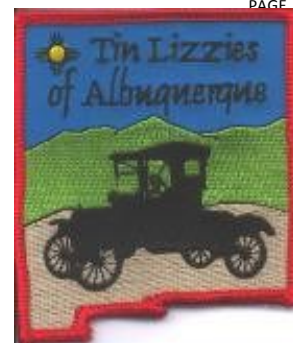


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HVA EPIC ROAD TRIP DETROIT TO SAN FRANCISCO

Celebrating the 100th anniversary of America's love of the "ROAD TRIP", the HVA or Historic Vehicle Association embarked on a journey from Detroit to San Francisco in a 1915 Ford Model T Touring. The 1915 Pan Pacific International Exposition in San Francisco enticed people from across America, including Edsel Ford, to make the road trip. The HVA followed Edsel's epic journey as closely as they could. Six cars from the Tin Lizzie Club met the caravan in Cedar Crest at the Shell station and caravanned to Old Town in Albuquerque for lunch and a rest stop.

HVA's 1915 Touring parks in Old Town in front of San Felipe de Neri Church (picture by Ann Merewether) Full story on page 7



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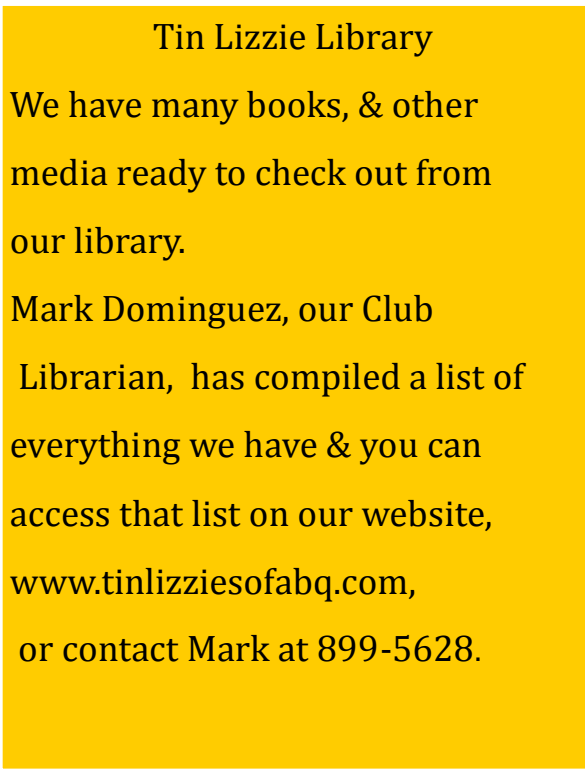

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			We Welcome New Members!!		
			Please go to our website and fill out an application form and turn it in with your money. Please consider joining the National organization MTFCA for a bi-monthly magazine and National tours. We welcome you to our monthly breakfast (T n 'Vittles) and our monthly meetings. Please read your newsletter for tours, car shows and fun events. Welcome !!		

President's Corner

Hi All,

Fall is in the air. When you can smell the green chili roasting it is always a dead give away!

Well, just got back from Rich Ford in Edgewood. Thanks to all who came out to show their cars. It is nice to be invited twice a year to attend Rich Ford's car shows. They have been a great sponsor for our club. I really appreciate their support.

Looks like the next couple of weeks are going to be busy for us. We have the tour to Chama, the NM State Fair, and a visit to a nursing facility. Please be sure to check the calendars for the dates and meeting times for these events.

Looks like the plans for the national tour are coming right along. Remember, if you have donations for the door prizes; please bring them to the next meeting.

Until I see you at the next event, please be safe.

Mark Dominguez

P.S. An additional supplement of the newsletter for the Chama Trip will be emailed after the tour is completed.



From our Vice-President

On Sept 12, the Good Sam Club of New Mexico will hold it's annual Samboree at the Enchanted Trails RV park, West of Camping World on Central NW. At 2:30 PM we request the Tin Lizzies to come out and give rides to our participants. We want to share the wonder our old automobiles with RVers who drive the most modern of vehicles. Come have some with my "other" group.

Thanks for your participation,

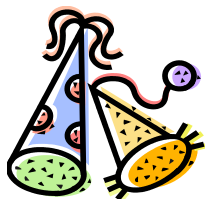
Stan

Events for next 2 Months

- Sept 5** Workday at 9:00 AM. We will clean the "take-a-part" Car and take it apart for the women to put back together at 11:00
- Sept 5** 11 AM WOMEN will practice the "take apart car" for the State Fair. Call Lorna if you want to help
- Sept 12** T N'Vittles at Denny's on San Antonio at I-25 (across from Cracker Barrel) 8:00 AM. Host is Linda Riel
- Sept 12** WOMEN will practice the "take apart car" for the State Fair. Come after the T N'Vittles
- Sept 13** State Fair—meet at the corner of San Pedro and Central SW at 7:30 am we will parade into the fair. Stay until shift change at 3:00PM. Admission with a car is free. Come enjoy a fun day at the fair
- Sept 17** John Peterson from AZ, a craftsman who makes widgets for Model T's will be the workday at Azevedo's. Look for more info in your email
- Sept 19** Encino Senior Care would like to have some cars for a mini car show for their residents. From 10:30—2:00 at 609 Encino PI NE we can share some precious time with these Seniors. Come enjoy a beautiful day with those who owned/worked on/ or had dad's who actually owned a Model T. Call Mark D 899-5628 for more information
- Sept 24** National Tour Committee meets before monthly meeting at 6:00
- Sept 24** Monthly meeting at Vineyard clubhouse 6118 Edith NE at 7:00 PM Dunn and Dominguez are hosts
- Sept 25-27** Los Lunas Swap Meet at Morris Field LL
- Sept 26 & 27** Corrales Harvest Festival would like our cars for car show. You may leave trailers and/or cars at the Azevedo's overnight. The festival will be in the church parking lot across from the Fire Station.
- Oct 4** Annual Balloon Fiesta Car Show. Sid Cutter sculpture is now on display on the south end of launch field. Betty will have passes in Sept.
- Oct 22** National Tour Committee meets at 6:00 PM At our regular meeting place
- Oct 22** Monthly meeting at Vineyard clubhouse 6118 Edith NE at 7:00 PM Peterson's and Harvey are hosts

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU!!

Julie Dilts 9/7
 Paul Carpenter 9/10
 Kassi Carpenter 9/10
 Spencer Johnson 9/11
 Mark Wing 9/11
 Bruce Daniel 9/16
 Barbara Carpenter 9/23
 Ben Castillo 9/20



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

Roger & Janie Burton 9/1
 Doug & Donna Rappuhn 9/3
 Kirk & Susan Peterson 9/16
 Art & Shirley Gebeau 9/16
 Larry & Lorna Azevedo 9/21



Please join me in a celebration of life and tile dedication for Dean C. Van Doren

He had indeed touched many of people in his lifetime and he is most certainly missed.

Stop by for a drink and perhaps share a story.

When: Sunday the 29th of November 2015 @ 4:00 p.m.

*Where: Soto Club
 2500 Candelaria NE
 Albuquerque, NM*

Rich Ford Edgewood August 22

What a great day for a drive! Fifteen Model T's joined in a car show with the Model A Club from Albuquerque for Rich Ford in Edgewood's annual car show. The weather held up and everyone enjoyed the camaraderie. Each year we do two car shows for Rich Ford, one in Albuquerque and one in Edgewood. These are major fund raisers for us and fun to boot. If you haven't had the pleasure of joining in there is always next year. Thanks to Linda Riel for organizing this each year.

If you would like to sponsor a breakfast, or bring snacks to one of our meetings, call Linda Riel @ 459-5897, or email lmrlu-lubell@juno.com. **Those signed up, please contact Linda ASAP when you've chosen the location! The following dates are subject to change! Breakfasts usually start at 800AM, but please check for any changes!!**

Meeting Refreshments 2015			
Date	Provided By	Provided By	
January 22, 2015	President	Vice President	THANK YOU
February 26, 2015	Bob & Robbi Ross	Paul & Marilyn Duncan	THANK YOU
March 26, 2015	Betty Housholder	Bill & Donna Hansen	THANK YOU
April 23, 2015	Tom & Cathy Miles	Dave & Laura Ferro	THANK YOU
May 28, 2015	Dave & Ann Merewether	Don Mitchell	THANK YOU
June 25, 2015	Fran Gurule	Jeff Richards	THANK YOU
July 23, 2015	Mark & Susan Wing	Stan & Janice Gauna	THANK YOU
August 20, 2015	Ice Cream Social	Ice Cream Social	THANK YOU
September 24, 2015	Skip & Hedy Dunn	Mark & Sharon Dominguez	
October 22, 2015	Kirk & Susan Peterson	Vern Harvey	
November 19, 2015	Guys With Pies	Guys With Pies	1 week early due to Thanksgiving on the 26th
December	No Meeting	No Meeting	



T n Vittles 2015		
Date	Hosted By	Place
January 10, 2015	Mark & Susan Wing	THANK YOU
February 14, 2015	Bob & Robbi Ross	THANK YOU
March 14, 2015	Bill & Donna Hansen	THANK YOU
April 11, 2015	Tom & Cathy Miles	THANK YOU
May 9, 2015	Larry & Lorna Azevedo	THANK YOU
June 13, 2015	Mark & Sharon Dominguez	THANK YOU
July 11, 2015	Dave & Ann Merewether	THANK YOU
August 1, 2015	Betty Housholder	THANK YOU
September 12, 2015	Linda Riel	Denny's @ 5201 San Antonio NE (I 25)
October 10, 2015	Neil & MaryAnn O'Brien	The Range Café @ 4401 Wyoming & Montgomery
November 14, 2015	Stan & Janice Gauna	tba
December	No Breakfast	No Breakfast

For Sale & Want Ads

For Sale: Linda Riel is selling LuLu Belle, her Burgundy 1926 Four Door Sedan for \$11,000. It is very well maintained, has new tires, carpet and some parts. Please call her at 459-5897 if interested.

For Sale: Bought a new 2door. Haven't got room for my Fire Truck ! New wooden body, has siren, bell, new seat, some fire hose, steps to access back, new gas tank, water tank. Seen at Rich Ford in March and at 4th of July parade. Call Bob Ross at 293-1676 for more information

A friend of mine, Rick Weatherbee, would like to sell his Model T project car. It has wire wheels and a Ruckstell. The \$7500 price seems right contact VERN or PAT WILLAN if interested

For Sale: 1926 rear fenders (2) for Coupe, Roadster or Roadster PU and 1 front fender for any year. For Sale Cheap. Must pick up in CO. Call Brian Dean at 505-573-7024 if interested.

For sale, nicely restored 1925 NM FRONT license plate \$125; suitable for YOM. Steve Suttle 828 2165

For Sale: Wood wheel rims 30 x 3 1/2" non demountable 1913/24 \$65.00 each ; Non demountable rims 30 x 3 steel felloes \$90, ; 1917/25 rims \$55 each ; early to mid 1926 rims \$60 each; complete front or rear wheel kits 1917/25., for kit brochure, Call John Hayne 505-294-4434



There is a small milestone event coming up.....back on October 2, 1965 at 4:20 p.m. EST a little girl weighing 5 lbs and measured 19 inches long came into this world. Linda Marie Riel

That would mean I will be 50. Can you believe that I will be a half a century year old? Who would of thought? Since I refuse to grow old or at least have decided to age gracefully, please join me in celebrating this event.

Stop by for a drink and toast this milestone with me and perhaps get in a dance or two. Music provided by Tommy Williams. Dinner can be ordered off the menu if you so choose.

When: Friday the 2nd of October 2015

*Where: American Legion Post 49
11005 Central NE
Albuquerque, NM*

Time: 6:00 p.m. till ??

RSVP: Friday the 25th of September to Linda @ 505 459 5897 or lmrlu-lubell@juno.com

HISTORIC VEHICLE ASSOCIATION DRIVE ACROSS AMERICA TOUR

VAUGHN ROCKAFELLOW organized our club to meet the journeying 1915 Touring and the entourage that came with it on Friday, July 31, 2015. Six cars and 12 people met at Tramway and Central then drove Old 66 to the Shell station in Cedar Crest. We waited 15 minutes and the caravan of one 1915 Model T Touring, one 2015 Ford Mustang and of course a trouble truck arrived covered in mud. They had driven wet, muddy roads thru Pueblo, CO and Northern, NM to get to Santa Fe for a one night stop. We then caravanned into Albuquerque along Route 66 to Old Town where we had lunch at the Church Street Café. That evening, the Azevedo's opened their home for a joint potluck and a little talk from Casey Maxon, HVA's driver. Our crew helped their crew go over the car for any maintenance it may need. The HVA Crew presented a book about their amazing trip.



Larry's Speedster, Don M's Tudor, Merewether's Pickup, Lorna's Speedster, Duncan's Touring and Ross' Roadster



Casey and Davin get gas



Jim Gallagher drove the trouble truck which had bent it's hitch in the muds of CO.



Larry's Speedster and the HVA Touring are the fore drop for Ross' Roadster, Mitchell's Tudor, Merewether's Pickup and Duncan's Touring



We all joined together for lunch at Church Street Café in Old Town



Lorna preparing for the potluck



Casey spoke about their journey at our joint potluck



Casey and Davin, two of the HVA drivers



Mark D. and Larry received journey books from the HVA



With full bellies everyone posed for a big picture after the potluck



The HVA crew with the help of some Lizzies check out the 1915 Touring and did maintenance to make it all the way to San Francisco



T N'Vittles at The Vineyard

Thanks to everyone that came to the breakfast. I forgot to count but was told 23 people and 6 cars. Many rides were given with much excitement from the folks riding but Lorna's speedster was the "Belle of the Ball". The resident that rode with Paul was impressed with all the information he learned about Model T's. They are looking forward to us coming back next year.

Thanks again, Betty



Lorna & Larry arrive with Lorna driving



Lorna's Special led the impact of our cars at the Vineyard. Next to her were Mitchell's Tudor, Duncan's Touring, Ross' Roadster, Hansen's Touring and Housholder's Pickup



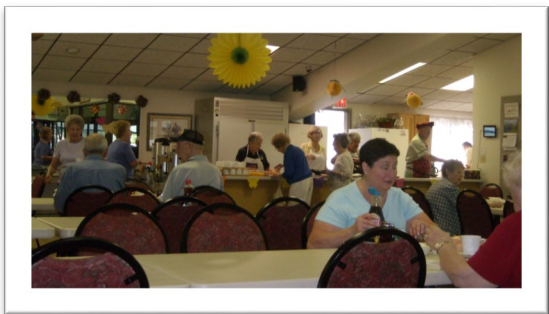
Waiting in line to pay then waiting for food



Michael and Bob at Michael's Pickup



Ann Merewether arrives



Yummy pancakes, sausage, fruit and coffee



Paul Duncan next to his Touring



Lorna chats with the Lance Family



Bob , Art Gebeau from Milan and Michael



Bill Hansen, Don Mitchell and Paul Duncan



Vernon Armstrong and Mark Wing

WORK DAYS AT AZEVEDO'S GARAGE

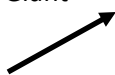
Wow! It seems our Club's cars are expanding. Not only are new members bringing in cars, but our existing members are adding to the fleet. Thus was the case with Dave Merewether and his red 1922 Model T Center Door and Nick Serna's 1926 Tudor whose drive shaft needed some modification. Bob Ross brought in his 1926 Roadster for an oil change but then found he had to replace tie rod bushings and bolts. The Duncan's 1920 Touring has a newly installed "Giant Power Head", a vintage accessory that should add a few more horsepower with it's higher-than-stock compression ratio. Thanks to the club for having parts on hand and to all the members who give of their time and effort to help each other.



Bob Ross brought in his 1926 Roadster for a routine oil change but had a surprise waiting for him.



Marilyn shows off her 1920 Touring "Giant Power Head"



L: Nick, Roger and Larry work on Nick's engine.

R: Nick shows off his restored 1926 Tudor. Soon Nick will be on the tours with the rest of us!



Larry adjusts the carburetor on Merewether's 1922 Center door while Dave assists from inside the car.



Dave and Ann Merewether's red 1922 Model T Center Door.

TIN LIZZIES CLUB MINUTES

AUGUST 20, 2015

The August meeting was held at the Vineyard, 6118 Edith, NE in Albuquerque. The meeting was one week earlier than our regular meeting to allow members to attend the Chama Tour. The meeting was called to order by President Mark Dominguez who led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The minutes were approved as published.

Marilyn Duncan gave the Treasurer's report. Dues and raffle income were reported.

Committee reports were given. Dave Merewether reported that the NM Car Council would not meet until next week. The swap meet September 25-27 needs volunteers to work four hour shifts. The Car Show planned for Socorro has been cancelled. Robbie Ross said that the deadline for submission of information for the Newsletter would be Sunday, August 23 for the regular monthly newsletter. She plans to follow the regular newsletter with a supplement on the tour to Chama. Mark Wing reported that there were 815 unique visitors to our website during the last 30 days. He was advised that our website was subject to malicious malware and would be shut down in three days if we did not secure malware protection. President Mark Dominges made an executive decision to purchase the protection for \$100.00 and a monthly \$10.00 fee to keep it free of malware and prevent its shutdown. He also updated widgets and our template. He added photos of our July T 'n Vittles, the 1915 Historic Vehicle Tour and potluck, and another work party. All other committee members reported no changes.

A motion was made, seconded and approved for the Malware protection expenditure authorized by president, Mark Dominguez.

Items for the raffle were shown and members given an opportunity to purchase tickets to win one of the two prizes—a junior T shirt and a \$25 gift card/shims/exhaust rings.

Member Julie Dilts made a late entrance to our meeting from her new home in New Orleans. She and Russ plan to join us for the Chama Tour.

Refreshments for the meeting was ice cream for our ice cream social.

Thanks to Betty Householder for hosting our August T 'n Vittles at the Vineyard.

Mark Dominguez and Kirk Peterson took their T's to the Buena Vista Senior Care Center and the Center gave our club a \$100.00 donation.

Vaughn Rockefeller gave a report on the Historic Vehicle Association Century Tour. Six model T's driven by our club members met the tour at the Shell Station on North Highway 14 and escorted them back to

Old Town for lunch at the Church Street Cafe. The tour members were interviewed by two TV stations and the Albuquerque Journal. This was followed by an evening Bar B Q at the Azevedo residence where they gave us some highlights from their journey from Detroit to Albuquerque. Local members serviced their T in Larry's workshop to make sure that it was in good condition to continue their journey. They displayed a copy of Edsel Ford's journal that was made in 1915. After leaving Albuquerque they sadly reported that their service truck had been burglarized in Kingman, Arizona and they had lost about \$6,000.00 in equipment and supplies.

Work days at Larry's garage continue to be productive with car restoration progress.

Linda Rael requested that members attending the show at Rich Ford Edgewood meet at the Albertson's store at Central and Tramway to leave for Edgewood at 8:30 am. Bring chairs and water. Fourteen of our Ts are expected for this event.

Practice for the Lady's T "take a part" at the State Fair will be held on September 5 and September 12.

The 2016 tour planning is progressing at the monthly meeting held just prior to the regular T meeting. A firm budget for the registration costs for each entrant is \$240 for the car owner and \$190 for an additional person. Youth 6-14 will pay \$100.00. An Mark Dominguez has requested and received the disbursement of funds from the national organization that are available as a loan to use for start up expenses. A motion was made and seconded that a secondary bank account for receipt and expenditure of funds for the national tour be opened in the name of Tin Lizzies Club of Albuquerque at the Sandia Area Federal Credit Union with Larry Azevedo and Susan Dominguez as account signers. Motion carried.

Cars for display at the State Fair on September 13 should be at the SW corner of San Pedro and Central at 7:30 am. Cars will leave about 7:50 for the fairgrounds and depart at about 3:00.

Model T s are requested for display at the Harvest Festival in Corrales on September 26 and 27.

Encino Terrace Assisted Living at 609 Encino Place NE has requested cars on display September 19 from 10:30 to 2:00 for their Crafts Fair. Contact is Terry, 250-2274 if you can take a car. They need a car count.

September T 'n Vittles will be 8:00 September 12 at Denny's Restaurant, 5201 San Antonio NE, hosted by Linda Riel.

Raffle winners were Stan Gauna and Bruce Daniels.

September refreshments will be provided by Mark and Sharon Dominguez and Skip and Hedy Dunn.

Linda Riel says her T, Lula Bell, is still for sale.

The program for the evening was presented by Paul Duncan on events for the Chama Tour August 27 to 30. Slides showed the area and businesses that are located in the area. It also included places of historical significance along the route from Albuquerque to Chama. Activities include the train ride, Model T drive along beside the train, vintage attire, T photos with the train and a photo contest. Winners of the photo contest will be announced at the September meeting. All attendees will have lanyards that will entitle them to discounts as some of the merchants. Attendees should dress for cooler weather.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted, Ann Merewether, Secretary

MTFCA NATIONAL TOUR 2016 A/K/A THE LAND OF ENCHANTMENT TOUR 2016

The Tin Lizzie's are hosting the 2016 MTFCA National Tour also known as the Land of Enchantment Tour. Each of our Club Members is requested to start bringing in door prizes. They can be anything a Model T Owner or Spouse might like. We are storing the items at Dave Mereweather's. Also, the goody bags can use 120 items of the same thing, you know the things people like to get in their goody bags.

Thanks for the participation of all Tin Lizzies. Let's show the MTFCA, the Land of Enchantment is definitely an enchanting place to tour.



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

As of today, we have a new Tin Lizzie Family Membership:

Carlos & Carolyn Nevarez
3812 Simms Ave
Albuquerque, Nm 87108
crnevarez1@gmail.com
Cell: (575) 642-3376

Carlos is Don Souther's son-in-law and he has recently learned how to drive Don's T. He drove (with Don coaching) the T to the Edgewood show today & met many of the club members. His wife Carolyn is Don & Barbara's daughter. Carlos owns 2 Harley Davidson motorcycles & loved to ride them but says he is really enjoying learning about Model Ts! He is a licensed electrician & contractor who is currently teaching electrical trades at CNM.

regards, Marilyn Duncan, Treasurer/Membership



I have shown cars at this concours every year for the last several years. This year they asked what I had to show this year. I replied that I had previously shown all my cars but my Model T roadster pickup and it would not fit their theme of "driving to the future". To my surprise they asked me to bring it. The show is on Sept 20. Cars are positioned on the 19th. If you come to the show (A \$10 donation is required) you can vote for my car to be the "peoples choice".

Better yet those of you who have better examples than mine should enter your car. they are accepting cars until this Friday Their web site is [.www.seehotcars.com](http://www.seehotcars.com).

Dave Merewether sent this out to anyone in our club who might be interested as an entry or as a spectator.

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Vaughn Rockafello - 505 410 7492

or John Hayne - 505 294 4434

Or contact the Albuquerque Chapter of the HCCA at

. 5313 John Thomas Dr. NE, Albuquerque,

New Mexico 87111

For an application form.

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COME JOIN

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