



Wheeling the A

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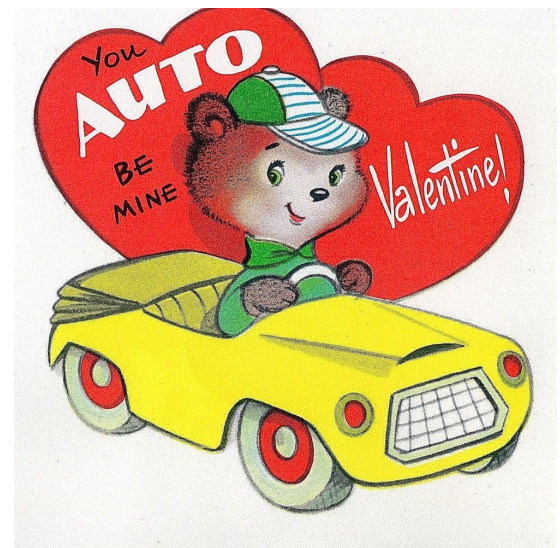
This year – 2021 – is the sixty-fifth anniversary of our car club, the Model A Ford Club of America – Wisconsin Chapter. This is quite a special milestone for our car club. Not too many can say that their car club has been in existence for sixty-five years. Some of the original founders are still members of our club which is very exciting. The main celebration of the club’s anniversary will take place at the annual picnic on August 15th, 2021, at the Sussex Village Park (The same place as last year). More details will be available regarding this event in Wheeling the A as it gets closer. It would be great if we could get as many members as possible to attend this special celebration. It would be a great opportunity for you to be part of, whether you still own a Model A or not, and take the opportunity to get some car and member pictures as a remembrance of the event. It is always fun to visit with your fellow club members as well.

The Board of Directors has decided, in light of the clubs sixty-fifth anniversary, to offer a custom, 9 can fabric cooler with the club’s logo on it to the membership. These coolers are great to take along on road trips in your Model A or personal car. They are compact enough to fit just about anywhere in a Model A. **Please see the pre-order form in this issue of Wheeling the A (PAGE 10) if you are interested in getting a cooler. You need to order them by June 1, 2021**

Also, to commemorate the club’s anniversary, there will be some custom, especially decorated bakery from the Elegant Farmer in Mukwonago for every member in attendance at the picnic. Each will be individually wrapped.

An article about our clubs 65th anniversary will be published in the July/August issue of the Restorer; The Model A Ford Club of America’s bi-monthly publication so watch for that article. We look forward to seeing everyone at the club’s picnic to celebrate the Model A Ford Club of America – Wisconsin Chapters 65th anniversary.

Best Regards,
The 65th Anniversary Committee
Jan Olsen
Dave & Linda Huenink



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Club Mission Statement

It is the intent of the Wisconsin Chapter to serve as a medium of exchange of ideas, information, and materials for admirers of the Model A Ford and Model A era fashions; to help those admirers become better acquainted; and to maintain among its members the spirit of good fellowship and sociality through sponsored activities including the use of the Model A and family participation.

Volunteers for 2021

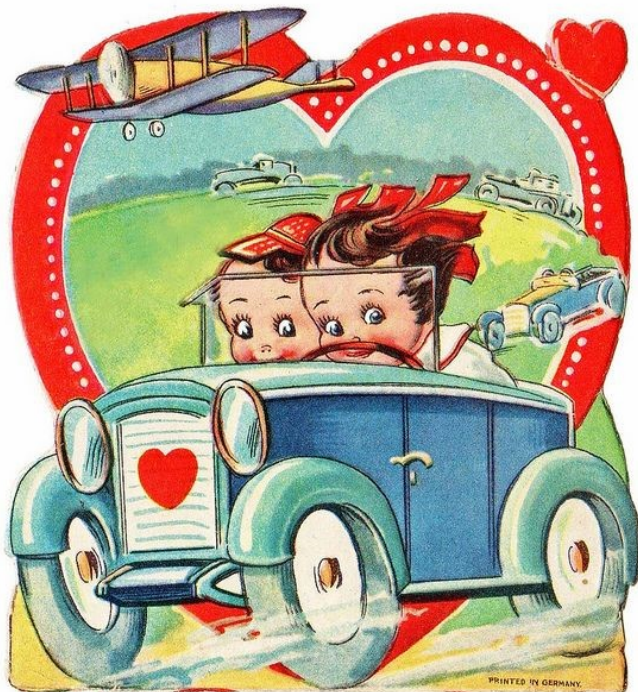
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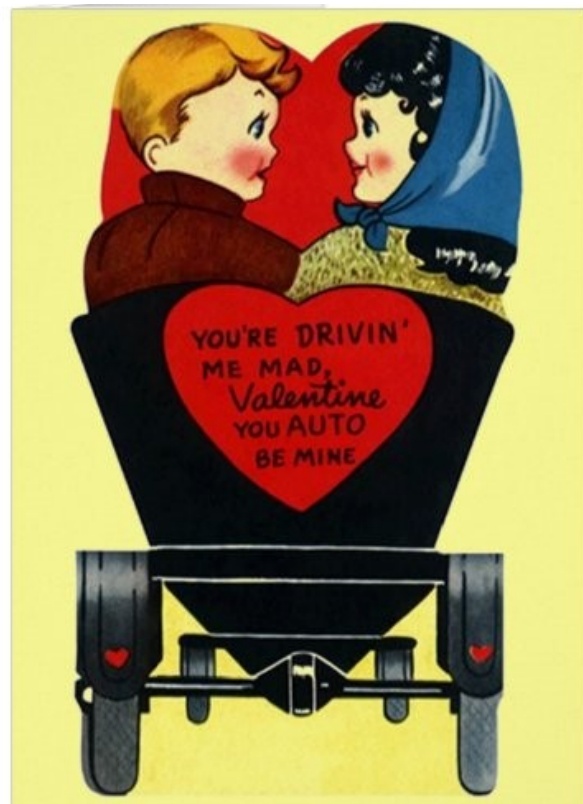
***Greenfield Park Lutheran
Church
1236 S. 115th Street
West Allis, Wisconsin, 53214***

Advanced Timing Events for 2021	
Feb. 7	1:30 p.m. Indoor Meeting: Host - Jeana Angelini - Talk on the Lions Club
March 14	Indoor Meeting: Host - Jan Olsen—Polish Poker
April	
May	
June	
July 4th	Greendale 4th of July Parade - Dave & Linda Huenink
July 23-25	Wisconsin Rapids Reunion
August 7	Three Lakes Car Show
August 15	Annual Picnic starting at Noon. Picnic, 65th Anniversary Celebration & Awards
Sept.	

SEEMS MODEL A VALENTINES ARE HARD TO FIND....



Vintage To New



FEBRUARY 7TH
1:30 P.M.
MEETING AND PRESENTATION
ON "LIONS CLUB" BY JEANA ANGELINI



♥ **HAPPY**
Valentine's
DAY ♥



Sunday March 14, 2021
Wisconsin Chapter Indoor
Polish Poker

We thought we would have something fun and relaxing to do at our Wisconsin Chapter Indoor Meet in March. Many suggestions were tossed back and forth. After much discussion, it was decided to have A friendly game of Polish Poker.

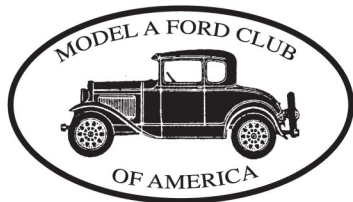
After our club business meeting, we will break into groups of 6 or less to play Polish Poker. Rules for Polish Poker and playing cards will be provided along with chips to use during the game. Prizes will be awarded.

Looking forward to A fun afternoon at our new meeting site:

Greenfield Park Lutheran Church
1236 S. 115th Street
West Allis, Wisconsin. 53214

We hope you will come to our last indoor meet before outdoor events begin as warm weather returns to A hopefully better year in 2021.

Hosts
Steve Lewis
Jan Olsen



59th Annual Model A Reunion

July 23rd-24th-25th, 2021
YOU AND YOUR FAMILY ARE INVITED..



This Model "A" Reunion is the greatest gathering of old Fords and old Ford enthusiasts in Wisconsin. This Reunion started in 1962, and is sponsored by four clubs: Central Wisconsin Chapter MARC/MAFCA, Nickle A Region MARC, Wisconsin Chapter MAFCA, and the Wisconsin Region MARC.

The meet consists of a weekend of enjoying Model A's and Model A fellowship, and includes a Tour around the Rapids area, People's Choice Awards, Car Games, Kids' Games, Adult Games, a Hubley Derby, Chapter Team Events, Rolling Pin Toss, a Dance, Fund-Raising Auctions, Shoe Box Swap Meet, as well as lots of surprises and fun.

The Reunion is held the last full weekend in July, unless it conflicts with a National MARC or MAFCA meet. The Central Wisconsin Chapter MARC/MAFCA hosts the reunion on their private 10-acre site, which includes a clubhouse, wooded campsites, and is close to many nice motels and restaurants.

Location: The clubgrounds are located 4 miles east of Wisconsin Rapids, or 11 miles west of Plover, just south of state Highway 54. Turn south on 72nd Street North (a dead end road). Watch for signs.

Weekend Activities

Refreshments are available throughout the weekend for registered participants.

Good Food: A potluck lunch will be held on Saturday and Sunday. Participants are asked to bring 2 dishes to pass (one for each day). Friday and Saturday evening, you may want to roast hot dogs at your campsite or go out for a relaxed dinner at one of the nearby restaurants with a group of your new friends.

Friday afternoon the registration table opens. An Auction will be held in the evening of Model A related items, as well as other donated items for the kids, ladies, and men. There will also be a corn and pizza roast. Registration does not cover cost of Pizza or Corn.

Saturday morning starts with a Shoe Box Swap Meet, Technical Seminar. This will be followed by a Ski Race then a noon potluck, and then a driving tour around the Greater Rapids area. There will also be a Slow Drive competition for the Model A's, a Hubley Derby Kids' Games and Adult Games. A dance will be held at the clubhouse for the evening's entertainment. At the dance, the winners of the Basket Raffle will be announced. Tickets for the Basket Raffle will be on sale Saturday after lunch.

Sunday is a day of Car Games, Potluck Lunch, Chapter Team Events, and a Ladies Rolling Pin Toss, followed by the awards presentation and Raffle Drawings.

Where to Stay

Primitive campsites are available on the grounds for \$15/site for the entire weekend. For an additional charge, a few sites have power, but is limited to the first 12 registered participants. Camping is open the Wednesday before the meet through the Monday after the meet. For those who prefer a few more comforts of home, the following motels are located only a few miles from the reunion.

Register early, as the motels fill fast.

AmericInn (Plover)	(715) 254-8418
Best Value Inn	(715) 423-8080
Cobblestone Inn	(715) 424-3444
Cozy Inn Motel	(715) 423-1220
EconoLodge	(715) 423-5506
Super 8 (Plover)	(715) 341-4414
Hampton Inn	(715) 295-9900
Hotel Mead	(800) 843-6323
Maples Motel	(715) 423-2590
Motel 6	(715) 423-3211
Rodeway Inn	(715) 423-7000
Sleep Inn & Suites	(715) 424-6800

Pre-Registration: A \$10 non-refundable advance registration fee (through July 1st) is encouraged to help us plan the weekend, and it saves you \$5. Pre-register with Martha Sillman; 680 Knowlton Street Apt A; Waterloo WI 53594-1400.

Registration Table will be open Friday afternoon and Saturday morning.

Registration Fees

1. Club Member¹, family, and one Model A

Pre-Registered (\$10 + \$25)	\$35
Non-Pre-registered, the total fee is	\$40
Each Additional Model A	\$ 5

2. Non-Club Member, Family, and one Model A

Pre-registered (\$10 + \$30)	\$40
Non-Pre-registered, the total fee is	\$45
Each Additional Model A	\$ 5

3. Guest² Fees

Each Guest, 21 or older	\$15
Each Guest, ages 6 to 20	\$10
Each Guest, ages 5 and under	FREE

4. Campsite Fee³ (per campsite)

Electric at Campsite (10 amp)	\$15/weekend
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5. Day Pass⁴ (One day registration)

.....	\$10/person
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¹A **Club Member** is a member of the Central Wisconsin Chapter MARC/MAFCA, Nickel A Region MARC, Wisconsin Chapter MAFCA, or Wisconsin Region MARC.

²A **Guest** is anyone who is not an immediate member of your family, which includes married children. Your immediate family is your spouse and unmarried children who live with you. Guests must be registered with a Registered Participant. Members of a participating Reunion Club cannot register as a Guest.

³**Campsites** are reserved for registered participants. Electric charge is limited to first 12 registered participants, and is an additional charge to the camping fee.

⁴**Day Pass** does not qualify for \$5 pre-registration savings. Day Pass not able to participate in Kids' or Car Games, or any other Award Issuing Events.

Full weekend Registration Fees include lunch on Saturday and Sunday, and all Kids' and Car Games. A participation ribbon will be given to each registered family member and guest, and must be worn at all times to take part in the weekend's activities. We also ask that everyone please wear their local club's name badges. If you do not have a name badge, one may be borrowed from registration.

For more information:

E-mail: wirapidsmodela@gmail.com

Web Site: <http://clubs.hemmings.com/wirapidsmodela/>
Tony Sillman: (920) 478-4541

Wisconsin Rapids Model A Reunion Merchandise

There are several items, personalized with the Wisconsin Rapids Model A Reunion logo, available for purchase on-line at www.cafepress.com/wirapidsmodela. You can also order by calling (877) 809-1659, and then give the code [wirapidsmodela](http://www.cafepress.com/wirapidsmodela).

These items range from T-Shirts and polos to sweat pants and shorts. These items are available in a wide variety of sizes, colors and prices.

Order your items individually, or as a group and save on shipping. All items are priced at cost.



Wisconsin Model A Reunion

July 23-24-25, 2021

Plan now to join us for this Annual Model A event, that brings Model A enthusiasts together from across the state and area. This is the 59th year of this event.

The event begins on Friday afternoon with registration, followed by a corn roast, pizza feed and a fund-raising auction later that evening.

Saturday starts with the Shoe Box Swap Meet, Technical Seminar and Ski Race. A pot luck lunch will be served around noon, followed by a Model A Tour around the Rapids area. After the tour, there will be Kids' Games, Hubley Derby, Basket Raffle and the Slow Drive. There will also be Adult Games this year after the tour. Saturday will wrap up with the Dance.

Sunday will bring the rest of the car games, Chapter Team Events, and Rolling Pin Toss. The weekend will wrap up with the awards ceremony and raffle drawing.

As you fight cabin fever this winter, remember that those no-longer needed items are great donations for the auction. Model A and non-Model A items are accepted. Just remember no junk, and leave the broken stuff at home.

For the Basket Raffle, each club is asked to donate a \$30 basket. Clubs may donate more than one basket, and individuals may also donate. Look on Pinterest for some good basket ideas.

For the raffle, we are asking each club to donate 2-\$35 cash for the men, 2-\$35 cash for the women, and a 2-\$20 for the kids raffles. Individuals may also donate an item for this event.

All money raised by the Auction, Basket Raffle, and Raffle goes towards offsetting the cost of next year's event, helping to keep this event affordable for everyone.

WISCONSIN RAPIDS AREA MOTELS

PHONE

Cozy Inn Motel	2710 Plover Rd.....	(715) 423-1220
Hotel Mead.....	451 E. Grand Ave.....	(800) 843-6323
Motel 6	911 Huntington.....	(715) 423-3211
Econo Lodge	3120 8th St. South.....	(715) 423-5506
Cobblestone Inn	3010 8th St. South.....	(715) 424-3444
Best Value Inn.....	3410 8th St. South.....	(715) 423-8080
Maples Motel	4750 8th St. South.....	(715) 423-2590
Sleep Inn & Suites ...	4221 8th St. South.....	(715) 424-6800

PLOVER AREA

ADDRESS

PHONE

AmericInn	1501 American Dr.....	(715) 254-8418
Best Western Hotel ..	5253 Hardin Ave.....	(715) 544-6200
Comfort Inn.....	1560 American Dr.....	(715) 952-9941
Super 8	5246 Harding Ave.....	(715) 341-4414
Hampton Inn	3090 Village Dr.....	(715) 295-9900

Please wear your club issued name tag over the weekend, so we can learn each other's names. For those that do not have a name tag, one may be borrowed from Registration.

Plans are underway for running power out to the camping area for this year's Reunion. The first 12 registered participants that request it, will be able to plug in, more information is on the registration form and the web site.

For participants that motel, remember that the Rapids Area is a busy place, and rooms can go fast. Call and make your motel reservations as soon as you can.

If you pre-register, you can save \$5, the registration form is on the web site listed below. You must be a registered participant to partake in any of the Award Issuing events at the Reunion.

For any questions or more details, see the Reunion web site at <http://clubs.hemmings.com/wirapidsmodela>, or you can contact the Reunion by e-mail at wirapidsmodela@gmail.com.

Register Early **SAVE** \$5.00

Registration Form

Register Early **SAVE** \$5.00

2021 Wisconsin Rapids Model A Reunion

July 23RD, 24TH, 25TH

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: () _____ Cell Phone: () _____

E-mail: _____

List ALL Registrants below:
This part can be filled out at Registration

Family*: Adults ___ Children ___
Guests*: Adults ___ Children ___
Total number over 16 years old ___
Are You Camping? ___ Yes ___ No
Electric at Campsite? ___ Yes ___ No
<small>10-amp circuits, limited to first 12 registered requesting campers</small>

<u>Member of which Model A Club?</u>
___ Central Wisconsin MARC/MAFCA
___ Nickle A Region MARC
___ Wisconsin Chapter MAFCA
___ Wisconsin Region MARC
___ No Club/Other
<small>(If other, please write club's name below)</small>

Car Information: Year/Model:

Participation Ribbons will be issued for this event and must be worn at ALL times to enjoy the free drinks and meals over the weekend. We also ask that you wear your club's name badge.

PRE-REGISTER FOR ONLY \$10, AND SAVE \$5 ON THE WEEKEND!! **REGISTRATION FEES**

- 1) Club member:** Family and one Model A (pre-registered \$10 + \$25)..... \$35.00
For participants not pre-registered \$40.00
Each additional Model A..... \$ 5.00
- 2) Non-club member:** Family and one Model A (pre-registered \$10 + \$30)..... \$40.00
For participants not pre-registered \$45.00
Each additional Model A..... \$ 5.00
- 3) Guest Fees** *Guest is anyone who is not an immediate member of your family, which includes married children. Your immediate family is your spouse and unmarried children who live with you. Guests must be registered with a Registered Participant. Members of a participating Reunion club cannot register as a Guest.
Each Adult, 21 and older..... \$15.00
Each Child, ages 6 to 20..... \$10.00
Each Child, 5 and under is free, but must be registered..... N.C.
- 4) Camping Fees** per site: \$15/ weekend *Use of additional campsites will be charged per site*..... \$15.00
Electric Campsite per site: \$30/ weekend *Limited to twelve-10-amp connections*..... \$30.00
- 5) Day Pass**..... \$10.00

This is the cost for a day pass for one person. Early registration discount does not apply for Day Passes.
Day Pass registrants are not able to participate in the Hubley Derby, Car Games, Kids Games, Rolling Pin Toss, and any other award issuing events.

Make \$10.00 check payable to **Martha Sillman**.
Send pre-registration fee and registration form by July 1st to:

Martha Sillman
680 Knowlton St Apt A
Waterloo WI 53594-1400

Questions?? Check out the web site at <http://clubs.hemmings.com/wirapidsmodela/>
or e-mail to wirapidsmodela@gmail.com



We are all set! The Three Lakes Car Show will be held on Saturday, August 7, 2021

Plans for special tours to local historic places, museums, a pirate ship cruise, a meal at Little Bohemia (Dillinger historic location) and many other details will be repeated as previously planned for the show that was canceled in 2020. We were all set to host 15 model A families when the Covid-19 virus caused everything in the area to shut down.

This August the show will be held. We have a full Covid-19 plan in place if the virus still has residual impact. We will space cars 6 feet apart, keep guests 6 feet from cars and car owners and will implement many other safety features. The show grounds are massive and the Petroleum Museum is the only one of its kind in the world.

Charlene and I will coordinate the show and host our Model A families. It would be great to get an email list of those who will plan to attend or who have some interest in possibly attending. We will be working with our hotels in the area to get a great deal on rooms.

Dennis Wacker was our co-host for the tour from the Milwaukee area and it is our hope that he will again accept that role.

Give us a call or email regarding questions, details or anything else related to the Three Lakes event. 863-420-1838 - cjwuss@aol.com - Carl Wussow 111 Laurel Oak Pass, Davenport, Florida, 33837.

SAVE THE DATES!

Annual Picnic **Sunday, August 15th**



Picnic will be at the same place as last year, The Sussex Village Park W244 N6125 Weaver Drive, Sussex, WI

It will start at noon with food being served approximately at 1:00 p.m.

Annual awards will be presented and celebrating the Club's 65 anniversary. Stay tuned for details.

Mark Ackermann

PRESIDENTS NOTES:

February Greetings,

I'd like to introduce the new Board of Directors for 2021. From the left; Indoor & Outdoor Events is Mark Ackermann, Treasurer is Steve Lewis, President is Mike Quam, Secretary is Dave Huenink, Vice President is Karen Schmiechen. Thank you to those who have chosen to serve on the Board.



Looking forward to our next indoor meets, we have Jeana Angelini giving a talk on the Lions Club at the February meeting and in March Jan Olsen and Steve Lewis guide us thru some wild hands of Polish Poker. Hope you can join us.



The upcoming outdoor months could use some hosts, if your willing. Mark Ackermann is planning the Annual Picnic in Augst, which this year will be combined with the awards and the 65th anniversary of our club. Make sure to sign up for your free anniversary gift which was described on the front over of this issue and the sign up is on page 10.

MAFCA is running a promotional to gain new members. If you've never been a member of the National Club and are a member of a MAFCA Chapter you are eligible for your "FIRST YEAR FREE" in the National organization. Contact me and I'll get the form to you.

See you soon
Mike



SUNSHINE REPORT:

Mike Brojanac's mother passed away in the end of December. Our condolences to the Brojanac family.



***Please notify Karen Schmiechen with all your sunshine needs.
Call Karen at 262-544-5005 or email vpwchapter@gmail.com***



65th ANNIVERSARY COOLER

ORDER FORM

NAME: _____

The coolers will need to be pre-ordered.

PICK-UP DATE: August 15th, 2021 Picnic (yourself or a designee)

ALTERNATE PICK-UP DATE: First indoor meeting in November 2021 by you or a designee.


LIMIT ONE COOLER PER FAMILY

SUBMIT ORDER to: Dave Huenink via one of the following:


- √ A call at: 262-719-1056
- √ Email to: oldfordcoupe@wi.rr.com
- √ Hand in the form at an indoor meet to Dave or Linda Huenink or Jan Olsen
- √ Mail in form to: Dave Huenink, W326 S8815 Stone Brook Pass, Mukwonago, Wis. 53149

NOTE: The coolers will not be mailed out as the cost of postage makes it prohibitive. Should you not pick it up at these times or make arrangements to pick it up, you will forfeit your cooler.

DUE DATE FOR ORDER FORM: June 1, 2021.

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MAFCA Wisconsin Chapter General Meeting Minutes



January 10, 2021

Board Members Present: Mike Quam, Steve Lewis, Dave Huenink, Mark Ackermann, Karen Schmiechen

The meeting was called to order at 1:30 p.m.

President – Mike – A thank you was given to Vicki Cooper and Jeana Angeline for their service to the Board of Directors. The new Board of Directors was introduced and what their duties are on the board. Mike Quam is president, Karen Schmiechen is Vice-President and Sunshine, Dave Huenink is Secretary, Steve Lewis is Treasurer and Mark Ackermann is the Event Coordinator. The Board received the newsletters from the reciprocating clubs. A letter was received from a person in Minnesota, wanting to buy a Model A. He was given several names.

Vice President – Mike - There were no new members this month. Salvator Fugarino, Mike Kultgen, Harley Larson, and Carl Doro passed away. Karen Dickinson was hospitalized.

Secretary – Dave – A motion was made by Linda Huenink and seconded by Sue Quam to accept the December 20th, 2020 meeting minutes as written. The motion was put to a vote and it carried. One hundred and fifty - five members have renewed their membership. Twenty members have not renewed their membership for 2021 and are no longer members.

Treasurer – Steve – A report of the revenue and expenses from last month was given. A motion was made by Sue Quam and seconded by Linda Huenink to accept the treasurer's report. The motion was put to a vote and it carried. There was no income or bills turned in.

Outdoor – Mark – The annual picnic will be held August 15th, 2021 in Sussex. The Rapid reunion will be held July 23rd, 24th and 25th. There is a new registration form on-line. Carl Wussow's Three Lakes Car show event will be taking place August 7th, 2021.

Indoor – Mark – Jeana is hosting the clubs February indoor event and Jan Olsen and Steve Lewis are hosting the March event.

Old Business – Free membership is available to MAFCA – the national organization to those who have never joined MAFCA.

New Business – 2021 will be the clubs 65th anniversary. The 65th anniversary committee met and came up with several ideas for give-away's to celebrate the clubs anniversary. These items will be given away at the clubs picnic in August.

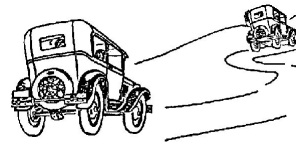
A motion was made by Jeana and seconded by Linda Huenink to adjourn the meeting. The motion was put to a vote and it carried. The meeting was adjourned at 2:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Dave Huenink
MAFCA – Wisconsin Chapter Secretary

These minutes have not yet been approved by the membership.



'A' Flight Back to February 2003



Well, since we cruised last month, I thought maybe we'd try flying this month.

Our February pilot was Erwin Haban and his wing-man was Roger Olsen. Providing navigation was Bob Sonnen and the cargo master was Dick Lardinois.

Our flight left the hangar on February 8th following a board meeting hosted by Roger and Jan Olsen. We touched down at the Quad Graphics/Lomira plant for a planning meeting on the Wisconsin Rapids Reunion.

Running low on fuel, on February 9th we made an emergency landing at St. Aloysious Church where we refueled and had a presentation on the "History of the Gas Station" by James Dreger from the Wisconsin Historical Society.

After much icing on the wings and with engines sputtering, February 20th, we landed at W.J. Kuhn/Hanna Trailer Supply for a technical meeting on transmission rebuilding, presented by Al Downing. Our March technical meet was to be held at Schawabe Home Improvement in Muskego, where we will learn about brake adjustments. *Stopping is good – don't want to run off the end of the runway!*

Mechanics available to help keep things running and provide technical advice included Master mechanic Leon Goffe, Michael Grundman, Gary Gillen, and Mike Brojanac.

March 2nd was the 38th annual swap meet (*car parts, not plane*) which was held for the first time at the Washington County fairgrounds.

We flew in cloudy skies as member Mary Grugul had fallen (*without a parachute*) and broke her wrist, requiring surgery.

Having checked their boarding passes new members Joe Schwark and Charles and Martha Wisner were allowed to join our flight.

No peanuts on this flight – SMOKED SALMON DIP (*Arleen Reiff, from Wi Chapter, "A" Road to Good Cooking*)

11 oz. smoked salmon, skinned and drained	1 Tbsp. lemon juice
1 tsp. Dijon Mustard	8 oz. pkg. cream cheese
1 Tbsp. minced onion	parsley to garnish



Mix all ingredients together. Press into a container or mold sprayed with nonstick spray. Chill. Unmold on tray or plate. Top with parsley. Serve with small bread sticks or crackers.

John Zimmerman began the tradition of reciting the Pledge of Allegiance at the beginning of our Indoor Meets when his suggestion was approved

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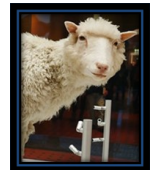
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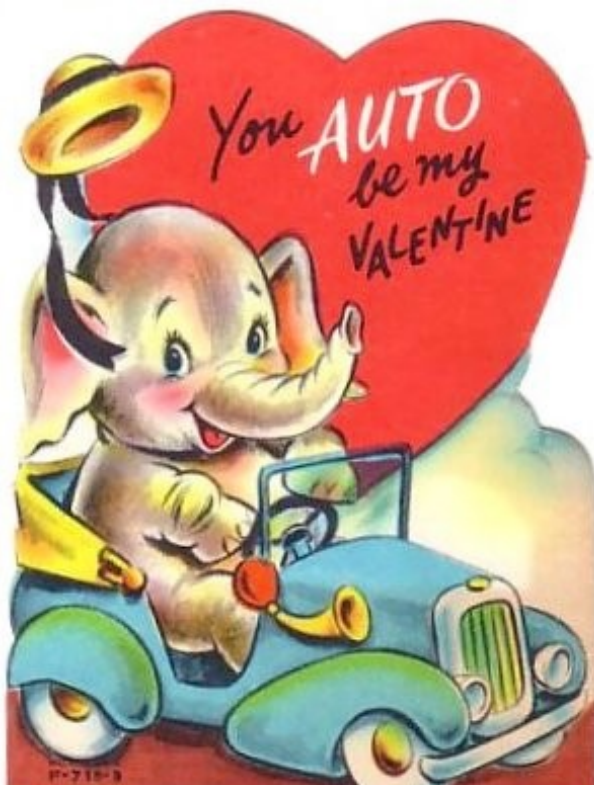
Our stewardesses (Burdella Miller and Marlene Grundman) provided recipes for **Singing Cake** and **Valentine Cake** (*interested in the recipe? Contact me*) as well the fashion page from 'Harper's Bazaar' May 1931 which included an off-the-shoulder turquoise chiffon gown.

Turbulence for February 2003:

- Feb 1 Space Shuttle Columbia disintegrates during reentry into the Earth's atmosphere, killing all seven astronauts aboard: Michael P. Anderson (43), David Brown(46), Kalpana Chawla(40) the first woman of Indian descent to go to space, Laurel Clark (41), Rick D. Husband (45), Willie McCool (41), Ilan Ramon(48) Israeli astronaut
- Feb 4 The Federal Republic of Yugoslavia is officially renamed Serbia and Montenegro
- Feb 10 France and Belgium break the NATO procedure of silent approval concerning the timing of protective measures for Turkey in case of a possible war with Iraq.
- Feb 14 Dolly the Sheep, first mammal to be cloned from an adult cell dies young from a progressive lung disease aged 6
- Feb 15 An estimated 6-11 million people around the world protest against war with Iraq
- Feb 16 45th Daytona 500: Michael Waltrip wins for the second time in 3 years; race ends after 109 laps when rain pours on the track
- Feb 18 Nearly 200 people die in the Daegu subway fire in South Korea
- Feb 19 Johnny Paycheck [Donald Lytle], American country singer (Take This Job and Shove It), dies after contracting emphysema and asthma at 64
- Feb 20 During a Great White concert in West Warwick, Rhode Island, a pyrotechnics display sets the club ablaze, killing 100 and injuring over 300 others.
- Feb 21 Bill Maher's political talk show "Real Time with Bill Maher" debuts on HBO
- Feb 23 45th Grammy Awards: 'Don't Know Why', Norah Jones wins
- Feb 27 Former Bosnian Serb leader Biljana Plavsic is sentenced by the U.N. tribunal in The Hague, Netherlands, to 11 years in prison
- Feb 27 Rowan Williams is enthroned as the 104th Archbishop of Canterbury.
- Feb 27 Fred Rogers, host of TV's "Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood" dies at age 74 (At the time of this printing Mrs. Rogers just passed away on January 15th, 2021 at the age of 92)



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LOOKING IN THE REARVIEW MIRROR.....

Highlights from the Planning Meeting for the clubs to share with membership

- These notes are from the 2020 Planning Meeting, with the dates updated for the 2021 Reunion.
- The 2021 Reunion dates are July 23rd to 25th.
- Please pre-register, and save \$5. A pre-registration form is in this mailing and is on the web site at clubs.hemming.com/wirapidsmodela.
- The 2019 Fund-raising auction made \$1314. Please help out by donating good usable items to this event. Doesn't need to be Model A stuff, but that is always appreciated. Don't forget about items for the kids.
- Each club needs to donate cash prizes for each raffle category: 2-\$35 for the Men's, 2-\$35 for the Women's, and 2-\$20 for the Kid's. Cash works better to help speed winner's prize selection. Individuals may also donate. The 2019 Raffle brought in \$540.
- The past Basket Raffle Chairperson has stepped down. In the 10 years of running this, Joey Burnett has raised over \$7700. This money all goes to offsetting the cost of our participation fees. Thanks Joey.
- Karry Kultgen will be running the Basket Raffle this year. Each club needs to donate a \$30 value Basket for this. The 2019 total was \$673. Clubs may donate more than one basket, and individuals may also donate. Baskets do not need to be elaborate. Look on Pinterest for some good ideas.
- You do not need to be a Model A Club member to participate in the Reunion, Model A is optional also.
- Rooms in the Rapids area go fast, reserve yours today.
- We ask that all participants wear their club's name tags, so that names can be learned. Name tags may be borrowed from Registration, please return afterward.
- Please list the first and last names of all participants that you are registering on the registration form. This is to help with the issuing of awards.
- All participants 16 years and older need to sign up for a job duty to help out over the weekend. If people don't start signing up, we will have to look into other ways of getting volunteers.
- Friday will be Era Fashion day, dress in Model A Era outfits for the day. This will be a great Photo-Op if there is good participation in this. This is not mandatory.
- Before the Dance on Saturday, Dick Ziegert will be playing songs on his accordion at the Clubhouse. This will run from 7:00 to 7:30.
- This Lady Drives a Model A is a course designed to show participants how to drive a Model A from someone other than a relative by birth or marriage. Schedule a time to do this.
- The corn roast will be on Friday, from 5:00-6:30, or until the supply runs out. \$1 an ear.
- New this year is a Pizza Roast, held at the same time as the Corn Roast on Friday night. Pizza will be sold at \$1/slice. Once the pizza is gone, it is gone.
- Shoe Box Swap Meet will be Saturday morning. Bring what fits in a shoe box, and swap/sell your items with other participants. Have your own change, as there will not be a banker on hand. All money raised is your own.
- The Ski Race will be Saturday morning, and is open to the "older children" of the Reunion. Definition of "older" and "children" to be determined by self. Form a 3-person team, sign up at the club house.
- Please remember to bring an item each day to the Pot Luck line in a disposable container for easier clean up, or put your name on dish if you want it back. All items brought to Pot Luck must be ready to serve, this includes slicing of any fruits and vegetables. The serving staff does not have the space or time to finish your dish.
- Kitchen duties have been assigned by club, and are listed elsewhere in these notes. Please be sure to help your club out on their day.
- Events Chaired by Clubs have also been assigned, and are also listed elsewhere. Some still need to be filled.
- With the exception of the Slow Drive and Chapter Team Events, each licensed temps registered participant can go through the car games once. If the participant doesn't have a Model A, one may be borrowed.
- The Slow Drive will be on Saturday. A car and a participant may go through the Slow Drive only once.
- Guests cannot participate in Slow Drive or Chapter Team Events. They can do the other car games.
- Car games this year will be Bull's Eye, Center Bumper and Grenade Launch.
- Chapter Team Events will be May Pole, Bean Bag, and Teeter Totter. There'll be no practice round for these events, only a demo, so start practicing. Decide who will be doing these events for your club, so we do not need to be on the PA looking for them.
- The areas in, under and within 15 feet of any structure used by the Reunion, whether a building or tent, are now Smoke/Vaping Free. This includes the clubhouse, overhang and any Reunion tents.
- Electric Power will be ran out to the camping areas, with 10 amp service, and will add another \$15 to the camping charge. This is limited to the first 12 registered participants requesting it.
- Members of a participating club cannot register as a guest of a registered participant.
- Day Pass participants are not allowed to participate in Award Issuing Events, such as Hubley and Car Games.

LOOKING IN THE REARVIEW MIRROR.....

2021 Custard Social

Thank to the Randy & Ellen Kind for stepping up to host the frozen custard social. They were kind enough to put in the order at Leon's Frozen Custard before making the call for help. We got you covered! Unfortunately they were unable to enjoy the custard or the great socializing by our great Model A friends. Due to that nasty thing called Covid. Hope you are full recovered Randy & Ellen!

Thanks to Sue Quam and Dennis Cooper for making sure the caramel and hot fudge were warmed. Thank you to Jeana Angelini helped make sure everyone got the toppings they desired for their custard. Most of all THANK YOU to Leon's for providing the delicious custard, toppings, dishes, etc.

Fill n hostess Vicki Cooper



Jeana Angelini and Vicki Cooper serving up the goodies to Sandi Yokofich.



Dave Neuman awaiting a few more yummy toppings.



Thank you to Bob Schmiechen for the photos.

More photos on next page.....

★ CARS WANTED ★

Jaguar, XK-XKE	Alfa Romeo
Porsche 356-911-912-914	Volvo P1800
Austin Healey	Ford Mustang 1964-1967
MG "T" Series, MGA	Old Trucks
Triumph TR 2-3-4-250	Vintage Motorcycles
Mercedes 190-220-230-250-280 SL	Other interesting European
Karmann Ghia	& American Cars
Ferrari	1920's-1985
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Custard Social Photos....



Steve Lewis enjoying the custard.



Vicki (left and Dennis (right) Cooper finally get to enjoy the custard they shared with all of us.



Eddie & Lorraine Schultz enjoying the Leon's Frozen Custard.

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Happy New Year from the Model A Ford Foundation! We are looking forward, as many of you are also, to a better and more active year. Hopefully you have been able to get in your A's and do some driving before the weather makes it impossible. Many clubs have had some "No Contact Tours" which have been nice. We live in a beautiful world and there is no better way to see it than from a Model A!

Last year the Museum had to say goodbye to a beautifully restored Woody belonging to Tim Wiggins that had been on loan to the Museum for several years. As luck would have it, a 1931 Woody has just been donated to the museum by Rob Gibby from Pennsylvania. Rob has owned this car since 1963 while he was in school. We hope to have it safely installed in the Museum by February.



Did you know that you can get a tour of the museum right from the comfort of your own home? Go to our website: www.maffi.org and click on the link "Tours". There is a tour that was filmed in September, led by MAFFI President, John Begg and others. It was focusing on the First Responders Display but also gives you an idea of what's inside. You truly have to see it in person to appreciate all that is there. You could spend an entire day if you looked at every exhibit and read everything. We hope to have other short videos coming soon so check back often.

Speaking of taking tours, click on the blue links below to take some nice tours. Below the link is the website address for those who have printed copies of this newsletter.

[A Virtual Car Museum Tour Is the Ultimate Quarantine Activity for Car Lovers \(motorbiscuit.com\)](http://www.motorbiscuit.com)

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[30 Amazing Virtual Tours of Museums, Zoos, and Theme Parks to Watch Now - Online Museum Tours \(goodhousekeeping.com\)](http://www.goodhousekeeping.com)

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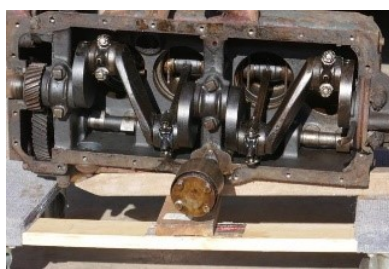
FOR SALE: 1930 Model A four door, forest-green w/apple green wheels, good driver, also a regulation wood trunk rack, like new and lite weight fleece MARC jacket 2xxl. Call Mary 920-887-9993 Beaver Dam, WI

FOR SALE: 1930 Model A Cabriolet with Rumble seat. Re-built 2 years ago: hydraulic brakes, hi-compression head, 4 speed transmission, CB radio. This car was lovingly maintained by a tool-and-die maker in Racine. \$19,000. Call (847) 477-2442.



WANTED: 1930/31 Model A pu F and R. fenders for coupe/roadster/pu Hood, complete F Radiator Apron, 31 style 1 piece splash aprons. Call Dave N. 414-702-7170

FOR SALE: A Parts, including Engine, Rims, Transmission, Carbs, Generator, Starter, etc. Only body parts are the bumpers. Addition pictures are on Craigslist. Pricing is negotiable. Contact Dale at: herick47@wi.rr.com



Club Property

The following items are club property and can be used for any club function.

Contact Steve Lewis 262-573-9821

- 2 Coolers
- Charcoal-Several bags and Large Charcoal Grill 2 ft x 6 ½ ft
- Misc. picnic supplies and Serving Utensils
- Projector and Projector Screen
- Club Banners (Approx 2 Ft x 4ft)
- Megaphone
- Raffle tickets – Rolls (many)
- Plastic forks. Knives and spoons

Please remember:

- To contact the club secretary if you have change of address, email address or phone number!
- Deadline to submit articles and ads is the 15th of each month and emailed to wheelingthea@yahoo.com
- PLEASE remember to turn in your articles before and after your events.
- Our photographer can not be at every event, so please take out your cell phones and snap pictures. They can very easily be sent to wheelingthea@yahoo.com right from your phone. All photos are welcome and needed!

New Membership Application

Name _____ **Date** _____

Address _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____

Phone(____) _____

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Model A's _____

Send my newsletter via email _____ or US MAIL _____

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