SNMTC Picnic, BBQ & Car Show

Saturday, September 25th Sunset Park Area F "Foxtrot" Roll in around 11:00 am

Club is providing Hamburgers & Hot Dogs with all the fixin's as well as plates, napkins, cutlery and even ice!





Bring your family and friends!



Please bring a covered dish to share! (casserole, salad or dessert)

Don't Forget About The Auction!



Please bring donations for the auction! (car parts, collectibles, memorabilia, etc.)













Sunset Park

The address for the park is: 2601 E. Sunset Rd.
(However you may wish to enter from Eastern and you will be right at the Area 'F' parking)





"T" DRIVER



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

"Next Meeting"

Tuesday, September 14th

Bros. Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner
4335 N. Rancho Dr.

• dinner at 6:00 pm • meeting at 7:00 pm •

"T" Driver Breakfasts

Saturday morning breakfast, be there by 8:00 am

September 4th - Vickie's September 11th - Bros September 18th - Vickie's September 25th - Picnic @ Sunset Park

OUR GOALS ARE:

- 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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<u>Check Out The</u> New Social Media Platforms







OTHER CAR RELATED EVENTS

October 1st & 2nd - Hot Rod Days, Henderson
October 3rd > 9th - Southern AZ T Tour
October 9th - Eureka-Palisade Train Tour
October 10th - Cadence Car Show
October 16th - Maricopa Pre-War Swap
October 21st > 24th - Concours d'Elegance
November 6th - Craig Ranch Car Show
November 6th - Goldstrom's Car Show
November 13th - Veterans' Car Show & BBO

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Newsletter - Terry

702-373-2321 terrysago@yahoo.com

"You don't want to miss a SNMTC breakfast!"



Vickie's Diner

NOW OPEN!

In the historic Commercial Center District

953 E. Sahara Ave Unit A-2

We'll be there!

SOUTHERN NEVADA MODEL T CLUB

Minutes of the August 10, 2021 Meeting

Meeting called to order at 7:00 by Izzy, Vice President.

OFFICERS ROLL

PRESIDENT – TOM (absent) SEC/ TREAS - CHERYL TOUR MASTER – JOHN (absent) JR. AMBSDR - CARSON WEBMASTER – RON (absent) VICE PRESIDENT - IZZY
MEMBERSHIP - MARGIE (absent)
TOUR MASTER - DEDE (absent)
NEWS/ HIST - TERRY
DRAWINGS - DIRICK

PRESIDENT REPORT Tom absent, Izzy presided.

VICE PRESIDENT REPORT Filled in for Tom.

JR AMBASSADOR REPORT Carson replaced his tires but is having some electrical issues with his new Dodge. If there is

anyone willing to help him figure it out, please contact Carson. He now has an auto shop class

at his high school with a good teacher.

SECRETARY/ TREASURER

July's minutes were approved as written. Get well card was sent to Karen who recently had

surgery. Discussion was had about promoting the Junior Explorer club for youth ages 7-17, as part of the National MTFCA. Cheryl reported the current balance forward (see separate report).

MEMBERSHIP REPORT Margie was absent, but we have 2 new members, Sherry and Rick. Welcome to the Club!

WEBMASTER REPORT Ron absent, no report.

TOUR MASTERS John absent, no report.

NEWSLETTER/HISTORIAN Terry reported that Vickie's Diner has reopened. Terry is still mailing 9 paper copies of

newsletters for members that don't have email or a computer. There will be an article about

Floyd Clymer in the September newsletter.

OLD BUSINESS Discussion about the Sept 25 picnic, club will provide meat, condiments, paper goods and

utensils, water and ice. Harold offered to bring water and ice in a tub at his expense. Signups sent around for potluck items. Terry will make tip jar for donations. Tom had volunteered to cone off parking area for cars ahead of time. Terry announced picnic runs from 11am to 6pm.

Family members are encouraged to join in.

NEW BUSINESS Terry passed around a signup sheet for the Saturday, October 30 Halloween parade put on by

the Iron Mountain Ranch neighborhood. Terry & Cheryl will handle the signup for everyone as a group so we are placed together in the parade lineup. Free candy will be given to each driver

to throw out, and there is a contest for the best decorated car.

50/50 DRAWING 50/50 was \$40, \$20 to the club and \$20 to the winner, Wyatt. The meeting was adjourned at

7:31 pm.

Next Meeting date September 14, 2021





T-shirts are here!

Greetings All!!!!

Excitement is in the air, as we prepare for our September 25th (11 AM to 6 PM) Model T picnic. In this newsletter will be the address and things to do, plus reminders. Thanks in advance to all the volunteers that will make this happen. I appreciate all who are helping me coordinate that have done this before. We have out of town Model T Club members coming in for the picnic, so be sure to come on out to meet them and meet others especially face group members, please come out and visit. Let's make a memory. Everyone is invited, a special invitation goes out to all our model A club friends. Since



the weather is cooling I am working on a YouTube short video for a basic safety inspection of all Model T's. Stay tuned for that. With that said, looking forward to touring in the fall. I have just received email confirmation for the Cadence Car Show, October 10th. Hope to see you there! Hope to see you at a meeting or breakfast before the picnic!

Remember everything you do affects Eternity.

T's Shop Talk

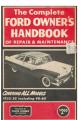
Safe travels, President Tom

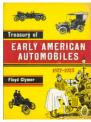


Floyd Clymer (1895 – 1970) If you look Floyd Clymer up in the history books you will find that he was an accomplished motorcycle racer. He was a pioneer in motorcycle racing in the 1910's through the 1920's. He held the Pikes Peak Hill Climbing Championship as well as others. Clymer had a vast knowledge of automobiles and motorcycles. He published the then popular "Clymer Repair Manuals." He went on to publish "The Yearbook Series of The Indianapolis 500" and a series of British car and motorcycle "Road Test" magazines. If you look him up on Amazon, you will see that he has written or published dozens of motorcycle and automotive history books, pictures books and repair manuals. He was always involved in motorcycles and owned one of the first Harley Davidson and Excelsior dealerships in the 1920's. In The 1960's he even became the owner of the Indian Motorcycle Company.

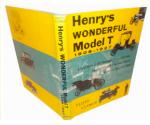
What does that have to do with the SNMTC? What he did for us was that he wrote three very important automotive history books. "Treasury of Early American Automobiles," Those Wonderful Old Automobiles" and "Henry's Wonderful Model T" were written in the 1950's. These books have been a major resource for the "T Driver" newsletter.

Now here's the kicker. Clymer was a natural born salesman. In 1906 he was a dealer for REO, Maxwell and Cadillac. There was already a Ford dealership in his town so in 1908, with the introduction of the Model T, he had to add the E-M-F Model 30 and the Flanders Model 20 to stay in competition. Soon he had to give in and offer his services as salesman to the local Ford Dealer. Did you do the math? He was eleven years old when he started his first car dealership. He soon became more interested in motorcycles than cars, not just riding motorcycles, but professional racing and of course this led to him starting his own motorcycle dealership at 15 years of age.

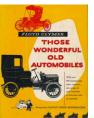
















The **Ruckstell Axle** was one of the few Ford factory approved accessories for the Model T. Without a doubt it is one of the most useful accessories for a Model T Ford allowing for a lower, more powerful gear ratio. **Glover Edwin Ruckstell** earned his reputation as an engineer in auto racing during his teens. During his military stay he helped develop the Liberty L12 aircraft engine. After World War I he made his fortune selling the

"Ruckstell Axle" for the Model T.

In the 1930's he was awarded a Commercial Pilot's license. Early on he recognized the potential of tourist aviation and acquired Grand Canyon Air Lines. The airlines took Las Vegas visitors on sightseeing flights over the Hoover Dam and the Grand Canyon in a **Ford Tri-Motor**.

Today, you will find an exhibit about Ruckstell and Grand Canyon Air Lines in the lobby of the North Las Vegas airport. One Saturday after breakfast stop downstairs and check it out.





Participants in the Iron Mountain Halloween Parade should meet at the Sago's at 9:00 am for coffee and donuts and bathroom before making the final trek up to staging area at The Shadow Ridge High School (two miles).

Final decorations to your car can be applied at the staging area where we will also receive our candy.

The parade is scheduled to begin at noon.

The parade begins and ends at Shadow Ridge High School.





Did you know that humans invented language to satisfy the need to complain?



A Special "Thank You" Presented To Bros Diner From President Tom











2021 (& 2022) MEMBERSHIP & RENEWAL APPLICATION FORM Annual dues of \$30.00 per household membership (2021 only - pay for 2021 & get 2022 free) Make checks payable to SNMTC Mail to 6916 Hawaiian Sky Ct., Las Vegas NV 89131 APPLICANT (First, MI, Last Name) _____ MAILING ADDRESS CITY _____ STATE ____ ZIP ____ HOME PHONE # _____/ ____/ _____/ ______ APPLICANT CELL# _____ Birthday _____ / ____ / ____ EMAIL ADDRESS _______ @ _____ SPOUSE (First, MI, Last Name) SPOUSE CELL # _____ Birthday ____ / ____ / ____ EMAIL ADDRESS _____ Please list your Model T and/ or any other vintage vehicles owned: Year Make Model Body Style MTFCA NO:

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