

# SCUTTLEBUTT

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Greetings to all my Model A friends. Since this will be my last message to the membership, may I wish all of you a "Happy Holiday Season." It is hard for me to believe this year is coming to a close, and what a year it has been.



It is my firm belief that this year will be long remembered as a very successful year mostly due to the success of the Regional Meet we hosted in June. We came together as a club, and every single member worked very hard to make the Regional a success which is the very reason it was. We not only put on a good show, but made a name for ourselves on the National level - something everyone should be extremely proud of.

I want to thank VaughnCille for planning a very enjoyable Fall Tour. We had a good turnout, and the weather could not have been better. We were a week or two early for the really beautiful fall colors, but the camaraderie made up for the lack of color. Unfortunately, the trip had a sad ending with the terrible accident that occurred Saturday on our way back from the Scenic Drive. Three people were hurt, one seriously, and a beautiful original Model A was destroyed. Our hearts and prayers are with the Duncan family.

Don't forget the bean supper this month. This event and the Christmas party wind up our club activities for the year. We are all known to enjoy good food and fellowship, so don't miss these last two events which will be rich in both. The combined Board meeting will be held at the Edinburgh Clubhouse. Meeting time is 8:00 PM and anyone who would like to attend, please contact me for a gate code at 359-0063.

Let me say to all of the membership that I have truly enjoyed being your club President this year. There is not a greater group of people in the world than Model A owners. We have a very competent slate of officers for next year, and I know 2007 will be another successful year for the club.

Bill B. Harris  
November, 2006

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**MEMBERSHIP DUES;** Local dues are \$10.00 per year. Membership in the Model A Ford Club of America is a requirement for membership in the Sooner Model A Club. National dues are \$30.00 per year. Members are expected to pay their own MAFCA dues.

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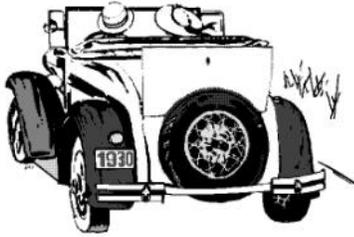


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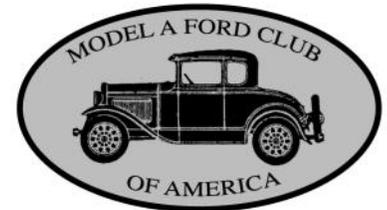
## NOVEMBER

21 7 PM Regular Club Meeting – Program: Beans & Cornbread Dinner

## DECEMBER

- 2 10AM Stockyards Parade Line up at 9:00AM. Lunch afterward at 'On the Border', Reno & Meridian
- 5 6:30 Joint Board Meeting—Bill and Dena Harris' Home
- 9 6 PM Christmas Party—Will Rogers Garden Center, catered by Clint's Cafe
- 14-17 MAFCA Annual Membership Meeting – Las Vegas, NV

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**OCTOBER, 28, 2006**

7:30 A. M.. Boy that's **EARLY**.....

A hungry bunch of Model A'ers met at the home of Bob and Joan Bordwine for biscuits, gravy, rolls, muffins, juice and coffee. IT was a spread to please anyone's appetite.

After breakfast, we lined up at Buck Thomas Park for the parade. It was a beautiful morning, and 14 Model A's drove through the parade.

When the parade ended, we were off to Ralph and Linda Bakers' where we enjoyed hamburgers with all the trimmings. We also met some of Ralph and Linda's neighbors and relatives.

Submitted by: DeWayne Owens

**Happy Birthday**  
**November**

- Marvin Mellage .....4th
- Lois Smith .....9th
- Carla Holcomb..... 19th
- Johnny Gentry ..... 21st
- Maxie Crouch ..... 23rd
- Jeanette Feken..... 27th



**December**

- John Harris .....3rd
- Sandra Howerton ..... 10th
- Karen Hardy ..... 12th
- Tom Holcomb..... 15th
- Leon Davis ..... 20th
- Robert Summer ..... 24th
- Stuart Kirk ..... 25th
- Duane Cramer..... 27th
- Ruby Covey..... 27th
- Fred Harrison ..... 28th
- Jackie Ward..... 30th



**Stew Day**

Thanks to Jackie Ward and her brother Bill Walton for a great outing complete with home cooked stew. Twelve of our members gathered to take advantage of their cooking and to enjoy their nice car barn.

We hope we'll be invited back sometime. It's the hospitality of our members like this that make the Sooner Model A Club so great.

**Thanks from the Editor**

The year is coming to and end, and this is my last newsletter of the year. I've enjoyed publishing the Scuttlebutt. Thanks to everybody for contributing articles for the paper. This is what makes the paper work for the club.

Be sure to keep the articles and stories coming to next year's editor, VaughnCille Weidner. It makes her job easier and let's the club get to know you better.

When I did the paper before, it was cut-and-paste on the typewriter with 'White-Out'. It sure is different today on the computer.

Your 2006 Editor, Carla Holcomb

**Anniversaries**

**November**

- Jeffrey and Patricia Turner ..... 19th
- DeWayne and Katie Owens..... 22nd



**December**

- Jerry and Shirley Amend ..... 16th

## THE TALIMENA SCENIC DRIVE FALL TOUR OCTOBER 2006

The Sooner Model "A" Club hosted the Fall Foliage Tour this year to Poteau and the Talimena Scenic Drive. We were a few weeks early to enjoy the full fall colors, but the weather was beautiful, and the camaraderie, as usual, was exceptional. I think Vaughn Cille did an exceptional job planning this tour.

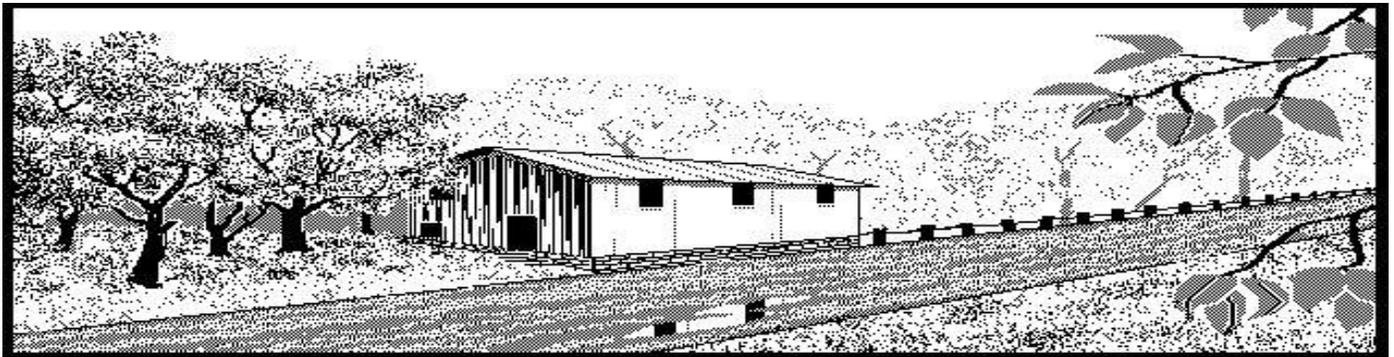
Three hard core Model Aer's from the Sooner Club, the Gentry's, the Owens's, and the Harris's, drove to Poteau on Thursday to get an early start on the weekend. Carl and Lois Coffman drove behind the Model A's in their modern car just to see us safely to Poteau, and to pick up parts if necessary. Woody and Doris started out with us in their modern car, but Woody decided it was a little slow. It was a cloudy and cool day, but we made it to Poteau in about 4 hours even after potty stops and lunch in Eufaula.

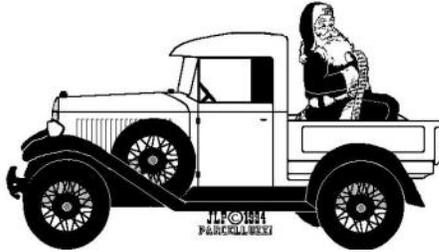
Friday morning dawned a beautiful clear sunny day, a little cool with light winds but absolutely gorgeous. The Tulsa group began arriving around noon along with the Sooner group who decided to trailer along with those who drove their modern cars. We all spent the afternoon at the Robert S. Kerr Mansion and Museum. Carl Coffman took a video of the cars coming up the hill to the Kerr Mansion, which he jokingly offered to sell for \$35 each. No takers but I'm sure the video is worth watching. Friday evening, we all descended on the "Warehouse Willy Steak House." There were 48 of us in all that enjoyed some really good food and a wealth of conversation.

Saturday morning was a beautiful day, sunny, cool with a fairly strong wind. We left the hotel at 8:00 AM sharp, after distributing box lunches, heading for the Talimena Scenic Drive. I'm not exactly sure of the count, but I think we had 15 Model A's and several modern cars. Some who drove modern cars took advantage of the Tudors and Fordors, and enjoyed the tour in a Model A. We made several stops along the Scenic drive at the Scenic turnouts to enjoy some spectacular scenery. We enjoyed our box lunch at the Talimena State Park at the end of the Scenic Drive. After lunch, we headed back to Poteau, arriving fairly early in the afternoon. Several took advantage of the afternoon, and took in the sites in and around Poteau. Saturday evening, we enjoyed fried chicken with all the trimmings in the banquet room of the hotel.

Sunday morning, all said their goodbyes, and everyone left for home. Unfortunately, this tour will be remembered because of three people hurt in a senseless accident; one person hurt seriously, and a beautiful original Model A destroyed.

Submitted by: Bill B. Harris





# Merry Christmas

You are invited to our annual  
Sooner Model A Christmas Party

Saturday, December 9, 2006

6:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Will Rogers Garden Center  
Catered by Clint's Café

\$10.00 per person

Please pay our Treasurer, Katie Owens, by  
December 1

We will again be giving gifts of money, clothes (baby to 14 years), or toys to The Children's Center in Bethany. Bring your unwrapped gifts to the Christmas party.

We will have a "dirty Santa" gift exchange (this is not a white elephant gift). Gift price range \$10.00 per person – men bring men's gift and women bring women's gift.

Come join the fun!!!!

## SUNSHINE REPORT

We're sorry to hear of the Duncan family's (Tulsa A's) unfortunate accident in their Model A during the Fall Foliage Tour. We wish Lindell and Mayleta Duncan and their friend Jan Hamm speedy recoveries.

Also remember 'Cowboy' Duane Cramer as he continues to mend from his fall this spring.

## ANNUAL BEAN AND CORNBREAD DINNER

Remember the Bean, Corn Bread and Chili Dinner at the November meeting. Bring your favorite recipe, and sample everyone else's favorite bean dish.



## DUES

Club dues are due. It's that time of year again. Make it easy for next year's officers; get your dues in early.

Does the club have your latest personal information? If you have moved or your information was not complete in the 2006 roster, just fill out a new membership application and include it with your check.

Is your email address and phone number correct? Email is an excellent way for the club to communicate with you regarding unscheduled events, etc.

Did your birthday change since last year? Keep the club up to date with your statistics.

Remember also to pay your MAFCA national dues. Per the club by-laws, this is a requirement for local membership.

Save a check. While you write your check for local dues, pay for your Christmas party and dinner.

## New Members

Welcome Linda and Steven Shaw to Sooner Model A Ford Club. Linda and Steven bring a beautiful 1930 Five Window Rumble Seat Coupe to the club.



Linda and Steven Shaw

## Another New Member

Tom Kirkpatrick joins the club with an unusual 1929 Depot Hack.

Tom Kirkpatrick

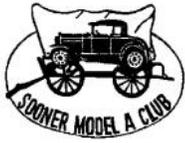
Welcome, Tom!!

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