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	Membership	Ted Shimkowski	
	Librarian	Patty Girman	
	Special Events	Vince Gregoire	
	Webmaster	Steve Vining	
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UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday, Oct 4th– Monthly Club Meeting @ Round Table Pizza on Marlow Rd 6pm dinner, 7pm meeting

Saturday, Oct 6th– Swap Meet Orange County, Fullerton, CA, (if interested, please see Sandy O'Halloran)

Thursday, Nov 1st—Monthly Club Meeting @ Round Table Pizza on Marlow Rd 6pm dinner, 7pm meeting

President's Message

If you didn't make the Indian Summer Tour you really missed out. Nothing like rain to hone your reactions. That said, I'd like to thank the Summerfields, the Faraudos and the Chucks for teaming together to put on this tour. By working together, a few members can share the load of putting on a tour.

This month we will begin the search for next years officers. As we say every year, the club runs on volunteers. I'll be approaching the incumbent officers and then be looking to fill any gaps. I really think we lost a little this year not having a Tour Director. I think the focus of our club has always been touring, so I hope we can fill this with a motivated volunteer.

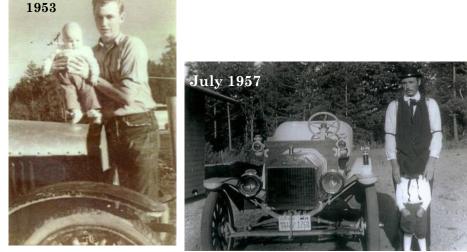
October is the last month to submit photos and be eligible for the Photo Contest drawing. We will be drawing the winner at the November meeting. The prize is One year membership in the MTFCA and one year in the REMTC. If you don't know how to submit you pictures, give Jeanne Nelson a call.

Andy









Guess who is in these photos. A REMTC member.

Redwood Empire Model T Club General Meeting, September 6th, 2018 Meeting place, Round Table Pizza, Marlow Rd., S.R

President: Andy Clary called meeting to order at 6:59 pm.

Attendance: 32 members were in attendance. Board members not in attendance, Rich Randolph, Chairpersons not in attendance, Steve Vining & Jeanne Nelson & Vince Gregoire.

Secretary's Report: Jeannine Clary read the secretary's report and was approved by Bill Newlin with a second by Cindy Vining.

Treasurer's Report: Steve Cavalli gave a current summary of finances. We had no income, but we did have expenses. Report was approved by Pam Johnson with a second by Fran Faraudo.

Tour Report: Larry & Robin Summerfield are planning a September tour for the 29th. Tour will include a BBQ lunch. Check you email or club website.

Special Events: Vince Gregoire was absent. No report for this month.

Sunshine Report: We were all happy to hear that Earl Holtz is doing well. Max Meyer reported that Jackie Ruel has passed on.

Librarian Report: Patty Girman reported Sebastian had checked out some library items! Vintage Ford magazines are in our library and can be checked out.

Webmaster: Steve Vining was absent. No report for this month.

Editor's Report: Sandy O'Halloran reported that she could use some articles for the newsletter.

Membership: Ted Shimkowski reported that there was no activity for this month.

Historian Report: Jeanne Nelson was absent. No report for this month. Jeanne has put together a wonderful National Tour album. Remember the photo contest and to send photos to Jeanne.

Old Business: Red Cross donation has been sent and received. Jeannine read the thank you note from the Red Cross.

New Business: Roots of Motor Power in Willits gave 2 tickets for a special event this Saturday. Steve Cavalli will represent REMTC. Round Table meeting room has been reserved until end of this year.

Model T Moments: Sebastian will bring a book to the next meeting regarding the NY to SF coast to coast event where the Model T's didn't break down. There were many Model T Moments being told around this meeting.

Motion to adjourn: Meeting was adjourned at 7:30pm.

Dessert provided by: Robin Summerfield, Thank you.

Respectfully submitted by Jeannine Clary REMTC Secretary



Patrick O'Halloran Richard Winterhaulder Fran Faraudo

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Dessert list for 2018

Please bring dessert for 40. Also bring paper plates and plastic forks, if needed. If you can't make the meeting you are signed up for, please call a substitute.

October	Sandy O'Halloran
November	Donna Jones
December	Rich & Betsy Randolph

The REMTC September tour, planned and hosted by Larry and Robin, was not only a welcome occasion for members to tour together, but welcomed Autumn officially with a rain that chased away our arid Summer and the months of fires and bad air. The smell of rain was a delightful refreshing guest to our gathering. We were greeted by tour co-hosts, Con and Fran and Jake at their lovely home for coffee and bakery goodies. 12 T's motored along toward Occidental and stopped at the Union Hotel for toddies for some of the bodies. A tiny rain made its presence known...but we didn't let the rain impede our plans...just altered the route a bit to the patio of Richard and Nanette's lovely home. We had a nice fire pit to warm us while enjoying conversation and hot dogs with fixins, chili and even little chocolate swirl

ice cream cups for dessert, which Master Michael helped Jasmin carry out to us. What a great little helper...and a gracious host...guess it runs in the family. Thank you to all...and rumor has it...we may have an October tour...stay tuned.

Dianna Shimkowski





















Answer to Member photos. Max Meyer



Abbott & Costello Meet the "Model T"

Bud: Driving a Model T is simple, Lou you just have to remember the names of the controls. You can Drive manual transmission, right?

Lou: no problem Bud, I learned how to drive on a stick. So where is the Stick?

Bud: Well, there is no stick. You put your left foot to the floor and you're in first.

Lou: With my left foot?

Bud: Right.

Lou: No, you said "Left."

Bud: That's right "Left."

Lou: Well which Is it?

Bud: Which is what?

Lou: Which is first?

Bud: Your left foot.

Lou: My left foot?

Bud: Right.

Lou: Right?

Bud: No, left.

Lou: Left?

Bud: Right. And when you lift your foot, you're in second.

Lou: So, there's no Stick?

Bud: No stick.

Lou: Ok. What about the clutch?

Bud: The Clutch is the pedal on the left.

Lou: Good at least that's normal.

Bud: The gear shift is the clutch.

Lou; What? Let me understand this; the gear shift is the clutch?

Bud: Except for reverse.

Lou: And Where's THAT?

Bud: Middle pedal.

Lou: So the Brake is really reverse.

Bud: I guess you could say that.

Lou: I Just Did say dat!

Bud: Right.

Lou: What's Right?

Bud: Right is the brake.

Lou: But shouldn't that be the gas pedal?

Bud: Well, that pedal actually makes the car stop.

Lou: WHAT? You say the gas pedal makes the car STOP? Well, if the gas pedal makes it stop, then what's that pedal in the middle? **Bud**: Reverse. Oh, and to put it into neutral, you pull the lever back to the middle.

Lou: Okay- Well, -WAIT A MINUTE! I Thought you said there was no Stick!

Bud: Well, the stick is the Brake.

Lou: Hold it! You just said the brake was the gas pedal-Then where's the gas pedal?

Bud: That's the lever on the right side of the steering column.

Lou: oh! The gear shift!

Bud: You shift gears with the left pedal.

Lou: Yeah, the left pedal is the clutch.

Bud: Right.

Lou: WHAT! But you said the right pedal is the brake.

Bud: Right!

Lou: Okay!

Bud: And when you want to shift into high, you push the big lever on the floor all the way forward.

Lou: But you said that was the Brake Bud.

IN UNISON: RIGHT.

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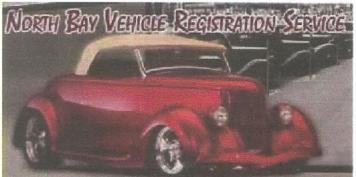
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