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Where else can you go on a Saturday morning and see a sight like this.....beautiful sky, leaves turning on the trees and don't forget about those model t's???

The Enchantment Flyer is published monthly for the Tin Lizzies of Albuquerque for their viewing. If you have something you would like to submit, please contact Linda at 505 459 5897 or email lmrlubell@juno.com
Thanks for reading and keep on a T'ing!

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From the President: I sincerely hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas or Chanukah and will have a safe New Year.. I would like to thank everyone for their donations to St Felix Pantry and CLNKids. We collected over \$400 for these two worthwhile charities.

Now is the time to get out and dust, I mean, shovel off the 2 feet of snow from your Model T and make it ready for the upcoming touring season.

Over the last 15 years, I have met so many wonderful people as a result of owning a Model T and belonging to the Tin Lizzies of Albuquerque and the Model T Ford Club of America. I do not believe Model Ts are the reason I am involved in the Model T hobby, but it is the excuse to meet and befriend one another.

KirkieP pictured with SuzieQ



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Mark Dominguez at 505 264 9970

Thinking of You/Get Well to Mistee Thomson on his recent medical procedure and Kirby Oehmke on his recent medical procedure and to Melody Ortega on her open heart surgery a couple of months back and Tom Miles for his recent medical episode.

Please let Fran know if/when you hear of something.

Because we have been fortunate to acquire so many new members and in an effort to learn everyone's name, those who have a name badge, PLEASE wear them on a regular basis to our meetings, breakfast and any "club function". If you would like a Tin Lizzies name badge, please let me know how you want your name to appear and if you would like a pin back or a magnet back and send your information to lmrlulubell@juno.com or call Linda @ 505 459 5897.

For a listing of all breakfast dates, locations and any additional information, please see page 5. (page can be printed to have a hardcopy of listing)

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March - Rich Ford Albuquerque (stay tuned for additional information)

August - Rich Ford Edgewood (stay tuned for additional information)

September 26 thru 30 - Mesilla Valley Tour
to Las Cruces (stay tuned for additional
information)

Also from the Pres....Larry Blair of the Tin Sched in Whittier, California recently had several strokes. His granddaughter has started a GoFundMe page to help out during this hard time.

[https://www.gofundme.com/84e8r-help-my-grandparents?
utm_source=internal&utm_medium=email&utm_content=campaign_title&utm_campaign=donation_receiptv5](https://www.gofundme.com/84e8r-help-my-grandparents?utm_source=internal&utm_medium=email&utm_content=campaign_title&utm_campaign=donation_receiptv5)

Please consider donating to help this well Liked Model T mechanic and his family.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY !

Don Mitchell	12/1
Anabel Konwiser	12/2
Susan Lewark	12/10
Ed Merewether	12/11
Rita-Loy Simmons	12/13
Kirby Oehmke	12/14
Steve Wheeler	12/21
Richard Olona	12/23
Carol Burnett	12/25
Dana Marchand	12/25
Mistee Thomson	12/26
Doug Turner	12/28
Dave Ferro	12/31



Sandra Lerner	1/1
Whitney Defoor	1/9
Susan Peterson	1/9
Nancy Musgrave	1/11
Bob Keers	1/14
Betty Housholder	1/15
Ann Merewether	1/17
Donna Hansen	1/19
Paul Duncan	1/26
Doyle Gaines	1/27
Fran Gurule	1/30
Janice Gauna	1/31

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!



Doyle & Gayle Gaines	12/17
Bill Robinson	12/23
Paul & Barbara Carpenter	12/28
Frank & Susan Lewark	12/29
Tony & Dana Marchand	12/30
Steve & Tamara Wheeler	12/27
Tom & Cathy Miles	1/5
Bob & Robbi Ross	1/7
Paul & Nancy Musgrave	1/16
Dan & Holly Rochford	1/22
Jahn & Barbara Wright	1/27

If your birthday or anniversary date is missing or incorrect, please let me know.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS: Not only for our new members, but for everyone. **PLEASE** let Marilyn Duncan know if you have a change in information. She will update the membership roster accordingly and have a hardcopy available. Welcome to all of our new members.

Model T Insurance: Even though we have insurance for our Club through MTFCA, you still need to have your Model T insured. Check out Hagerty, JC Taylor and Classic Auto.

Coming together is a beginning; Keeping together is progress; Working together is success. Henry Ford

FOR SALE:

1925 TT: Runs great, new tubes and flaps, new coils, new wiring, rebuilt NH carb, dip stick (no crawling under), new gas tank, easy filter check and shut off valve, spokes are tight, sheet metal is straight, steel running boards both sides and back, new upholstery with springs not just padding (foam cushions), a few tools included (we can work on that), 3 fire extinguishers, 45 gal water tank, 20 - 30 ft. of hose (just for looks). Clear title \$6,800 OBO Contact Bob Ross @ rross37471@aol.com (see picture on page 7)

1924 Model T Tudor sedan ~ \$17,000 (negotiable) Includes - Tachometer, 2-speed Ruckstell rear end, directional signals, Model A carb with air cleaner, distributor, spare tire and wheel (mounted). Includes open trailer to haul/tow. Contact Carolyn Souther at csouther7@gmail.com or 505 328 8018. (see pictures on page 7)

Set of 3 17-27 oil lamps; 2 side lamps and 1 tail lamp \$50 each. Call Kirk Peterson 505 670 8978

If you would like to sponsor a breakfast, or bring snacks to one of our meetings, call Linda Riel @ 459-5897, or email lmrlulubell@juno.com. Those signed up, please contact Linda ASAP when you have chosen the location!

T n Vittles			
Date	Hosted By	Place	
1/13	Linda Riel	Cocina Azul @ 4243 Montgomery NE (west of Jefferson) 8:30	
2/10	Bob & Robbi Ross	Le Peep @ 2125 Louisiana NE (Indian School/I40)	
3/10			
4/14			
5/12	Dave Ferro	tba	
6/2	Betty Housholder	The Vineyard (our meeting place)	
7/14			
8/11	Dave & Ann Merewether	tba	
9/8			
10/13			
11/10	Rose Ross	Weck's @ 10131 Coors NW (s of Alameda near Harbor Freight)	
December	No Breakfast	No Breakfast	

ALL DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

BREAKFAST STARTS @ 8:00 A.M. UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

SOME FOOD FOR THOUGHT: HAVE YOU CONSIDERED PUTTING TOGETHER A LITTLE TOUR/EXCURSION AFTER HOSTING A BREAKFAST.

Meeting Refreshments			
Date	Provided By	Provided By	
1/25	President	Vice President	
2/22	Sharron & Rita-Loy	Al & Marilyn Schwanke	
3/22	Betty Housholder		
4/26			
5/24			
6/28			
7/26			
8/23	Bob & Robbi Ross		
9/20			1 week early due to our Mesilla Valley Tour to Las Cruces
10/25			
11/15	Guys With Pies	Guys With Pies	1 week early due to Thanksgiving on the 22nd
December	No Meeting	No Meeting	

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Some past happenings: Work Party on October 21, 2017



November 11 breakfast at Range Café



It was said back on the tour to Red River that model t groups are an eating club with a driving disorder. Very fitting, at least for the Tin Lizzies. Don't you agree?



Work Party on November 11



Corrales Light Parade on December 2



Bob Ross's 1925 TT



Don Souther's 1924 Tudor Sedan and trailer



Some past happenings continued: Holiday Party & Installation on December 10



Top: Tin Lizzies in attendance and having fun.

Right: Out outgoing pres Vaughn and incoming pres Kirk



Mark performing the swearing in ceremony for the 2018 club officers & directors.. See page 2 for the complete listing of who's who.



Paul presenting Larry a photo of a camera shaped Model T for his generosity in assisting club members at the work parties. Thank you Larry & Lorna!



Linda receiving the 2017 President's Award for outstanding contributions to the club. Thank you Vaughn, I do believe that I had a total look of astonishment on my face when you called my name.

Some more past happenings: Youth Work Day on December 16



Top: Mentor Dave with Will and Grandpa Vern looking on



Top: Will & Richie with his Dad Pat looking on with Larry "supervising" as they test a coil

Tin Lizzie Life Member Bill Barnhouse's 1919 Touring had not run in 4-5 years. It was garaged and hooked up to a trickle charger. The plan is to give it to his grandson Daniel. Bill recently tried to start the T with no luck. Bill's son Gene called his neighbor Paul Duncan who conferred with Larry who then decided the Barnhouse T should be the focus for the "youth work day".

Paul & Gene pushed the T out of the garage and winched it onto Paul's trailer and took it to Larry's. Will (Vern Willan's grandson) was tasked with airing the tires, oiling & greasing the appropriate spots. The adult "kids" Larry Langdon & his son Steve, Mark Wing, Dave Ferro, Bob Ross, Larry Azevedo, Paul & Marilyn Duncan, Vern Willan and Gene Barnhouse assisted Will. They learned that the ignition switch would only work counter clockwise and the worn key required jiggling to make contact. The T was fitted with a modern "lawnmower" carburetor but the engine although it would start acted like it was starved for fuel. Paul installed his spare Holley NH carburetor and the engine started. Next, the Bendix did not disengage. A spare from the Club parts inventory was installed and then the engine ran well. Oops, the Bendix was not sealed and oil leaked onto the shop floor.

Paul & Gene returned the next day to properly seal the Bendix and the Barnhouse T was back in running condition. Larry gave Gena a driving lesson on the soccer field. During the inspection, we determined that the gas tank was rusty and the sediment bowl threads were suspect. Gene left the work party with a shopping list. He stated it was like a scavenger hunt and reported that he was able to find everything within 24 hours including a rebuilt Holly NH carburetor and a new gas tank on eBay. There is now another Model T back running after a day in Larry's garage.

Thanks to all who participated. The Club's wisdom to support a party inventory again paid off.

Story by Paul Duncan & edited for space by Linda - newsletter editor



This is what makes the Tin Lizzies such a great group of people. The vast knowledge on the working of a Model T is amazing and the willingness to teach and lend a hand is outstanding. You can be proud to call yourself a member of the Tin Lizzies of Albuquerque!

TIN LIZZIES CLUB MEETING MINUTES November 16, 2017

Call meeting of the Tin Lizzies to order at 7:00 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance

Welcome & Introduce Guests and New Members: Bill Robinson

Officers present: Vaughn Rockafellow, Kirk Peterson, Jessica Lance, Marilyn Duncan

Board of Directors present: Vern Willan, Brian Dean, Dave Ferro (absent)

Approval of minutes of last meeting October 26, 2017 were approved as published in the September newsletter.

President Vaughn Rockafellow announcements: Acknowledgement and Thanks for this evening's refreshments go out to the men of

the club for their contributions to Guys With Pies! Committee sign-up sheets are available at the front table, so step up and volunteer

Elections will be held later in the meeting, following any additional nominations from the floor; also, what charity to support this year.

Vice President Kirk Peterson raffle items: Vintage Ford CD collection 1966-2000 & a tester, \$25 Amazon gift card & a tester. 12v & 6v light bulbs were ordered were indexed. Per Vern & Larry, file it down and it will work.

Secretary's Report Jessica Lance – No Correspondence to report.

Treasurer Report Marilyn Duncan- reported on the financial health of the club.

Membership- 102 current memberships. 49 members still owe the 2018 dues. Voting Roster has been complied. If interested in paying for a Life Membership for 2018 at \$150 please contact Marilyn before paying annual Dues.

Committee reports were as follows:

NM Car Council- report Dave Merewether – check the emails for upcoming events www.nmcarcouncil.com No meetings in Nov & Dec!

Email- Donna reports all is well and working properly

Historian- Marilyn Duncan, nothing to report.

T 'n Vittles: Linda Riel - there is no breakfast in December so join us on January 13, 2018. For our next breakfast at Cocina Azul located @ 4243 Montgomery NE 8:30 am hosted by Linda Riel

Newsletter: Linda Riel - stay tuned for newsletter updates.

Hospitality: Linda Riel - Sympathy card to JoAn Armstrong on the recent passing of her brother.

Telephone: Linda Riel - reminded members that if someone would like to be called and they are not already on the list to please let her know so that she can add your name and if you are on the list and would rather not be called, then please let her know.

Meeting Refreshments: Linda Riel - There is no meeting in December, so join us on January 25, 2018 where our refreshments are courtesy of President and Vice President.

Librarian- Mark Dominguez, the Tin Lizzie Librarian has many books and other media ready to check out. Job Details similar to a Librarian and check out media, they are housed in a large metal cabinet. ~We have a request to purchase books: Model T Service Book, 1926/27 Service Hand Book, Model T Ford Service Bulletin Essentials. If you have any these please contact Mark D.

Website- Mark Wing/Bill Hansen. Posted to the website: Breakfast at The Range (11-11-17) & work party at Larry's Garage (11-11-17) 2600 total Visitors.

MTFCA - Larry Azevedo, MTFCA flyer was emailed out to all members today, please refer to that flyer. Larry moves that the Tin Lizzies of Albuquerque match dollar for dollar up to a maximum of \$500 every club member donation to the MTFCA museum annex purchase until 12/31/17. Majority agreed, 2 opposed. Club members have donated more than \$500. Marilyn will send in a check to MTFCA.

Work Parties- Larry Azevedo work party at his garage in Corrales on Saturday, November 11th. Very busy work party with projects that included: John Burnett (Socorro, NM) checking his 1926 roadster engine compression and doing a valve job, Dave Merewether correcting an oil leak and an engine knocking sound, Paul and Marilyn Duncan overhauling the front axle bushings on their 1927 pickup truck, Mark Wing working on his 1924 coupe transmission, and Kirk Peterson adjusting his AC brakes on his 1925 coupe "Buster".

Quartermaster Larry Azevedo, all stocked.

Unfinished Business:

Event Reports:

1. Event Reports:

- a. 28 members with 6 cars at The Range on November 11. This was hosted by Donna & Bill Hansen.
- b. Christmas Light parade in Corrales, December 2nd arrive at 4 p.m. at the Azevedo's, we leave at 5 p.m. & parade starts at 5:30 p.m.,. You can leave your car at their house and pick up the next day. Potluck in the barn.
- c. Christmas party/Officer Installation 12-10-2017 at 12:30 p.m.: Sharon Dominguez will handle the sign-up sheet and collect \$10/person for the party. Payment is due by December 2nd. We will decide which charity to support at the November meeting. Some suggestions are: St Felix pantry, Peanut Butter and Jelly, Cuidando Los Niño's.
- d. Marilyn shared that John Burnett and Frank Lewark had their cars in the movie at Wagon Mound and Magdalena.
- e. 17 rooms reserved at the Las Cruces Garden Inn Hilton at 9/25-9/30, call and reserve your room.

New Business:

1. Elections:

President- Kirk Peterson

Vice President- Larry Azevedo

Secretary- Sharon Dominguez

Treasurer- Marilyn Duncan

Board of Directors: Paul Duncan, Dave Ferro, Vern Willan

Nominations from the floor for holiday charity will be split between St Felix and Cuando Los Ninos.

- 2. Car needed for wedding tomorrow night. Details previously e-mailed. \$100.00
- 3. Larry received an email regarding a club to tour to the Big Bend area.
- 4. The MTFCA and Model T Museum is now a recognized charitable organization in Amazon.com Smiles program.

You shop. Amazon gives. It doesn't cost the purchaser anything. Amazon donates 0.5% of your eligible purchases when you shop at AmazonSmiles. Same products, same prices, same service.

Amazon Smile is the same Amazon you know with the added benefit of supporting charitable organizations.

Please share this link with others. Program is good year round but extra great at Christmas! Shop Cyber Monday and you'll help support the MTFCA and the Museum!

- 5. Discussion made to purchase a Stevens tool for right around \$300 for the club to use. Several members want to view the video

Upcoming Events:

Thank you for attending this evening. Thank you for refreshments Guys that brought pies.

Raffle Winners:

CD's & tester – Bob Jackson

\$25 Amazon gift card & tester- Fran Gurule

Meeting is adjourned at 8:29 p.m.

Respectfully submitted Jessica Lance, 2017 Secretary



Do you have a passion for real old cars? Do you like to collect pictures, models, advertisements, parts or just like to talk about old cars? If so, come visit the Horseless Carriage Club of America HCCA - Albuquerque Chapter on the 4th Tuesday of each month 7 pm at Ortega's located @ 3671 Wyoming NE. Call John Hayne 505 294 4434 for more information.



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The Vineyard
6118 Edith Blvd NE @ 7:00 PM

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