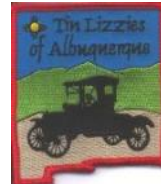




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PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Hello Fellow Tin Lizzies,

From what I gathered at our monthly meeting on Thursday, it seems we have a busy August coming up but not much in the way of anything else aside from our T n Vittles.

Put on your thinking caps and come up with some sort of day trip for us to do. Perhaps someone wants to schedule a luncheon somewhere (along the same idea as our breakfast) on a weekend not already taken.

It does not have to be anything extravagant, just map out a route, choose a day and place and put it in motion.

The weather is just about as perfect as it can be for a Sunday drive around the city (hint hint).

Happy T'ing everyone.

Thanks,
Dean



May T n' Vittles will be hosted by Marilyn and Paul Duncan on May 12 at their home 5549 Eakes RD NW

May Refreshments will be hosted by the Wing's and Ross'




June 2 will be the annual Vineyard Pancake breakfast and road-e-o

June refreshments will be hosted by Fran Gurule and we still need another to help.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Tin Lizzie Events

Work day at Azevedo's Saturday, May 5 starting at 9 AM. Bring a sack lunch.

T N'Vittles - May 12 - 8:30 am at the Duncan home 5549 Eakes RD NW 87107 or call 345-1343 for directions. Marilyn says it Google's correctly and GPS will also get you there.

Directions : From the intersection of Griegos Rd and Rio Grande Blvd go North on Rio Grande under Montano north to the curve but do not take it go straight instead this is Eakes Rd

June 2 Pancake breakfast at the Vineyard. Road-e-o to follow.

July 4 Corrales Parade and Picnic

July Member Appreciation Picnic TBA

August 9-12 Tour Santa Fe, Los Alamos County Fair Parade and Rodeo and Tour Bandelier National Monument - Skip Dunn will provide more information next month.

August - Annual Tour TBA

September - State Fair Ford Day TBA

October- Balloon Fiesta Car Show

December - Christmas Parade and Party

MONTH IN REVIEW

The event was fun and Betty is hoping that we can have more families attend next year. It is always held the 3rd Saturday of April.

The April T N Vittles was hosted by Tom and Cathy Miles at Mimi's @ I25. Thirty-two people and six cars were in attendance at the New Orleans Style eatery. The good food, lively conversations and a room for ourselves made for a great breakfast.



MONTH IN REVIEW

The Fiesta de Alameda parade was held April 21, 2012. Four cars from our club attended. The parade started at El Pinto and traveled down 4th St to the Sanchez Community Center. After the parade the many activities included games and food booths plus some dancing.

ALBUQUERQUE TIN LIZZIES TO HOST 2012 MTFCA BUSINESS MEETING

March 2011, Bernice Young and Tom Miles approached the club about hosting the MTFCA Annual Business Meeting for 2012. Bernice said it would take a lot of help on our part and that almost everyone in the club would have a duty. Well the club voted yes and in the end 32 members took on duties ranging from planning seminars for men and women, tours, hotel, printing, assembling give a ways and planning the hospitality suite.

While behind the scenes many were working and planning, Bernice and Kirk were hoping we would get at least 50 people to attend. They hoped pretty good. The final count of attendees was 114, double the projected number.

As good Southwesterners, we stepped up to the plate and took the bull by the horns and made it all come together. Albuquerque Tin Lizzies did good! We made our city and club the talk of the

MTFCA. Many letters, notes, emails and calls have come in from far and wide thanking us for the best Business meeting.

Not to outdo ourselves but the engine the club has been rebuilding is almost done and it will be donated to the museum and raffled off. The proceeds after expenses will go to the museum. Raffle tickets are only \$10 a piece and are available through our officers and the National Officers. Only 500 tickets were printed.

HOSPITALITY ROOM FUN

On Thursday, March 22 the Best Western Rio Grande Inn was transformed into a Model T gathering hole. People began coming in from out of town and our folks were ready. The registration room was manned by Janice Gauna and Barbara Wright with others helping as needed. The door prizes, baskets and gifts made from donated items from our club members and others were on display for everyone to see. Raffle tick-

ets were purchased for a \$1 and placed in the jars next to the items.

Meanwhile on the 2nd floor as the elevator doors opened, guests were welcomed into the Hospitality Suite and Tin Lizzie members. Food and drinks were laid out for their consumption, while Tin Lizzie members were there to welcome and chat with the visitors. One guest com-

mented that the variety of food in the hospitality suite was fantastic. We had fruits, candy, treats, sodas, coffee and water most of the time. For the morning we added donuts, rolls and yogurt!! The Hospitality Suite was open whenever there was something going on at the hotel; and we manned it all of the time. Several guests asked host members where to find good places to eat and our people drove them where they wanted to go.

GREAT JOB !!!!

WELCOMING RECEPTION

The Thursday night welcoming Reception was a hit. The bar served generous drinks as people milled and met one another. A short program about the events of the weekend were interrupted when it was discovered that four of our guests had not gotten their "shots" to enter the Land of Enchantment. Our own DR Duncan came to the rescue much to the delight of the company.

The hors d'oeuvres were fantastic. Bernice and her team chose the food well. No one went away

hungry.

Happy people left the Manzano Room at 9 PM to get rest for the following day.

Behind the scenes, Tin Lizzies were busy making Tea Food for the ladies' Tea Party the next day., while others were still working on the men's' BBQ for Friday.



WHAT A FRIDAY !

The morning began for our guests with breakfast and a bus ride to the Azevedo's for the men. The bus driver, part comedian, magician and all around good guy, drove our guests to Corrales to start the seminars. Because we had so many attendees, Tin Lizzie members drove themselves out to the Azevedo's. The abundance of Model T's in the soccer field was a sure witness something was happening. The men gathered in the barn and shop for seminars on babbiting by Larry Azevedo, transmission assembly

and magnet recharging by Dave Huson, Model T coils by Ron Patterson and Dyno testing and transmission alignment by Mike Bender. At noon a very tasty BBQ was served to the men outside. The weather was perfect and the men enjoyed our beautiful setting.

The bus returned to the hotel for the ladies while the men were getting started.



COMEDY, HATS, MAGIC, LUNCHEON AND FUN !

After the men were delivered to the Azevedo's shop and barn, the bus driver in all of his glory returned for the women. Since he had 45 minutes before the scheduled departure, he entertained the waiting ladies with humor, magic and quick wit. By the time the bus was to leave, the women were in high spirits.

The first stop was a tour of the Casa San Ysidro Museum in Corrales.

The next stop was the Azevedo's home. The great room had been transformed into an English tea par-

lor. The tables were dressed with china teapots, teacups and fine linens.

The pool table had been transformed into a millenary boutique where the women learned how to make fastenators for themselves. After the feathers, flowers, tulle and ribbons were finally affixed it was time for luncheon.

Mary Ann O'Brien's team made wonderful delicacies for the women to luncheon on. After luncheon, the 7th Duchess of Bedford made an entrance to the delight of the

women. She shared how high teas were started and enjoyed in England even today.

Our next speaker was Nancy Forcum, a teacher, seamstress and master craftsman of Vintage clothing. She showed some of her creations for both her husband (who modeled for us) and herself. She later answered questions about adjusting today's styles to reflect the styles of the 1900's.

The day was fun, interesting, informative and fulfilling. The women returned to the hotel a happy bunch.

SATURDAY DIDN'T DISSAPOINT

Saturday morning the Hospitality Room was open for breakfast and gathering. The men had seminars on camshafts by Trent Boggess and front axle alignments by Steve Coniff, while the ladies were free to enjoy tours around Albuquerque.

While some women enjoyed a leisurely walk to Old Town and a docent tour, others enjoyed a trip to the top of the Sandias via the tram .

That afternoon a bus took participants on a tour of the National Museum of Nuclear Science and History.

The evening Awards Banquet was

especially festive with the ladies dressed in their fascinators and vintage dresses and the men looking dapper in their suits.

The food, either prime rib or salmon came out fast and hot. No rubber chicken for our guests. Door prizes were drawn throughout the evening and the entertainment was fantastic.

The time for awards came and the first one went to Foothills Model T Club of Cochrane, Alberta Canada won a years membership to the MTFCA for having the most attendees at the Business Meeting. Next Tom Miles received a

plaque for being President. Jay Klehfoth presented the awards for Newsletter Editors to:

3rd place Margie Tire, East Central Kansas Times

2nd place Brenda Bender, T Bone Times Tulsa, OK

And 1st place to Bob Meleeny for the Backfire, Santa Clara, CA

He next presented the Golden Mouse Award Outstanding Web Site

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The 3rd place award went to the Mad River T's of OK - Dennis Myers Web Master

The 2nd place award went to the Piquet T's, Steve Showwell, Web Master

The 1st place award went to the Albuquerque Tin Lizzies, Mark Wing, Web Master

The Tin Lizzies were offered a plaque for hosting but asked that the money be sent to the museum instead. A whole hearted thank you from all present was offered instead.

The Walter Rosenthal Award was the final award to be presented. The Rosenthal Award is presented to a person not a car who best represents the spirit of sharing and giving, was named after our first president. All who had received the award in the past were asked to come forward and the award was presented to Bud Redding of Waverly, Kansas. He joined the other recipients for pictures and congratulations.

The evening festivities concluded everyone departed to be gathered together again on Sunday morning.

BUSINESS MEETING

The Business Meeting was held Sunday morning after a grand buffet. Updates on the museum were given and other business issues were discussed.

The 2012 Annual MTFCA Business Meeting was adjourned and the clean-up began.

We'd like to thank all of the participants, hosts and good people who presented the "best business meeting yet"

The Tin Lizzies are receiving notes and thank you messages from all over. According to Bernice she couldn't have done it without the help from all of the club members. Whether you just donated items for the raffles, spent time in the hospitality suite or worked endlessly for the year it took to put this together, your work, help and dedication was extremely appreciated. Thank you to all from the bottom of her heart.




Top Row L to R : Mary Ann, Susan and Robbi in their vintage dresses; Cathy & Tom Miles; Ted Forcum and Stan Gauna
 Bottom row L to R: Dean Van Doren & Bernice Young; Kim Housholder in her un-fascinator hat; Larry Azevedo in his "Man's Fascinator"

Below our entertainment



Photos are courtesy of Fran Gurule and Mark Wing. More photos after end on line



Many Happy Returns !

**Roger Burton
Julie Dilts
Hector Montalvo
Barbara Wright**

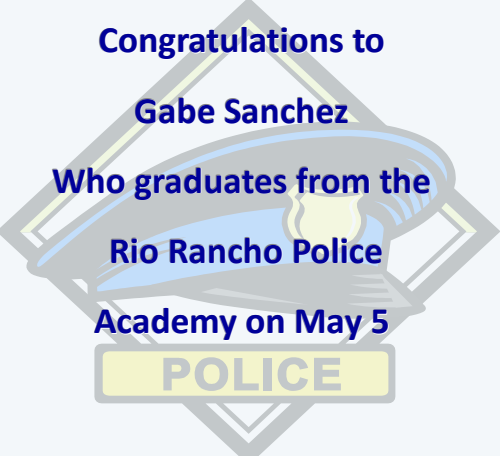


**Don & Medora Gaines
David & Dannie King**



**Clarence Schritter
Bruce Daniel
Get well Soon !**

**Congratulations to
Gabe Sanchez
Who graduates from the
Rio Rancho Police
Academy on May 5**

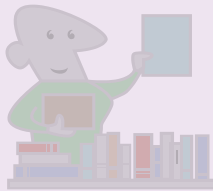


Wanted

Russell Dilts is looking for a 17" rim for his steering wheel

*Got something for sale or trade
need something ? Call or email
Robbi for insert in next newsletter*

**Library by
Mark &
Sharon**



The Roy Young Library has received a donation of DVD's available for checkout. Call or email the Dominguez' @ 899-5628 if you wish to check out a book or DVD. A list is available at our website


NEW MEXICO CAR CLUB COUNCIL EVENTS

CAR SHOW

The Museum Car Show will be May 20 at the ABQ Museum 2000 Mountain RD NW. Entry fee is \$10. Approximately 80 awards will be distributed this year. The theme this year is "Celebrating 100 years of the Chevrolet"



There will be a Toy and Model Vehicle display and Auto Art Exhibit in the Special Events Area of the Museum. Anyone may enter these exhibits free of charge.



SWAP MEET

The Route 66 Rodders 24th annual SWAP MEET

Will be held Sunday, May 6 (rain or shine) 8am until 4 pm at the Los Lunas Sports Complex HWY 314 and Morris RD in Los Lunas. Free admission Space rentals start at \$20. Call Bud at 505-715-3951 or on the web at www.theroute66rodders.com.

Minutes of our last meeting

TIN LIZZIES OF ALBUQUERQUE MEETING MINUTES**April 26, 2012**

President, Dean Van Doren, called the meeting to order at 7:02 PM. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by the membership. There were no new members or guests. Dean announced that tonight's refreshments are provided by Larry & Lorna Azevedo & Tom & Cathy Miles.

Vice President, Stan Gauna encouraged everyone to buy raffle tickets & showed what was to be raffled. He also made a remark about what a success the MTFCA Business Meeting was.

Secretary's Report: Lorna Azevedo gave the Secretary's Report. There were no corrections or additions to the minutes from the March newsletter. She read a Thank You note from Barbara & Ken Canning from Canada thanking us for a wonderful time at the Business meeting. There are a couple more thank you notes Lorna will bring to the next meeting.

Treasurer's Report: Janice Gauna gave the Treasurer's Report.

Dean also read a letter from Jay Klefoth thanking the Albuquerque team for a successful Business Meeting.

Committee Reports:

E-Mail: Kirk Peterson said he is sending emails out. If members are not getting email notifications, please let Kirk know. Janice Gauna asked if Kirk had received the newest membership list, & Kirk said he has not. Skip Dunn announced he is now getting his emails & all problems have been corrected.

Telephone, T'n Vittles, & Meeting Refreshments: Linda Riel advised that if there are any changes to the call list, let her know.

Newsletter: Robbi Ross said if there's anyone who wants anything published in the newsletter, to let her know.

Car Council: John Hayne gave the Car Council report. He said the Museum Car Show will be on May 20th & is \$10. The theme this year is the "Year of the Chevrolet". He told everyone to be there between 730A & 830A to make sure you get in.

Hospitality: Janice Gauna said two cards were sent out last month. A get well card was sent to Clarence Schritter for his hip replacement, & a thank you to Rich Ford for the donation they made to the Club after we displayed our cars on March 17. Dean mentioned we need to keep Bruce Daniel in our prayers due to the rough time he's having fighting a health problem.

Librarian: Mark Dominguez let us know that a set of DVDs were donated by Bernice Young in Roy Young's name. He named off the titles of the DVDs that are now available for check out. Dean advised he has left over items from the National Meeting & it was decided that we'll keep the information in the library for a year.

Program Co-Coordinator: No report

Historian: Marilyn Duncan talked about what a Fliver is as it relates to Model T's, & showed everyone a book she has by Clymer entitled "Model T Memories". She read some sheet music to the group of an old tune, Fliver King. Paul Duncan said the definition of Fliver is "a small inert car or airplane".

Quartermaster: Larry Azevedo gave the quartermaster report. He also gave a report on the status of the engine being rebuilt by our Club & donated to the National Museum. He said the engine runs great & is ready to go. He said there are about 200 tickets out right now to be sold. Ticket sales have almost covered expenses at this point. Neal O'Brien will take the engine out to Richmond, Indiana, about May 15.

Webmaster: Mark Wing said he has the T'n Vittles held at Mimi's posted on the Web as well as the work party held afterward. He said there's lots of new things on the site.

Tours: Dean asked that we think of some day tours we can do. We have no tours till the end of Aug. Larry mentioned don't forget about the 4th of July parade & Bar-B-Q.

T'n Vittles & Refreshments: Linda Riel says there are still 2 openings for June & Sept refreshments. The T'n Vittles schedule is full. On June 2 we meet at the Vineyard for our yearly pancake breakfast.

State Fair: Vaughn announced the State Fair is still in Sept.

Follow-up on Previous Events:

April Breakfast hosted by Tom & Cathy Miles: Tom reported that we had 6 T's & about 32 people at Mimi's on April 14. It was a great time.

Fiesta de Alameda: Betty Housholder & Larry Azevedo gave a report on the parade held last Sat. There were 4 Model T's: Betty, Michael Housholder, Steve Suttle, & Larry. It was a short parade. Betty would like us to put it on the list for the future, if we'd like. There are lots of activities at the Community Center following the parade.

Unfinished Business:

2012 National MTFCA Meeting: Bernice Young thanked everyone who helped put on the National Business Meeting held in Alb in March. She gave the balance sheet report to the Club.

Audit of Financial Records: Dean reported that the audit for 2011 is in progress.

Club Tour the End of August: Lorna reported that she, Larry, & Kirk & Susan Peterson will head to Northern New Mexico next week to check out lodging & plan the tour. There will be details at the next meeting.

Previous Work Parties: Larry reported that at last Saturday's work party the engine (for the MFTCA raffle) was finished, & gave details on that. He gave some details of what will be done at the next work party to be held next Sat, May 5....Don Mitchell's transmission probably. It will start at 900AM. **Bring your own lunch.**

Russell Dilts reported that Vaughn gave him part of a "fat man" steering wheel. He's in need of a 17" wood steering wheel to be able to use it.

We had our break & visiting time

New Business:

Mark Dominguez reported that his Son-In-Law, Gabe Sanchez, will graduate from the Police Academy on May 4. Congratulations to Gabe!

Member Appreciation Get Together: Dean talked a little about having a member appreciation get together possibly this summer or later, & asked for a show of hands to see how many would be interested. He & Linda Riel gave some information on an idea to have it at the American Legion Post with dinner & dancing. Many members approved the suggestion, & Linda will do further checking on it, & let us know at the next meeting.]

Neal O'Brien suggested money be given to support the Azevedo's 4th of July party. The Azevedo's advised the money is not needed at this time, but they appreciate the offer.

Bob Ross said that the old train engine will be moved to the main line, & they will want some Model T's on hand for the celebration. He will get us more information on that.

Linda Riel advised that she has some shirts left over from the MTFCA Business Meeting & they are being sold for \$15 (or so). See her if you are interested.

Tom Miles thinks that the MTFCA Museum will open sometime in June. He'll keep us informed.

Betty Housholder asked if there is any interest in having a Car Rodeo at the June 2nd breakfast at the Vineyard. We've done it in the past, & everyone seemed to like it. We talked about some of the games we've had, & Dean said we can do it if we like. Someone needs to volunteer to head it up.

Skip Dunn brought up that it would be fun for the Club to do something in Los Alamos. He suggested Aug 11 for the Los Alamos County Parade. We could possibly have a hub & spoke tour for 2 or 3 days. We could stay at the Motel 6 for \$39.99 a night, or the Best Western. Skip will send the information to Robbi.

Larry Azevedo suggested a tour that we might like for next year in SW New Mexico around the Silver City area at an old ghost town. A friend has a mine in the area, but there's about 10 miles of dirt roads to travel on. He said he'd check out the area this summer & see if it would be too rough or not for our T's.

Raffle & Prize Drawing: The raffle prizes were won by Paul Duncan, Mark Wing, Linda Riel, Betty Housholder, Larry Azevedo, Vernon Armstrong, Jim McKinstry, Kirk Peterson, & Bob Ross,

We adjourned at 8:25P.

Respectfully submitted,

Lorna Azevedo, Secretary

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Thanks for reading!

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The ABQ Tin Lizzies
will meet at
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4th Thursday
of each month,
Jan thru Oct. The 3rd
Thursday in Nov and a
special event for Dec.

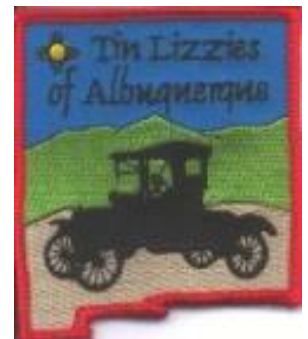
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WELCOME AND REGISTRATION



L TO R: Bernice chats with guests at the raffle table

Janice and Barbara register a guest

HOSPITALITY ROOM

WELCOME RECEPTION



Robbi, Betty and Marilyn visit during the Welcome Reception Happy Hour



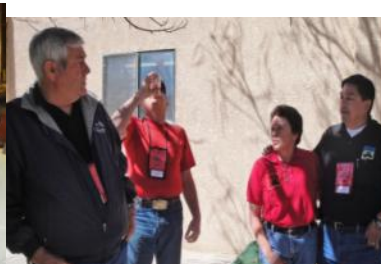
Hospitality room : Dean enjoys a cup of coffee; Don chats with Gary Westcott of OR ; Bernice and Lorna are hard at work

TEA PARTY



L TO R: Mary Ann assists Barbara Canning of Canada with her hat ; Vaughn swaps hats with Robbi ; Heddy and Marilyn in vintage dresses ; Mary Ann gives instruction to her help ; All decked out the great room becomes a tea parlor ; Betty is a vision in pink

MEN'S SEMINARS



L TO R CLOCKWISE: Larry and Jahn babbitting ; Don chatting with a guest ; Bob, Michael, Kim and Mark ; Susan & Kirk ; Mark & Benny Young; Vernon and Tim; Troy ; sitting at the seminar



AWARDS BANQUET



L to R top row: Janice and Bernice ; MTFCA President Tom & Tin Lizzie President Dean ; Mark & Susan Wing Web Master of the Year ; 2nd row Presidents' table ; Bernice and Sharon find our patch; Mark & Sharon; 3rd row: Dean & Linda; MAty Ann & Kim; Bob & Robbi; Susan & Marilyn 4th row: Skip & Heddy; Marilyn, Vaughn, Paul, Stan ; Janice & Stan; The Rosenthal Winner with Tom Miles on the end; our entertainment