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Note: The Sooner Model A Club has a new phone number. Call 1-405-440-3451 to leave a message for one of our Directors.

Greetings to all

Welcome to our second meeting of the year. I want to remind everyone of the goal I announced at the January meeting for us all to try and project a more welcoming and friendlier atmosphere to any new or newer member as well as any visitor that might be present. Any or all visitors will be recognized but make an effort to welcome anyone you are not familiar with. This should always be our goal to become a friendlier club. Engage in friendly conversation with any and all members.

I want to encourage everyone to try and make the meeting February 13th, weather permitting. You will be updated on the upcoming inspection day and the latest developments concerning the spring tour to Hutchinson, Kansas.

I wish everyone to stay healthy, warm and safe. I look forward to seeing all of you at the meeting.

Bill B. Harris Club President

2022 Family Membership Dues are now due. Please complete the registration form and send it with the \$20.00 annual dues to the Sooner Model A Club. Name tags are now available. If you do not have your name tag yet, please pick it up at the club meeting.

2022 MONTHLY MEETING ATTENDANCE

Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June
28					
Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	



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February Meeting

Sunday February 13, 2022 2:30 pm

Will Rogers Garden Center

3400 NW 36th St Oklahoma City OK

2022 Officers, Directors, Committees

President: Bill Harris

Vice-President: Brad Yarbrough

Secretary: Laurie Morris

Treasurer: Editor:

Web Master: Will Langford

Directors

Joel Sheldon Jon Adams

Committees

Refreshments: Dan Morris Membership: Mike Campbell Sunshine: Kaye Sage

Merchandise: Vonnie Meritt &

K Lee Meritt Activities: Demonstrations:

2022 ACTIVITIES AT A GLANCE

(Subject to Change)
"Let the good times roll in your Model A"

Sooner Model A Club 2022 Activities

Apr 23

Apr 28-30

February 2022	
Feb 1 6:30pm	Board Meeting – Harris Garage, 6718 NW 50 th St, Bethany
Feb 5	Coffee and Cars, Oklahoma City - Chisholm Creek, 13230 Pawnee Dr
Feb 12	Coffee and Cars, Norman - Crest Foods, 1421 24th Ave NW
Feb 13 2:30pm	Club Meeting - Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36 th St, OKC
	Refreshments by: Kaye Sage, Pat & Nolen Morgan, Marilyn Mitchell
Feb 19 9:00am	Breakfast at Heathers Café, 2501 Exchange Ave, Stockyards
11:00am	First American Museum, 659 First Americans Blvd, Oklahoma City
Feb 26	Model A Inspection Day - Harris Garage, 6718 NW 50th St, Bethany
March 2022	
Mar 1 6:30pm	Board Meeting – Harris Garage, 6718 NW 50 th St, Bethany
Mar 5	Coffee and Cars, Oklahoma City - Chisholm Creek, 13230 Pawnee Dr
Mar 12	Coffee and Cars, Norman - Crest Foods, 1421 24th Ave NW
Mar 12	St. Patrick's Parade - Stockyards City
9:00 am	Line-up: Exchange Ave, east of Pennsylvania
10:00 am	Parade begins
Mar 13 2:30pm	Club Meeting - Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36 th St, OKC
1	Refreshments by: Carolyn Yarbrough, Carla Newton
Mar 18-19	Chickasha Swap Meet – Grady County Fairgrounds, Chickasha
Mar 19	St Patricks Day Parade – Bricktown Ballpark (date unconfirmed)
Mar 24-27	Spring Tour – Hutchinson, Kansas (Joint tour with Tulsa Model A Club)
	See page 7 for the registration form.
April 2022	
April 2022 Apr 2	Coffee and Cars, Oklahoma City - Chisholm Creek, 13230 Pawnee Dr
Apr 5 6:30pm	Board Meeting – Harris Garage, 6718 NW 50 th St, Bethany
Apr 9	Coffee and Cars, Norman - Crest Foods, 1421 24th Ave NW
Apr 10 2:30pm	Club Meeting - Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36 th St, OKC
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Refreshments by Jerry Havill, Trevor Kelley

Lunch at Sam's Southern Eatery, 1202 S Division, Guthrie

Pate Swap Meet, Texas Motor Speedway, Fort Worth TX

89er Day Parade – Guthrie, Theme: Marshals & Lawmen of the Frontier

	2022 ACTIVITIES AT A GLANCE (continued)
May 3 6:30pm	Board Meeting – Harris Garage, 6718 NW 50 th St, Bethany
May 7	Coffee and Cars, Oklahoma City - Chisholm Creek, 13230 Pawnee Dr
May 8	Mothers Day; No Club Meeting today
May 14	Model A drive to Meers – Lunch at Meers Store & Restaurant, SH 115
May 14	Coffee and Cars, Norman - Crest Foods, 1421 24th Ave NW
May 21	Coffee and Cars, Yukon - Stone Mill Plaza, 2121 S Yukon Parkway
Jun 2-7	Midwest Regional Meet – Olathe, KS, Hosts: Plain Ol A's
Jun 4	Coffee and Cars, Oklahoma City - Chisholm Creek, 13230 Pawnee Dr
Jun 7 6:30pm	Board Meeting – Harris Garage, 6718 NW 50 th St, Bethany
Jun 11	Coffee and Cars, Norman - Crest Foods, 1421 24th Ave NW
Jun 12 2:30pm	Club Meeting - Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36 th St, OKC
Jun 12-17	MAFCA National Convention – Kerrville TX, Hosts: Alamo A's
Jun 18	Coffee and Cars, Yukon - Stone Mill Plaza, 2121 S Yukon Parkway
Jun 25	Lunch & Poker Run w/V8 Club – Ripper Park, 7800 NW 30 th , Bethany
Jul 2	Coffee and Cars, Oklahoma City - Chisholm Creek, 13230 Pawnee Dr
Jul 4	Independence Day Parade - Edmond
Jul 4	Independence Day Parade - Bethany
Jul 4	Picnic at Powell home after parades, 7801 NW 38th St, 405-789-5455
Jul 5 6:30pm	Board Meeting – Harris Garage, 6718 NW 50 th St, Bethany
Jul 9	Coffee and Cars, Norman - Crest Foods, 1421 24th Ave NW
Jul 10 2:30pm	Club Meeting - Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36th St, OKC
Jul 16 2.3 opin	Coffee and Cars, Yukon - Stone Mill Plaza, 2121 S Yukon Parkway
Aug 2 6:30pm	Board Meeting – Harris Garage, 6718 NW 50 th St, Bethany
Aug 6	Coffee and Cars, Oklahoma City - Chisholm Creek, 13230 Pawnee Dr
Aug 13	Coffee and Cars, Norman - Crest Foods, 1421 24th Ave NW
Aug 14 2:30pm	Club Meeting - Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36th St, OK
Aug 20	Coffee and Cars, Yukon - Stone Mill Plaza, 2121 S Yukon Parkway
Aug 28	Incredible Pizza – 5833 NW Expressway, OKC
Sep 3	Coffee and Cars, Oklahoma City - Chisholm Creek, 13230 Pawnee Dr
Sep 6 6:30pm	Board Meeting – Harris Garage, 6718 NW 50 th St, Bethany
Sep 10	Western Days Parade – Mustang
Sep 10	Coffee and Cars, Norman - Crest Foods, 1421 24th Ave NW
Sep 11 2:30pm	Club Meeting - Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36 th St, OKC
Sep 11	International Model A Day – Drive your Model A to participate
Sep 17	Coffee and Cars, Yukon - Stone Mill Plaza, 2121 S Yukon Parkway
Sep 24 or 25	Lunch – Rock Café, 114 W Main St, Stroud
Oct 1	Coffee and Cars, Oklahoma City - Chisholm Creek, 13230 Pawnee Dr
Oct 1	Czech Parade & Festival – Yukon
Oct 4 6:30pm	Board Meeting – Harris Garage, 6718 NW 50 th St, Bethany
Oct 8	Coffee and Cars, Norman - Crest Foods, 1421 24th Ave NW
Oct 9 2:30pm	Club Meeting - Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36 th St, OKC
Oct 15	Coffee and Cars, Yukon - Stone Mill Plaza, 2121 S Yukon Parkway
Oct 29	Eischens Chicken – 109 S 2 nd St, Okarche
Nov 1 6:30pm	Board Meeting – Harris Garage, 6718 NW 50 th St, Bethany
Nov 5	Coffee and Cars, Oklahoma City - Chisholm Creek, 13230 Pawnee Dr
Nov 12	Coffee and Cars, Norman - Crest Foods, 1421 24th Ave NW
Nov 12 9:30am	Veterans Day Parade - Blanchard, lineup at 10 th & Main
Nov 12 3.3 dain	Lunch after Parade – Location and time TBD
Nov 13 2:30pm	Club Meeting – Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36 th St, OKC
Dec 3	Coffee and Cars, Oklahoma City - Chisholm Creek, 13230 Pawnee Dr
Dec 3	Stockyards Christmas Parade – lineup on Exchange Ave east of Penn
Dec 5-8	MAFCA National Awards Banquet - Golden, Colorado
Dec 6 6:30 pm	Joint Meeting of 2022 Board and 2023 Board, location TBD
Dec 10	Coffee and Cars, Norman - Crest Foods, 1421 24th Ave NW
Dec 16 6:30 pm	Christmas Party – Location TBD
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SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

Carolyn Yarbrough and Joel Sheldon's mother are recovering from Covid. Sheryl Hoyle had an emergency hospital visit. Our thoughts and prayers are with the Yarbrough, Sheldon, and Hoyle families, and also with anyone else we know of who is in need of healing.

Please let Kaye Sage know if you are aware of a member who is ill. We would like to send a card and let them know we are thinking of them. Kaye can be reached at 405-684-1564 or email at sage_LK1@cox.net

February 2022 Birthdays

4 - Ken Corder	6 - Kent Depe	7 - Gerry Swain
11 - Peter Usiukiewicz	12 - Jose Irizarry	13 - Pam Williams
15 - Ralph Baker	15 - William Crouch	17 - Mike Gore

19 - Eva Huey 21 - Mike McClendon 22 - Don Mitchell

24 - Claude Blackwell 28 - Barbara Hill 28 - Cliffa Karnes

28 - Chuck Ramsey

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February 2022 Anniversaries

10 - Dan & Janet Miller

28 - Gary & JoAnn Clonts

Quotations of Henry Ford

"The gifted man bears his gifts into the world, not for his own benefit, but for the people among whom he is placed; for the gifts are not his, but he himself is a gift to the community. This is the way Life gives gifts to the people; it wraps them up in men, and sends them forth."

Ref: Quotations of Henry Ford, Page 17, APPLEWOOD BOOKS Bedford, Massachusetts

STOCKYARDS CITY ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE March 12, 2022

1307 S Agnew Ave, Oklahoma City OK 405-235-7267 Model A's will lineup on Exchange Ave, East of Pennsylvania Ave Lineup is at 9:00 am, Parade begins at 10:00 am

Stockyards City Main Street invites you to attend the St. Patrick's Day Parade in Historic Stockyards City. This family-friendly parade kicks off at 10am with the famous Chain Ranch Longhorns being herded down Exchange Avenue. Marching bands, bagpipes, antique cars, tractors, community groups, equestrian clubs and Stockyard City's own leprechaun round out this fun event. Shop unique, locally owned stores and enjoy an excellent array of restaurants and watering holes. Food trucks and street performers will be on-site throughout the day, so plan on staying a while.

GUTHRIE 89ER DAY PARADE April 23, 2022

2022 Parade Theme:

MARSHALS AND LAWMEN
OF THE FRONTIER



MIDWEST REGIONAL MEET JUNE 2-7, 2022 OLATHE, KANSAS MAFCA NATIONAL CONVENTION JUNE 12-17, 2022 KERRVILLE, TEXAS



Midwest Regional Meet
Hosted by: Plain Ol A's
Host Hotel: Embassy Suites, Olathe
Information & Registration available here



MAFCA National Convention
Hosted by: Alamo A's
Host Hotel: Y/O Ranch, Kerrville
Information & Registration available here

2021 HIGH MILEAGE RECIPIENTS

1st Place:Greg & Sheryl Hoyle15,018 miles2nd Place:Rocky & Mary Jane Simmons10,870 miles3rd Place:Bill & Sue Harris9,340 miles

2021 10,000 MILE RECIPIENTS

Greg & Sheryl Hoyle Rocky & Mary Jane Simmons

2021 5,000 MILE RECIPIENTS

Greg & Sheryl Hoyle Rocky & Mary Jane Simmons Bill & Sue Harris

2021 1,000 MILE PATCH RECIPIENTS

Joel & Joni Sheldon Chuck & Karen Dusenbery Don & Marilyn Mitchell Jim & Vicky Yates Joe & Helene Astafan Carla Newton Jerry & Virginia Havill Trevor & Miranda Kelley Richard Robinson Robert & Linda Stine Jim & Pam Williams James Allison

Registration

2022 Spring Tour to HUTCHINSON, KANSAS Thursday March 24, 2022 – Sunday March 27, 2022

Name(s):
Model A or Modern Car? (Circle one) Cell Phone:
Make your hotel reservation at Hutchinson Holiday Inn Express – (620) 259-8656 - \$96.00 plus tax per night. Hutchinson Holiday Inn Express, 911 Porter St, Hutchinson, Kansas. Thursday, Friday and Saturday Night - To get discount rate; state" SMA". Rate available only to February. 24, 2022
Friday, 25 March.
Do you plan to go to the Kansas Underground Salt Museum; Yes No? Adults - Total # X \$18 =, Senior (60 Plus) - Total # X \$16 =, Child (4-12) - Total # X \$12 =, to be collected with registration. NOTE: Children under the age of 4 are not allowed in the mine. Total \$
PM: For lunch, drive to Carriage Crossing Restaurant, 10002 S Yoder Rd, Yoder, KS. After lunch, visit the many shops in Yoder before you return to Hutchinson.
Saturday, 26 March.
Do you plan to go to the Hutchinson Space Museum; Yes No? A fee of \$22.00 per person includes entry into the museum, a Guided Tour of the museum, a documentary show, a planetarium show & Dr. Goddard's Lab show. The fee of \$22.00 per person will be collected with the registration. The length of the tour will be about 4 hours. The cafeteria in the museum will be open for lunch. Total is: # X \$22.00 = \$ PM: Antique shopping and dinner on your own. Wrap up meeting in the hotel at 7PM. Many wonderful gifts provided by the Sooner Model A Club during the meeting.
<u>Total for Salt Mine & Space Museum = \$</u>
Sunday, 27 March.
Depart for HOME. Drive safe. Thank you for a great tour.
To get an accurate count, please complete the registration form no later than <u>Thursday, March 10, 2022</u> . You must return the registration form to be eligible for any of the wonderful door prizes.
Please return registration form to: Sooner Model A Club, PO Box 83192, Oklahoma City, OK 73148
Any Questions, contact; Don Mitchell (405) 830-2932 donmitchell1396@cox.net
NOTE: Please include the correct amount explained above for EACH person on your registration. Make your check out to SOONER MODEL A CLUB.

MODEL A ARCHIVE CHANNEL ON YOUTUBE



If you haven't already stumbled onto the 1927-1931 movie clips on YouTube's "Model A Archive Channel", you are missing some very interesting short films. When you have time, check it out by clicking here.



MODEL A ADVERTISING

Ford advertised in many magazines during the Model A era. The Model A Archive channel on YouTube has a video you might enjoy.

Click here to view.

For Sale! 1931 Model A Pickup. Call Virjean Ogle at 405-640-5993.

For Sale! 1929 4 door Briggs Deluxe. Call Tom Marcotte, Cell 405-684-7248, Home 405-895-7445

For Sale! 1929 Ford Model A 2-door, painted in OSU colors. Call Brittany Hukill 405-542-7606 or email bkhukill@gmail.com for additional information.

For Sale! 1930 Deluxe Roadster, restored with whitewalls and fender mount spares, near original. Call 405-372-9103 for pricing.

For Sale! 1931 Roadster; Restored six or seven years ago and driven only 200 miles since restoration. Washington blue, black fenders, white walls, dual side mounts, LB interior, top and rumble seat motor overhauled. Located in Mena, Arkansas. \$20,000 asking price is negotiable. Contact Phil, 405-210-5198.





Jim's Tech Tip

Trailer Incidents

I have a car hauler trailer that comes in handy for some events far from home. I keep it in a storage yard away from the house.

There was an "incident" in the storage yard a few months ago and no one on the scene had any contact information to call me about it. I learned about it several weeks after the fact.

After that happened, I made up a weatherproof sticker with my phone number and name on it and attached it to the trailer.

After doing this, I have been thinking that this information would also be helpful any time I park the trailer somewhere while we are off driving the Model A at an event.

This might help you avoid a big hassle with your trailer. (We can hope.)

Have a Model A Day! Jim



PAJAMAS

By Lois Przywitowski

"Because they have grace and chic --- because they are equally practical and comfortable -pajamas are the outstanding and best-beloved of all fashions. The little girl, the dignified
hostess and her youthful guests . . . all attire themselves smartly for almost every occasion in
these smart new designs." Pictorial Review, June 1931

Pajamas have a long history in clothing. According to Wikipedia the original pajama was worn by both sexes in South and West Asia. It was known as paijama, a "loose, lightweight trouser fitted with drawstring waistband." The word pyjama or pajama derives from the Persian word payjameh.

The British adopted the pajama during the period of their expansion, adding a top and jacket. By the Model A era, the pajama was worn for beach wear, sporting activities, entertaining at home, and dancing, as well as sleeping and lounging.

The following images show the many styles and uses of the pajama.



These smart two-piece pajamas could be purchased with or without the Coolie Coat. Both the pajamas and the coat were made from knitted Rayon Jersey, hand-painted and guaranteed washable.

The pajama top is a contrasting color slipover with matching trouser trim at the neckline, arm holes and lower edge.

The trouser legs have contrasting trim to match the top.

The Coolie Coat features contrasting color trim around the sleeves and the entire coat.

As a set, it makes a lovely negligee or lounging ensemble.

National Bellas Hess, F/W 1928-29

PAJAMAS



This formal pajama, just right for entertaining, features a contrasting bell-sleeved jacket.

Pictorial Review, June 1931, Pattern Number 5668

Straight from Paris, this graceful, floral, print pajama is perfect for formal evening wear and dancing. Designed for sizes 14 to 42, size 16 requires 5 3/8 yards of 39inch print.

Pictorial Review, June 1931, Pattern Number 5668

This formal pajama ensemble is just right for entertaining. The pajama is set off by a sheer bell-sleeved wrap. The graceful hemline of the wrap begins above the knee and tapers beyond floor-length. Designed for sizes 14 to 42, size 16 requires 4 7/8 yards of 39-inch material and 5 3/8 yards of sheer fabric for the wrap.

Pictorial Review, June 1931, Pattern Number 5479



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See the complete article on the MAFCA website; click here

JANUARY CLUB MEETING

by Editor

The hot topic at the January club meeting was the Model A Inspection Day at the Harris Garage. It was originally scheduled for January 29th, but has been rescheduled to February 26th. There was a lot of discussion at the meeting about what to expect for your vehicle, and it sounds like it is going to be very organized. Ray Callan brought in a wheel (picture below) from his vehicle for an informal show and tell. Refreshments were plentiful, and Bill passed around a refreshment signup list for future meetings. The registration forms for the Spring Tour were also passed around. Bill said we were going to have more cars from the Sooner Club than from the Tulsa Club. Those of us who had been on the tours before chuckled about that because we know that Tulsa always outnumbers us, but we hope that everyone can attend, regardless of which club is home for them. If there are any of those doubts about whether the A will make the trip, its perfectly okay to drive the modern car. Many of us have done it. We want to enjoy touring with the cars, but really, if you think about it, the relationships that we have are with the people, and not necessarily the cars.

Bill recognized and thanked the 2021 Board Members. There was an appreciative round of applause for Chuck and Don, our superb unofficial tour planners. Some of us have had small glimpses of all the effort that is necessary for successful trip planning, all the repetitive followup phone calls to verify and re-verify all the details for everything, the repeated travel over the roads to make sure the directions are correct, making sure that we have places to stop for gas and lunch, looking for the best places to have our lodging and dinners, searching for the easiest path for us, and the exhilarating pursuit of all the companies and organizations that are kind enough to donate our goodies for the goody bags.

Don was the winner of the door prize. Will had a computer presentation with the Sooner Model A Club Facebook page and showed us how to update our personal information in preparation for the new directory on the Sooner Model A Club website. There was also a place on the website to add mileage, which we use to prepare for the 1,000 mile challenge awards. Ken Corder was recognized as the special guest and newest member. Ken is originally from the Okie A's Club. We were sad to hear that the Okie A's closed down, but we are very happy that Ken has joined us. Ken is also a photographer, with camera ready for action.



Ray Callan, with a refurbished wheel from his Model A.

COFFEE AND CARS

Coffee and Cars started as a client appreciation event and has grown to be the largest monthly gathering of car enthusiasts across the great state of Oklahoma!

All makes, models, cars, trucks, and bikes, etc. are welcome.

Oklahoma City:

Coffee and Cars
Oklahoma City
1st Saturday of Each
Month
8am-11am
Chisholm Creek
Western and Memorial
(Cross Street)
13230 Pawnee Drive
Oklahoma City, OK
73114



Yukon:

Coffee and Cars Yukon (AKA Yukon Nights Cruise In) 3rd Saturday of Each Month 6pm-9pm Plaza at Stone Mill 2121 S. Yukon Parkway Yukon, OK 73099



Norman:

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RENEWAL

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SOONER MODEL A CLUB P.O. BOX 83192 OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73148

The **SOONER MODEL A CLUB** is a non-profit organization affiliated with the Model A Ford Club of America. All correspondence for the club should be sent to the address above.

General Meetings are held on the second Sunday of the months of January thru November, except May. Meetings commence at 2:30 p.m. and are held at Will Rogers Garden Center at 3400 N.W. 36th Street in Oklahoma City. All members are welcome to attend the club's Board Meetings, which are held on the first Tuesday of each month at a location designated by the President and advertised in the Scuttlebutt. Membership dues are \$20.00 per year.

Dues can also be paid on PayPal, at soonermodela.org/paypal.htm.

The primary requirement for membership shall be an interest in the objectives of the organization and a desire to participate in its activities. Actual possession of a Model A Ford is not a necessity. A member must be of good character as to be of benefit to the club, its functions and activities. An active member must be a member of the Model A Ford Club of America (MAFCA). MAFCA dues are \$50.00 per year.