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Rolling Thru Time Auto Museum

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MONTHLY OUTING:

Fourth Saturday or Sunday of the
month, or as voted by the
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2024 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Shorty Allison

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Chuck Thim

Tom McWilliams
(Past President)

Desert Museum

Sunday, February 25

23 Adults and 2 Grandkids ventured over Gates Pass, into the Valley to the Desert Museum. Our old cars entertained the Saguaro Half Marathon runners/walkers thru the desert and along Gates Pass road. We arrived at the Museum in time for the Live Raptor Show. We were entertained by Caracaras, Owls, Ravens and Hawks. What an awesome show. The weather was perfect for a stroll thru the desert trails. We enjoyed lunch at the Ironwood Terrace before going to the wildlife show and galleries. Thanks to all who came!

Norm & Christy Strong





GENERAL MEETING MINUTES



General Meeting: 5 March 2024

Call to Order: Richard Kunz at 7:00 pm.

New Members and Guests: None.

Minutes: Motion approved for 6 February 2024 General Meeting Minutes.

Refreshments: Andy & Anita Neal

September 2024 opening for refreshments.

Correspondence: A-Preserver, various flyers, and calendars.

Treasurer's Report: Dan Jensen provided a summary. Motion approved.

Door Prizes: The door prize date to be determined.

Outings: March 2024

2 March: 66th Annual Cactus Fly-In & Hot Rod Show.

Andy Neal, Jr briefed 8 cars and 13 people participated.

The organizers were happy and hope to see our club there next year.

23 March: Forging Demonstration by Jim Blankenship. Thornydale and Tangerine Roads.

1000 AM Start Time. 3501 W Camino Del Norte, Tucson, Az.

Donuts, Chairs, and modern cars are welcome.

Outings: April 2024

20 Apr: TSRA Car Show at Pima Community College (Speedway). Discount price is \$15, No T-Shirt.

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27 Apr: Pima County Fair. Drive in at 9:30 for 10:00 – 3:00 show.

28 Apr: Progressive Dinner: Andy Neal, Jr will host dinner. Volunteers needed for appetizers and desert.

Old Business

Proposed By-Laws update regarding board of directors. Current: Board of Directors shall consist of five elected Club members plus immediate past president. Proposed: The Board of Directors shall consist on no less than five elected Club members and no more than eight elected Club members plus immediate Past-President. Amendment will be voted on at out 5 March 2024 General Meeting. Approval requires two-thirds majority vote of all members present.

Board Meetings are open to all club members.

Motion approved to provide Joe Findysz with \$40.00 to cover water used by Club members.

Motion approved to reserve the 4 July Mt Lemmon Ramada (\$150.00).

Club Facebook rules were outlined by Christy Strong.

New Business

Longtime club member Ernest (Ernie) Williams passed away early Tuesday 5 March 2024. Take time to gather some of the wealth of knowledge from these experienced individuals before it is too late.

Arizona Desert Museum. Christy Strong did a great job organizing this event. The weather was great and we had several activities to view including the raptor show.

MAFCA recognized our club's 60th Anniversary.

Majority vote approved the proposed By-Laws update regarding Board of Directors.

Primary Newsletter Editor is Rey Brown.

Club Dues: Please pay soon so our membership roster can be produced.

Next Board Meeting: 25 Mar 2024 at Ace Hardware Conference Room on 21st St.

Next General Meeting: 2 April 2024 at Rolling Thru Time Museum, 4750 S Park Ave.

Meeting Adjourned: 7:20 PM.

Saturday, March 23
Demonstration of Forging
by
Jim Blankenship

Saturday, March 23, 2024

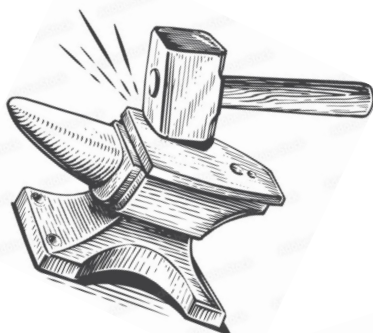
Time: 10am

Location: 3501 W Camino Del Norte, Tucson Az.

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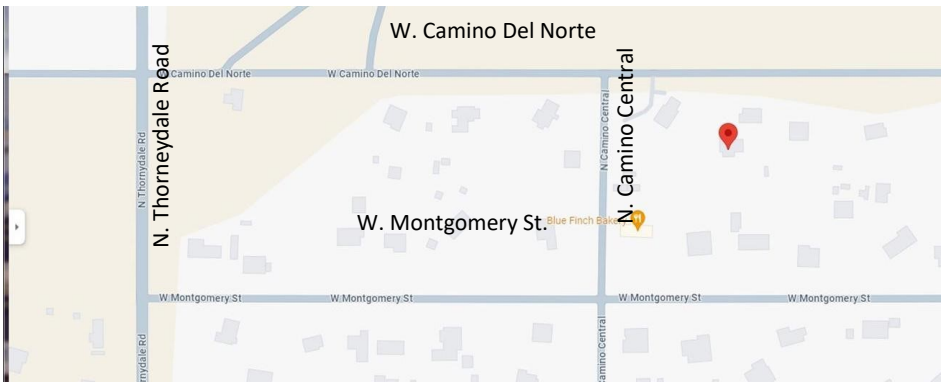
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Call Jim at (520) 403-9398.

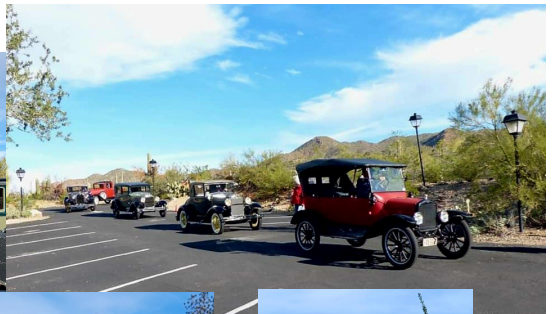


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Meeting Refreshments
We need volunteers



Mar 12 – Bob Karn
Mar 13 – Emmet Zimmeroff
Mar 15 – Joe Findysz
Mar 19 – Jeanne Mietzner
Mar 21 – Kathie McWilliams
Mar 23 – David Rivard
Mar 25 – Bill Ellis



March Anniversaries

Mar 15 – Chuck & Lynn Thim
Mar 16 – Mike & Ann Liebert
Mar 21 – David & Molly Ramsower
Mar 22 – Tom & Kathie McWilliams

Event Calendar

23 March—Forging Demonstration

20 Apr—TSRA Car Show

28 April—Progressive Dinner

26 May—Breakfast in the Park

23 June to 29 June 2024—MAFCA National Convention

Ruidoso, NM

28 July—Gaslight Theatre

December—Holiday Banquet

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SEPT 16

SEPT 30

OCT 14

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REGISTRATION 9AM - 10AM

DAY SHOW NOV 18

DAY SHOW DEC 2 * TOY DRIVE *

DAY SHOW DEC 16

DAY SHOW DEC 30

DAY SHOW JAN 13

DAY SHOW JAN 27

DAY SHOW FEB 10

DAY SHOW FEB 24

DAY SHOW MAR 9

DAY SHOW MAR 23

- Food is Available in Little Anthony's Diner and on the Grill Outside.
- Featured Charities will be accepting donations at each Car Show!
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03/05/2024

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