Philippa MacFarlane Thorne
November 1, 1936 - December 25, 2016
Philippa Anne Macfarlane (nee Macann) died at her home “Moeraki House” in Southern Oregon, United States on December 25, 2016. Philippa was born November 1, 1936 in Oxford New Zealand. She immigrated to California in 1965 with her first husband Roger Macfarlane, and two beloved daughters, where she resided until she retired in 2000 from Stanford University. She moved to Southern Oregon with her second husband, Clair Thorne where they resided at Moeraki House. Philippa left a light footprint on this earth, but her contributions are a “pebble in the pond” that have affected the lives of many. She will forever be in our hearts. “A Mother at Rest”. No services are planned. In lieu of flowers, please take the opportunity to donate to your local animal rescue group in her honor.

Philippa MacFarlane and Clair Thorne at the club Christmas party on Saturday, December 17th.

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From Dr. Car B. Rater

Here we are into a new year 2017 and I would like to thank those that have stepped up to be our officers and support team for the year.

- Rick Black, Vice President and our webmaster
- Nell Mathern, Secretary and Chapter News for the Restorer
- Kitsy Wikkerink, Treasurer and NWRG Rep.
- Linda Smith, Manifold Editor and Membership
- Jim Martin #2, Tour Leader
- Reid Williams, Sunshine
- Margaret Rambo, Raffle.
- Gladycce Maloney and Kathy Bibler, Hospitality
- Dan Doss, Past President

Our January meeting will be used to make up a list of possible tours so come with some ideas for Jim.

The Christmas party was fun and full of goodies and now I know why Santa is so plump — you can’t eat just one and we missed those that were not there. “The Project” for the Rod & Custom Show is coming along; the painting is done and we are now ready to assemble for a test run. I would like to see more of you involved in this. You don’t need to be there for every work session. The hours are 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM and then to lunch. This newsletter will have the work days listed. Looking forward to a fun and exciting 2017.

Rogue Valley A’s President 2017

Jerry Mathern, alias Dr. Car B. Rater
ROGUE VALLEY-A’S MINUTES FOR DECEMBER 17, 2016

President Dan Doss pounded his gavel to call the meeting to order at 2:15 p.m. at the Royal Mobile Estates, with 44 members and three guests present.

President Doss led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance. The sign-in clipboard was passed around the room. We welcomed visitor Jim Hopkins who joined the RVA’s. He owns a 1930 Coupe

SECRETARY’S REPORT: A motion to approve the November 19 minutes was made by Jim Martin (2) and seconded by George Rambo. The Motion Passed.

TREASURER’S REPORT: Treasurer’s report was given by Kitsy Wikkerink. Motion to approve the report was made by Philippa MacFarlane and seconded by Linda Ellison. The Motion Passed.

The Treasurer reported that 2016 brought in $9.00 in revenue from the members who didn’t wear their Name Tag to the meetings.

CORRESPONDENCE: Birthdays and anniversaries were announced by President Dan Doss.

Linda Smith our Manifold Editor will enter correspondence sent to our club.

OLD BUSINESS: Jerry Mathern shared the work on the project for the Rod & Custom Show and encouraged everyone to come and help.

NEW BUSINESS: Rick Black shared liability W/MAFCA. Kitsy shared that we can pay our share of liability for MAFCA Board for the sum of $75.00 from our club. A motion was made by Jerry Mathern to pay the $75. A second was made by Eileen Mace. The Motion passed.

Kitsy Wikkerink reminded everyone that dues are DUE in the amount of $15.00.

Today President Dan Doss gave a pardon to everyone who forgot their name tag. No Fines today.

The new officers for 2017 were sworn into office. President: Jerry Mathern, Vice President: Rick Black, Secretary: Nell Mathern, Treasurer: Kitsy Wikkerink. Past President: Dan Doss

SUNSHINE: Reid Williams reported that cards were sent to Gloria Wigginton and Marilyn Pringle.

TOURS: nothing shared today.

50/50: Eileen Mace won the 50/50 The Joker remained hidden.

Meeting adjourned at 3 pm by motion made by Mary Ann Martin and seconded by Vern Pearson

After the business meeting we all adjourned for a delicious potluck enjoyed by everyone.

Respectfully submitted,
Nell Mathern, Secretary, 2016 2017
## RVA Head Mechanics 2017

**President:** Jerry Mathern  
Email: jnmathern@gmail.com  

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Email: rick@rickblack.org  

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**Treasurer:** Kitsy Wikkerink  
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**Past President:** Dan Doss  
Email: danido5@aol.com

## Skilled Technicians 2017

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  Email: happycook@charter.net  
- Kathy Bibler  
  Email: joyfull1@charter.net  

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Email: jnmathern@gmail.com  

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Email: rcwikk1@yahoo.com  

**Raffle:**  
Margaret Rambo  
Email: martrsew@gmail.com  

**Sunshine Chair:**  
Reid Williams  
Email: mountainsky49@gmail.com  

**Tour Chair:**  
- Jim Martin (2)  
  Email: kmandjm@97520.net

**Website:**  
Rick Black  
Email: rick@rickblack.org  

**Tech Tips:**  
As provided by membership, other clubs, or MAFCA
Merry Christmas 2016

Here it is the holiday time again. I hope it finds you in good sprits, and enjoying yourself.

I have made large life style changes in the last few years. In Lebanon I liked my house with lots of room to spread out, and a little yard for the dogs, but I didn't care for city noise, and the place was not very pleasant.

I moved to the farm in May, and have enjoyed the spring leaves and flowers, the summer beach activities, the fall leaves making a mosaic of brown and yellow to walk on, a very rainy October, and now winter. I take a forest walk almost every day, a half mile to the river that runs through their property.

The dogs are both with me. Freckles has been stable for a year and a half now. Happi is 16 and having problems.

I enjoy each day and the relaxed activities that I can do. I eat most dinners with Judy and Loren, and they include me in many of their actuates.

My new address is: PO Box 2699 Lebanon, OR97355, Tel: 541-248-2529.

I appreciate getting the news on the computer tell everyone in both groups hello for me. Have a good one.

Margaret
When was your Model A manufactured and why is that date important? Strictly speaking, it’s not important unless you want to know how authentic your car is, want to restore it per the “Restoration Guidelines” or have it judged at a sanctioned Model A event. It also helps when purchasing parts since many 1928/1929 parts do not interchange with 1930/1931 parts.

The “Guidelines” require the car owner to write the year and month of manufacture on the window placard. This information is used by the judges to determine which parts/features are correct for that car. An incorrect month/year can result in major point deductions. Over the four-year production run, many changes were made. A part or component on an early car is correct for a certain period of time and then becomes incorrect on a later car. For example, a well restored STYLE P1 Powerhouse Generator would receive full points on a December 1927 car but would be an incorrect part on an October 1930 car, requiring a point deduction.

Every time I have judged at a regional or national meet, cars have lost points because the owner did not completely fill out the placard or did not select the best date for his Model A. The owner has quite a bit of latitude in the date to select.

So where do you start? Most start with the engine number (Figure 1) as it is easiest to find. The “Guidelines” list the engine manufacture date for all engine numbers by month and year. When the Model A was produced, the engine and frame number (Figure 2) matched. The frame number is hidden by the body. Additionally, some 1928/1929 gas tanks had date stamps on them. Lastly, title information may also be helpful in determining the original engine number. It is best to try and corroborate all information at this time. Over its 80+ years of life, the engine, body, and all components could have been changed.

Assuming you’ve determined the original engine or frame number, the vehicle assembly date could be as much as 3 months after the engine production date (4 months in 1931) and 6 months for commercial vehicles.

This will provide a range of year and month of manufacture, which would be correct for your engine block. If you have determined that your engine number is not original to the car, your range broadens and you could accept point deductions for the engine block.

Once you have determined a range of dates to consider for your vehicle, one way to help ensure you score the maximum points is to assess all the parts and components you have against the dates and charts in the 23 areas of the “Guidelines”. I like to make a table with an X for a correct part and an 0 for an incorrect part. For example, assume you are using engine #1000 manufactured in December 1927. This engine would be correct for December 1927, January 1928, February 1928, and March 1928.

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Continue to assess the remainder of the 23 Areas in a like manner. Next, look at the scoring sheets on the MAFCA website to project how many points will be lost for each incorrect part. Then select the date that gives your vehicle the most points.

In the partial example above, February 1928 and March 1928 are a tossup. Replacing the light switch with the earlier versions would give February 1928 a slight edge in points. Changing the generator instead of the light switch would give March 28 a slight edge.

This may seem like a lot of extra work, but after all the time, money and effort you put into your restoration, the extra effort will put your vehicle in its best light for judging. In any event, be sure to write the month and year on the window placard provided.
Dear Model A Friends,

I trust that you have all had a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! You lucky folks in the Sun Belt are still able to drive and enjoy your Model A through this season and others are hanging in for that 'Frosty Tour' to start off the New Year. Have fun!

Recently a fund raising letter for the museum was sent out to all the clubs and regions. With so many good causes to give to, I do hope that your club had a little something to send in support those organizations that promote the Model A hobby, like the Model A Youth Scholarship Fund and the Model A Ford Museum. These two organizations will assure the future of the Model A hobby and that folks will continue to enjoy seeing and hearing Model A's on the road.

Model A Youth Scholarship Fund  
C/O Anne Neely-Beck  
P O Box 36,  
Jeffersonville, GA 31044

and

The Model A Ford Foundation, Inc.  
P O Box 28  
Peotone, IL  60468-0028

Thank you for your support & Happy New Year,
Loukie Smith  
MAFFI president

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Model A Mileage for 2016 requested

Chapter Members: As in the past, I am tabulating the mileage that our Model As have traveled. Would you please look at the odometer of your Model A’s and write down that reading and contact me so that I can update the log?

You can either call me at 541-499-1356 or email me at Rick@RickBlack.org. Thank you!

Thanks,
Rick
Dear Members,

MAFCA has had a very good year.

The 2016 National Convention was a great success in Loveland, Colorado, hosted by the Colorado Chapter, with over 675 registrations and more than 1,300 participants. Folks had a great time socializing and attending the fun events, all while enjoying the beautiful high plains near Rocky Mountain National Park. The Grand Tour took us up into Rocky National Park, where we were treated to sightings of Elk and Rocky Mountain Sheep as they grazed the slopes. While there, the Era Fashion Committee released their newest publication, The Fashion Files.

This year's National Awards Banquet was held in Reno, Nevada, hosted by The Sagebrush Chapter. We had award recipients who ranged in age from the early 20’s to the late 60’s. It was such a pleasant surprise to see Josh Thomas win the Editor's Literary Award at the young age of 22! I hope you had the opportunity to read his article, "Are Those Headlights Ugly?". As Jim Spawn, Editor of The Restorer, said, this young man has a true gift of writing.

I hope you will consider joining the 2017 National Tour as MAFCA travels the Pacific Coast Highway, October 1-6. Beginning in Paso Robles, California we will travel north on Highway 1 and drive over the Golden Gate Bridge to Marin County and the town of Sausalito, California. This tour will be filled with the beautiful sights of the Pacific Ocean, Giant Redwood trees, and the rugged cliffs of the California coastline.

As 2016 comes to a close, I want to wish each of you a most joyous holiday season and the happiest of New Years. I hope to see you on the Model A road in the near future.

Best Regards,
Happy Begg
2017 MAFCA President

DUES REMINDER: club dues for 2017 were due by the end of December of 2016. If you haven’t paid your dues yet, you’re late! Please see page 19 of this newsletter for a renewal form.
Members may place FREE ads in the Manifold News and on the Rogue Valley A’s website. Please send ads for our website (www.roguevalleys.org) to: rick@RickBlack.org. Send your Manifold News ad description to the Manifold Editor via email: smith94517@gmail.com. Attach photos! Information is needed by the 25th of each month.

The vehicles and parts listed in these ads must be original, reproduction or era parts for Model A Ford automobiles. The Webmaster reserves the right to accept or reject any ad or to edit the copy.

January Birthdays
4 ... Kitsy Wikkerink
8 ... Dana Black
21 ... Marjoe White
21 ... Rick Black
22 ... Marilyn Lewis
23 ... Dorothy Bennett
24 ... Don Smith
27 ... George Rambo

January Anniversaries
10....Judy & Steve Wadleigh
13....Linda & Don Smith

**Important things to remember:**

You can find your **MAFCA membership number** on the Restorer wrapper and write it on the back of your MAFCA membership card that’s included in each January/February issue. You can then keep the membership card in your wallet and always have your membership number handy.

**Don’t forget:** when you drive your Model A to the meeting, you get an **extra 50/25/25 Ticket**

**Wear your name tag — we need to meet and greet our new people! No name tag equals a 25¢ fine.**
FOR SALE: Rick Black, 541-499-1356
  • 1 rebuilt water pump, $50
  • 1 rebuilt distributor with modern points and condenser INSIDE the cap, $50
  • Several T and V8 spark plug wrenches, your choice $5 each
  • Two Model A Generators, probably need rebuilding. Your choice $10.

  • 1930-31 Coupe/Tudor/Pickup gas tank to windshield filler piece, excellent shape. $100.
  • Stock Cylinder Head - removed it when I put on a Brumfield, excellent. $100.
  • Stock Cylinder Head - looks good but dirty. $50.

FOR SALE: Set of 5 Model A 21" wire wheels and 440/450 black wall Lester tires. The wheels are straight and run true with no wobble. Tires are almost new with less than 100 miles on them. These were on my son's 1922 Model T speedster using adaptors. Found a set of '26-'27 T wire wheels (5" centers vs 5-1/2 for the A) and these are no longer needed. Asking $250 for the set of wheels and $375 for the set of tires. $600 for both and I'll throw in a set of re-pop hubcaps.
Dave Williams 541-479-7580 (Grants Pass); email: dave1911t@msn.com

FOR SALE: Joe Davis
Aries Limited
16 West Jackson St.
Medford, OR 97501
650-279-6609
FAX: 650-618-1596

FOR SALE: Chopped Model A flywheels, balanced, new ring gears, set up for V-8 clutch $325. Many other Model A Parts, new and used, call for availability. New King Pin sets, I will loan you the reamer.

FOR SALE: Jim Patrick
Gresham, Oregon
jimp@dieboldlumber.com
503-781-9534
1933 Ford Flatbed Truck 1 1/2 ton
Body off restoration - NO rust, New Bed, Tires, and Paint, Rebuilt Radiator, Generator 80 HP V-8 Flathead Great Body $15,000

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<td><strong>Wanted:</strong> Bob Perry needs one 21” black side wall tire in good shape without any weather checking. You can use both his email address or his phone number as a contact <a href="mailto:rustymetalbob@yahoo.com">rustymetalbob@yahoo.com</a> or 541-659-6485. Thank you.</td>
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<td><strong>Wanted:</strong> Doc Wiese is continuing his 1930 Model A Coupe project and is looking for some 16”, 17” or 18” wheels and rim liners. Doc Wiese: home phone: 541-879-1063 cell: 541-414-5190 email: <a href="mailto:docwiese7@yahoo.com">docwiese7@yahoo.com</a></td>
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<td><strong>Wanted for a Model A Hubley Station Wagon:</strong> I need middle and rear seats, headlight bar with headlights. Please contact John Trumbo, Kennewick WA <a href="mailto:johntnews@gmail.com">johntnews@gmail.com</a></td>
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<td><strong>Wanted:</strong> I’m MAFCA’s newest member. I’ve ‘campaigned’ a 1956 Morgan for 41 years. Looking to move up to a Model A. I’m looking for a 1930-31 two-door Deluxe Phaeton for sale. Interested in a good looking, well cared for driver vs. a well-deserved museum piece. Thanks in advance, Lee R. Lee Harman, MD, FACS (Everett, Washington) 425 422-5406</td>
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Get Your Model “A” Out and About!

See you at the Dairy Queen on Saturday, January 7th, 4:00 p.m.
West Main (next to Blackbird)

Don’t forget: when you drive your Model A to the meeting, you get an extra 50/25/25 raffle ticket.
Our next meeting is scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, January 21st at the Royal Mobile Estates Clubhouse.

Donut List for 2017

**January:** Victor & Gloria Wigginton
**February:** Jerry & Nell Mathern
**March:** Lee & Gloria Jackson
**April:** Dennis & Michelle Perry
**May:** Steve & Judy Wadleigh
**June:** Joe Davis
**July:** Paul DeHart
**August:** Fred & Kay Bennett
**September:** Glenn & Dorothy Bennett
**October:** George & Margaret Rambo or Kitsy Wikkerink
**November:** Mike Stitt
**December:** no donuts. Our Annual Christmas Potluck, Election & Installation of Officers for 2017 will take place.

Three dozen (36) donuts are provided by Members at our monthly meeting.

Each issue of Manifold News will have the donut list of who will be providing the donuts each month. If you can’t provide donuts during your month, please arrange to have someone on the list fill in for you and you can help them out at another time. Thank you.

Please welcome these new members:

James Hopkins
4069 S. Pacific Hwy. Space 31
Medford, OR 97501
Phone: 541-200-5876
email: crosley22002@gmail.com
Birthday: September 20
Car: 1930 Model A Coupe

Mitch Mace-Hall
401 Nugget Drive
Rogue River, OR 97537
Phone: 541-291-0560
email: 6henhomestead@gmail.com
Birthday: December 9
Car: not specified
Tour Coordinator 2017: Jim Martin (2) is the “go to guy” regarding our tours. Most of the club tours are led by club members and we have fun.

2017 CALENDAR

JANUARY:
7: Dairy Queen on West Main at 4 p.m.
7: Chassis project (see page 16 of this newsletter)
14: Chassis project (see page 16 of this newsletter)
21: Rogue Valley A’s meeting at the club house at the Royal Mobile Estates in Jacksonville; coffee and donuts at 9:30, meeting starts promptly at 10:00.
25: Chassis project (see page 16 of this newsletter)

FEBRUARY:
4: Dairy Queen on West Main at 4 p.m.
18: Rogue Valley A’s meeting at the club house at the Royal Mobile Estates in Jacksonville; coffee and donuts at 9:30, meeting starts promptly at 10:00.

MARCH:
4: Dairy Queen on West Main at 4 p.m.
18: Rogue Valley A’s meeting at the Royal Mobile Estates in Jacksonville; coffee and donuts at 9:30, meeting starts promptly at 10:00.

APRIL:
1: Dairy Queen on West Main at 4 p.m.
14, 15, & 16: 2017 Rod & Custom Show at the Expo in Central Point
15: Rogue Valley A’s meeting at the Royal Mobile Estates in Jacksonville; coffee and donuts at 9:30, meeting starts promptly at 10:00.

MAY:
6: Dairy Queen on West Main at 4 p.m.
20: Rogue Valley A’s meeting at the club house at the Royal Mobile Estates in Jacksonville; coffee and donuts at 9:30, meeting starts promptly at 10:00.
JUNE:
3: Dairy Queen on West Main at 4 p.m.
17: Rogue Valley A’s meeting at the club house at the Royal Mobile Estates in Jacksonville; coffee and donuts at 9:30, meeting starts promptly at 10:00.

JULY:
1: Dairy Queen on West Main at 4 p.m.
15: Rogue Valley A’s meeting at the Royal Mobile Estates in Jacksonville; coffee and donuts at 9:30, meeting starts promptly at 10:00.

AUGUST:
5: Dairy Queen on West Main at 4 p.m.
19: Rogue Valley A’s meeting at the Royal Mobile Estates in Jacksonville; coffee and donuts at 9:30, meeting starts promptly at 10:00.

SEPTEMBER:
2: Dairy Queen on West Main at 4 p.m.
16: Rogue Valley A’s meeting at the Royal Mobile Estates in Jacksonville; coffee and donuts at 9:30, meeting starts promptly at 10:00.

OCTOBER:
7: Dairy Queen on West Main at 4 p.m.
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NOVEMBER:
4: Dairy Queen on West Main at 4 p.m.
18: Rogue Valley A’s meeting at the Royal Mobile Estates in Jacksonville; coffee and donuts at 9:30, meeting starts promptly at 10:00.

DECEMBER:
2: Dairy Queen on West Main at 4 p.m.
16: NO TOUR — Annual Christmas Potluck, Election & Installation of Officers for 2018. Set-up at 1:00 p.m., meeting begins at 2:00 p.m., feasting begins at 3:00 p.m.
51st Annual
TURLOCK SWAP MEET
January 28, 2017 • 7 a.m to 5 p.m.
January 29, 2017 • 7 a.m to 3 p.m.
Stanislaus County Fairgrounds
900 N. Broadway • Turlock, California 95380

CARS FOR SALE
$40 for 3 days! Cars 20 yrs. or older $50 - 15 yrs. or Newer
First Come Basis
NO PARTS

All Swap Spaces Pre-Registered
Admission $10.00 Saturday, $6.00 Sunday
Children under 12 FREE
Yesterday's door on Foothills between Tulare & Almond FREE Shuttle
Visit our website at www.turlockswapmeet.com

SWAP MEET 2017

Dear Car Enthusiasts:

Please include the following in your publication, bulletins or monthly newsletters.

The Modesto Area A’s 51st Annual SWAP MEET will be at the Stanislaus County Fairgrounds, Turlock, California, on January 28th and 29th, 2017. MODEL A FORD, Antique, Classic Cars, and Automotive Vintage items only. All swap spaces pre-registered. CARS FOR SALE: $40.00 for cars 20 years or older, $60.00 for cars 19 years or newer, (no parts or trailers). Must be driven to space. Pre 1969 models preferred. Admission $10.00 for buyers on Saturday and $5.00 on Sunday. Security on duty Friday and Saturday night. NO FIREARMS OR ALCOHOL. NO DOGS (except Service Dogs). For more information please see our website at www.TurlockSwapMeet.com

Thank you for your help and cooperation in making our past SWAP MEETS such a success.

Sincerely,

Burta Herger
Swap Meet Publicity Chairman
P.O. Box 1208
Patterson, California 95363-1208
(209) 862-3301

MAFFI Membership Application

The Model A Ford is a symbol of America. MAFFI is dedicated to the preservation of the Model A and associated historical information. By joining MAFFI, you will help meet that goal while receiving an informative quarterly publication and other benefits. Your membership donation is tax deductible under Internal Revenue Service rule 501 (c)(3) and will help with MAFFI’s many projects and worthwhile goals.

Name: ____________________________
Address: _____________________________
City: __________________________ State: __________ Zip: ________
Telephone: ______________________ E-mail Address: ____________________

MAFCA/MARC Chapter

Family Membership Category:
Annual ($25.00) __________ Three Years ($70.00) __________ Life Member ($350.00)
Club Donation: $ __________

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: $ __________

Mail this form with your payment to: Model “A” Ford Foundation, Inc., P O Box 28, Peotone, IL 60468-0028.
2017 Medford Rod & Custom Show

April 14, 15 & 16, 2017

Show Hours
April 14th – Fri – 1:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
April 15th – Sat – 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.
April 16th – Sun – 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Admission
$10.00 Adults
$8.00 Kids / Seniors / Military

Dates in January to work on the restoration project:
- January 7
- January 14
- January 25

Time: 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Place: Aries Limited
16 West Jackson Street
Medford, OR 97501
Phone: 650-279-6609
Some possible activities/tours for 2017:
- Aguirre Family Farm in Grants Pass—tour in June or July. Local and organic, plants, animals, fruits, veggies and meat. Located on Upper River Road in Grants Pass
- Skip Geear and the Woodhouse and then to Skip’s museum
- Blastolene, Randy Grubb’s in South Grants Pass: [http://www.randygrubb.com](http://www.randygrubb.com)
- Headlight alignment—possibly on a Sunday or on the first Saturday of the month, immediately before our DQ get-together
- Don Sherwood's place on the river in Shady Cove

If you have any other suggestions, please bring them to our next business meeting January 7th.

**CHASSIS PROJECT UPDATE:** frame and some parts have been painted. The front spring has been taken apart and cleaned and coated with a paint Joe gave us.

The backing plates were too clean and will have to be coated with Rustoleum paint.

Next work day is **Jan 7th 10:00 AM.** Members welcome to join us or just watch!

Jerry Mathern

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**NOTE:** Help us make the Rogue Valley A's newsletter a **collaborative** success. We would be grateful for any material you feel might be appropriate to include in our Club's newsletter. The views expressed in this newsletter are personal opinions of those who contribute and do not necessarily represent the views of the Rogue Valley A's Model A Ford Club. Thanks go to other club newsletters and the MAFCA website as well as other sources who supply material to our club which we reprint in our newsletter from time to time. When known, sources will be included.

Membership in Rogue Valley A's is open to anyone who has an interest in 1928-1931 Ford Model A cars and trucks. Chapter dues are $15/year. **As a requirement to belong to our chapter, members must belong to MAFCA, the Model A Ford Club of America.** Membership applications for MAFCA can be found on the MAFCA website in the MAFCA Store. Check out MAFCA on the web: [http://www.mafca.com](http://www.mafca.com). Your newsletter editor would be happy to send you a direct link to the membership application or renewal.
2017 Northwest Regional Meet

June 22-24, 2017 -- Coos Bay, Oregon
Hosts: The Myrtlewood A’s

This is a 3 day event on the beautiful Oregon coast at The Mill Casino. Please do not call the hotel and reserve your rooms until after you have sent in your registration forms and checks. This is not fair to the members who are registering correctly and want to stay at The Mill Casino. So far over 100 rooms have been reserved and only 40 registrations have been sent in.

Website: http://2017nwrm.weebly.com/ (there are links on this website to registration and the event schedule).

Info: Gail Clymer, Chairperson, 541-551-0471

On behalf of the Myrtlewood A's, I would like to welcome you to the beautiful Oregon coast and the 2017 NW Regional Meet. This is not only the first time a regional meet will be held on the Oregon coast, but it is also the first time the Myrtlewood A's has hosted such an event. We look forward to seeing everyone and we believe we have an exciting 3 day event planned. Please be sure to stay a couple of extra days so you can take in more of the sights, local shops, horseback riding on the beach, lighthouse tours and of course, our local, fresh seafood restaurants. Bandon where we will be taking you on our “Tour to Bandon” is a lovely, quaint little seaside town that is reminiscent of a New England fishing village. There are lots of little shops, restaurants, a wine tasting shop, several candy shops, and some of the finest golf courses in the area. They also have the famous Face Rock wayside, as well as the new Face Rock Creamery and Cheese Factory who just celebrated their 2nd anniversary. Bandon also has the West Coast Game Park that the kids will enjoy as well as playing on some of the nicest beaches around. We know you will enjoy your stay and will want to come back again.
ROGUE VALLEY A’S 2017 MEMBERSHIP & RENEWAL FORM
(Please be sure to update any changes to your information)

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Dues are $15 per year (per household) and due by December 31, 2016

Make checks payable to “Rogue Valley A’s” (An Oregon Non-Profit Corporation)
Mail to: Rogue Valley A’s, P.O. Box 1326, Shady Cove, OR 97539

Model A Ford Club of America
2017 Membership Renewal

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Check out MAFCA on the web http://www.mafca.com

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We encourage all of our members to join MAFCA

Monthly meetings are held at the Club House of the Royal Mobile Estates
1055 N. 5th Street, Jacksonville, Oregon
on the third Saturday of every month
9:30 a.m. for coffee & donuts/snacks
Business meeting is held at 10:00 a.m. sharp
unless a club sanctioned event is scheduled elsewhere

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