883-4337 or Ron Uhle at 578-7216

WHITE ELEPHANT SALE

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SOME SNAPSHOTS FROM DILLINGER DAYS



FEBRUARY CELEBRATIONS

Happy Birthday!!

Linda Bowers	2-5
Dave Tharp	2-5
Fred Secker	2-9
Chuck Thim	2-13
Pauline Upton	2-21
Bruce Edwards	2-22
Linda Willmore	2-22
Nancy Mollander	2-25



Happy Anniversary!!

Ron and Bernice Edwards	2-9
Chuck and Lynn Thim	2-15
Fred and Flora Gerber	2-17

Upcoming Events



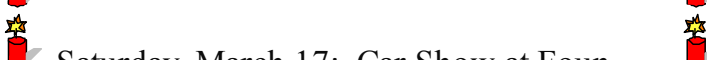
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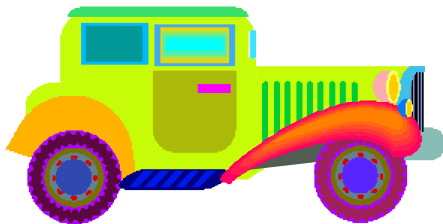
Saturday, March 10: Car Show at fellowship square, 8111 E. Broadway, Villa # r at Oasis Assisted Living. Finger foods will be served. Contact Ray Feierstein



Sunday, March 11: March Outing, "Rails in the Garden" meeting at 9:30 am. Contact Bruce Edwards.



Saturday, March 17: Car Show at Fountains on La Cholla, 11:30 am to 4 pm. Lunch served. Contact Ray Feierstein.



Next month's refreshments (March) will be brought to you by the Sotardi's and Feiersteins.



MUSEUM UPDATE

The architect working on the details of the Model A museum design is scheduled to complete his work in mid-February. Design details such as the brick style and the amount of insulation are being decided one by one. The location of the engraved bricks will be decided soon. The goal is to sell 500 more bricks so that additional clubs and individual Model Aers will be permanently recorded at the museum. That number of bricks will raise the additional funds needed to build and outfit the museum and will help assure its future. The Museum fund is now at the \$850,000 level as the result of a few recent large donations on top of many smaller donations over the years. That is almost enough to build the building but an additional amount is still needed in case there are unforeseen problems during construction and to pay for expenses related to moving into the building and setting up the displays.

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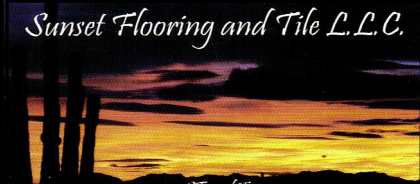
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