



THE SQUEAKS

PINEY WOOD MODEL A FORD CLUB

VOLUME 51 - ISSUE 3 -March 2025

Inside This Issue

PWA Web Address: www.pineywoodmafc.com

Presidents Message	2	Sunshine Reports	20
Minutes of the Meeting	3	Sediment and Filter	21
February Events	5	PWA Technical	25
2025 Poor Boy Tour	11	Women's Shoes	27
2025 Texas Tour	12	For Sale	28
2025 National Tour	14	Supporting Friends	29
Space City News	16	International Order of the Rubber Chicken	31
PWA Membership Form	17	PWA Officers	32
Calendar Events	18		

MOTTO

To promote and stimulate
the preservation, restoration,
and maintenance of the
Model A Ford automobile.

QUALIFICATIONS

Any person sincerely interested in the
Model A Ford automobile and the
purpose of this club shall be eligible
for membership as an active member.

From the President's Desk

By: Dan Kundts

Well, well, well....March is here and we're into the months of beautiful weather – not too hot, bright clear skies, and perhaps a cool breeze. Get your cars out of the garage at every opportunity!

At the February meeting we discussed the POOR BOY TOUR, if you're thinking about going, now is the time to send your Registrations so Troy and Frank can get the cost, expenses, and attendee numbers to make it all work out,



Thanks. Mother Nature had other weather plans, so the Safety Check was rescheduled to March 22. Kim and David did a fantastic job at the Women's and Men's programs. Kim played Bingo, and David talked and showed parts for a Temporary fuel line to carry along in your parts box.

Thank you both for the programs.

By the way, we added about 2,250 miles toward the club's goal of achieving 30,000 miles this year. Yes – that is a reminder to track your mileage.... We have one club member closing in on 100,000 miles. Hope to see you at the POOR BOY TOUR and our March monthly meeting at the Valley Ranch BBQ restaurant.

Drive safely and I'll see you soon!

Dan

Minutes of the Meeting

By: Joyce Perkins

Piney Woods Model A Club
Meeting: February 11, 2025
Held at: Valley Ranch BBQ Restaurant

Meeting was called to order at 6:57, by President Dan Kundts
Opening Prayer was led by President Dan Kundts,
Pledge was also led by President Dan Kundts

Minutes from Club Meeting held on January 15, 2025, were provided to members in the January 2025 Newsletter for review. No corrections or comments were received. Motion to approve minutes was received from Marlyn Hitchcock and seconded by David Teale, All were in Favor, Motion passed

Opening Comments provided by President, Dan Kundts:

Dan provided several humorous comments to open the meeting.

Member; Ashley Griffen, provided details of a Model A, Phaeton project car, he has for sale to all interested members. Commenting that a portion of the proceeds when sold will be donated to Piney Woods (PWA) club.

Dan, commented that 1st Qtr Board Meeting will be held at 6:30, prior to upcoming March Club Meeting on 03.11.25.

Treasurer Report: Frank DeLucia provided the financial report for January 2025 with details of beginning balances. monthly expenses and account ending balance. The club has received a total of 14 registrations to date for the Poor Boy Tour.

Update on the 2024 Budget; Frank indicated the club made a profit in 2024 totaling \$545.00 from the sale of miscellaneous parts by President Davis Teale at club meetings through out the year.

Motion to approve the Treasury report was received from Chris Fredonia and seconded by Marilyn Hitchcock. All approved and motion passed.

Events: Troy provided details of the upcoming events:

02.22.2025 Annual Safety check to be hosted by Tom Bragaw Garage .

02.26.2025 – Ladies Luncheon - Magnolia Diner 18423 FM 1488 Suite G Magnolia Tx 11:30 – 1:00

02.27.2025 – Ladies Night Out - Magnolia Diner 18423 FM 1488 Suite G Magnolia Tx 7:00 – 8:30 PM

03.01.2025 – Montgomery Texas Historical Trail Game

03.08.2025 – PWA Breakfast at the Magnolia Diner 08:00 – 09:00

03.11.2025 - PWA Club Meeting 7:00 – 09:00 Valley Ranch BBQ,
(Board Meeting to be held at 6:30 PM)

03.28 – 03.30.2025 Poor Boy Tour, Schulenburg Texas, Registrations must be turned ASAP.

Hotel reservations are encouraged to be made as soon as possible. Rooms have been Blocked but hotels are filling up!!

Sunshine Report: President Dan Kundts presented the February Sunshine report with 12 Birthdays and 3 Anniversaries. All will be included in upcoming monthly newsletter. To all, Happy Birthday and Congratulations!

Registrations: Perry Jones, no updates to report

National News: No updates were received

Fashion News: Dan mentioned an article included in the last edition of The Restorer, that was submitted by our Perry Jones with the catchy title of "In the Girls' Locker Room". The article speaks for many interesting details of Perry's journey in the world of time era fashions as a member of the MAFCA Era Fashion Committee, and the many highlights of the memorable times Perry has served.

Newsletter: Troy commented that some Newsletters were not received and just let him know if anyone needs him to resend.

Toolbox: Bill Miller commented email was sent out to members, on his status of the spreadsheet of inventory.

Library: No update was provided; Tom did not attend.

Mileage: Tom did not attend, Linda provided the report on mileage achievement awards with top award to Robert Bullard, commented he has driven his Model A for a total of more than 90,000 miles.

Club Apparel: No update was provided, Marion did not attend the meeting

Break: was taken at 7:27 for 15 min and then men's Technical began.

50/50 Drawing: Was sponsored by Linda Bragaw and Ron Cherry was out lucky winner this evening.

Technical: David Teale presented an emergency fuel line repair kit of parts that he carries that includes many items needed to repair the fuel line system on the side of the road in the event of a breakdown. David has found this repair kit to be very helpful and encourages drivers to carry a similar kit.

Ladies' activity: Kim hosted a fund bingo game for the ladies. Thank you, Kim, for always making it fund.

Rubber Chicken : Frank presented the Rubber Chicken award to Troy Walling for a breakdown on the Sweetheart Tour.

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn meeting was received from Ashley Griffin, seconded by David Van de Bogert, all approved, Motion passed, meeting ended at 8:30.

Respectfully Submitted by
Joyce Perkins, PWA Secretary

February Events 2025

By: Troy Walling

Breakfast at the Harris County Smokehouse February 1st.



Sixteen members of the Club shared breakfast at Harris County Smokehouse Café in Tomball. It was a cool morning, but the smiles and camaraderie made a great start for the day.

The first names are Robert, Elona, Jim, Marilyn, Les, Tony, Darlene, Marion, Elliott, Ron, Susan, David, Kim, Elaine, and Robert.

Who is missing?

Answer on page 19

Sweetheart Tour to Madisonville, Texas February 8-9



Jake and Sarah Shapira, Jewish Russian immigrants who settled in Madisonville in the 1870s, ran a boarding house here that burned in 1903. When they decided to rebuild, they purchased two kit houses at the 1904 St. Louis World's Fair. The first, a turreted Queen Anne Victorian, now houses the dining room; the second, an Eastlake-style structure, holds the bar. The Shapira's joined the two kit houses with upstairs and downstairs parlors, adding rooms on both floors and verandas on both the front and the back. The kit houses came with plans and all of the necessary hardware, and the Shapira's had the lumber—primarily East Texas longleaf pine—milled in nearby Huntsville. Nearly 200 bluebonnet motifs hand-carved into the plinths above the doors and windows contributed to Texas charm. The rooms were designed to have large windows that opened on both sides to capture cooling breezes from the Texas heat.



The restaurant is located at the site of the 800-acre Buffalo Springs Ranch, which was established in 1830 by Owen Shannon and his wife Margaret Montgomery. They married in 1792 in Wilkes County, Georgia. They, along with the Montgomery family, moved to Texas in 1820. The Ransome family owned this property and operated a ranch for the last 100 years



Thirty-six people in nineteen cars convened from different directions to meet for lunch at Ransoms Restaurant in Montgomery, Texas.

The temperature was unusually hot (87 degrees) for a February day in Texas.

However, that did not dampen the spirits of the day.

Although there were problems with some cars having bad gasoline in their tanks and one having vaporizing problems we eventually arrived at our destinations.

Eight couples were able to room at the Woodbine

The rest stayed at the local Best Western hotel.



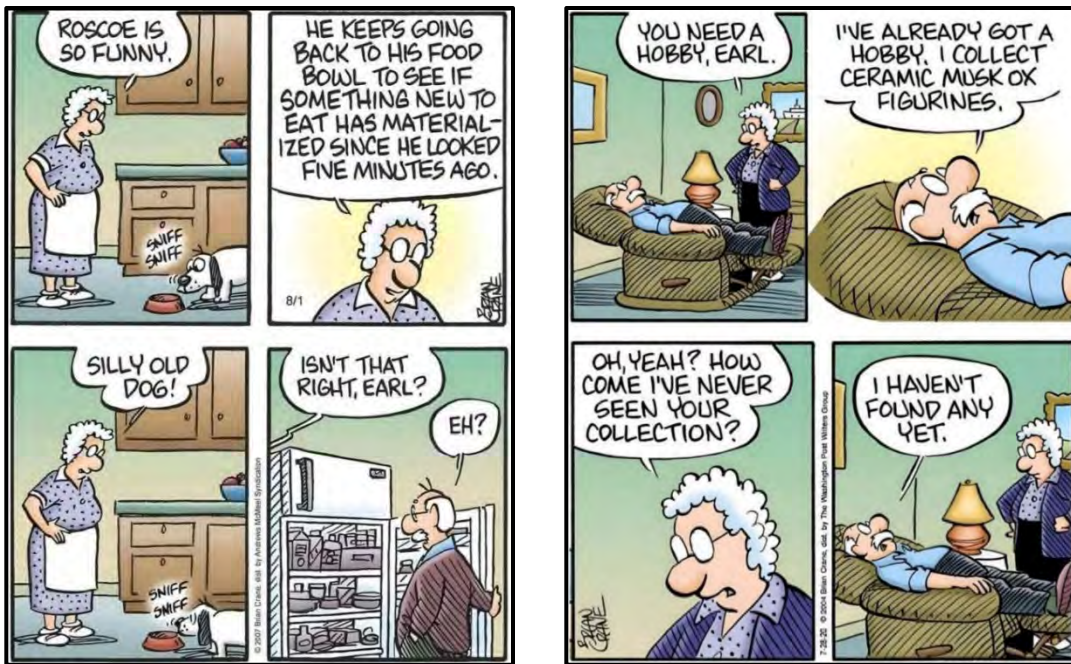
When we arrived, a beautiful arrangement of cakes was prepared by Susan. We are so spoiled the generous gifts she presented to all of us.

Thanks to Susan and Ron Cherry for selecting a great location to have the annual Sweetheart Tour





I asked the people at Franks's table "Who does not like to have their picture taken?"
They all said together, Bob!



Troy Walling was the latest recipient of the time-honored Rubber Chicken Award. He successfully held up about 8 Model A's in a left turn lane at a traffic light. Although it was only about 6 light changes, it still qualified him for this award.

2025 Poor Boy Tour.

Be sure to register at the Hotels, as there are a limited number of rooms available at a discounted price at all hotels. Also, send your registration forms to Frank DeLucia as soon as possible.

The creator of the Piney Wood Logo was created by John Davidson in 1977

Registration Form 55th Annual Poor Boy Tour

Schulenberg, TX

March 28-30, 2025

Hosted By The Piney Wood A's



<u>Name Of Attendees</u>	<u>Adult \$ 50.00 Each</u>	<u>Children Under 12 \$ 25.00 Each</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
Registration Fees Total	\$ _____	

Sorry, No Refunds after March 15, 2024

<u>Address</u>	<u>City, State, Zip</u>	<u>Phone number</u>
Club Affiliation (Select one) <u>Alamo A's</u> <u>Houston A's</u> <u>Piney Woods A's</u> <u>Victori-A's</u>		
Model Year & Body Style _____	Are You Bringing A Trailer? _____	

Registration Check-In & Hospitality Room is at the Holiday Inn Express, Schulenberg, TX

Registration will be on Friday, March 28, 3:00 - 6:00p.m. & Saturday, 7:30 - 9:00a.m.

Please Make Check Payable To **Piney Wood Model A Ford Club**
and send the Check with this Registration Form To

Frank De Lucia
11415 Lakewood Estates
Houston, Texas 77070

I hereby release the Piney Wood Model A Ford Club, Model A Ford Club of America, Model A Restorers Club, including organizers & sponsors of this tour & their families from all liabilities. Submittal of this form whether signed or unsigned constitutes acceptance of this release.

Signed _____ **Date** _____



62nd Annual Model A Texas Tour June 12 - 15, 2025 Giddings Texas



Join us for a laid-back and easy-going Texas Tour. We'll have driving tours, ice cream, Hubley Derby, fashion walk, raffles and lots of time to catch up with old friends and make new ones. Register before May 1 for the best prices.

June 12, Thursday - Welcome Dinner

June 13, Friday - Tours on your own (including a vintage carousel); Ice Cream social and Hubley Derby

June 14, Saturday - Grand Tour; Closing Dinner and Fashion Walk

June 15, Sunday - Farewell until next year!

Lodging

Make Your Reservations Now!

Say "Model A Texas Tour" when you call because we've reserved the whole hotel.

Best Western

2161 E. Hempstead
Giddings, Tx 78942
(979) 542-5000
(979) 542-2008

Super 8

4002 E. Austin
Giddings, Tx 78942
(979) 542-9666
(pet friendly)

Executive Inn

3556 E. Austin
Giddings, Tx 78942
(979) 542-5791
(pet friendly)

Extras

Add these to your registration to be sure you get yours.

T-shirts Red or Yellow

\$15 (oversized available for \$20)



Caps

\$20



Extra patches

\$10



Engine raffle tickets

\$20 for one
\$100 for 6



Release: I hereby release the Lone Star Model A Ford Club, Model A Ford Club of America, organizers, suppliers, and sponsors of the 2025 Annual Model A Ford Texas Tour and their facilities from any and all liabilities. Registration, either electronically or on paper, constitutes acceptance of this release.

Here is the link to the 62nd Annual Texas Tour website and registration:

<https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/ev/reg/ykb35ch/lp/7d3c74d8-5b88-4a48-93e8-33b1f7350a62>



Model A Ford Texas Tour 2025 Registration

Write Check to: LSMAFC

Mail to:

Lone Star Model A Ford Club
4500 Williams Drive Ste 212 Box 216
Georgetown, TX 78633

OR REGISTER ONLINE!

Name

Email address

Mailing address

City

State

Zip

Phone #

Cell phone #

Your Model 'A' Club(s)

Names for name badges in your party (yours if different from above and any passengers or children)

Is your Model A coming? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Maybe	Will anyone in your party be in the fashion walk? (no judging, just for fun) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Maybe How many? _____	Will anyone in your party bring a Hubley for the Derby? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Maybe How many Hubleys? _____
--	--	---

Do you or anyone in your party have any dietary limitations? We will contact you about specifics

☐ No ☐ Yes

Do you or anyone in your party have any special needs or limitations we should know about to make your tour the most fun?

Driver registration includes: 1 Goodie Bag with fan, official tour patch, and dash-plaque; Thursday Welcome dinner; Friday Hubley Derby & Ice cream social and Driving tours; Saturday Lunch on the Grand Tour and Closing dinner & Fashion Walk.				
		Price	Quantity	Total
Driver (the 1st main adult registrant)	Regular	\$140.00	1	
	Late (\$165. after May 1)	\$165.00		
Adult Passengers	Regular	\$125.00		
	Late (\$140. after May 1)	\$140.00		
Children (6-12 yrs.)		\$75.00		
T-shirt (with tour logo and year)	___S ___M ___L ___XL ___XXL	\$15.00		
T-shirt	___3XL ___4XL ___5XL	\$20.00		
Cap	___Red ___Green	\$20.00		
Extra Tour Patch	(one is included in each goody bag)	\$10.00		
Engine Raffle ticket	One ticket	\$20.00		
Engine Raffle tickets	6 ticket bundle	\$100.00		
TOTAL				

For additional information email info@LSMAF.club



Release: I hereby release the Lone Star Model A Ford Club, Model A Ford Club of America, organizers, suppliers, and sponsors of the 2025 Annual Model A Ford Texas Tour and their facilities from any and all liabilities. Registration, either electronically or on paper, constitutes acceptance of this release.

2025 National Tour

June 15-22, 2025



Welcome! We are excited that you are interested in the 2025 MAFCA National Tour of the American Civil War. Here you can find tour information, itinerary, registration forms, and other information you will need. This tour will be a moving tour (different hotel most nights) that will begin and end in Waynesboro, Virginia. During the tour, we will visit many of the largest and bloodiest battlefields of the War, several excellent Civil War museums, and other points of interest. Also, part of the tour will be a full day dedicated to seeing Pennsylvania's Amish communities and driving over covered bridges. Another highlight to look forward to is a drive down the entire length of Skyline Drive inside Shenandoah National Park. This world-renowned drive is considered by many to be one of the most beautiful drives in the country. We have many fun events planned for you to enjoy!

We will have plenty of trailer parking available near the host hotel. Model A's are encouraged, but moderns are welcome. Due to the size of group we are anticipating we will not be traveling as one large group, you will have detailed instructions provided and will be free to choose when you leave the hotel each morning.

Hosted by the Dallas Model A Ford Club— Tour Coordinators: Trish and Arlen Evans

Register at dmafc.com

DMAFC Recommended hotels for the MAFCA 2025 National Tour

Date 6/15/25 & 6/22/25	City Waynesboro, VA
Best Western Inn and Conference Center 109 Apple Tree Ln. Waynesboro, VA 22980 (540) 942-1100 Group Block Rate is \$139.99	

Date 6/16/25	City Charles Town, WV
The Inn at Charles Town Racetrack 751 Hollywood Dr, Charles Town, WV 25414 (304) 725-7001	

Date 6/17/25 & 6/18/25	City Gettysburg, PA
Gettysburg Hotel 1 Lincoln Square, Gettysburg, PA 17325 (717) 337-2000	

Date 6/19/25 & 6/20/25	City Fredericksburg, VA
Holiday Inn Conference Center 20 Sanford Dr, Fredericksburg, VA 22406 (540) 368-8000	

Date 6/21/25	City Midlothian (Richmond Area)
Holiday Inn Express and Suites 5030 W. Village Green Dr. Midlothian, VA 23112 (804) 744-7303	

Space City News



Are you in SE Houston and would you like to get involved in a Model A Ford organization?

What?

Breakfast meeting for all those interested in a Model A Ford Club of America (MAFCA) Chapter/Model A Restorers Club of American (MARC) Region in SE Houston. A private room has been reserved. Attendees pay for breakfast. Primarily Breakfast Taco's.

Where?

Rudy's BBQ, Near I-45 and NASA
21361 Gulf Freeway (I-45)
Webster, TX 77598
Phone: 281-338-0462

When?

March 12, 2025 (Saturday)
8:00 AM

More information?

Contact Space City via email Michael Eisenbise, a PWC Member, at Michael.Eisenbise@gmail.com.

1. Michael Eisenbise, a PWC member, will be making a presentation on Powder Coating at our March meeting. If you have any firsthand experience with powder coating and would like to assist in the presentation, please contact Michael. If you know of a powder coating firm that would be willing to attend the March meeting and discuss Powder Coating, please let Michael know.
2. Michael can be contacted at Michael.Eisenbise@gmail.com or cell +1-864-285-5641
2. Free to good home – Model A , Delco - 10DN 6-volt positive ground alternator, less external voltage regulator. If interested, please contact Michael.Eisenbise@gmail.com or cell +1-864-285-5641
3. I Would like to purchase a working Model A generator less cut out. I need this to help someone get their car back on the road. Willing to trade a new, barely used, Nu-Rex solid state cut out. Or apply the cutout as a partial payment. Aesthetics is not important. Please contact Michael.Eisenbise@gmail.com or cell +1-864-285-5641

Michael Eisenbise

Piney Wood Model A Ford Club (PWA) Membership Application

One Year Family Membership \$25.00
Renewal dues are delinquent after December 31st

Membership is open to anyone who owns, drives, or just appreciates the Model A Ford. PWA recognizes any year, make or model of the Model A Ford from 1928 to 1931. Membership in the *Model A Ford Club of America* (MAFCA) is REQUIRED to become a member of PWA in accordance with our by-laws. Every member of PWA enjoys the same rights, including the right to vote and to hold office in PWA.

PLEASE PRINT

Date of Application _____ Dues being paid for year _____ (January 1 – December 31)

New Member () or Renewal () Renewing members, what year did you join PWA? _____

Name _____ Birthday: Month _____ Day _____

Spouse _____ Birthday: Month _____ Day _____

Address _____ Anniversary: Month _____ Day _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Email _____

Phones: Home _____ Cell _____ Cell (spouse) _____

Children under 18 years of age:

Names _____ Birthday: Month _____ Day _____

_____ Birthday: Month _____ Day _____

_____ Birthday: Month _____ Day _____

What is your MAFCA member number? _____ --required for PWA membership

Are you a member of any other automobile clubs?

_____ / _____

_____ / _____

Model A's Owned: YEAR, MODEL, BODY STYLE, CONDITION*

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

*Condition: O=original, R=restored, B=being restored, M=modified, A=apart

Loanable tools available (ex: spring spreader, engine hoist, hub puller, etc.)

Make Check Payable to: Piney Wood Model A Ford Club

Mail to: Perry Jones
19207 Stanton Lake Dr.
Cypress, TX 77433
281-844-0951

Whats on the Calendar?

By: Troy Walling Tour Coordinator

2025 PWA Calendar of Events

Jan 11	Monthly Breakfast at Lynns Table in Spring
Jan 15	Monthly Meeting at Valley Ranch Barbeque (Changed)
Jan 22	Ladies Luncheon Magnolia Diner at 11:30 am (Rescheduled due to weather)
Jan 23	Ladies Night Out 7:00 pm Magnolia Diner at 7:00 pm (Rescheduled due to weather)
Jan 25	Annual Safety Check at Copperfield Automotive (Rescheduled) Replaced with a tour to Bush Library in College Station
Feb 1	Monthly Breakfast at Harris County Smokehouse
Feb 8-9	Annual Sweetheart Tour to Madisonville, TX
Feb 11	Monthly Meeting at Valley Ranch Barbeque
Feb 22	Annual Safety Check at Tom Bragaw's Garage Followed by Lunch at the Creekwood Grill <u>Rescheduled due to the weather</u>
Feb-26	Ladies Luncheon Magnolia Diner at 11:30 am
Feb-27	Ladies Night Out 7:00 pm Magnolia Diner at 7:00 pm
Mar 1	Montgomery, Texas Historical Trail Game
Mar 8	Monthly Breakfast at Magnolia Diner
Mar 11	Monthly Meeting at Valley Ranch Barbeque
Mar 22	Annual Safety Check at Tom Bragaw's Garage Followed by Lunch at the Creekwood Grill
Mar 28-30	Poor Boy Tour in Schulenburg, TX
Apr 8	Monthly Meeting at Valley Ranch Barbeque
Apr 12	Breakfast at Lynns Table in Spring
Apr 19	Runaway Scrape Tour San Felipe, Tx.
May 3	Fly-In at Pioneer Flight Museum in Kingsbury, TX.
May 10	Monthly Breakfast at Harris County Smokehouse
May 13	Monthly Meeting at Valley Ranch Barbeque
May 17	Tour to Pickett House in Woodville, Texas
Jun 7	Monthly Breakfast at Magnolia Diner
Jun 10	Monthly Meeting at Valley Ranch Barbeque
Jun 12 -15	Texas Tour in Giddings, TX

Jul 8	Monthly Meeting at Valley Ranch Barbeque
Jul 12	Monthly Breakfast at Lynns Table in Spring
Jul 24	Tour to Newman Castle in Bellville, Texas
Aug 9	Monthly Breakfast at Magnolia Diner
Aug 16	Annual Ice Cream Social and Monthly Meeting
Sep 6	Monthly Breakfast at Lynns Table in Spring
Sep 9	Monthly Meeting at Valley Ranch Barbeque
Sep 13-15	Tour to Washington on the Brazos
Oct 11	Monthly Breakfast at Whistle Stop Cafe
Oct 11	Heritage Museum in Conroe (10:00 am to Noon)
Oct 14	Monthly Meeting at Valley Ranch Barbeque
Oct. 24-26	Autumn Trails Weekend, Winnsboro, Texas
Nov 1	Monthly Breakfast at Harris County Smokehouse
Nov 11	Monthly Meeting at Valley Ranch Barbeque
Nov 22*	Tomball Holiday Parade
Dec 6	Monthly Breakfast at Magnolia Diner
Dec 10	Annual Egnog and Katfish Event {Vernon's Kuntry Katfish
Dec 13	Annual Christmas Party at Walden Yacht Club

Note: Touring Rules of the Road
Will be published before each Major Tour
Throughout the year

What is the difference between a Hippo and a Zippo?

One is a little heavy and one is a little lighter

Successful Model 'A' clubs have one
common ingredient. They have mem-
bers that will plan events and volunteer
to assist in running the organization.
It's a necessary ingredient.

Answer Troy

Sunshine Report

By: Perry Jones, Sunshine Coordinator

New Members

John Guzman

Paul and Kathy Smith

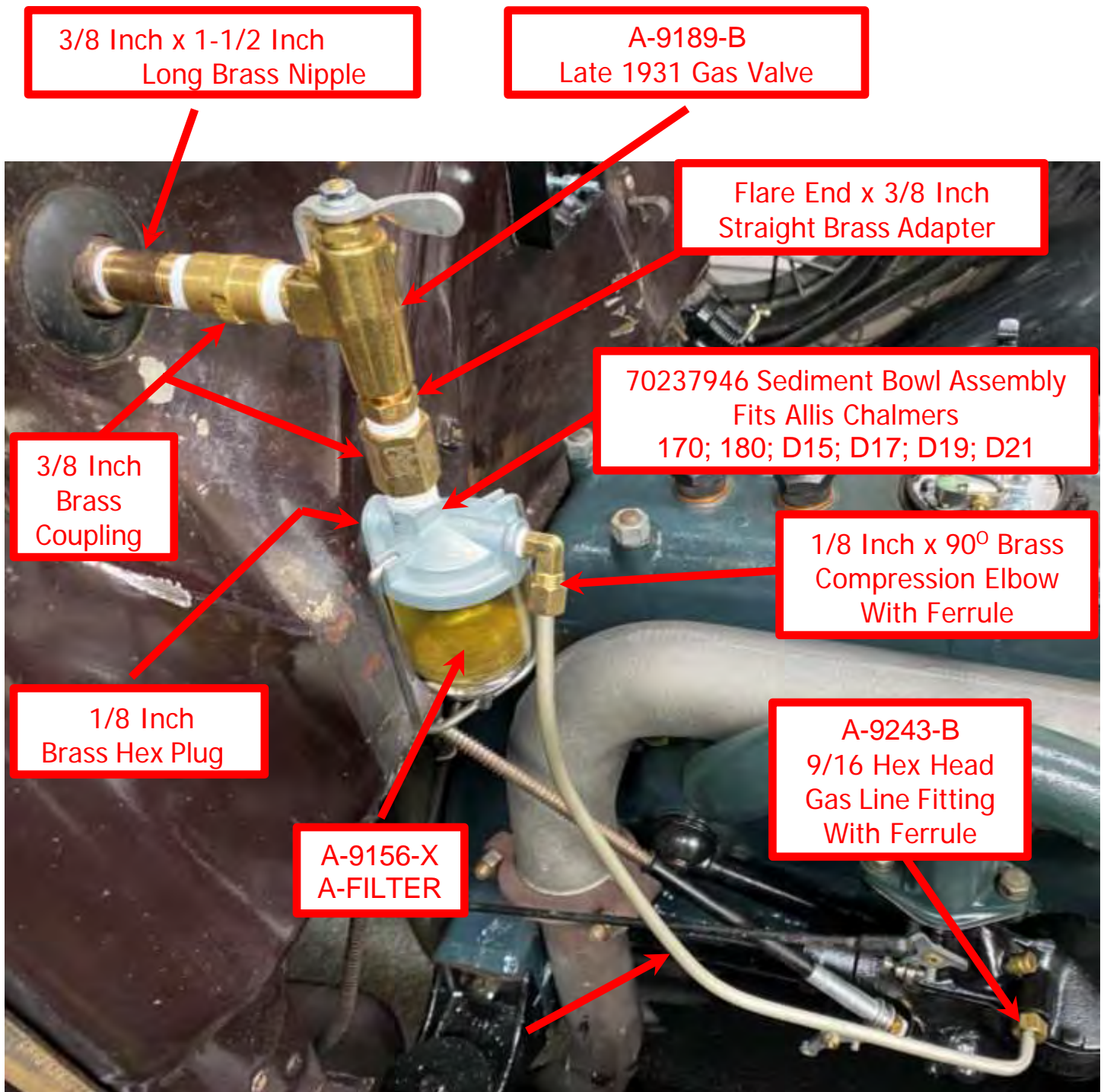
Brandy Fuller	3/6
Roger Minson	3/8
Don Endebrock	3/9
Ashley Griffin	3/9
Kimberly Teale	3/10
Annette Haut	3/11
Phillip Burmaster	3/13
Dawn Carrie	3/14
Patrick Moore	3/16
Jennifer Hanson	3/20
Francis Sample	3/21
Margery Koogler	3/25



William & Arnita Hoekstra	3/1
Dave & Margery Koogler	3/10
Bill & Connie Miller	3/21
Tom & Alicia Stevenson	3/21
George & Sheila Williamson	3/23
Ross & Dawn Carrie	3/31

Sediment Bowl & A-Filter Assembly Added To 1931 Model A's

By: Frank De Lucia, Treasurer





On the next page is the A9156X filter that is mentioned in this article



1930 FORD MODEL A A-FILTER

Quick, Simple, No Modifications

Turns your existing Fuel Sediment Bowl into
a high efficiency two-stage filter



Made in the USA
Patent Pending



PROVEN - ROAD TESTED

The A-Filter has been tested on a 1930 Tudor Sedan for over five years and over 8,000 miles. The original prototype was installed in early 2017. During the test period the bowl and carburetor were periodically inspected. No debris was found in the carburetor bowl and no performance issues were logged. The Sediment bowl was emptied periodically, and no debris was found above the A-Filter.

ORDER YOUR A-FILTER TODAY AT
SNYDER'S ANTIQUE AUTO PARTS

A-9156-X

A-FILTER IS COMPATIBLE WITH
MOST AFTERMARKET &
ORIGINAL GLASS SEDIMENT
BOWLS:

A-9155 – Sediment Bowl Assembly

A-9162 – Sediment Bowl Glass



BENEFITS

- **One Piece** – Installs in Sediment Bowl Housing with **No Modifications**
- **Removable** – Easily removed for car judging and cleaning
- **No Flow Restriction** – Ideal for gravity feed systems
- **Ethanol Proof** – Impervious to modern fuels
- **Flow Path Aids in Cooling** – Reduces chance of vapor lock
- **No Paper Filters** – Brass screen is robust and cleans easily if needed
- **No Magnets Needed** – Debris stays on the bottom of the bowl
- **Pays for Itself** vs disposable paper filter designs



DESIGN

- Made from corrosion resistant brass
- Simple spring force secures the filter in the bowl assembly
- Screen seals against glass bowl preventing bypass
- Fuel is diverted to below the conical screen
- Flow area is larger than existing piping
- Fuel flow is normalized before reaching top sediment bowl screen



A-Filter Installation Instructions

As Easy As . . .

- 1 Remove A-Filter from storage tube. Contents: A-Filter, Spring, Instructions. Keep your original sediment bowl screen and seal in place.



- 2 Remove spring from top of A-Filter and insert with small end first under cone end of A-Filter as shown.



- 3 Insert top of A-Filter into center inlet of bowl. Place glass bowl over A-Filter and secure with adjustment nut as

Glass bowl diameters vary by manufacture: A-Filter will fit snug against the inside diameter of the glass when installed. If the filter screen is not snug, it can be adjusted outward using your thumb and forefinger to work the outer edge outward 360 degrees.



Made in the USA
Patent Pending



Original of a Texas Staple—Nachos

The origins of nachos can be traced back to the border town of Piedra Negra, Texas, where the dish was invented in the early 1940s in a frantic effort to please customers. Ignacio Anaya, who went by the nickname Nacho, was the maitre d'hôtel of the Victory Club when a group of women arrived at the eatery outside of business hours, after the cooks had gone home. Not wanting the customers to leave, Anaya ran to the kitchen and gathered up a few ingredients that he had lying around — fried tortilla chips, colby cheese, and jalapeños — which he combined and baked until the cheese melted. The diners loved the concoction and requested seconds, so the restaurant added it to the menu. Capitalizing on the local success of his new snack food, Anaya even went on to open his own restaurant.

It would be an entirely different person who popularized nachos on a national level, however. Frank Liberto took Anaya's concept and changed the delivery process so that the cheese "sauce" didn't need to be refrigerated. Liberto's version of nachos was introduced at a Texas Rangers game in 1976, and today nachos are a staple at sporting arenas across the country.



Handy Roadside Assistance Kit and Miscellaneous Parts – Things to consider

- Fuel Line Kit – See below
- Spare Lug Nuts
- Conical Lug Nut Washers
- Spark Plug Caps – especially if you are running Champions (3X, etc.)
- Spare Spark Plug
- Spare Spark Plug Leads
- Gas Cap
- Spare Points
- Spare Clevis Pins (Standard & Oversize with cotter pins)
- Spare 1/8 Inch NPT vacuum line plug

Fuel Line Emergency Kit

A fuel line kit can be used to transfer gasoline, repair a fuel line, replace a fuel line, etc. Some simple parts can be collected to create a kit without taking up any room. Below is a list of parts:

- **1/4 Inch fuel tubing (5 feet)
- Hose Clamps (2 minimum)
- **Hose Barb Fitting – 5/16 Inverted Flare to 1/4 Inch hose barb. Must have 1/2-20 UNF straight thread and 45 degree interior angle. Any combination of fittings can work.
- 1/4 Inch compression coupling by 1/8 Inch pipe thread – used to swage compression sleeves
- 1/4 Inch compression sleeves
- 1/4 Inch OD brass tubing – can be hobby tubing, steel tubing, etc.
- Premade tubing stems with ferrule – put in kit to use with fitting.
- Optional Gas Line Fitting – A-9243-B (minimum 2)



Note: Do not use the fittings with the break-away or integral ferrule. These may cause damage to the sealing faces of the carburetor, sediment bowl, or fuel valve.

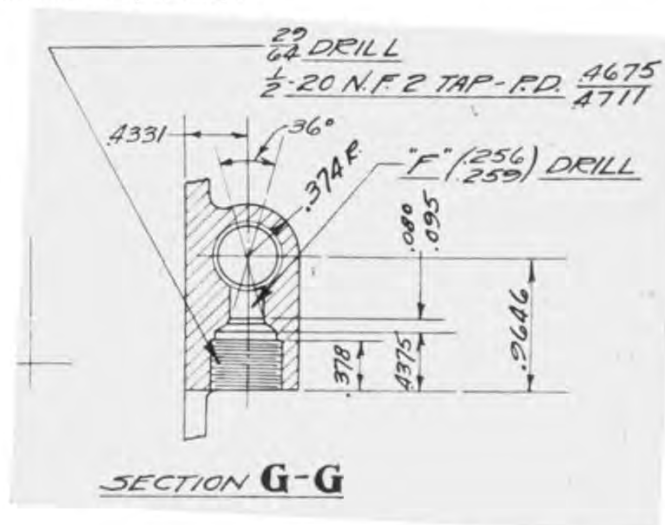
** You may have to substitute your tubing to 5/16 inch ID and 5/16 inch tubing barb based on availability of fittings and cost.



Zenith Carburetor Fuel Port Geometry

Below is the actual fuel port geometry extracted from an original Ford drawing.

Notice the angled sealing face – This is a **135 degree** included angle. Normal drill points are 118 and 135 degrees. Ford wanted to keep it simple.



Model A Carburetor books and literature recommend using a Dremel grinding stone # 911 to redress the port. This will destroy the original sealing geometry.

- This stone has a .433 Inch diameter and a .217 Inch radius.
- The stone will enlarge the drill thru hole and wipe out the angled face and replace it with a radius.

The best solution is to purchase a Dremel stone # 971 and make the following modifications:

- Trim the Outside diameter down to .455 Inch diameter.
- Reshape the radiused crown surface to a 135 degree included angle.

These modifications will preserve the original shape and not require as much material to be removed during cleanup.

Dremel #971 Modified



Port after Cleanup – Full Cleanup, Threads untouched.



The Mode of the Moment
in **Simpson**
for **Shoes**
for *Smart-Dressed*
Women

Black Patent with Black Lizard
40-390 An attractive One-Strap Shoe of Glossy Black Patent Leather with trimming of Black Lizard-finished Leather—a style highly favored in the world of fashion this season. Louis heel with Metal Plate. Durable and will give long wear. You'll like it with the stylish colored hosiery.
Sizes 2½ to 7. **\$2.65**
Price delivered...

Black Patent Trimmed with Grey Python A Beautiful Shoe
40-392 Latest style and great beauty are portrayed in this shoe—a One-Strap of Glossy Black Patent Leather, with trimming of the new Grey Python-finished Leather. Strap fastens with Metal Buckle. Louis heel. Sizes 2½ to 7.
Price delivered... **\$3.98**

Brown Kid One-Strap with Brown Reptile
40-389 Among the lively new shoe styles is this One-Strap of Soft Brown Kid, with quarter of Brown Reptile-finished Leather. Strap and Sewall trimming of the Brown Kid. Military heel with Rubber top-lift.
Sizes 2½ to 7. **\$2.98**
Price delivered...

Smartest Oxford Tie of Fine Brown Calf with Cut-Outs in Vamp
40-393 No matter how busy you are, this shoe has been shown in many ways—an Oxford Tie of Brown Calf, with D'Oro-cut top. Finished with fancy stitching on quarter and tip. Vamp Cut-Out to show the hosiery. Specially constructed arch for ease in walking. Military heel with Rubber top-lift.
Sizes 2½ to 7. **\$3.98**
Price delivered...

Black Patent One-Strap with Quarter of Black Alligator Leather
40-391 Sure to be a great favorite is this handsome One-Strap of Glossy Black Patent Leather, with quarter of Black Alligator-finished Leather. Note the smart new line of the top—the Cut-Out at each side—and the narrow Patent strap fastened with Metal Buckle. Louis heel. Fits well and wears well. Sizes 2½ to 7.
Price delivered... **\$3.98**

Brown Calf Tie with Cut-Out Design at Sides
40-394 Graceful and extremely fashionable shoe of Brown Calf-finished Leather, Cut-Out at each side to show the hosiery, and tied with a Tassel! Silk Lace. Military heel with Rubber top-lift. Easy-riding and serviceable as well as new and smart. Splendid value. Sizes 2½ to 7.
Price delivered... **\$3.25**

FOR SALE

Restored 1930 Texas License Plates



The plates were restored around 2012 (I don't recall the exact date).

I'm asking \$500 or best offer.

My contact information is:

Mike Stone

Cell: 832-561-4551

E-mail mls_arabia@yahoo.com



Restored 1931 Texas License Plates



\$500

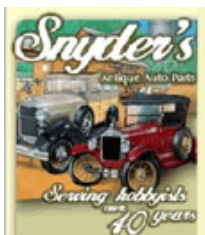
If interested, please contact Art Shaddix at
713-553-6178 or Jashaddix@yahoo.com

Supporting Friends Who Support PWA

The following advertisers provide support to our club and the Model A community

Dear Members,

It is very important that we, as a club, support the companies who advertise in our newsletter & directory. Please let them know when you order parts or material, or if you have work done, that you saw their ad in your club newsletter and/or directory.



Web Site: www.snydersantiqueauto.com
E-Mail: [Don @ SnydersAntiqueAuto.com](mailto:Don@SnydersAntiqueAuto.com)

Snyder's Antique Auto Parts, Inc.
12925 Woodworth Road
New Springfield, OH 44443-9753

Toll-Free! Orders/Info: 888-262-5712 • Fax: 888-262-5713



Web Site: www.brattons.com

Brattons Antique Auto Parts, Inc.
1606 Back Acre Circle
Mount Airy, MD 21771

Order Toll Free: 800-255-1929
Fax Toll Free: 800-774-1930
Information: 301 829-9880



Web Site: www.mikes-afordable.com
E-Mail: [mike @ mikes-afordable.com](mailto:mike@mikes-afordable.com)

Mikes "A"Ford-Able Parts
124 Model A Drive
Maysville GA 30558

Phone: (706) 652-3866 • Fax: (706) 652-2492



Web Site: www.snjparts.com
E-Mail: smithjones@spiritcom.net
snjparts@gmail.com

Smith and Jones Antique Auto Parts
60 Wisconsin Street
West Columbia, SC 29170

Phone: (800) 422-1928 • Fax: (803) 822-8477

Gulf Coast Powder Coating

8140 CAROLYN
SANTA FE, TEXAS 77517

(409) 925-3262 (409) 770-3228

GCPOWDERCOATING@GMAIL.COM



Radiator Service

800-321-4278

E: info@donhart.com www.donhart.com



Olde Texas Engine Works

Have Tools

Will Travel



Bob Hitchcock (281) 356-6699

*General Tune up's and Maintenance
Mechanical Restoration Sand Blasting and Painting*



Sweet Rides

Classic Car Restoration

(281) 259-9947



Located at: 1115 Yancey Drive, Magnolia, TX 77355

We are proud to be an Authorized Repair and Restoration Facility HAGERTY CLASSIC CAR INSURANCE



Fink's Parts and Restoration

1925-1931 Model A Fords
1932-1940 Flathead Fords
Model T Fords

Original and Hot Rods
Ponies and Slugs
Gas Trucks

Randy Fink
3302 Fawn Creek Drive
Kempner, TX 77339
785 282-4757
rfink@att.net



Jeff Fink
Instagram: [jeffink31828](https://www.instagram.com/jeffink31828)
785 477-4065
jfink89@hotmail.com

TIN MAN

ANTIQUE LICENSE PLATE RESTORATION

License Plate and Restoration
Your License Plate Restored

RandallSlack@ (405) 517-2309
randall.slack@gmail.com

Antique license plates are just that, restored originals. They are not intended to be exact duplicates. Antique license plates have flaws; that is what adds to the "cool factor".

www.alchemymirrorresilvering.com

ALCHEMY MIRROR RESILVERING

MIRRORS DONE THE OLD FASHIONED WAY

BY APPOINTMENT
TOM & MEGAN TARNOW
1768 LAUREL AVE.
ST. PAUL, MN 55104

(651) 641-1125
alchemy@bitstream.net



**Your Ad
Could Go HERE**

The International Order of the Rubber Chicken

By: Frank DeLuccia, Chairman of the Board

The International Order of the Rubber Chicken Rules, Regulations and Other Silly Stuff



At a meeting of the International Order of the Rubber Chicken Society (IORCS), the following rules and silly things have been agreed to and enacted upon. The infamous Rubber Chicken is to be fun and full of frivolity. The purpose of these rules is to provide consistency and fairness for those persons desiring (or not) to acquire the scandalous Rubber Chicken.

Rule #1

If your car causes an unscheduled stop while on tour.

Rule #2

If, while on a tour, you delay the group from leaving on time (except for bringing donuts & coffee).

Rule #3

If, after meeting with the group, you have a trailer (or modern car) problem, causing the others to stop alongside the road or be delayed. (aka: the Fred Rule)

Rule #4

If during any tour, you call another tour member to "help, aid, assist, tow, repair or suggest what 'might' be the problem", which causes him/her to stop whatever they are doing. (Fred Rule #2)

Rule #5 Passing the chicken on. Procedures on how to give the chicken away.

Rule #5-a: To pass the chicken on to another, the current chicken holder must be on said tour.

Rule #5-b: While broken down on the side of the road, it is NOT advisable to hand over, throw to or put the chicken inside the broken-down car or it's owner or driver. Nor is it advisable to stand alongside any broken-down car taunting the car's owner with the chicken. It is also not advisable to have a photo with you standing next to the broken vehicle giving a thumbs-up jester (Dorothy Rule). Injury for violating these Rules is at the current chicken holder's own risk.

Rule #5-c: It is appropriate to pass the chicken at any meal once faces have turned from red and steam is no longer venting from ears - Or - At any chapter meeting - Or - If the new recipient requests it (while on the side of the road).

Rule #6

All chapters should name their chicken. It is most appropriate to name the chicken after a member so deserving because of the regularity or quantity of times he/she has had the honorable chicken bestowed upon him/her.

Rule #7

Out of respect, the Rubber Chicken shall be honorably retired once it's head or both legs have fallen off.

Rule #8

Each chapter should appoint a Colonel Chicken whose job shall be to determine all disputed matters. His/her word is final and not open to debate.

Rule #9

Lifetime Achievement Award. The Rubber chicken shall be permanently given to he/she who runs their Model A out of gas while on tour (known as the Pruett Rule of "Don't worry, I have plenty of gas".) This is not debatable! Note: an appropriate rubber chicken Mardi-gras necklace may be given in lieu of the original rubber chicken.

**2025 Piney Wood Model "A" Ford Club
Officer(s) & Chairperson(s)**

President

Dan Kundts kundts@yahoo.com

Vice President

Troy Walling troy.39@sbcglobal.net

Tour Director:

Troy Walling troy.39@sbcglobal.net

Secretary & Advertising:

Joyce Perkins JPerkins@veritexbank.com

Treasurer:

Frank DeLucia frankdelucia@att.net

Board of Directors:

James Campbell jlcampb56@hotmail.com
Ron Cherry ron.cherry2@gmail.com
Larry Perkins JPerkins@veritexbank.com
Marilyn Hitchcock mhitchcock@cwlighting.com
David Teale (Past President)

Audit:

Tammie Jones (1) jonestg@hotmail.com

Membership & Email Coordinator:

Perry Jones jones_perry@hotmail.com

Newsletter:

Troy Walling troy.39@sbcglobal.net

National Reporter:

Dan Kundts kundts@yahoo.com

MAFCA, MARC Representative

Dan Kundts kundts@yahoo.com

MAFFI Representative:

Donna Lewis dclpsi@sbcglobal.net

Safety Coordinator:

Perry Jones (jones_perry@hotmail.com)

Chicken Fraternity, Chairman of the Board:

Frank DeLucia frankdelucia@att.net

Sunshine Coordinator:

Mitzi Shaddix mitzishaddix@gmail.com

Apparel & Accessories:

Marion Hertzbach bearing1@gmail.com

Librarian:

Tom Bragaw tom@go-sail.net

Technical Seminars:

David Teale dwteale@comcast.net

50 - 50 Drawing:

Sergio Fernandez sergiofernandeztxgmail.com

Christmas Party Committee:

Joyce Perkins JPerkins@veritexbank.com

Mileage Keeper:

Tom Bragaw tom@go-sail.net

Media Chairperson:

Alex Brock asbrock@me.com

Lady A Activities Coordinator(s):

Kim Teale ksteale@comcast.net



All newsletter mail should be sent to the Editor at the address:

The Ford Squeaks - Piney Wood Model A Ford Club

Troy G Walling
40410 Cimarron Way
Magnolia, TX 77354
troy.39@sbcglobal.net

"The Ford Squeaks" is the official monthly publication of the Piney Wood Model A Ford Club, Inc. This club is a local chapter of the Model A Ford Club of America (MAFCA), a region of the Model A Restorers Club (MARC). The newsletter is mailed to members, prospective members, and editors of similar publications in exchange for their newsletter. Its purpose is to provide the members with information regarding club activities, upcoming events, Model 'A' restoration and maintenance. Members may publish non-commercial ads at no cost for Model A-related items: For Sale, Wanted or Trade. They are also invited to submit articles of interest or information to be published in the newsletter. **Material must reach the Editor by the 20th of the month to ensure publication in the next month's issue.** Membership dues in the Piney Wood Model 'A' Ford Club are \$25.00 per year. Annual membership is required in MAFCA. MAFCA dues are \$50.00 per year (subject to change). Membership applications are available from the Club Membership Director or our website (www.pineywoodmafc.com). The Piney Wood Model 'A' Club meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday of every month (except December) at 7:00 PM at the Valley Ranch Bar-B-Que & Grill Restaurant, at the corner of Spring Cypress & Tomball Parkway (FM249). Other clubs are encouraged to use articles & info from **"The Ford Squeaks"** as long as credit is given.

Community Involvement (OME):

Paul Gross paulgross@earthlink.net

Model A Tool Crib:

Bill Miller mrwkmiller@gmail.com