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SOUTHERN NEVADA MODEL T CLUB
A CHARTER MEMBER OF THE M.T.F.C.A.

November 2023



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UPCOMING

NEXT MEETING:

11/14/23

~Winchells

199 E. Warm Springs Road
Las Vegas, NV 89119

CLUB NOMINATIONS MTG

6PM Dinner ~ 7PM Meeting

BREAKFASTS



11/04/23

~Skyline

1741 N. Boulder Hwy.
Henderson, NV 89011

11/11/23

~NLV Airport

2730 Airport Drive
NLV, NV 89032

11/18/23

~Winchells

199 E. Warm Springs Road
Las Vegas, NV 89119

11/25/23

~Vickie's Diner

953 E. Sahara
Las Vegas, NV 89104

***Post Breakfast Tour**

** All information, dates, times etc. can
be found on our Club Website

www.southernnevadamodeltclub.org



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OUR GOALS

- To promote the Model T Ford
- To Promote the preservation and restoration of this National Treasure
- To provide information and assistance to all interested people

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Platforms



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Don't forget to check our website. It contains lots of great info!





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UPCOMING EVENTS

November 3, 2023

SEMA FEST LAS VEGAS

Las Vegas Festival Grounds
311 W. Sahara
Las Vegas, NV 89101
All day event

November 4, 2023

Goldstroms Classic Car Show

Nostalgia Street Rods
5375 S. Cameron St.
Las Vegas, NV 89118
9am-5pm

November 4 & 5, 2023

Atomic Motors Open House

Atomic Motors
704 W. Sunset Road
Henderson, NV 89011
10am

SNMTC Christmas Dinner Party

Dean's Place
8355 Dean Martin Dr.
Las Vegas, NV 89139

4pm-7pm

\$25/per person
Gift Exchange- \$20
maximum gift value

Remit payment for
Christmas party by:
Dec 1, 2023



T's Shop Talk

Greetings all!!!!

Well, the cooler air is upon us, and it's been a great time for the month of October! Several members have been driving their T's around and out to breakfasts! Come out and join us!

Tom Keenen's celebration of life was beautiful, and the family did have outstanding job!

The middle of the month of October's breakfast was in two spots. We had some members go to North Las Vegas Airport, and others go to the Red Rock Harley Davidson Shop to start the "4th Annual Ground Up" Poker Run for them. John Warren and I chose to go to the Red Rock Harley Davidson shop, which was about 30 miles from the house & about 5 miles from the house, my steadfast steed, the 1915 Model T stopped running. I pulled over, John saw that I was not following him and came back. I was just about to call AAA, but John said " wait a minute let's take a look"- I had disintegrated the roller inside the timer on the crankshaft. I had the tools and John had the greasy fortitude and a spare roller. I couldn't believe it. In 20 minutes, we were on our way, and we weren't even late or the last ones there. John worked yet another miracle for me. Having John ride along in his own T is better than having an auto club. The next day we drove further, to Spring Mountain Ranch State Park, where the Model A Club was hosting the Model T club for a great picnic. It was a wonderful day and very picturesque with fun games. A great time was had by all and the food was outstanding! Kudos to the Model A Club.

Our Christmas party is fast approaching on December 9th so be sure to mark your calendar. Don't forget it's \$25 per person and is a "White Elephant" Gift exchange. Bring a gift no more than \$20 and get a gift! When the exchange begins the REAL fun begins

Safe travels,
President Tom"have you driven a Ford lately?"

It's that time of year to renew your membership in the Southern Nevada Model T Club.

SNMTC Dues are \$30

Make checks payable to SNMTC – Please, do not mail cash
1000 N Green Valley Pkwy
#440-267
Henderson, NV 89074
(Renewal form at end of this newsletter)



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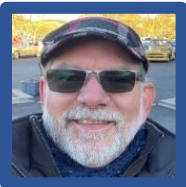
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A Note from our VP

I wanted to take a minute to remind you all that during our [November 14th Meeting](#) we are having our [nominations for membership positions](#) for our club. Come join us...we need wonderful volunteer board members to help fill these positions to help make our club run efficiently, maybe you have a talent that we are looking for? Donate an hour a week...you may find that you love it! Please plan to attend that meeting... you never know, you may be elected for a position without even knowing it! See you there!

Thanks:



Ron
Vice-President & Webmaster

Volunteers Needed!





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The Accessory Corner

I was going through a box of parts the other day and came across a couple of accessory oil can holders.

Years ago, I used to see a few of these at swap meets but now are a little hard to find due to scarcity. I understand that the stamped sheet metal ones are being reproduced.

I would say that just about every T accessory catalog you come across has an oil can holder advertised. There were probably no less than a couple dozen different manufacturer's all with their own design and accommodations for different oil can sizes. Some companies even gave them away as a promotional item.

The holders started to go out of favor with the introduction of grease zerks but are still handy to have for the old flip-caps found on most front/rear spring hangers, steering connecting rods and spindle bolts. Some people even used them for gasoline to prime that difficult starting engine.

I've seen these holders mounted in numerous locations (even the dash) but most were mounted on the firewall in the engine compartment. So, if you happen across one of these at a swap meet or other venue it may be worthwhile to pick up.

Yet another nifty item for the Accessory Corner!



By: Historian:
Wallace Bellows

Oilers and Spring Accessories



Flexible Spout Oiler.
Handy Flexible Spout Oiler. Comes in about 1/2-pint size, with about 3 3/4-inch diameter. Spout is made of flexible metal tubing with copper tip and can be bent for conveniently reaching parts ordinarily difficult to oil. Length of spout, about 7 inches. Shipping weight, about 12 ounces.
28C9002—Flexible Spout Oiler. Price....39c



Can Holder and Can.
Holder has adjustable clamp spring in bottom. Furnished in black finish. Can is about 3 3/4 inches in diameter; copper plated. Has about 5-inch spout.
28C11135—Can Holder only. Shipping weight, about 6 ounces. Price.....15c
28C11049—Oiler only. Shipping weight, about 10 ounces. Price.....22c



Spring Leaf Tool.
For opening spring leaves to insert lubricant. A rusty, squeaky spring rides hard and is more easily broken. Can also be used as a temporary repair clamp. Comes in black finish. Shipping weight, about 1 pound.
28C8671—Spring Leaf Tool. Price.....\$1.12

Johnson's Stop-Squeak Oil.

Seeps between the spring leaves when applied with a brush. Saves jacking up car and prying apart the spring leaves to lubricate them.



28C10340—Johnson's Stop-Squeak Oil, about 1/2-pint can. Shipping weight, about 1 1/4 pounds. Price, per can.....28c
28C10341—Same, about 1-pint can. Shipping weight, about 1 3/4 pounds. Price, per can.....40c

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A note from our editor...

How is it the end of October already? Our weather has changed overnight – so bundle up and drive those T's to breakfast!

Don't forget: you can submit your articles, pictures and stories to:
snmtcnewsletter@gmail.com

GROUND UP HOME INSPECTIONS
— 4TH ANNUAL —
POKER RUN

BENEFITTING THE
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Nevada

\$500
CASH PRIZE
FIRST PLACE

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14

STOPS AT:

- RED ROCK HARLEY-DAVIDSON
- BACKSTOP
- RED ROCK HARLEY-DAVIDSON
- RUSH HOUR BAR & GRILL

RED ROCK HARLEY
REGISTRATION: 8:30AM

SINGLE RIDER: \$20
DOUBLE RIDERS: \$30
CARS/TRUCKS: \$30

CASH PRIZE - \$500 FOR FIRST PLACE
POKER HAND - GIVEAWAYS

LUNCH/GIVEAWAYS AT LAST STOP

REGISTER AT:
WWW.GROUNDUPPOKERRUN.COM

We were asked to be a small part of the "Ground Up Poker Run" benefiting ALS by Terry's nephew.

It was fun to be a part of another club's day. Everyone seemed to enjoy seeing Model T's.

We all went to breakfast together after...who knew you could get breakfast and a show?



Terry & John at the Poker Run Charity Event!



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Submission for this notice comes from:

Dirick and Terry

I love approaching 80, I learn something new every day and forget 5 other things.

A thief broke into my house last night. He started searching for money so I got up and searched with him.

I think I'll just put an "Out of Order" sticker on my forehead and call it a day.

Just remember, once you're Over the Hill you begin to pick up speed.

Having plans sounds like a good idea until you have to put on clothes and leave the house.

It's weird being the same age as old people.



**LEGISLATIVE ALERT: URGENT
TAKE ACTION NOW**

BREAKING NEWS! Senate Companion Bill to Stop the EPA's Tailpipe Mandate Requires Your Support – Act Now!

Encourage your lawmakers to support the CARS Act, which protects consumer choice:

U.S. Senators Mike Crapo (R-ID) and Pete Ricketts (R-NE) introduced a SAN-supported bill, the Choice in Automobile Retail Sales (CARS) Act, [S. 3094](#), to prohibit the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) from finalizing emissions standards that would limit consumer choice and require that 67% of vehicles that automakers produce be electric vehicles. S. 3094 is the companion to [H.R. 4468](#), which was introduced by U.S. Rep. Tim Walberg (R-MI) and passed the House Energy and Commerce Committee in July.

The CARS Act prevents future EPA vehicle emissions regulations that would mandate certain technologies or limit the availability of vehicles based on its power source. If passed into law, the bill would ensure that consumers have the freedom to decide what vehicle works best for their families and prevent automakers from being forced to meet unrealistic mandates driven by the most aggressive light-duty emissions regulations in U.S. history.

Lawmakers Must Hear from You Right Away!



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A few more pictures from the Ground Up Poker Run at the Red Rock Harley Davidson Shop





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SNMTC ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY

Date: December 9, 2023

From 4pm-7pm

Dean's Place

8355 Dean Martin Dr.

Las Vegas, NV 89119

Welcome all to the Southern Nevada Model T club Christmas Party! As always plan for a fabulous evening with wonderful friends, live music, a delicious dinner and a hilarious "White Elephant" Gift Exchange. Bring a gift (no more than \$20) and get a gift. The real fun begins when the "stealing of gifts" begins. Please plan to come celebrate with us.

PLEASE REMIT PAYMENT FOR DINNER BY 12/1/23

Dinner is \$25/per person. You can make your checks out to:

SNMTC-1000 N. Green Valley Parkway #440-267, Henderson, NV 89074





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Minutes of the October 10, 2023 Meeting

Meeting called to order by Tom-at 7:08PM

OFFICERS ROLL:

President - Tom Collins

Secretary - Marilyn Warren

Webmaster - Ron Custer

Tour Master – John Warren

Sergeant at Arms/Drawings: Dirick Van Gorp

Historian – Wallace Bellows (absent)

Vice President - Ron Custer

Treasurer - Margie Collins

Newsletter - Karen Custer

Jr. Ambassador – Carson Combs (absent)

Membership – Judy Orr (absent)

BOARD CHAIRMAN/FOUNDER-Harold Mann

President Report: Meeting called to order by Tom at 7:12PM. Tom started the meeting welcoming everyone to the meeting. He reminded us of the upcoming picnic that the Model A's have invited us to attend on October 15th. He reminded us that a sign-up sheet had been previously passed around because they'd like all Model T members that attend to bring a side dish or a dessert. We were reminded to bring the trophy to see where it shall live for the next year. Tom shared that there are several places doing "Trunk-or-Treating"- On 10/21 it's at Silverton Casino from 11am-10pm. He said the candy portion begins at 5pm. Gateway Classic Car's is also hosting a "Trunk-or-Treating" Event on 10/21 from 9am-12pm. He also shared that on 11/4 is the "Goldstrom" show which is always worth attending. Lastly, he reminded us of the upcoming SNMTC Club Christmas Party on 12/9. Just like last year it will be \$25/per person to attend. Most importantly, Tom shared that at our **upcoming November 14 meeting** will be time for Board Member Position Nominations. Please attend and help the club. It was agreed that Winchell's shall remain our meeting location.

Vice President/Webmaster Report: Ron shared that he was in possession of the trophy that our club won last year at the Model A picnic so he stated that he would be responsible for bringing it to the upcoming picnic. He shared that our Facebook page currently has 418 members across the globe. He also wanted the board to know that our domain was up for reenrollment for our internet page (www.southernnevadamodeltclub.org) and that he needed to pay \$35 to maintain the domain. The board approved the reenrollment.

Secretary Report: Previous months minutes approved.

Membership Report: Judy has been busy tending to personal business, so the membership responsibilities are being picked up by Margie & Karen. Margie shared that we have had several members sending in their renewals for 2024, and their early submission is appreciated.

Treasurer Report: Margie reported that we had a little bit of increase as some people are starting to send in their membership renewals already for 2024. Increasing balance shared.

Newsletter Report: Karen shared with the club that those who are not receiving their emailed newsletters must check their spam folder as most everyone is finding their missing emails from the club hidden there. She asked that everyone make sure to add the email address to their contacts and send her a little something so that this does not continue to happen.



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Tour Master Report: *The November breakfasts are as follows:* November 4th – Skyline, November 11th -NLV Airport, November 18th – Winchell's and November 25th – Vickie's. John recommended that in lieu of meeting prior to breakfast for a tour that we choose a weekend breakfast and tour after breakfast for a change of pace and perhaps more participants; especially as the weather gets colder. The first "after breakfast tour" will be on November 25th after we eat at Vickie's. We will do a quick drive up the strip to take in some sights and spend some time together.

Historian Report: Although Wallace was absent from our meeting; make note that Wallace sends Karen a monthly contribution for the newsletter each month and is an active participant in helping to make the newsletter so educational and interesting!

New Business: Ron brought us the increasing concerns about the costly breakfast locations we have been attending. Several members are no longer going to certain restaurants because frankly, they cost too much. And many of them automatically add an 18% gratuity because our party is larger than 6-10 members. Obviously, each restaurant has its own party guidelines. It was suggested that we begin to seek out more affordable restaurant options and asked that everyone be on the lookout for new locations with more appropriate pricing.

There was a recommendation about index card mailings as a form of updating member information and Tom said he would call everyone to make sure that their current information is correct. Especially with the increase in postage costs, phone calls are more economical.

Another member asked what we may be considering using our club funds for and recommended possibly donating a portion to a charitable organization.

Tour Master John brought up the idea for "post breakfast tours" down the strip (and to other locations) in the hopes that we have more club member participation and a little more sunshine to drive in on those cold winter mornings.

50/50 Drawing: drawing was won by Karen with \$22 to her and \$23 to the club.

Meeting adjourned: 7:46PM





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Happy Birthday to you,
Happy Birthday to you,
Happy Birthday dear.....

November 1st - Christine A

November 1st - Ramona C.

November 7th - Gary C.

November 9th - Don K.

November 16th - Tammy M.

November 24th - Dennis F.



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

7th- Brandi & Joshua

16th-Debbie & Michael

25th -Janet & Don





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2023 Membership & Renewal Application Form

Annual dues of \$30.00 per household membership

(Make checks payable to "SNMTC"; do not mail cash)

SNMTC

1000 N Green Valley Pkwy #440-267, Henderson NV 89074

Please circle one: Membership – NEW or Membership - RENEWAL

APPLICANT (First, MI, Last Name) _____

MAILING ADDRESS _____

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HOME PHONE # _____ Anniversary ____/____/____

APPLICANT CELL # _____ Birthday: ____/____/____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____ @ _____

SPOUSE: (First, MI, Last Name) _____

SPOUSE CELL # _____ Birthday: ____/____/____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____ @ _____

MTFCA Member #: _____

Please list your Model T &/or other antique or special interest vehicle(s) owned:

Year	Make	Model	Body Style
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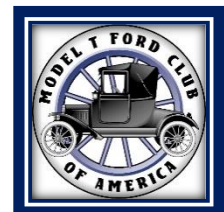
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Following information is for the sole interest of the Club and is voluntary:

Name _____

Applicant's occupation _____

Other car club affiliations _____

Hobby interests other than antique cars _____

Do you use Facebook YES _____ NO _____

Are you interested in participating in a Club tour? YES _____ NO _____

Would you consider organizing a Club tour? YES _____ NO _____

Do you have any suggestions for future Club tours? _____

Able to participate in helping the Club put on future activities? YES _____ NO _____

Comments:

CLUB USE ONLY - Date application received: _____

03/13/23



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Model A Picnic at Spring Mountain Ranch State Park- 10-15-23

What a perfect day for a picnic. The food was fabulous, the weather was perfect, and the views were breathtaking!



You've heard of an "Elf on a Shelf"...well, this is a "Robin on a Bench!" Look how small she looks next to Dirick!



We couldn't have asked for more perfect weather on this glorious October day!



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Bob and Cathy G. belong to both The SNMTC and the local Model A Club



This picture is "picture perfect". It looks like an advertisement for our Club. These are some good-looking Fords!



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Let the games begin...sadly, the SNMTC did not bring home the annual trophy. Look out Model A club, we are coming for you.





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10-21-23 at Vickie's

As always, Vickie's is a favorite amongst our group. We can always count on Vickie to make us a hearty breakfast and fill our bellies with hot coffee! Sadly, Ron and I couldn't make it but thanks to our Tour-Master John, I had great pictures to post.

Looks like we missed a fun gathering.



We took up the entire wall. What a fabulous breakfast! Love seeing Harold and Teresa join us for some great food with great friends.





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10-28-23 at Pacific Diner

Pacific Diner in Henderson was a new location for us to visit. It wasn't the largest turnout, but it was wonderful. Great food, lots of room and awesome parking out front! Super nice to see Harold's son, Herb, join us for breakfast. It's about the same distance as going to Skyline...if you haven't been there yet, check it out sometime.

