

The Spare Tire

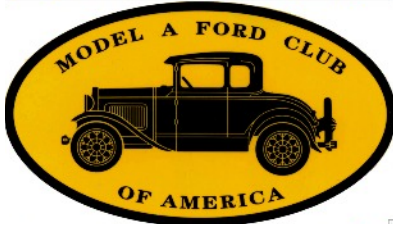
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13th Annual

ALL Model A & Model T

SWAP MEET & PEOPLE'S CHOICE CAR SHOW

at

Smith & Jones Antique Auto Parts
60 Wisconsin St. West Columbia, SC

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Friday, September 14, 2018 8am to 5pm Swap Meet

Saturday, September 15, 2018 8am to 3pm Swap Meet & Car Show

Vendor Space: Early registration: \$15/one day \$25/two days \$20/\$30 at the gate

Car Corral: \$10 for two days

Palmetto A Members - Free Vendor Space

\$2 Door Prize Tickets Food Concession 50/50

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"A" Note from the President....

Yikes, South Carolina sure can be hot and muggy! We were pleasantly surprised with a cloudy and cooler day to take a nature walk through the Congaree National Park. If you missed this opportunity, and have never been, you really should go. This is a beautiful natural undisturbed area of forest and swampland. There is much to see and appreciate about our area of South Carolina. Our guide was most informative and tried to point out everything that could be observed while we were there. After our walk, we toured over to Sumter and had a great lunch at Willie Sue's. Delicious!

Next month, we will have our annual Swap Meet at Smith and Jones. We hope to see our friends from our sister clubs here in South Carolina and Georgia. Bring what parts you want to sell - Swap Meet spaces are FREE to all members of the Palmetto Chapter. Pretty good

bargain - you sell your stuff and it won't cost you anything! If you can swing it, please come on Thursday to help get the chairs out of the containers and to help sweep up the shop. Please remember that many hands make for light work - and with that thought in mind, we could use your help with putting those chairs back in the containers on Saturday afternoon about 3pm. Again, this year we will have our Peoples Choice Award Car Show, open to all Model T's and Model A's. So spiff up your car and bring it out to show. Lunch will be served about noon both Friday and Saturday, so bring your appetites! It is time to look inward and decide how you can give back to the club. We are looking for people to fill the Board positions for the 2019 calendar year. Won't you step up and help run our club? Stay cool and drive those Model A's!
Happy

*September**Birthdays*Erline Kyzer - 6thJoAnn Jones - 7thLori Bailey - 8thPattama Becher - 8thHappy Begg - 8thNathaniel Harper - 10thPaul Bozard - 15thDebbie Areheart - 23rdDan Ward - 24thLinda Johnson - 28thFay Prince - 29th*Anniversaries*Danny & Cheryl Austin - 1stHarold & JoAnn Jones - 1stDick & Shirley Fraser - 9thDan & Starke Ward - 9thWyman & Linda Toole - 21stRichard & Susan Buff - 24th*Board of Directors*President* - [Happy Begg](#) (803)622-0048Vice President* - [Lauren Eckstrom](#) (551)206-0821Secretary* - [Sharon Booth](#) (803)422-9846Treasurer* - [Tom Barnes](#) (803)776-9422Newsletter Editor* - [Twila Cockerill](#) (803)446-5803Membership Director - [Cheryl Austin](#) (803)351-5687Past President - [John Cockerill](#) (803)446-3837National Director* - [Judy Barnes](#) (803) 776-9422Member At Large - [Wes Porterfield](#) (803)749-5649

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*Committee Chairs*Tour Director - [Lauren Eckstrom](#)Technical Director - [Wayne Areheart](#)Librarian - [Davin Smith](#)

Sunshine -

Picnic in the Park - Committee

Swap Meet - Committee

Christmas Party - Committee

Fundraising - [Dick Fraser](#)Community Outreach - [John Begg](#)Webmaster - [Happy Begg](#)Website: www.palmettoas.net*Treasurer's Report**August, 2018*

We continue to maintain a balance in line with the club budget as set and approved by the Board of Directors. All bills and receipts are processed promptly. The checkbook is balanced monthly with no discrepancies. The club account balance is reported at each General Membership meeting.

Tom Barnes, Treasurer

Sunshine Report

Please keep the following folks in your thoughts and prayers: John Cockerill, Shirley Fraser, Retta Gantt, Wyman Toole and Bobby Williamson. *Remember: call, write or send a card to someone who needs encouragement. We are "FAMILY" and it helps to be thought of and prayed about.*

If you have any Sunshine concerns, please call or email the newsletter editor to add the name to our Sunshine Report.

ATTENTION!!!

It has come to the Board's attention that our October Meeting and Tour will be out of town and some members may not be able to attend. Therefore, the nominating committee has been asked to have their selection of candidates to fill the open positions of President, Vice President and Treasurer ready by 23 September. At that time they will present to the existing Board their nominations. The slate of nominees will then be posted in the October edition of *The Spare Tire*. As per our bylaws, we take nominations from the floor at our October meeting but that has been waived by the Board for this year to allow the club members to have until October 19 to email nominations to Wayne Areheart, dareheart@sc.rr.com.

Please make sure that the members you are nominating are willing and able to serve if elected. All board members must be members of MAFCA and MARC.

Board of Directors Meeting Highlights

August 13, 2018

Meeting was called to order. Happy Begg, Lauren Eckstrom, Tom Barnes, John & Twila Cockerill, Cheryl Austin, Dick Fraser and Wes Porterfield were in attendance.

John Cockerill agreed to assemble a Nomination Committee for our 2019 Officer election. The Committee will be contacting the membership in regards to the following offices which will be open for the 2019 calendar year: president, vice president and treasurer. The committee will present their recommendations to the board and the report will be posted in the October newsletter.

Twila reported that all is well with the newsletter. Happy reported that she will be making changes to the website in the next two months. Hopefully updating the members/cars page.

Tom reported that we received a \$0.06 credit from TD Bank in regards to a Penny Arcade Class Action Suit. Memorials were made on behalf of the club in honor of Gary Smith and Bill Hornsby to their charities of choice. Our financial situation is in very good shape. All bills/donations/reimbursements are up to date. Swap Meet - John Begg and John Cockerill will purchase the prizes for the meet and a budget of \$100 was agreed upon. Lauren has a good list of helpers for set up and tear down and others have volunteered to help with cooking, raffle ticket sales, food sales, and other various jobs that need to be done.

Cheryl reported that membership is at 47, 5 are life members.

Upcoming meetings/tours were discussed; see back page of newsletter.

Meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by Happy Begg

Palmetto A's Membership Meeting Highlights

August 18, 2018

Willie Sue's in Sumter

John Cockerill is putting together a Nomination Committee for the 2019 Board and will be contacting club members to serve on the committee.

Twila reported that there's nothing new with the newsletter. She did ask for more recipes to put in the newsletter. Happy reported that she will be making changes and updates to the website soon.

No treasurers report as Tom Barnes was absent. The Swap Meet was discussed and everyone was encouraged to volunteer to help make it a success. Please let Lauren Eckstrom know if you can help.

Happy read the birthday and anniversary lists. She also handed out MARC mileage awards to Wes Porterfield and Wyman and Linda Toole.

We had seven Model A's, one 1934 Ford and 12 members in attendance.

Submitted by Twila Cockerill



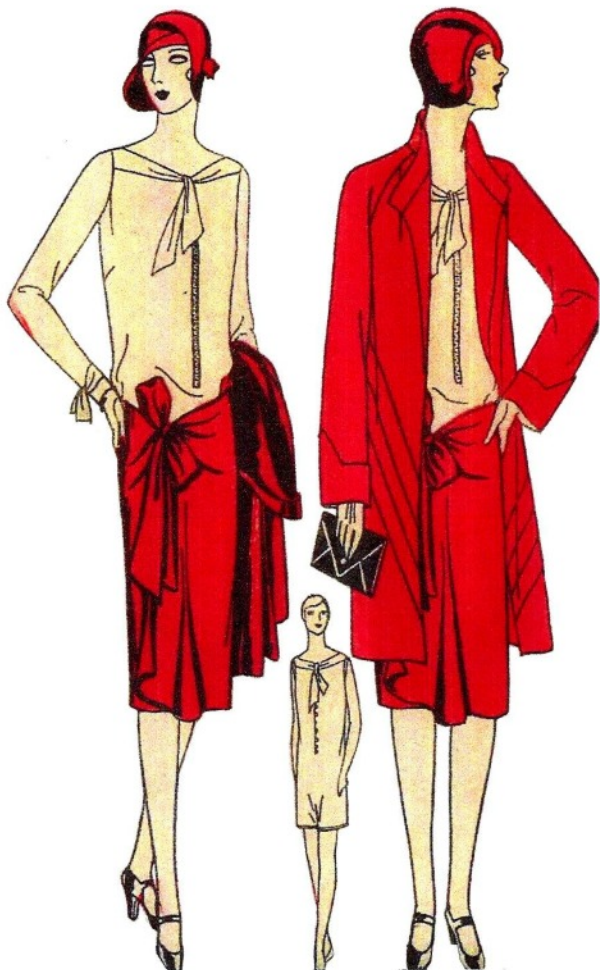
Photos of our 18 August trip to Congaree National Forest and Willie Sue's Restaurant in Sumter



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A CULOTTE-BLOUSE AND A CAPE-FROCK ENSEMBLE

By Lois Przywitowski



A Culotte-Blouse and a Cape-Frock,
Pattern Numbers 2526 & 2518
Butterick Fashions, April 1929

While researching magazines, catalogs and pattern fliers, I stumbled upon a picture of a Culotte-Blouse and a Cape-Frock pattern. When I think of culottes, I think of split skirts, clearly not the case here, and I still am not sure how the term culotte applies to this pattern.

This frock is a combined blouse and step-in with a one-piece tie-around skirt. The step-in bodice fastens by way of a slide, rather than the normal snaps of the era. Slide was the term for zipper in the Model A era. Slides were mainly used for galoshes and were not normally used in clothing until after the era.

Butterick recommended using satin crepe for the blouse and contrasting satin crepe for the skirt. The instructions for the slide fastener were included in the pattern.

For the cape, they suggested satin crepe, or plain or novelty weave wool coatings, or ribbed silks.

**Cook's Corner
Pineapple Casserole**

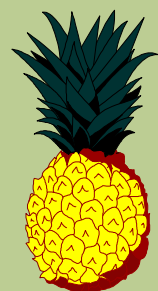
Ingredients:

- 1 cup sugar
- 6 tbs all-purpose flour
- 2 cups grated sharp cheddar
- 2 (20-ounce) cans pineapple chunks, drained & 6 tbs pineapple juice, reserved
- 1 cup cracker crumbs (recommend Ritz)
- 1 stick butter, melted, plus extra for greasing pan

Preheat oven to 350°.

Grease 8 X 8 dish with butter.

Stir together sugar and flour in a large bowl. Gradually stir in cheese. Add drained pineapple and stir until well combined. Pour into prepared baking dish. In a medium bowl, mix all other ingredients until well combined. Spread over pineapple mixture. Bake 25 to 30 minutes, or until golden brown.

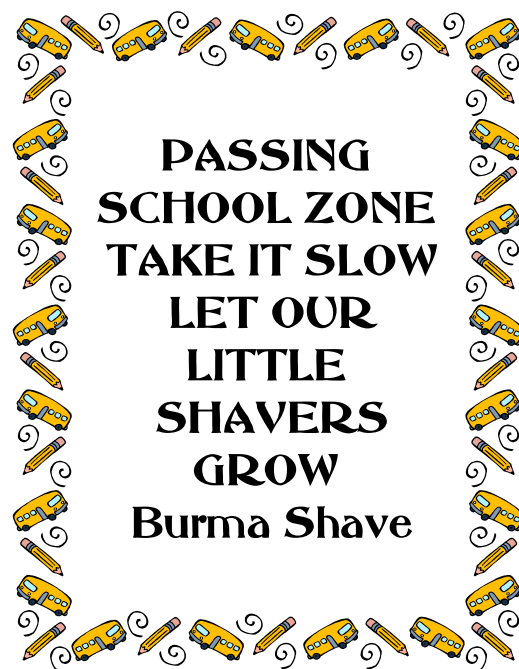


MAFFI Newsletter Minute, August 2018

ALL Aboard!

When you next visit our museum, on The Gilmore grounds, you may have the unique opportunity to take a ride in a 1930 AA stake bed truck. Through a generous donation made to MAFFI last year, we have a beautifully restored AA truck which has been fitted with an entry stairway and bench seats for visitor rides.

The idea to use the truck for visitor rides was discussed with the MAFFI trustees and Chris Shires, Executive Director at The Gilmore. It was agreed that the AA stake bed truck was ideal for offering visitor rides and provided another way for visitors to have fun and learn about the museum's cars and trucks. Finding a way to safely enter the truck and to provide seating took some work, but, through the efforts of Larry Wallace and Rob Mills (MAFFI trustees) and Innovative Access Solutions in Leitchfield, Kentucky, a design was developed. The powder coated aluminum components were shipped to Rob Mills's farm where he completed the installation onto the truck bed and tailgate and delivered the truck to the museum. Randy Czubko, also a MAFFI trustee, developed magnetic signs which will help promote both the hobby and the museums. The signs will be installed on the truck doors when completed. The truck is on loan to The Gilmore so that rides can be given year round. Marsha Quesnel, MAFFI Trustee
clubcontact@maffi.org



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Due date for submissions
for the October, 2018 issue
is September 20th

Jim's Technical Tip of the Month

by MAFCA's Technical Director, Jim Cannon

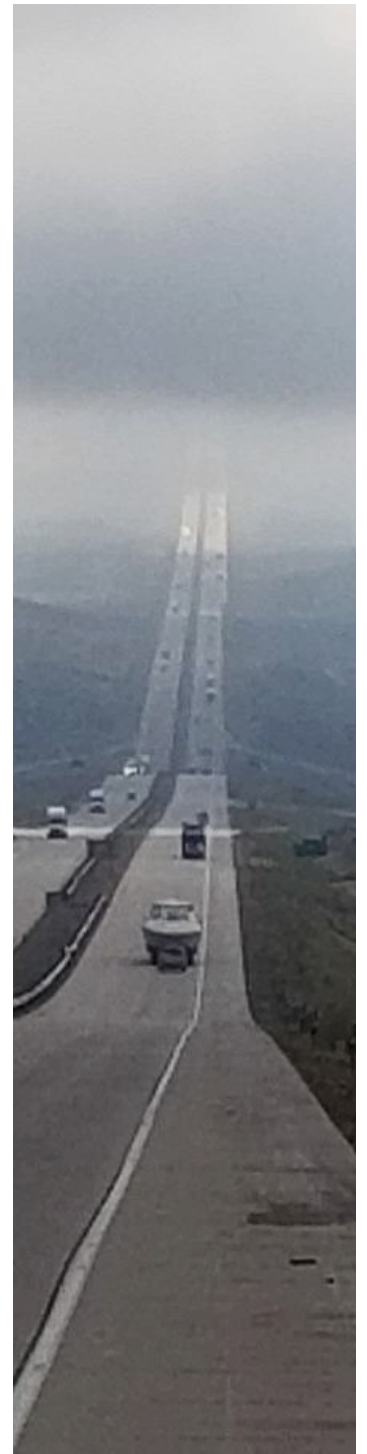
Have a Slant Window? Need More Front Seat Leg Room?

This tip only applies to those of you that drive a 1931 Slant Windshield Fordor or Town Sedan style vehicle. Sorry!

If you need more leg room up front, remove the bottom seat cushion to work through there. Remove the 4 screws that hold the front seat latch mechanism down to the floor. You may have to slide the seat forward or back to see them all. Look under the front carpet.

With the screws out, slide the front seat assembly back about 4 inches, so that the front 2 holes on the latch line up with the rear 2 holes in the floor. Put 2 screws in there. Put the other 2 screws in the front holes in the floor, just to fill the holes. Put the bottom seat cushion back in, and you now have 4 more inches of leg room!

The seat assembly will partly block the rear doors when it is all the way back. Just slide it forward to let your rear seat passengers in, then slide it back to get the leg room you need.



From the desk of MAFCA's President

The Aces & A's Convention in Sparks is over and I'm happy to say everyone had a great time. I have to congratulate the members of the Northern California Regional Group for all their hard work they put into planning such a successful meet. Under the leadership of Chairwomen Trudy Vestal and Co-Chair Jim Costello, they and their team had all areas under control. I am happy to report that Trudy was able to attend the entire convention after an amazing recovery from a medical condition that could have kept anyone else on the Sideline.

The weather was great, the tours very scenic and interesting, the cruises on Lake Tahoe were spectacular, great technical seminars and fashion boutiques. The fashion Show and Tea was a hit and the cars participating in the various judging classes were top notch. The Raffle and Hospitality room was always crowded. The flea market had some great parts and the repair tent always had something to work on.


The other benefit of attending a national convention is reconnecting with members from around the country

and world. We enjoyed spending time with our friends from New Zealand, Australia and Canada. Great times for sure. I'm sure your club is similar to ours; in that August is a busy month for touring. Our club has 7 events scheduled this month. That should keep us out & about and adding mileage to our Model A. Speaking of mileage, do you know that MAFCA has a National Driving Award? It is a mileage award program and information can be found on the MAFCA website under the National Driving Recognition Awards (Policy P2S05-G). If you like driving your Model A, keep track of your mileage and receive your award.

Do you have any plans to visit the MAFFI Model A Museum in Hickory Corners? I, along with other members of the MAFCA board, will be at the museum to celebrate their Model A Day festivities. This is always a fun day with the grounds surrounding the museum loaded with Model A's, era dressed visitors and programs. Please stop by and visit with us at the MAFCA event tables, we would enjoy talking to you.

Doug Linden

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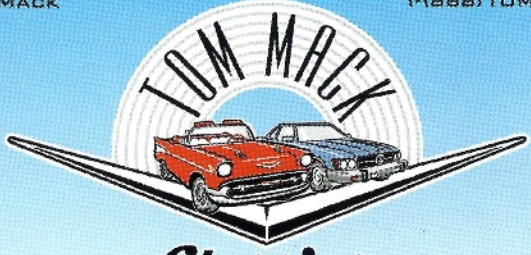
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Editor's Note....

The berries on my dogwood trees are turning red and the leaves are turning yellow. Nooooooooooooooooooooo! It's too soon for summer to end. However, I am looking forward to cooler weather.

According to all the newsletters that I get, Model A touring is hot and heavy all over the nation. Everyone is trying to get in all the miles they can before winter sets in. We are lucky enough to live in **The South** where we don't put our Model A's up for the winter.

We have a busy fall planned. We also have other possibilities for tours not on the club schedule. The Magnolia Ridge Antique and Art Show at Magnolia Ridge Farm in Ridge Spring is September 22. (See info on page 8) The Model T Club usually has the Model T's to Olar in October. (I don't have the dates for that.) The Aiken A's have invited our members to join them for their annual picnic on October 20 (same date as our Caesar's Head tour). November 2-4 is the Richland Creek Antique Fall Festival in Ward. We have participated in all of these events before. You don't need to wait on an official Palmetto A's club tour to do these things! Get a group together. Go! Drive!

Twila

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- Model A Ford Club of America.
Annual dues are \$50 and include a subscription to **The Restorer Magazine** from MAFCA, 250 South Cypress St., La Habra, CA 90631 and
- Model 'A' Restorers Club
Annual dues are \$45 and include a subscription to the **Model 'A' News Magazine** from MARC, 6721 Merriman Road, Garden City, MI 48135



Down the Road

Is there a destination to which you would like to drive your Model A? Is there a lunch spot to which you would like to drive your Model A? Call or email Lauren Eckstrom at (551)206-0821 or laeckstrom@gmail.com. She is looking for your ideas and input!

Palmetto A's Schedule for 2018

- September 14-15** Swap Meet
- October 20** [Caeser's Head State Park](#)
- November 17** Pot Luck suggested
- December 8** Christmas Party at Lexington Villa's Clubhouse

Other Events of Interest

(details on National Club Websites & Magazines)

- September 17-20** [MARC National Tour, Elkins, West Virginia](#)
- September 22** International Model A Day
- November 2 - 4** 23rd Richland Creek Antique Fall Festival
- November 27 -December 1** [MAFCA National Awards Banquet in Tucson, Arizona](#)
- 2019**
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