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At the VINEYARD CLUB HOUSE

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#### PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Fellow Tin Lizzies,

As you found out at our meeting this past Thursday, we have a few "out of town" tours on our plate so far this year.

First being the National Business Meeting hosted by the DFW Chapter in March. Many of you are planning to attend so the Tin Lizzies will be well represented.

Second will be Portales, NM hosted by our very own Orlando & Melody Ortega in May. Looks like a great weekend has been planned and a good time should be had by all

Thirdly we have Los Alamos in August hosted by Skip & Hedy Dunn.

Now for our local stuff. We have our monthly breakfast at various restaurants hosted by our members @ 8:00 a.m. unless otherwise specified. Rich Ford is coming up on 3/16 (heads up for August in Edgewood as well).

I gotta say, we keep busy and that is a good thing. If anyone has any ideas for a small/quick/impromptu gathering for the Tin Lizzies, put something together or give me a call with your idea.

Thanks.

Dean



#### MODEL T QUICK FACTS

- The 1908 Model T got 20 mpg, and had a top speed of 45 mph
- ◆ The first Model T retailed for \$845, the last about \$290
- In 1914 one Model T rolled off the assembly line every 93 minutes
- ♦ By 1918, Half the cars in America were Model T's
- 1927, Production ended with the 15 millionth Model T
- Model T engines continued to be produced until 1941

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#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### **Tin Lizzie Events**

T'n Vittles February 9 at 8:00 am at Golden Corral on San Mateo north of Montgomery. Hosted by Mark & Susan Wing

February 2, 9:00 - 3:00 Work Party at Azevedo's. Please bring your own lunch.

February 28, Meeting at Vineyard President and Vice President will be hosting

March 16, Rich Ford Lomas and Wyoming wants us to return for their annual car show. Please let Linda know if you can attend.

March 21-24, Chickasha Swap meet in Oklahoma

The Annual MTFCA Business Meeting will be held in Dallas, TX this year March 22-24,2013. See pages 8-9 for registration information

May 16-19, 2013 Tour to Portales and Eastern NM area. Orlando Ortega Tour Director. See pages 10-11 of this newsletter for more details

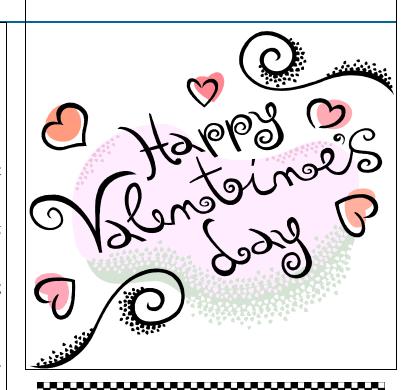
July 4, Annual Corrales Parade and Picnic

August 8-11, Tour to Los Alamos .Skip Dunn coordinator. This coincides with the Los Alamos County Fair. We will participate in a parade, go to the fair and rodeo. Mark your calendars now.

Sept 2013 - State Fair car show

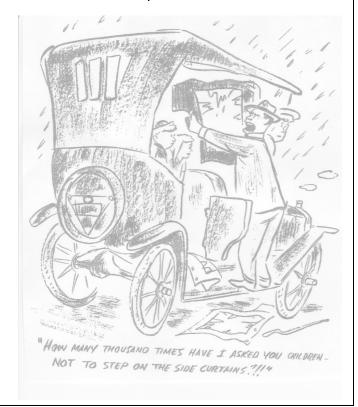
Oct 2013 - Balloon Fiesta car show

Dec 2013 - Corrales parade and Christmas Party



#### MODEL T HUMOR

Contributed by: Clarence Schritter



# Please go to our website for pictures and stories of previous activities.



1926-7 Ignition switch - need not have amp meter or key. Call John Hayne at 294-4434

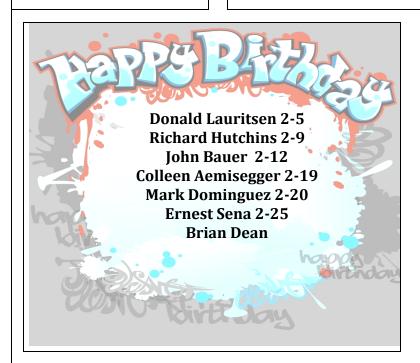


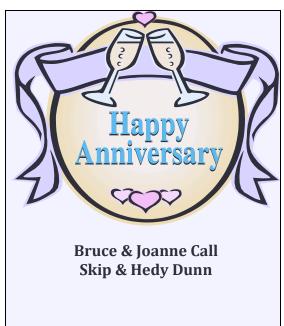
UNDER THE WEATHER

Don Souther is having a procedure done. Keep him in your thoughts.



1919 Ford Model T with Tractor Wheels for farming.





WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS - January 2013 Norma Allen brought in by Betty Housholder Bob Sieglitz brought in by Larry Azevedo



The Tin Lizzies have been invited to Rich Ford in Albuquerque to help them celebrate their anniversary once again. The day set aside for us is Saturday the 16th of March. Please let me know if you are planning on attending their celebration. As a courtesy to them, I would like to provide a car count. RSVP by the 1st of March should you plan on partaking in this. Thanks, Linda 459-5897

T n Vittles 2013					
Date	Hosted By	Place			
2/9/2013	Mark & Susan Wing	Golden Corral @ 5207 San Mateo NE (just north of McLeod)			
3/9/2013	Stan & Janice Gauna	Hot Tamales @ 1520 Rio Rancho Blvd SE in Rio Rancho			
4/13/2013	Tom & Cathy Miles	tba			
5/11/2013					
6/1/2013	Betty Housholder	Vineyard (our meeting place) @ 6118 Edith NE			
7/13/2013	Bernice Young	tba			
8/3/2013					
9/14/2013	Bruce Daniel	Jimmy's Café @ 7007 Jefferson NE (just north of Osuna)			
10/12/2013	Dean & Linda	tba			
11/9/2013	Bob & Robbi Ross	Le Peep on Louisiana			
December	No Breakfast	No Breakfast			

## Meeting Refreshments 2013

Date	Provided By	Provided By
2/28/2013	President	Vice President
3/28/2013	Mark & Susan Wing	Stan & Janice Gauna
4/25/2013	Tom & Cathy Miles	
5/23/2013		
6/27/2013		
7/25/2013		
8/22/2013	Bob & Robbi Ross	Paul & Marilyn Duncan
9/26/2013		
10/24/2013	Dean & Linda	Irene Navarre
11/21/2013	Guys With Pies	Guys With Pies
December	No Meeting	No Meeting

Please take a look at the attached T n Vittles and Meeting Refreshments listing and if you would like to sponsor a breakfast or bring some sort of snack to one of our meetings, give me a call 459 5897 or contact me <a href="mailto:lmrrieldeal@centurylink.net">lmrrieldeal@centurylink.net</a>. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to get a hold of me. Thanks, Linda

#### Tin Lizzies of Albuquerque

#### **Meeting Minutes**

January 24, 2013

The meeting held at the Vineyard Clubhouse was called to order at 7:07 PM by president, Dean Van Doren. The pledge of allegiance was said.

Larry Azevedo introduced the guest speaker for the evening, Bob Sieglitz and his guests, Barbara and Gene Baca. Dean introduced our new members: Norma Allen and Anna Mereweather. The refreshments for the evening were provided by Julie Dilts and Betty Housholder the theme - Mardi Gras.

Dean asked if anyone would take care of bringing the paper goods to the meetings for Sharon and Mark Dominguez. Vaughn Rockafellow volunteered.

Vice President's report – three items for raffle, also a thank you note from United World College.

Secretary's report – the minutes were approved as printed in the December newsletter. Robbi read a note from the Roadrunner Food Bank thanking us for our contribution last year. They were able to raise 626,908 pounds of food for the needy.

Treasurer's report – Julie Dilts will do the audit for 2012. Sharon has written several checks. The biggest was to the MTFCA Museum for \$5709.78 for our engine raffle.

#### Committee Reports

Email – Kirk got an email from Orlando Ortega reminding him that PBS will air the story of Henry Ford on January 29<sup>th</sup>.

Telephone – Let Linda know if you need to be added to her list to call.

Newsletter – Robbi stated she could use some *Technical Items* for the newsletter. Saturday will be the deadline for February's newsletter. Also, if anyone wants to be added to the hard copy mail list, please let her know.

Car Council – John stated they moved the meeting place for the Car Council to the **Old Car Garage** on Girard and Candelaria. The Council meets on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month and anyone is welcome to attend. He will do Car Council this year but will not be our rep next year. The Old Car Garage is also a car museum.

Librarian – Mark stated that books and videos were ready to be checked out.

Program Coordinator - tonight's program was arranged by Larry Azevedo. Marilyn said that she needed ideas for programs.

Historian – Marilyn said that she had talked to Nancy Rodriguez and was getting the Historian books from her. She is also working with Mark on a video of the Parade of Lights.

Quartermaster – Larry said we still have everything with the addition of 4 tables the club now owns.

Webmaster – Mark has updated the website with January's activities including the work parties. We have had 545 hits so far this month.

T N Vittles – Linda said that she has many open spots that need to be filled this year. The breakfast for February 9 has been changed from Le Peep to Golden Corral on San Mateo.

State Fair contact – Vaughn will continue to be our coordinator.

Mark Dominguez reported on the January breakfast at Egg & I. He reported that 32 people had shown up for breakfast, but for the first time ever, no cars due to the cold. We had a good meeting.

#### **Unfinished Business**

Linda Riel reported that she turned in \$510 in November to the Roadrunner Food Bank for our holiday donation.

Tour to Portales in May is hosted by Orlando and Melody Ortega. Robbi talked about the Llano Estacado Spring Tour, May 16-19, 2013. The headquarters will be the Holiday Inn Express in Portales and about 150 miles to drive. Dean announced that Orlando, who works at a TV station, would like to have a TV crew accompany us and produce a documentary for his station. More information to follow.

National Business Meeting will be March 22 through the 24, 2013 in Dallas. Dean asked for a show of hands if you were going. It appears that we will have more than 12 people going.

#### **New Business**

Linda announced that Rich Ford would like to have us back on March 16 from 9-3. They have had lots to eat out there before and we have always had fun. This is the Rich Ford in Albuquerque not Edgewood.

Larry Azevedo announced that there would be a work day this Saturday and February 2. He will be out of town after that.

#### Program

Larry introduced Bob Sieglitz, our guest speaker. Bob drove his 1921 Model T Touring car from Los Angeles, CA to Albuquerque, NM in June of 1937.

We took a break and had red beans & rice, strawberries and beignets.

After break, Dean read the monthly birthday and anniversary lists. We also had a new member, Bob Sieglitz joined during our meeting.

The raffle was held and winners were: Lena Schritter, Robbi Ross and Betty Housholder.

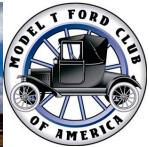
Linda reiterated that she needed volunteers for Tn'Vittles and refreshments. The meeting was adjourned at 8:30.

Respectfully submitted, Robbi Ross, Secretary

### March 22-24, 2013 48th Annual MTFCA Business Meeting







Dallas/Ft. Worth Chapter MTFCA Lone Star T's

Dear Model T Enthusiasts,

Whether this is your first MTFCA business meeting or your first visit to North Texas, the Lone Star T's and the City of Dallas, invite you to join us for the 48th Annual MTFCA Meeting.

Dallas is a very eclectic city with every thing from cowboy boots and hats to gala formal wear. This is a city of Champions with not only the Dallas Cowboys, the Mavericks, and the Rangers, but also the Stars. We have them around every corner. The Cowboy Stadium is one of our tours, which we are all looking forward to, even myself.

We have so many wonderful and exciting plans for all of you upon your arrival. Our committee Chair Pat Ferguson, assisted by Judi Cobb, have put in many long hours on preparing for this meeting. If you have any questions during your visit with us just ask them or any member of the Lone Star T's.

Enjoy your time in Dallas and the MTFCA Annual Meeting. Information is also posted on the web (see below). Please Travel safely.

We look forward to seeing you in March,

# Suzy Page

Suzy Page, President

D/FW Chapter MTFCA, Lone Star T's LST Website: <a href="http://Lone-Star-Ts.com">http://Lone-Star-Ts.com</a>

Annual Meeting Website: <a href="http://Lone-Star-Ts.com/2013-Annual-Meeting/index.htm">http://Lone-Star-Ts.com/2013-Annual-Meeting/index.htm</a>

Conference Questions: Email Judi at <a href="mailto:cobbj1@asme.org">cobbj1@asme.org</a> or call (972) 234-4387



# Model T Ford Club of America 48th Annual Business Meeting • Dallas, Texas March 22-23-24, 2013

Hosted by the DFW Chapter MTFCA (aka Lone Star T's)

#### REGISTRATION FEE

Payment Received by March 2, 2013 ... \$175 / person

Late Registration ... \$195 / person\*

"If you register after March 10<sup>th</sup> please contact the registrar at cobbit@asme.org before mailing. Thank you.

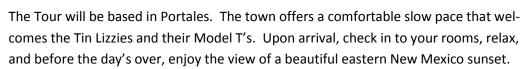
Registration Fee Includes:
Friday night reception, Saturday bus transportation, VIP Tour of the Cowboy's Stadium, Lunch at Traildust, Admission to the Texas Museum of Automotive History, Banquet, Sunday morning business meeting.

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Please select entrée desired at the Saturday night Grilled Filet of Atlantic Salmon French Cut Chicken Breast Pan Roasted Bone-in Pork Chop If you require a special meal (i.e., you are diaberallergy, please indicate that here.	7	Name 1	Name 2			
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# Llano Estacado Spring Tour 2013 May 16-19, 2013

Wide open spaces, long country roads, and big sky touring, that's what eastern New Mexico offers you for your next Model T Tour. Located on the southwestern edge of the High Plains or "Llano Estacado," is a vast area of rich agriculture, ranching, and hidden treasures of history.





On Friday morning, you can enjoy breakfast at the hotel. Then, we'll travel north to the Caprock. This will be a nice drive. Our first stop will be up the road in Clovis for a nice welcome from the friendly crew at Skunk Werks, a restoration shop made up of the local Desert Cruzers car club members. They'll have coffee and donuts waiting for us.

After a brief stop at Shunk Werks, we'll head north and experience the freedom of the open road for the next 35 miles. We drive through the tiny communities of Broadview and Grady. We'll stop in Grady for a welcome from the public school students of the community.

After some question and answer, we travel 10 miles north where we'll tour the Caprock Wind Ranch. We'll be among the giants of wind mills, the 2<sup>nd</sup> largest wind turbine project in New Mexico.

After the Caprock Wind Ranch tour, we'll head back towards home stopping again in Grady for lunch with community members at the Senior Center

After lunch, we pack up and head for the long open sky 58 mile drive back through Clovis and into Portales and to our hotels where we'll rest and prepare for a nice dinner. We'll drive our Model T's to a local restaurant. After dinner we'll head back to our comfy hotels and unwind for the night.

Rise and shine early on Saturday morning as the Tin Lizzies head to breakfast at either the hotel, or down the street to a couple of nearby local breakfast favorites.

After breakfast, we'll meet at the hotel to depart for our first stop of the day, Eastern New Mexico University's Administration Building. Built in 1929 to 1934, this New Deal WPA



project stands above all others as a symbol of our past, present, and future. This will make a nice photo op with our Model T's and maybe a group photo.

Next stop is downtown as we'll wheel around the Roosevelt County Courthouse. Here we'll see another WPA building along with historic monuments that recognize the local history including a bronze statue of Portales' first Mayor and 3<sup>rd</sup> Governor of New Mexico. Another monument also stands recognizing the Portales women who wrote the official salute to the New Mexico flag.

We move along to our next destination, another windmill tour, this time it's going back in time to the famous Dalley Windmill Collection, one of the largest in the U.S.

From there we head out of town to the Blackwater Draw Site, one of the most significant in North American archeology. Blackwater Draw reveals evidence of the earliest occupation of the new world dating back 11,600 years. This site was discovered in the early 1920's. Since then, major institutions including the Carnegie Institute, Smithsonian, Academy of Natural Sciences, National Science Foundation, National Geographic Society, and others either have participated or have funded research at Blackwater Site.

After a quick review of early mammoths, bison, and Clovis points, we'll drive to the Norman Petty Studio where music legends Buddy Holly, Roy Orbison, Fireballs, Waylon Jennings, and others recorded their music. We'll walk back in time to the 1950's and listen to original sound cuts of these famous singers. The studio is exactly the way it was when Buddy Holly recorded there.

Once we say our goodbyes at the Norman Petty studio, we're off to lunch and then to Main Street Clovis to shop Antique stores until you drop! The brick paved Main Street offers several antique shops for all to enjoy.

After the shopping is done, we'll head back to the hotels for some rest and freshening up as we have a wonderful evening of dining waiting ahead.

The night's dinner banquet will be at the Vine's Italian Restaurant located in downtown Portales. This beautiful historic building was the location of Portales's first post office. The early 1900's architecture offers diners a feel of what the community was like in the early days. The evening's menu is especially prepared for our event. The selections offer a variety of wonderful dining not exclusive to Italian cuisine. We'll enjoy a wonderful evening of good food, drinks, and relaxation.

For those who would like an after dinner drink, we can walk a few steps over to The Roosevelt, a local brew house for a cold pint of their special brew or a glass of wine. The Roosevelt has a historic ambiance as well. Their motto is "Drink Local, Support Freedom."

After an evening out on the town, we head back to our hotels for a night of rest.

The next morning is open; get around at whatever time you fancy, breakfast at the hotel or nearby cafes. Pack, load up, and head to our respective homes. Until we meet again, safe travels!

Tour Director - Orlando Ortega . Orlando and Melody work and live in Portales.

If you have questions, please direct them to tour coordinator Robbi Ross 293-1676 then I'll relay them to Orlando Thank you

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Thanks for reading!

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7:00 PM on the

4th Thursday

of each month,

Jan thru Oct. The 3rd Thursday in Nov and a special event for Dec. Visitors are always welcome!

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