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Facebook Sooner Model A Club



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**There is not a meeting
scheduled at the
Will Rogers
Garden Center
in September**

**Activities are listed
on Page 2**

Dear Sooner Model A Club members,

There is not a scheduled club meeting at the Will Rogers Garden Center in September. Chuck has been meeting with the Scheduling Department at the Garden Center to determine the best opportunities for us to have our monthly meetings next year. There will be more information about what our meeting schedule will be for 2026 in the October Scuttlebutt.

Although we do not have a club meeting in September, we are still enjoying some great activities. The Western Days parade had very good weather and there were a lots of people there to celebrate.

Don Mitchell arranged a great tour to celebrate International Model A Day. Eight Model A's met at the Land Run Statues in Bricktown and drove to the Firemen's Museum, then we had lunch at Bedlam Barbeque, and then we drove to the Railroad Museum. We're not sure how Don was able to arrange the great weather, but we appreciate everything that Don does for the club.

In MAFCA news, Kerry and Wanda Steffens have received a pin for 30 years of membership, and Ralph & Connie Hudson have received a 40 year membership pin. Congratulations to Kerry and Wanda for 30 years, and congratulations to Ralph and Connie for 40 years. MAFCA is a wonderful organization and very supportive of the local chapters in the preservation and enjoyment of Model A's.

We are looking forward to seeing you soon, somewhere along the Model A road.

Phil Wolfenbarger, President

There is not a scheduled meeting in September
at the Will Rogers Garden Center.

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405-613-1430

Refreshments: Judy & Terry Joy
405-653-2505

ACTIVITIES AT A GLANCE

(Subject to Change)

“Let the good times roll in your Model A”

September 2025

We do not have a scheduled Club Meeting at the Will Rogers Garden Center in September. Instead, we have a driving and sightseeing and eating activity on September 13th to celebrate International Model A Ford Day.

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| 2 | 6:30pm | Board Meeting - Johnnies, 2652 W. Britton Rd, OKC (east of May Ave) |
| 6 | 10:00am | Western Days Parade, Mustang
Line-Up 8:30 at Hwy 152 & Clear Springs Rd, Mustang |
| 13 | 10:00am | International Model A Ford Day – Statues, Museums, and Barbeque
Meet at 10am at the Land Run Statues behind the Bass Pro shop in Bricktown
Oklahoma Land Run Monument, Southeast of Bass Pro Shop parking lot
See page 3 for details. |
| 27 | 10:00am | The Gardens at Quail Springs – 14300 Portland Ave, OKC
We have been invited to drive our Model A’s over for the enjoyment of the residents of the Assisted Living facility, and lunch will be provided. |

October 2025

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| 4 | 10:00am | Czech Festival Parade - Yukon |
| 7 | 6:30pm | Board Meeting - Johnnies, 2652 W. Britton Rd, OKC (east of May Ave) |
| 16 - 19 | | Fall Tour - Norman area , see pages 8-15 for details. Please complete page 8, the registration form, and send to Don Mitchell by October 1st. |
| 19 | 2:00pm | Club Meeting - Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36th St, OKC
Refreshments will be provided by club members. |
| 24 - 26 | | 67th Annual Autumn Trails Tour - Winnsboro, TX, See page 4 for details. |

November 2025

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| 4 | 6:30pm | Board Meeting - Johnnies, 2652 W. Britton Rd, OKC (east of May Ave) |
| 8 | 9:30am | Veterans Day Parade - Blanchard’ line-up at 9:30, parade at 10:30 |
| 16 | 2:00pm | Club Meeting - Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36th St, OKC
Refreshments will be provided by club members. |

Every Monday morning, club members meet at **6:30am** for **breakfast at McDonalds**, NW 39 & Portland, 3722 NW 39th Street. Everyone is invited and the discussion ranges from repairing your car to what the weather is going to be for the next scheduled event. Please stop by and add your two cents. No charge for opinions.

FUTURE EVENTS

December 6, 2025: Cowboy Christmas Parade, Stockyards City

December 14, 2025: Christmas Party, Will Rogers Garden Center

2026 News of Future Events

The monthly meeting schedule for 2026 will be available next month, in the October issue. Stay tuned.

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- 10 - Cathy Wicks
- 18 - Jan Marks
- 22 - Betty Hill
- 29 - Ralph Hudson

SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

- 03 - Jim & Gayle Keene
- 21 - Ralph & Connie Hudson

2025 Meetings scheduled at Will Rogers Garden Center, 3400 NW 36th St, OKC

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|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------|
| January 19, 2:00pm | July 20, 2:00pm | December 14, 2:00pm – Christmas Party |
| February 16, 2:00pm | August 17, 2:00pm | Will Rogers Garden Center, |
| March 16, 2:00pm | October 19, 2:00pm | 3400 NW 36th St, OKC |
| May 18, 2:00pm | November 16, 2:00pm | |

2025 MODEL A DAY
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2025

1. Meet at 10 AM at the Land Run Statues behind the Bass Pro shop in Bricktown. Leave by 10:30 AM.
2. Drive north on Lincoln Blvd, then turn East on 36th Street to MLK Blvd. Travel North to Remington PKW, turn East to the Fireman Museum at 2716 NE 50th ST, OKC. Tickets are \$5 to \$6. Leave by 1:00 PM.
3. Return to MLK Blvd, turn South to 50th Street and turn West to Bedlam BBQ at 610 NE 50th St. (Almost to Lincoln Blvd). Lunch here. Everyone pays for themselves.
4. After lunch, go South on Lincoln Blvd to 36th Street, turn East to the Rail Road Museum at 3400 NE Grand Blvd. Free.
5. Have a safe trip home




67th Annual Autumn Trails Tour

October 23-26, 2025

Winnsboro, Texas

Thursday, Oct. 23, 1:00 pm
Registration for Trade Day and Swap Meet at City Park

Friday, Oct. 24 - Sunday, Oct. 26
8:00 am - 5:00 pm Trades Day and Swap Meet at City Park

Saturday, Oct. 25, 10:30 am
Antique Cars Grand Entry Parade

All day in downtown Winnsboro – Merchant and Vendor Sidewalk Sales
Arts & Craft Show, Downtown Winnsboro

Saturday, October 25, 5:00 pm
BBQ Dinner and Awards Presentations 5:30 pm
Doors open at 5:00 pm
Door Prizes

Sunday, Oct. 26, 9:00 am
Antique Car Tour Leaves the Trails Country Motel

For further information, call:
903-850-4303 (Autumn Trails Model A's)

Autumn Trails Association
1310 CR 4186
Quitman, Texas 75783
vcclark@peoplescom.net



SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

Helene Astafan, Judy Joy, Kaye Sage, and Cliff Wicks are having some health issues.

Please pray for Helene, Judy, Kaye, and Cliff.

Please also pray for all who are affected by the flooding in Texas and all the volunteers.

Please also pray for all who were affected by the recent storms, and for the volunteers who are helping with the recovery from the tornados, flooding and other storms.

Please also pray for those of us who are battling cancer and other serious diseases, and for anyone else we know of who is in need of healing.

Please let Helene 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.

Helene can be reached at yoanniern@aol.com.

FLASHBACK PICTURE OF SEPTEMBER 2022
Western Days Parade, Mustang



1930 Town Sedan of Ken Corder

Picture was taken at the 2023 Veterans Day Parade in Blanchard
Picture by Chuck Dusenbery



WELCOME TO NEW CLUB MEMBERS IN 2025

Gunner & Brandi Baker, Norman
Randy & Deana Clonts, Piedmont
Harold & Ronnie Cantrell, Eufaula
Jim & Diana Barnhart, Oklahoma City

Welcome to the Sooner Model A Club.
We are looking forward to seeing you at some of our activities.

2026 Board Member Nominations

Since we are not having a regularly scheduled September club meeting, at which we usually nominate board members for the following year, we will do so at the October Club Meeting on October 19th. The Nominating Committee is composed of Phil Wolfenbarger, Chuck Dusenbery, and Don Mitchell.

As the nominating committee, it will be their responsibility to recommend the nominees of the board for 2026, and the names will be presented at the October club meeting. The offices to be filled are those of President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, Editor, Webmaster, and two Directors. If you would like to be considered for one of these positions, please contact Phil.

At the October club meeting, the nominating committee will announce the nominees for the offices to be filled. The President will open the meeting up for nominations from the floor for all positions. If there are no nominations from the floor, these officers and directors will be elected by the membership by acclamation.

We look forward to seeing you at the meeting. The Sooner Model A Club originally met as the Oklahoma City Model A Club in 1960. In 1967, we became a charter member of the Model A Ford Club of America under our current name. We are members who enjoy the exchange of ideas and the sharing of technical support, in our efforts to restore and preserve the Model A Ford. The primary requirement for membership is an interest in the objectives of the Sooner Model A Club and a desire to participate in its activities. Actual possession of a Model A Ford is not a necessity, and the task of driving the Model A Ford is not a requirement.

Board Member Nominees
The Nominating Committee nominates the
following candidates for 2026:

2026 OFFICERS

PRESIDENT:	Phil Wolfenbarger
VICE-PRESIDENT:	Gayle Keene
SECRETARY:	Lois Phillips
TREASURER:	Chuck Dusenbery
EDITOR:	Karen Dusenbery
WEBMASTER:	Jim Yates
DIRECTOR:	Joe Astafan
DIRECTOR:	Steve Davis

**SOONER MODEL A Fall Tour Registration
October 16, 2025 – October 19, 2025**

Name(s): _____

Model A or Modern Car? (Circle One) Cell Phone: _____

Make your hotel reservation: Courtyard by Marriott, 770 Copperfield Drive, Norman OK
Rate \$99.00 + Tax per night. E-Coupons are issued for 2 people for breakfast at Bistro.

Friday, October 17. Sam Noble Museum of Natural History.

Military Veterans enter free. Entry fee for all others is \$12.00. (Seniors \$10.00) Pay at the door.

They accept Cash, Credit cards and Checks.

National Weather Center

Lunch is on your own in the weather center.

The free guided tour of the weather center starts after lunch.

Dinner on your own.

Saturday, October 18.

Fred Jones Museum of Art

Military Veterans including 4 guests can enter free. The entry fee for all others is \$13.05.

They will only accept credit cards for payments.

Kendall's Restaurant Noble OK

Casual, Cash Only restaurant.

Sunday, October 19. Have a safe trip home. Thank you.

For us to get an accurate count, please complete the registration form no later than October 1, 2025. Please return the registration form to: Don Mitchell, 512 Ridge Rd, Edmond, OK 73034

Any Questions, contact: Chuck Dusenbery (405) 613-3901 OR Don Mitchell (405) 830-2932
cdusenbery50@yahoo.com donmitchell1396@cox.net

NOTE: We will not collect fees before the tours. Each person will be responsible for paying at the door of the museums.



Fall Tour: October 16-19, 2025

Lodging at Courtyard by Marriott, 770 Copperfield Dr, Norman OK 73072

Courtyard by Marriott welcomes Sooner Model A Club. The available rooms are a Queen Room with 2 queen-size beds, or a King Room with a king-size bed and a sofa sleeper.

Breakfast is included in the rate of \$99.00 per night, plus taxes and fees.

Parking fees and WIFI are complimentary.

Call for Reservations by September 29th 405-701-8900, Option 0

(2 Queen beds -or- 1 King bed & Sleeper Sofa)

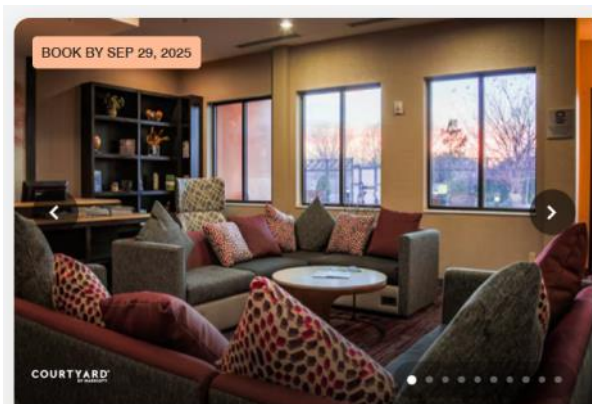
OR: Reserve Online at the Online Reservation Page:

<https://www.marriott.com/event-reservations/reservation-link.mi?id=1747935904748&key=GRP&guestreslink2=true&app=resvlink>

Reservations after September 29th will be based on availability. Hotel Cancellation Policy currently requires 48-hour notice (subject to change) and cancellations after the deadline of September 29th may be subject to a cancellation fee of one night's room and tax charges.

The Marriott looks forward to welcoming you to Norman.

Reservations can be made through the online link or by calling the hotel to request the group rate code (Sooner Model A Club) at 405-701-8900, Option "0"



FALL TOUR, NORMAN OK

October 16 – 19, 2025

Thursday October 16

Courtyard by Marriott, 770 Copperfield Drive, Norman OK.

Rate \$99.00 + tax per night – E-Coupons issued for 2 people for breakfast at Bistro.

E-Coupons are for ONE trip through the breakfast line ONLY.

Hotel is located on the West side of I35 between Robinson & Main St in Norman, OK.

Friday October 17

Line Up at 0915 behind the hotel, departure at 09:30.

Tour begins at 10am.

Sam Noble Museum of Natural History, 2401 Chautauqua Ave. Norman, Oklahoma.

Military Veterans enter free **with ID**. The entry fee for all others is \$12.00. (Seniors - \$10.00) Pay at the door. They accept Cash, Credit Cards and Checks.

Line Up at 11:45 in the Museum Parking lot. Departure at 12:00

National Weather Center, 120 David L. Boren Blvd, Norman, OK. Lunch is on your own at the weather Center. Guided Tour of the Weather Center will start after lunch at 1:30. **You must have a picture ID to enter the National Weather Center. Real ID is not required at this time.**

Departing the Weather Station. (6.1 Miles to the hotel)

Line Up will start after the Tour is complete. (See Don Mitchell for more information).

After the tour the remaining day is open.

Dinner on your own.

Saturday October 18

Line Up at 9:15 behind the hotel, Departure at 09:30.

Tour begins at 10am.

Fred Jones Museum of Art, 555 Elm Avenue, Norman OK.

Military Veterans including 4 guests can enter free. Please bring your card identifying you are a veteran. The entry fee for all others is \$13.05. **They will ONLY accept credit cards for payment.**

Line Up at 12:00, Departure at 12:15.

Reservations are scheduled at 12:45 to 1:00 pm.

Kendall's Restaurant, 100 S 3rd St, Noble, Oklahoma.

Casual, **cash-only restaurant** adorned with sports & music memorabilia, serving Southern-style fare.

After lunch you are on your own to shop or return to the hotel for a relaxing afternoon. Dinner on your own.

Sunday October 18

Thank you for joining us on the Fall Tour. We wish you a safe journey home.

FALL TOUR DRIVING INSTRUCTIONS.

October 16-19, 2025

Courtyard Hotel

If you are driving South on Hwy 77H (12th St) from the Midwest City area, turn right on Robinson Dr. (7/11 on the corner) and continue West for 3.7 miles. Cross over I-35 then turn Left on Interstate Dr. Continue South to Copperfield Road. Turn Right on Copperfield Road, the Courtyard is directly behind the Cracker Barrel Restaurant.

Friday Morning

Line Up at 09:15 behind the hotel, Departure at 9:30.

Sam Noble Museum, 2401 Chautauqua Ave. Norman, OK

Depart the Courtyard, turn Right on Copperfield Dr, continue South on Interstate Dr. until you reach River Oaks drive (**Just before Red lobster**). Turn Right at River Oaks Dr. Continue River Oaks Dr. until you reach 36th Ave. Turn Left on 36th Ave. until you reach Ed Noble Parkway to Hwy 9 and continue on Hwy 9. Turn left on Chautauqua Ave. Drive to Sam Noble Museum.

Line Up at 12:00 in the Museum Parking lot. Departure at 12:15

National Weather Center, 120 David L. Boren Blvd. Norman, OK

Depart Sam Noble Museum. Turn Left on Chautauqua Ave. Turn Left on Jim Imhoff Rd. (.4 miles), Turn Right on Jenkins Ave. (.5 Miles). Turn Left on David Boren Blvd. Turn Right into the National Weather Station Visitor Parking Lot.

As you enter the building a sign-in table will be provided to verify your **Photo ID's** and they will issue you a paper pass. After we all get signed in, we will eat lunch at their café. After lunch the tour will start at 1:30 pm.

Departing the Weather Station. (6.1 Miles to the hotel)

Depart from the parking lot, turn Left on David Boren Blvd. Turn Left on Jenkins Ave. Turn Right on Hwy 9 (Sam Noble Parkway) NOTE: Stay in the **Left Lane** on the Sam Noble Parkway. Turn Left on Lindsay St. which turns into 36th St. Continue to River Oaks Dr. Turn Right, Then Turn Left on Interstate Dr. When you reach Copperfield Dr, turn Left and continue to the Courtyard parking lot.

Saturday Morning

Line Up at 09:15 behind the hotel, Departure 09:30

Fred Jones Museum of Art, 555 Elm Avenue, Norman, OK

Depart the Courtyard, turn Right on Copperfield Dr, continue South on Interstate Dr. until you reach River Oaks Dr (**Just before Red lobster**). Turn Right at River Oaks Dr. Continue River Oaks Dr. until you reach 36th Ave. Travel on 36th Ave. to Main St. Turn Left on Main St to 24th Ave. Turn Right on 24th then turn Left to Boyd St. Follow Boyd St. to Elm St. The Museum will be on your right and parking will be two lots to the left side of the street

Line up at 12:00, Departure at 12:15

Kendall's Restaurant, 100 S 3rd St. Noble, OK (8.0 Miles from museum)

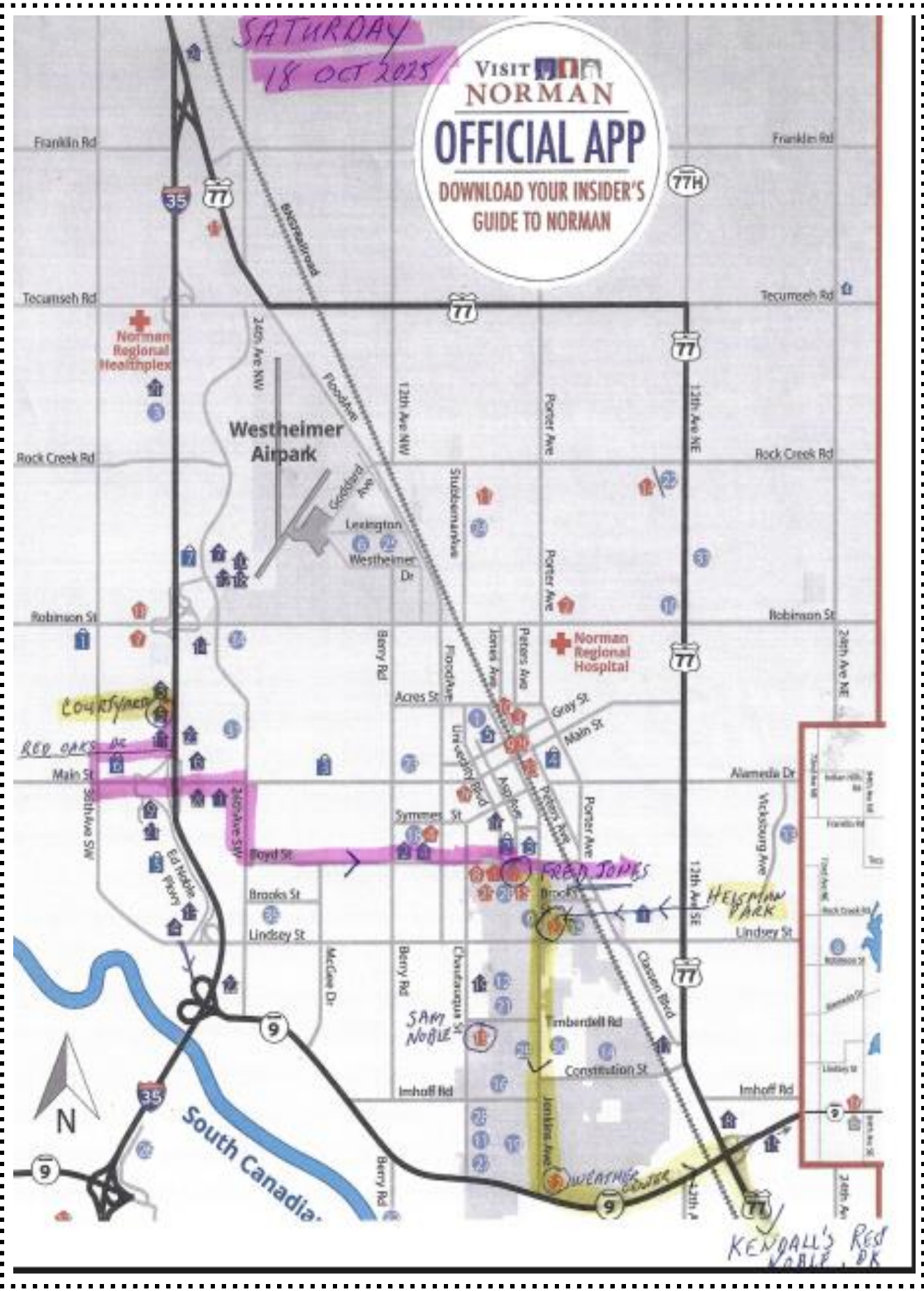
On the way to Kendall's Restaurant, we plan on driving to the Heisman Statues.

Turn East on Boyd St. to Jenkins Ave. Turn Right on Jenkins Ave. to Brooks. Left on Brooks to a parking lot behind the Heisman Statues. Departing the parking lot Turn Left on Jenkins Ave. Stay on Jenkins Ave until you reach Route 9. Turn Left on Route 9 (Ed Noble Parkway) continue to Hwy. 77. Turn Right on Hwy 77 to Noble, Ok. **Kendall's** Restaurant is located on the corner of Hwy. 77 and 3rd Street in Noble. Parking is on the street in front of the restaurant or in the lot on 3rd St. Order off the menu.

Return to Courtyard Hotel after lunch. (19.0 Miles)

Take Hwy 77 North. Turn Right on 9 West Rt. 9 & I 35 **NOTE:** Stay in the **Left Lane** on the Sam Noble Parkway. Turn Left on Lindsay St. which turns into 36th St. Continue to River Oaks Dr. Turn Right, Then Turn Left in Interstate Dr. When you reach Copperfield Dr, turn Left and continue to the Courtyard parking lot.





Telephone Booth Disguised Man on Secret Phone Call

Who is this person? Is it Chuck in disguise, making a secret phone call to Detective Chief Superintendent Foyle to ask for help in revealing the secret location of the Spring Tour next year? Maybe it's Don in there wearing the disguise? Whoever it is, we know that the Spring Tour location is a secret at this time. Maybe the secret will be revealed at the Fall Tour next month? Nobody knows.



QUOTATIONS OF HENRY FORD

"All life is experience, and one level is exchanged for another only when its lesson is learned."

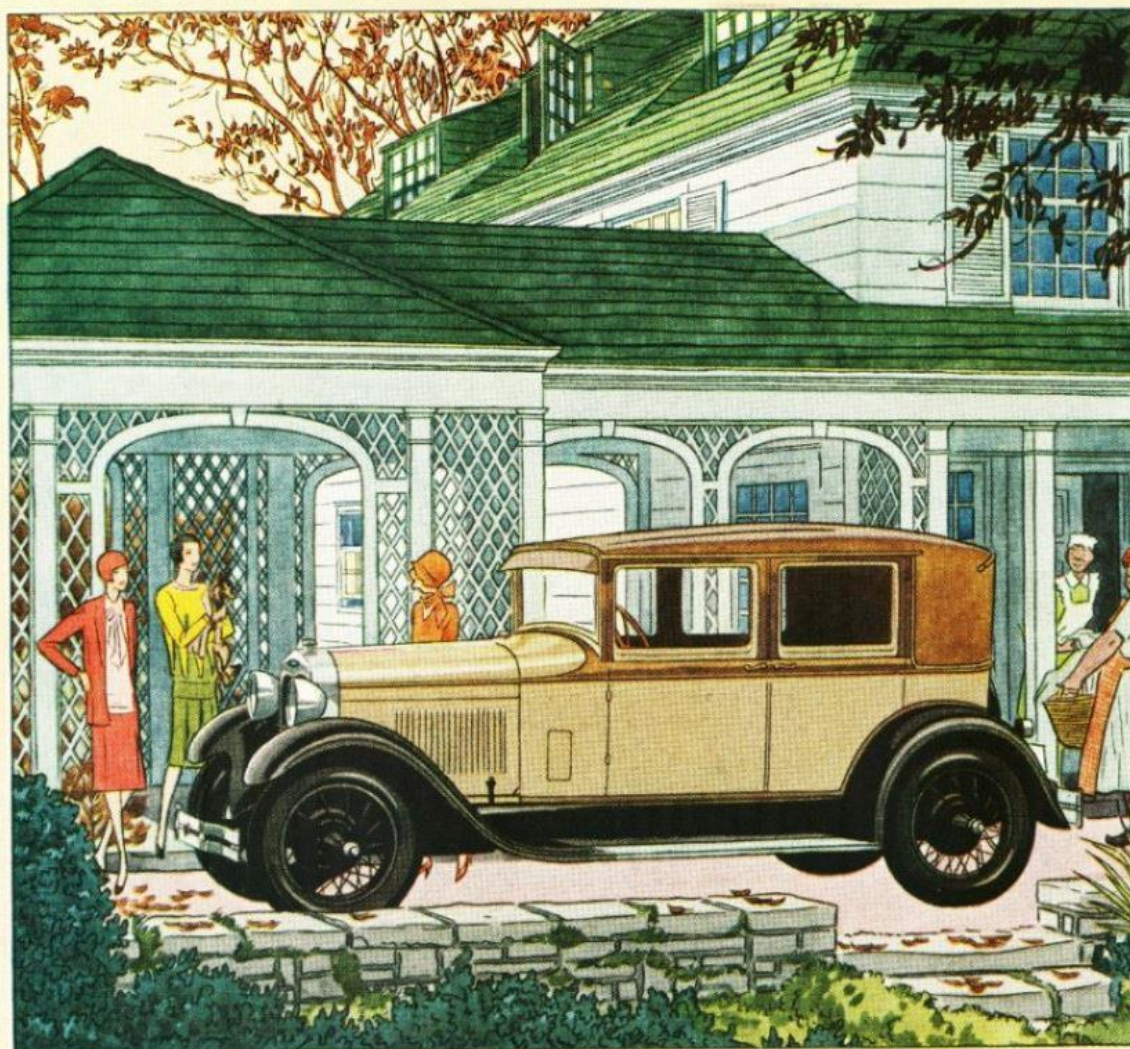
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Bedford, Massachusetts

Advertising Illustrations for the Ford Model A

by Robert Tate

Automotive Historian and Researcher

Courtesy of Ford Motor Company Archives & MotorCities



COILS, CONDENSERS AND PLUGS

The electrical heart of your Model A is comprised of the battery, ignition switch, starter, ammeter, coil, distributor, condenser and spark plugs. I am going to focus on the coil, distributor, condenser and spark plugs.

Once you have turned the ignition key and depressed the starter, your vehicle springs to life. When you depress the gas pedal, the ammeter shows that your generator is charging and your car is running as it should. So what role do the coil and the other components play in the actual operation of your vehicle?

The coil consists of a soft iron core, a primary winding and a secondary winding. The coils were produced by Autolite, American Bosch, Standard Products (picture) and Essex Wire with the one on the left produced after July 1931. When powered, the coil receives a 6 volt charge and produces a current of between 15,000 and 45,000 volts.



The voltage from the coil is routed to the distributor and provides sufficient voltage to induce a spark that will eventually ignite the gaseous vapor in the cylinder head. The cylinder head is forced downward with the ignition of the vapor, thereby rotating the crankshaft. The camshaft rotates and the distributor shaft causes the points open and close transferring the current through the rotor to each spark plug accordingly. When the points are closed, the voltage from the coil is held in the condenser. When the points open the current is discharged from the condenser, across the points and over to the spark plug in a uniform manner.

Spark plugs for the Model A Ford were produced by Champion. Pre-production Model A Fords and Model T Fords used a #3 spark plug while all production vehicles used a #3X spark plug. The porcelain body contained a mineral, andalusite, that had excellent creep resistance and thermal shock resistance. This mineral was mined in the eastern Sierra Nevada Mountains. Check out these videos about the mineral and the mine. (http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Bf8sR_NlzzE and <https://www.youmbe.com/shorts/cN3evKYGJf8>).



Things to observe about the picture on the left: the first plug is an example of the preproduction plug with the two neighboring plugs being a post production plug and an era plug. Note the rounded top "3" on the era plug and the flat top on the post production plug. The thickness of the hex also changed with the thicker hex (1/4") being replaced the thinner hex (3/16") in early 1930.

The knurled nuts to the left are selection of those available at the time but only the first one (cross hatch pattern) was correct for Model A Fords. The spark plug wires one and two are correct with the one on the being a reproduction item. The condenser, while correct, is also a reproduction item.



What changed from Model T to Model A to Model B? Model T had a magneto and a condenser and coil in the coil box while the Model A and B had the condenser on the distributor and the coil mounted on the firewall. Model T had a commutator with electrical connections to the coil box then to the spark plugs while Model A and B had a distributor with the spark plugs connected directly to the distributor. The Model T and the Model A had manual spark advance while Model B had automatic spark advance dependent upon the speed of the cam shaft rotation.



Tom Jeanes, of Pollock Pines, California, is a member of the Hangtown A's. He serves on the Judging Standards Committee and as The Restorer magazine's Technical Editor.



Model A



Model B

Minutes of the Board Meeting
 Johnnie's, 2652 W. Britton Rd, OKC
 September 2,2025

President Phil Wolfenbarger - Present	Vice-President Vonnie Meritt - Absent
Secretary Carla Newton - Present	Treasurer Chuck Dusenbery - phone
Editor Karen Dusenbery - phone	Web Master Jim Yates - Present
Director & Demonstrations Committee David Swain - Absent	
Director & Membership Committee Joe Astafan - Present	
Merchandise Committee Kay Meritt - Present	
Sunshine Committee Helene Astafan - Present	
Refreshment Committee Terry & Judy Joy – Terry Present	

Also in attendance: Don & Marilyn Mitchell, Cliff Wicks, Roanna Nuenschwander

- The meeting was called to order at 6:28 by Phil Wolfenbarger.
- Minutes from the August meeting were approved. The Treasurers report was given and approved.
- The webmaster is currently working on getting a page onto the Scuttlebutt to upload videos.
- Vonnie reported that she will create a sheet showing merchandise for sale for the newsletter.
- Saturday, Sept. 6 is the Western Days Parade at Mustang, lineup is a 9 and the parade starts at 10:00.
- Sept 13 for International Model A Day, a drive has been prepared to meet at the Land Run Statues in downtown OKC, then drive Lincoln Blvd to the Fireman's Museum, Lunch at Bedlam Barbeque, and the Railroad Museum.
- In October we have the Czech parade in Yukon.
- Please submit your registration forms for the upcoming Fall tour, October 16-19th. We have had a great response from the Tulsa club, and members from the OKC club have stated they are coming, but we need the registration forms to be sent in so that we can let the facilities know how many to expect.
- Phil Lyon, a club member, has organized for us to drive our cars to the Quail Springs nursing home at 14300 N. Portland on September 27 th at 10:00am. This is located North of Portland and Memorial on the east side.
- For our sunshine report we have several members with various issues. Please keep them in your prayers. If you would like to send card to any/all of these members: Helene Astafan, Judy Joy, Kaye Sage and Cliff Wicks, I'm sure they would all be appreciated.
- In December we will have our Christmas dinner; Jim Yates is still working with the meal provider and we need to know by this Saturday if they will be available on the date of our meeting. Meal will cost \$18.00 per person and the club will pick up part of the cost of the meal.
- We will also have a raffle for 4 tickets to the Polar Express good for one date only. We will provide the date once we have received the tickets.
- Please let David Swain know if you have any suggestions for demonstrations.
- If you are interested in filling one of the board positions or know someone who is, please let Phil know ASAP as there will be an upcoming vote for members to serve on the board next year.
- The current nominations are:
- President – Phil Wolfenbarger; Vice-President – Gayle Keene; Secretary – Lois Phillips; Treasurer – Chuck Dusenbery; Editor – Karen Dusenbery Webmaster – Jim Yates; Director – Joe Astafan; Director – Steve Davis

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Chicken Shack Lunch

August 9, 2025

Pictures by Carla Newton



Jimmy & Joe

Club Meeting

August 17, 2025

Picture by Helene Astafan



Club Meeting
Larry Parman, Guest Speaker
Parman Law Office
Will Rogers Garden Center
August 17, 2025
Pictures by Helene Astafan



LOCAL CLASSIFIED ADS

- For Sale:** 1931 Modified Open-Cab Model A Pickup.
Call Virjean Ogle at 405-640-5993 or email virjeancogle@yahoo.com
- For Sale!** 1929 AA 1-1/2 ton flat-bed stake truck; VIN A3946780, mostly complete, needs some transmission work, rewiring, tires, etc, \$6,000.00. Call Rob Wagner, 405-990-4100
- For Sale!** 1929 Phaeton 4 Door. Car is located in Edmond, OK.
Contact Megan Payne, 512-608-3369
- For Sale!** 1929 Tudor and 1928 RH Drive Phaeton. Contact Mark Ayers 405-496-4883
- For Sale!** 1929 Model A Roadster, 1860 miles since restored,
Contact Leonard Ellis at 405-372-5690 for more information.
- For Sale!** 1930 Model A Fordor, runs and drives well, and
1928 Model A Roadster, street rod, 59AB block, 3/4 race, both located in Yukon
Contact Randall Sauter at 405-410-5589 for more information.
- For Sale!** 1931 Fordor Sedan; Suicide Doors; Mechanic who works on it says it runs well,
Transmission good, Windows work, interior might need some work.
1930 Roadster, all original; Running well when last driven 20 years ago; New canvas
top (uninstalled) included. Both cars are located in Norman.
Contact Lee Ann Peters at 405-443-8539 for more information.

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MAFCA members may place FREE classified ads on the MAFCA web site.

mafca.com

Members must be HOBBYISTS and not involved in commercial sales.

Up to 3 Model A's may be advertised in any calendar year.

Additional ads may be submitted for \$40 each.

To review the MAFCA Media Advertising policy, click

https://www.mafca.com/members_only/policies/P1S02_Media_Advertising.pdf

Non-members may also place classified ads. The cost is \$50 per ad. Contact MAFCA Headquarters
at (562) 697-2712 Monday - Friday from 10AM to 4PM Pacific time.

They will accept your payment and give you an advertiser number.

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 month: 8am-11am
 Remington Park



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:

Coffee and Cars Norman
 2nd Saturday of month
 8am-10:30am
 Crest
 1421 24th Ave NW, Norman
 Norman, OK 73069



Midwest City:

The Cruise In for Coffee Car & Bike Show is held the third Saturday of each month, April through October. This family-friendly event is held in Town Center Plaza on SE 29th Street between South Air Depot Boulevard and Midwest Boulevard. Sponsored by the City of Midwest City; this event is free and there are no entry fees. Sure to please enthusiasts of all ages, come out and browse all makes of new and classic cars and motorcycles.



APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

SOONER MODEL A CLUB **NEW** _____

P. O. BOX 83192 **RENEWAL** _____

OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73148

NAME _____ BIRTHDAY (MO/DAY) _____

SPOUSE _____ BIRTHDAY (MO/DAY) _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ ZIP CODE _____

TELEPHONE NUMBERS _____

ANNIVERSARY (MO/DAY) _____ MAFCA NUMBER _____

VETERAN (BRANCH OF SERVICE) _____

EMAIL _____

MODEL A YEAR _____ BODY STYLE _____ RUNNING? _____

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DUES - \$20.00 PER YEAR/PER FAMILY

Dues can be mailed to the address above, paid in person at one of our events, or paid on the Sooner Model A Club website: [Join The Sooners | Ford Model A Lovers](#)
 Email: soonermodelanews@gmail.com

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 above address. General Meetings are held on the 3rd Sunday of the months of January thru November, unless the Garden Center has something else scheduled on our meeting day. Page two of the Scuttlebutt will list the scheduled meetings for the current month.

Meetings commence at 2:00 pm, 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 shown in the Scuttlebutt on page two, the activities page.

Membership dues are \$20.00 per year. Ownership of a Model A Ford is not required for membership. The primary requirement for membership shall be an interest in Model A's and the Sooner Model A Club, and a desire to participate in club activities. Visitors are always welcome to attend any of the club activities.

The Sooner Model A Club recommends membership in the Model A Ford Club of America (MAFCA). MAFCA dues are \$50.00 per year, and can be paid here: [Model A Ford Club of America \(mafca.com\)](http://Model A Ford Club of America (mafca.com))