

Henry's Horn

Henry's A's Monthly Newsletter

JUL 2023

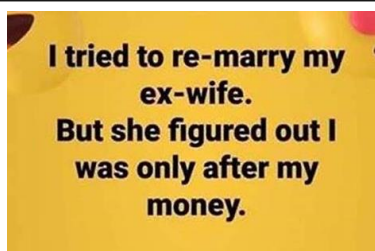
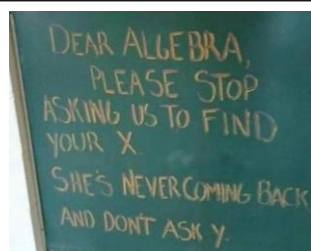
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1930 Model E De Luxe Roadster



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W-0bPkM4oiM>

This video is not for the Model A Purest but is an example of how important the original car is to our culture.



This is what impatience looks like..

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GENERAL MEETING

General meetings of Henry's A's are held at 10:30 AM on the first Saturday of each month, **except December 3th**

Guests and visitors are welcome.

HENRY'S HORN is the monthly newsletter of Henry's A's Chapter, Model A Ford Club of America. We solicit articles and other items for publication in these pages; please submit, before the 25th of the month, to the Editor's e-mail address or the clubs mailing address:

weshuffman@ymail.com

Henry's A's
P.O. Box 46
Livermore CA 94551

A signup sheet will be at the next meeting for refreshments for future club meetings.

Can you volunteer to bring refreshments for the next meeting?

Henry's A's Activities Report

Jul 1st monthly meeting 10:30 AM
at Duarte's Garage

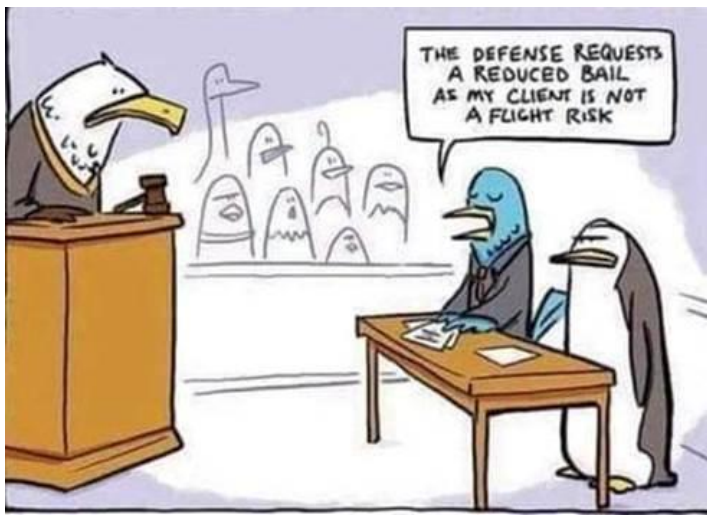
Jul 30th HAGEMANN RANCH
Come visit us!

Sep 9th The 23rd annual Antique
Autos in History Park

Sep 9th
The Santa Maria Model A Ford Club's 21st Annual All Ford Car Show will be on Saturday, in Old Town Orcutt, CA. This year, the Show will celebrate the Ford F-Series Truck 1948 - 1973.



Your activities are important to our club. Please use your camera and record your adventures to share them with our readers.



The training process was tedious, but now he knows he is not allowed on the couch.



Zip it Rack

<https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=xAAZ7qNTa0E>

Zip it Rack

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<https://www.fordbarn.com/forum/showthread.php?t=82008&page=2>

Folding Trunk Rack

<https://www.fordbarn.com/forum/showthread.php?t=68741&showall=1>



This is what "I can't wait" looks like..



July MAFFI Minute

Not everything at the Hickory Corners Model A Museum is about preparing for Model A Days. During the second week of May, a crew consisting of MAFFI Trustees and volunteers worked hard for four days moving and parking Model A's around the Gilmore complex and the local area for multiple photos. During that time, Model A's were carefully removed from the museum building and the "C Barn" to be positioned around the Gilmore campus. Additionally, some of the cars were taken off-site and parked at other country setting locations that included a hops farm, an old church, and a lake. At the end of each day the cars were returned to their homes only to be taken out the following morning to repeat the process.

While the MAFFI Trustees and volunteers were doing this, a photographer, John Lacko, from *Hemmings Motor News*, was taking pictures. By all accounts there were probably more than 2500 pictures taken.

This flurry of activity was for the purpose of helping *Hemmings Motor News* create their Model A calendars for 2024 and 2025. These calendars will be on sale in October of this year and next year. They will be available through *Hemmings Motor News*. This calendar, dedicated to Model A's, is one of 8 different calendars that *Hemmings Motor News* sells each year.

Happy motoring,
Mike DuBreuil
MAFFI Board of Trustees



Antique Autos in History Park

The largest annual antique auto show in the West
"A Living History Day"

The 23rd annual Antique Autos in History Park

Presented by the Santa Clara Valley Model T Ford Club and History San José will take place on

Saturday, September 9, 2023, from 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM.

This event fills History Park (Kelley Park, 693 Phelan Ave, San José, CA) with 200 period-correct pre-1946 vehicles, fire equipment, bicycles, and motorcycles of all makes.



Automotive Necessities

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Performance and Profits

Peters and Russell products have met with the instant acceptance and enthusiasm of Ford dealers the country over. This amazing success may be attributed to the fact that every Peters and Russell product is one of greater utility and unusual appearance. That wins the customers. And every item of this line is priced to sell fast with a real profit for the dealer—and you fellows like that! The "P & R Line" comprises a whole family of products—just the two newest ones are illustrated here. The very latest one—but already thoroughly proven and selling fast—is



THE SPOTTER

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Here at last is a mirror that eliminates the dangerous "blind spot". Slips on over the door hinge in 2 minutes—no bolt to remove. The first mirror of this type so easy to install, so low in price, so flashy in appearance—everybody wants one! Just as neat as it is convenient—chromium plated and with a pure, clear mirror. Attractively packed. Retail for \$3.75.

ZIP-A-RAK

Of unusual popularity at this time of year is ZIP-A-RAK—the neatest, strongest trunk rack that slides open or shut in a jiffy. Will hold 750 pounds. Eliminates the necessity for installing fender wells. When closed forms a handsome bar between bumperettes. A real profit producer at the low price of \$12.50—(\$14 west of Denver).



ZIP-A-RAK



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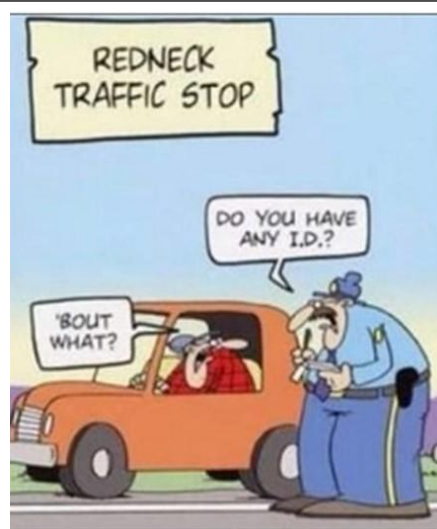
I ran into my ex. yesterday



Cable repairman was on my street and asked me what time it was. I told him it is between 8 am and 1 pm



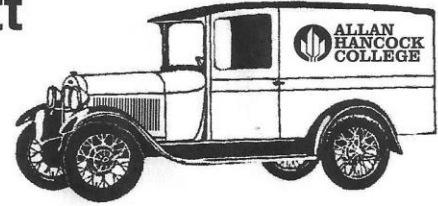
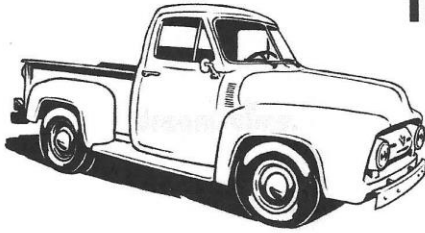
This is what 'good grief!' looks like...



You know how they throw the ball into the crowd after they win the game? That's not allowed in bowling. I know that now.

21st. Annual All Ford Car Show & Swap Meet

Saturday, September 9, 2023—9 am-3 pm
In Old Town Orcutt



SPONSORED BY:

The Santa Maria A's
Registration \$25.00 prior to Sept. 1
\$35.00 After the 1st. & day of show.

For information contact
Jay McCord (805) 598-8133
• jemccord@aol.com
or Curt Warner (805) 478-1231
• Ckw71977@gmail.com

www.santamariamodelaclub.com

Non-Food Vendors Welcome

• SWAP MEET:

Registration 6:30 AM
Opens to the Public 7:00 AM

• CAR SHOW:

Car Registration 7:00-9:00 AM
Raffle Prizes begin at 10:00
Car voting ballots in by 12 Noon
Trophies at 2:00
50/50 Drawing at 2:30

NO FIREARMS/ALCOHOL

Benefits Allan Hancock College Automotive Technology Scholarships

**REGISTRATION FORM: Make checks to
Santa Maria A's, PO Box 2983, Santa Maria, CA 93457
PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!!!**

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-Mail: _____

Year: _____ Make: _____ Model: _____

Club: _____ Class: _____

Show Car/Truck: _____ OR: Swap Meet: _____ OR: Vendor: _____

Class will be determined by show criteria (see reverse). Ask if you have any questions.

Signature Required Here _____

Liability Release:

In consideration of the acceptance of the right to participate, entrants and spectators, by the execution of this entry form, release and discharge the Santa Maria A's, from any and all damages, injuries, losses, judgments and/or claims from any cause whatsoever that may be suffered by any entrant, to his person or property. Further, each entrant expressly agrees to indemnify all of the forgoing entries, firms, and persons and bodies of and from any and all liability occasioned or resulting from the conduct of entrants or any participant assisting or cooperating with the entrant and under the direction or control of the entrant. I also give permission for my entry vehicle and my person to be photographed at the car show for use in any form of future communication or advertisement.

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Saturday, September 9, 2023 — 9 am-3 pm
In Old Town Orcutt

201 South Broadway, Orcutt, CA 93455

Class 1: Ford/Lincoln-Open Vehicle-Original 1903-1931

Class 2: Ford/Lincoln-Open Vehicle-*Modified 1903-1931

Class 3: Ford/Lincoln-Closed Vehicle-Original 1903-1931

Class 4: Ford/Lincoln-Closed Vehicle-*Modified 1903-1931

Class 5: Ford/Lincoln/Mercury-Original Vehicle 1932-1947

Class 6: Ford/Lincoln/Mercury-*Modified Vehicle
1932-1947

*Modified--A Vehicle in which the body and/or drivetrain have been substantially modified from original.

Class 7: Ford/Lincoln/Edsel/Mercury-All Except
Mustang/Cougar/Truck-1948-1973

Class 8: Ford & Mercury Trucks/Rancheros-1948-1973

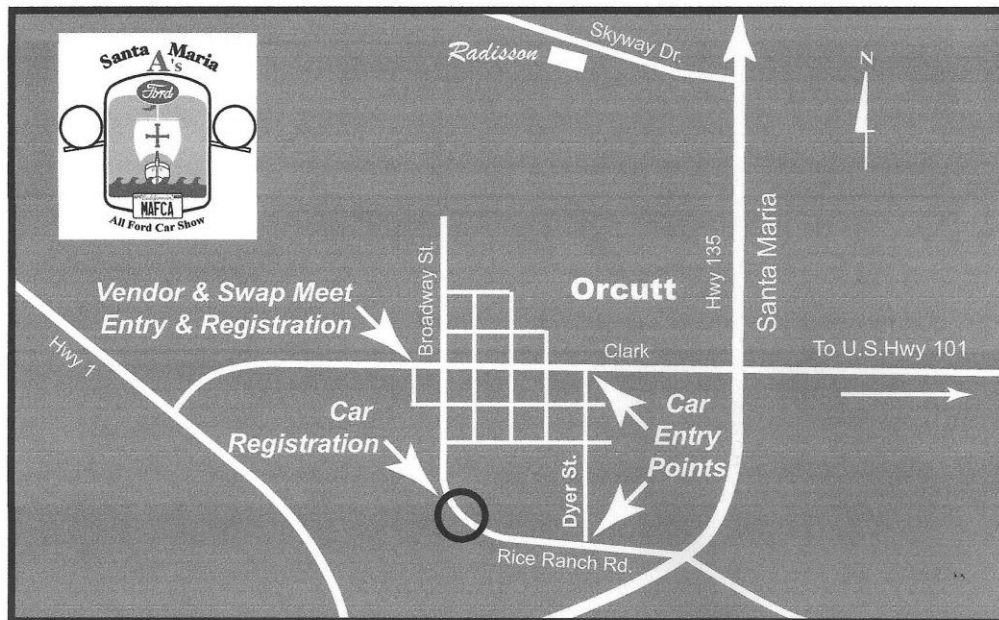
Class 9: Mustangs/Shelbys/Cobras 1963-1973

Class 10: Mustangs/Shelbys/Cobras 1974 & newer
-- includes replicars, kit cars, etc.

Class 11: All Ford Vehicles- except Mustang/Shelby/Cobra/Cougar
-- 1974 & newer -- includes replicars, kit cars, etc.

Class 12: Cougars 1967-1997

- Best Club Participation Award
- Participants Choice Award for Best of Show
- Chuck Bailey Award for Best Original Model A Ford
- Best Feature Car Award



DIRECTIONS: Exit Hwy. 101 at Clark. Go West to Dyer St. in Old Town Orcutt. Turn left to Rice Ranch Road. Turn right on Rice Ranch Road, proceed to Car Show entry point.

Stay at the

Radisson

Hotel Santa Maria

3455 Skyway Drive, Santa Maria Ca 93455
Call (805) 928-8000 for special rates.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 General Meeting
2 Erik Kellner	3	4 Independence Day	5	6	7	8
9	10 David Vahlstrom	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18 Judy Haywood	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28 Virginia Boling	29
30 Hagemann Ranch Self-Guided Tour	31	1	2	3	4	5 Next General Meeting

My wife and I are sitting on the couch watching tv and I hear a text, realizing I left my phone in the kitchen, I get up, go to the kitchen to check it...

and its a text from my wife:

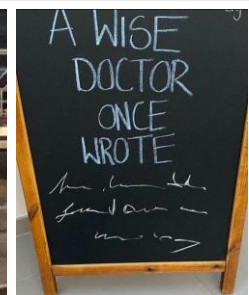
Please bring the chips on your way back

Henry's A's
P.O. Box 46
Livermore CA 94551



ANGRY WIFE'S NOTE TO HUSBAND:

"Your dinner is in the recipe book on page 34 and the ingredients are at the store"



Model A Radiator, taken from 1931 68C. Slight damage when fan blade broke off and went flying...folded down a few fins but NO LEAKS. Otherwise in perfect condition. \$500 plus shipping. OBO.

Rick Mahan

Rickmahan@aol.com

...925-785-0421 (text preferred...don't answer calls from unknown numbers)



The coupe is now \$16K.

Drives quite well; has new radial tires, air conditioning as well as a Borg Warner 33% overdrive.

Internal parts for Model A block. Full set of pistons, rings, rods w/inserts and balanced crank for same, adj. lifters and a block with a hole in the number 3 cylinder that may or may not be repairable. Was an \$8,000 rebuild with about 1500 miles on it. All for \$1000.00.



**1931 Deluxe Coupe for sale
make an offer Dave Mc Arthur
925 820 0394**

**Who is this "Moderation"
we're supposed to be
drinking with?**



**My new SUV has a
button that says
"rear wiper". I'm
afraid to push it. 🤔**

Northern California Regional Group Minutes

May 28, 2023 8:30 AM

NCRG Mini Roundup, Mother Lode Fairgrounds, Sonora CA

Call to Order: At 0831 by President Paul Shinn. Welcome and introduction of NCRG board and distinguished guests.

NCRG President Paul Shinn; VP Dave Vestal; Secretary Patti Stetson; Treasurer Al Stoll; Advisor/Past President Jim Costello.

MAFCA current directors: None.

Past MAFCA Presidents: Dave Vestal, Al Stoll, Rodger Griffin

Chapter Roll Call: Patti Stetson. 13 of 28. Quorum present.

Minutes of Last Meeting: Patti Stetson. Motion made by Jim Costello to approve the February 2023 meeting minutes as written and sent to chapter reps and presidents, 2nd by Dave Vestal. Motion carries.

Clubs that are dues current: Patti Stetson. All renewal received and dues paid for 2023.

Treasurer report: Al Stoll. In 2016, dues received were \$617 for 1234 members in NCRG clubs. In 2023, dues received were \$500 for 1000 members in NCRG clubs or a reduction of members in the clubs of 234 in 7 years. Al has prepared and filed the necessary tax forms for 2022 for both the IRS and FTB. Our taxable income from interest and non-member sources was less than \$100 so no income taxes for 2022 were due to either agency.

Northern Wheels Newsletter: Tom Jeanes, Editor. Absent. No report.

Website: Les Wittrup. He will post newsletters if you send them in to him. Mini roundup guidelines are posted. Contact is webmaster@ncrgmafca.com

Old Business:

1. New Chapter: Banger A's. Absent. No update.

2. Document "Requirements, planning and activities/functions for NCRG sponsored alternative events." Handout available on NCRG webpage and copies handed out.

New Business:

1. Mini Roundup report. Paul Shinn reported that there is great feedback to the event so far (with just a few hiccups). More events all day today with seminars, gymkhana, self guided tours and dinner.

2. Proposal for NCRG donation to Pasadena High School auto program (restoration of Model A for raffle). Paul Shinn made a motion to donate \$200 to the Pasadena High School auto program. Comments: Sonoma A's reported the program is funded only by donations, not the school district. It is a MAFCA chapter. Per Al Stoll, our treasury has substantial funds to cover this. Dave Vestal 2nd. Motion carries. Patti asked for a contact email or newsletter for updates. Discussion and decision to post their information on our webpage, newsletter and send emails to our chapter reps and presidents. Paul will follow up with them.

Upcoming Events:

MAFCA National Awards Banquet. December 5-8, 2023, Santa Maria CA.

MAFCA National Tour, July 2023. Auburn IN.

Appeal to chapters: Your chapter can host a mini roundup or event and be a sanctioned NCRG function. Looking for Roundup or Mini Roundup hosts for 2024 and 2025

2025. Capitol A's Steering committee had been formed. They will host a mini or full roundup.

2024. Banger A's is willing to do a mini roundup in El Dorado Hills on Memorial Day weekend. They have 10 members currently.

Thank you to Capitol A's and Banger A's for stepping up!

Call for other business: Q&A. None.

Next Meeting: Winter meeting 2024, California Auto Museum, Sacramento CA, Date to be determined.

Adjourn at 8:56 AM

Addendum:

Jim Costello reported that Jill Barrett and Paul Shinn are running for the MAFCA board this year. Noted that Bill Truesdell is running for the MAFCA board as well this year.

Comments: MAFCA membership is up. Chapters are active.

Devices used to find water



One of these applies to you.

When I was young,
I was a poor golfer.
But after years of play
and practice,
I am no longer young.

Why do peanuts float in a regular coke and sink in a diet coke. Go ahead and try it...

I used to eat a lot of natural foods until I learned that most people die of natural causes. How important does a person have to be before they are considered assassinated instead of just murdered? What disease did cured ham actually have?