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President's Message

The 2015 Tour Committee had a meeting at Cam Clark Ford dealership in Airdrie and are starting to look at various locations etc. The Tour committee's next meeting is April 17th. at 7.30 P.M. at Ted Zylstra's Braeside Auto garage. Different groups and car clubs are spending time in Airdrie cleaning up cars and getting ready for the Jack Anderson Car Auction being held as a benefit for Olds College. Drive safe.

Ken



Helping out at Jack Anderson's in June of 2011









From the Editor

February was quite busy as we had the World of Wheels to get ready for and we squeezed in trip to visit my Dad in Windsor, Ontario who has just moved into a retirement home. One of the jobs I wanted to finish before the WoW was the conversion/refinishing of my wood coil box for the 1909 Roadster. That did not happen as it seems with many Model T jobs, there are unforeseen difficulties. I will run a report in a future newsletter about the coil box rebuild/install.

Chris



Our joint display at the World of Wheels 2013

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Minutes of the Foothills Model T Ford Club Meeting

January 23, 2012, Aerospace Museum

President Ken Canning called meeting to order at 7.40pm. There were 35 members in attendance.

Minutes: Robb Wolff – Robb read the minutes of the October Meeting and requested they be adopted as presented. Ron Rigby seconded. Carried.

Treasurers Report: Robb Wolff – Robb moved that the annual SVAA fees and insurance premium of \$866 be paid. Seconded by Keith Robinson. After a brief discussion the motion was carried.

Robb moved the financial report for October be accepted, as presented. Seconded by Bill Price. Carried.

Correspondence: no correspondence

Membership: Eileen Jewell – Eileen reported at the end of the meeting that we have 61 paid memberships for 2013.

Tool Curators Report: Glen McDonald – All tools are accounted for. Four tools signed out at this time.

Editor's Report: Chris Brancaccio – Chris requesed ideas for articles. He also reported on the upcoming World of Wheels. Seven cars will be shown. We partner with the Model A Club to mount the exhibit. The cars from our club are: Sam's coupe, Waynes Tudor, and Chris's 1909. A signup sheet was passed around for those who would like to volunteer.

Librarian's Report: Jonathan Watson - Business as usual.

Tour Director's Report:

We have no formal tour committee at this time.

Robb gave a brief report regarding the summer camping tour to the Meadow Lake area of Saskatchewan (July 23rd - Aug 1st). An initial planning meeting was held on January 5th. Four cars are signed up and other have shown interest.

Ken Canning pointed out that Vulcan is celebrating their 100th anniversary on the August 2013 long weekend and they will be looking for cars.

Ted Zylstra agreed that he would be willing to host the annual inspection. He also offered his shop for one of our Club meetings. There was some concern that we might not be able to get out of our rent obligation to the Museum. Les Schubert pointed there is a chance we won't have to pay and that since Ted's facility is free we would be no further behind if we did have to pay.

Al Riise moved that the May meeting be held at Braeside Automotive. Seconded by Tom Taylor. Carried. The executive will need to contact the Aerospace Museun and let them know we will not need the facility in May.









Ted reported that Okotoks Ford would like to host the BBQ again this year.

The Spokane Club is hosting "The Long Dam Tour" July 5-7, 2013.

Director's Report

Keith reported that neither he nor Chris Brancaccio were elected in the recent MTFCA elections. Both of them will be attending the Annual Meeting in Dallas, TX. Rick Bonebright was elected.

Old Business:

• Work is progressing on Jack Anderson's collection of cars for the auction at Olds College. Horace reported that APAC will be working on the cars this Satruday from 10:00 am – 4:00 pm at the old Cam Clark Ford building.

New Business:

• Al Riise reminded the membership that the SVAA meeting will be held on Feburary 9th at 12:30 at the Lethbridge Swap Meet. Guest speakers will be talking about cam oil and charitable receipts for cash draws at club meetings.

Thanks to Robb for donuts.

Ted Zylstra won the 50/50.

Adjourned at ?? pm.

Show and Tell

Les Schubert brought a CNC machined front Buffalo wheel hub designed for front brakes. He also brought one of the 10 Bailey Locking Differentials he has built.











World of Wheels 2013

This year was a joint effort between the Foothills Model T club and the Stampede City Model A club. We had a total of 7 cars in the display, Chris B 1909 T roadster, Sam Squire 1923 T Coupe, Wayne Anderson 1926 Touring, Chris B 1927 T Tudor, Dean Potter 1931 Coupe, JR Smith 1930 A Tudor, Keith Robinson 1929 Phaeton.

The idea was that we could demonstrate to the public the difference between similar body styles from year to year.

We educated many members of the public on the Model T and Model A over the 3 day show. It never ceases to surprise me who stops by with interest.

We came away with an award for every car in the display with the first 4 spots for the Ts and 2nd ,3rd ,4th spots for the As. There was a Model A there on its own in the Heighton Restoration booth that took first. It looked like it just rolled off the assembly line.



Our 1909 won first in class



Wayne Anderson 1926 Touring, second



Sam Squire 1923 Coupe, third



Chris educating the public









Puyallup Early-Bird Swap Meet

by Vic Bourne (Totem Times, BC)

We went down to the recent Puyallup Early Bird swap meet to get some Model T parts. I was quite pleasantly surprised at the size. It will rival our Tradex meet. It's been more that 5 years since I was there, what a change. They have a new, very large building and it was full. So were the other buildings and the outside. There was junque to please every taste, parts, repos, tools, toys, abandoned projects, and running vehicles. These ranged from well restored vintage and antiques all the way to rods and beautiful yard art. And there was a lot of other things to please the female contingent.

We arrived shortly after opening and there was already a significant number of patrons through the gate. By 10:00 am it was getting crowded. No more room for photos. I've heard that the best way to do a swap meet is to go up every isle in one direction, and then repeat the route in the opposite. Before I got to the reverse direction my damaged tendon was yelling at me to stop. Even so, by the time that we left at noon it was jammed with people and the car was jammed with T stuff. Then, as we start to head home, apparently "we" had made an arrangement to see a chesterfield in Gig Harbor a short 20 min away. We then traveled for miles through the woods of the Kitsap peninsula to find this thing. But I needn't worry as we would not buy it unless "we" fell in love with it. Of course you don't need to be a rocket scientist to figure what happened next. The T stuff came out of the car and the couch went in. No room left. Up onto the roof goes the T stuff, you can guess the priorities here. However all is well as we made it home.

At the border there was a very long lineup. The fellow in the booth asked if we had any liquor. The answer was no, but we will next time because they are allowed to scoot past the line and butt in. He just laughed and called it "the old duty free shuffle".



Ed. Note: This swap meet is in Washington State, in Puyallup. I actually know where it is as I worked with a guy who was from there. This year it was held February 16 & 17, 2013 at the Puyallup Fairgrounds.

Birthdays

February 1	Marilyn Lundquist	
February 4	Rob Hutchinson	
February 8	Mike Reid	
February 9	Ed Helmich	
February 15	Chris Brancaccio	
February 16	Lawrence Gould	
February 17	Emanuel Cohen	
February 17	Danin Bodnar	
February 20	Cliff Proctor	
February 21	John Provost	
February 22	Dorothy Gould	
February 23	Lloyd Barberree	
February 28	Margariet van Dijk	

Meetings, Tours and Workshops

February 27 – Regular meeting 7:30 pm, Aerospace Museum

March 27 – Regular meeting 7:30 pm, Aerospace Museum

April 24 – Regular meeting 7:30 pm, Aerospace Museum



June 2011 at Jack Anderson's Place









For Sale – For Trade

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For Sale: Tourabout body. It was made as an exact copy of the car the club restored for the Reynold's museum, a 1911 if I recall right. I had planned to build a T with this but then bought Oscar Simrose's 1910 McLaughlin tourabout so never did do the T as they were very similar. This is well made and pretty much ready to paint and upholster. I have about \$3500 invested in it and would be happy to sell it for that but will consider reasonable offers. Contact Leigh Schubert leighschu@shaw.ca phone 403-239-0351

Wanted: "Seeking source of this part for 13-14 Gas headlights."

Thanks, Ross 403-651-1612





From Totem Times newsletter in BC

For Sale: 1924 Model T Touring. New Paint, upholstery, five new tires (not mounted). \$12,000 Charie @ 778-355-6001



For Sale: I have a CANADIAN MADE, 1926 FORD MODEL T ROADSTER that I would like to sell, its restored, not that it needed much as it spent a good part of its life in GRANPA CHARLIE CAR MUSEUM in SICAMOUS BC. I am asking \$11,500.00 If you know of anyone interested contact BRIAN at honeybourn@shaw.ca

Wanted: Parts for 1912 era Model T. What do you have? Need four wooden fellow wheels. Greg Lillico 604-271-7341 or 604-889-5327

Spokane club link to for sale items

http://www.spokanemodeltclub.com/for-sale.php









The Foothills Model T Ford Club

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If you have already renewed for this year, would you please pass this renewal form on to someone who also shares in our interest of the Model T Ford.



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