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The MODEL A FORD CLUB OF AMERICA



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The Model A Ford Club of America is a non-profit corporation of California and a national historical society dedicated to the restoration and preservation of the Model A Ford automobile as manufactured from 1928 through 1931

Mark Your Calendar

Monday, July 4th – Hornbrook Fourth of July Parade. Meet in front of the Hornbrook Elementary School at 9:30 am. Hot dog lunch (please bring a side dish) and Business Meeting following the parade at the Gabrielson's.

Monday, August 1st – Monthly Business Meeting and picnic lunch, KRCE Clubhouse

Friday, August 12th – Model A display at the Siskiyou Golden Fair, 9am – 2pm.

Saturday, August 20th – Motor the Mountain Car Show, Hoo Hoo Park, McCloud

Saturday, August 27th – Three Chapter Gymkhana, KRCE Clubhouse, Hornbrook

I've been thinking...

Within days of the solstice, the first wave of summer heat washed over the county, with toasty afternoons and refreshingly cool mornings. And it's those cool mornings that really energize me - but I'm only good till about noon. It's then that I realize that the cultures around the world that just stop commerce for a few hours in the middle of the day, for lunch and a nap, probably have the right idea.

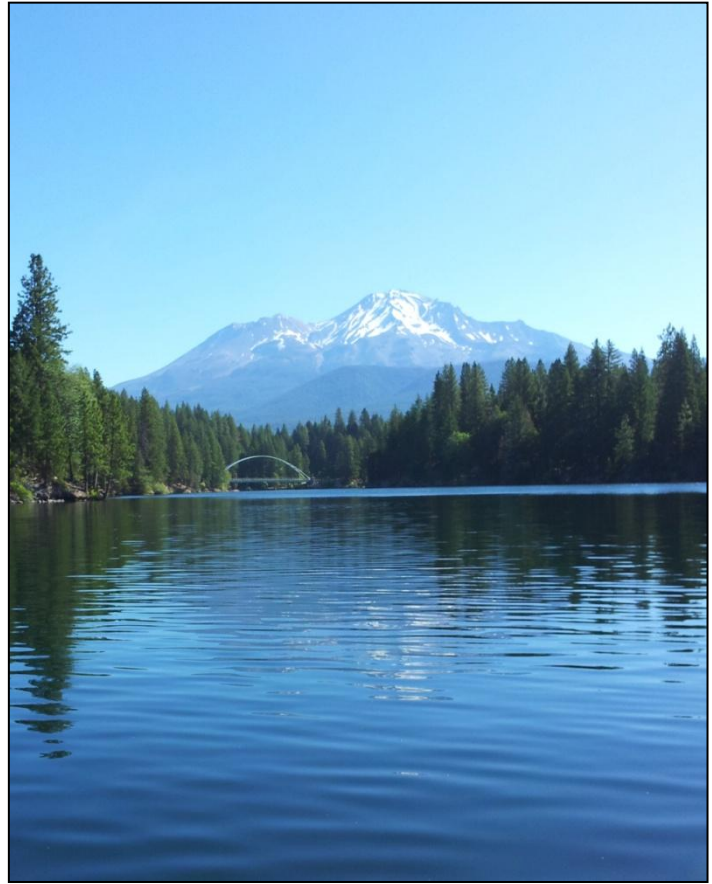
Most of the local mountain lakes are filled to overflowing, or nearly so. Their waters are clear and cold and, unless you're a trout, not quite fit for a swim just yet – especially for lean folks. If you do happen to get into the mountains this time of year, and climb way, way up you will notice all sorts of flowering plants emerging in the wake of the retreating snow.

The growing season is short for them, so there isn't a day to waste. Children are like that, I think.

Those who attended Gold Rush Days had an enjoyable experience. It's a nice change when towns close off their business districts to vehicle traffic, now and then, to let folks wander in and out of the shops and around the booths scattered along the streets. I always end up running into people I haven't seen for a while and striking up conversations with people I've just met. And if you have an old car parked there, you're bound to meet lots of people who are at least somewhat curious, and others who are wide-eyed with wonder.

The Father's Day Car Show was well attended. The Sis-Q A's brought several vehicles to show to the public, and our members enjoyed helping out where they could, to keep the event running smoothly. We took turns greeting entrants at the front gate, taking in registration forms, selling raffle tickets, and more. Marie Green baked about a gazillion delicious cupcakes to give away to the public. I made sure to sample a couple (maybe it was three). Thanks, Marie! It was certainly nice to see the Weatherbys back in the area for a visit. Terry and Pam made the long trek up from Ontario, and we all had wonderful conversation throughout the day, catching up on this and that, and reflecting on one thing or another. They brought a box of doughnuts along, so of course I sampled one or two (maybe it was three).

The Hornbrook Fourth of July Parade is just around the corner, so shine up your 'A' and break out the red, white and blue decorations, for a little Independence Day putt through the town. After the parade, we'll have lunch at the Gabrielson's and hold our July business meeting. There are still a few loose ends to start tying up for the Gymkhana planning. - RG





**We'd most certainly
like to wish You
a very Happy Birthday!**

Pam Gabrielson, July 22

Sis-Q A's Business Meeting, June 6, 2022

The meeting was called to order at 11:00 am by president, Richard Giordanengo, at Jefferson's Roadhouse. Members in attendance were: Russell Nussbaum, Linda Ellison, Rich and Pam Gabrielson, Bob and Ann Noel, Brian Favero, Wayne and Cindy Hammar, and Richard and Nancy Giordanengo.

Previous Meeting Minutes: Linda made a motion (second by Pam) to approve the May meeting minutes, as printed in the Hot Babbitt News. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Ann gave an update on the club finances. Richard G. handed over a much appreciated \$50 donation received from Terry and Pam Weatherby. Linda made a motion (second by Pam) to approve the treasurer's report. Motion carried.

Old Business: A last appeal for helpers was made for the Father's Day car show. To celebrate the 40th show, \$40 dollar cash prizes will be raffled off each hour, and Marie Green is baking and decorating cup cakes to hand out. Ann passed out the updated tour calendar. Gymkhana plans continue, with games and prizes, and event scheduling and dining arrangements discussed.

New Business: Richard G. reminded anyone interested that the Oregon Tour, in the Coos Bay area, was coming up and the application deadline was soon.

Motion to Adjourn: Pam made a motion to adjourn, which was unanimously approved, as lunch was served.

Respectfully submitted,
Cindy Hammar, Secretary



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Photo by Cindy Hammar



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Annual Father's Day Car Show at the Fairgrounds

- 1) Frank and Linda Spagnolo were probably the best-dressed couple at the show!
- 2) Ann Noel and Linda Ellison take care of business at the registration table.
- 3) Terry and Pam Weatherby nearly drove the length of California to spend the weekend in Yreka.
- 4) Bob Noel greets attendees at the gate, hands out registration packets, and tells everyone where to go.
- 5) Russell Nussbaum brought just a few of the trucks from his enormous collection.



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Above: Rich Gabrielson's AA truck drew a lot of attention at Gold Rush Days. A great way to introduce kids to these old cars is to simply let them climb inside, get behind the wheel and press the horn button!

Below: Joe Giordanengo points out features of the 1929 Tudor Sedan.



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