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First Pictures of the New Ford Car
Get complete details **TOMORROW** at Ford salesrooms

For several years you have been waiting for the new Ford car. For weeks and months you have been waiting around it. For the past few days you have been reading news of the details of its development.

Now you do not wait any longer. You have the complete details of the new Ford car. You will find it in the new Ford car. You will find it in the new Ford car. You will find it in the new Ford car.

NOTE THESE FEATURES
Beautiful new low body lines
Class of four-cylinder
55 to 60 miles an hour
Removable convertible top
3000 cc. engine
Standard spring steel
Half-inch steel wheels
10 to 15 mile per gallon of gasoline
Tight proof-constructed body
Special Ford economy and reliability
Standard equipment on all new Ford cars

FORD MOTOR COMPANY
Detroit, Michigan

Three-Chapter Gymkhana



The Sis-Q A's hosted this year's Gymkhana at the Klamath River Country Estates Clubhouse, outside of Hornbrook. All in attendance enjoyed the pleasant setting and comfortable weather.

Above: Pam and Rich Gabrielson put their concentration and coordination to the test in the spark plug changing game.

Below: Brian Favero listens to detailed instructions from John Firth, of the Henry's Lady Chapter, before the stopwatch starts.

(More photos on pages 4, 5 and 7)



Modern Automobile

Five years ago—three years ago—two years ago—it would have been impossible to produce such a really fine car at such a low price. It is possible today only because of the development of new machines, new manufacturing methods and new production economies that are as remarkable as the car itself.

The Ford Motor Company did not set out to manufacture a new car at a certain figure. It decided on the kind of car it wanted to make and then found ways to build it at the lowest possible price.

Every purchaser shares the benefits of the established Ford policy of saving or controlling the source of raw materials, of selling millions of cars at a small margin of profit and of constantly giving greater and greater value without greatly increased cost.

As Henry Ford himself has said: "We make our own steel—we make our own glass—we mine our own coal! But we do not charge a penny on any of these items or from these operations. Our only profit is on the automobile we sell."

There are good and substantial reasons, therefore, for the enduring quality that has been built into the new Ford and for its low price. When you know the joy of driving the new Ford—when you see its outstanding performance under all conditions when you study its reliability and low cost of up-keep—you will know that it is not just a new automobile—not just a new model, but the advanced expression of a new idea in modern, economical transportation. There is, indeed, nothing quite like it anywhere in design, quality and price.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY
Detroit, Michigan

Put the Ford Truck on your pay-roll



Ford platform bodies and dump bodies are used extensively in highway building, general construction and excavation work. In addition, Ford dump bodies are used for hauling coal, coke and garbage.



The Sis-Q A's, of Siskiyou County, California, is a chapter of
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, September 12th – Monthly Business Meeting and Potluck lunch, 11am
at the Giordanengo's, 735 Deetz Road, Mount Shasta**

**September 23rd – 25th – Montague Balloon Festival. Car show on Saturday the 24th
from 8-1 at Montague City Hall**

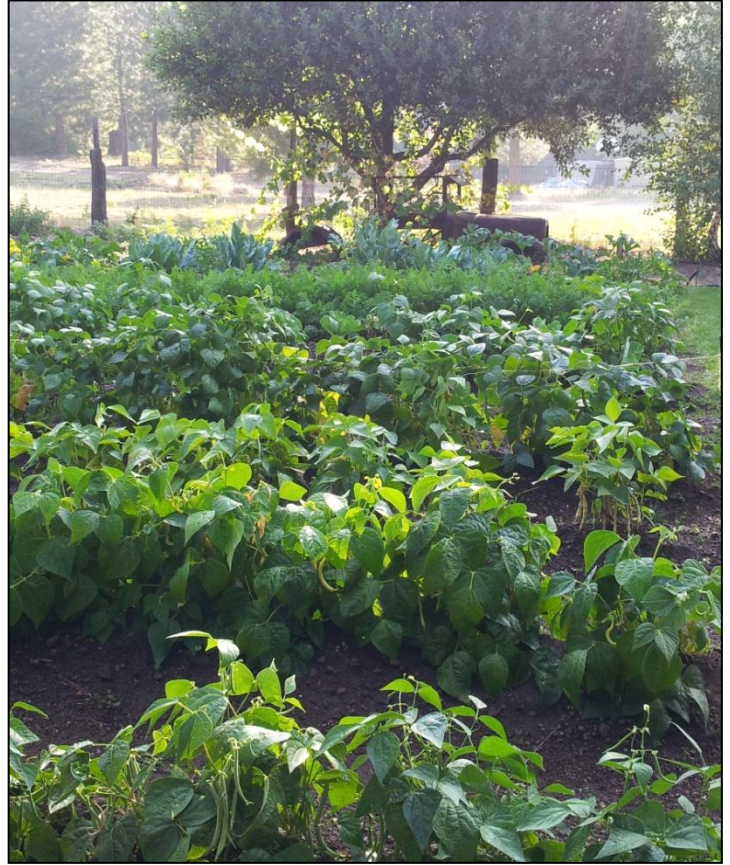
October 4-6 – Northern California Regional Group Roundup, Jackson, Ca.

Saturday, October 8th – Siskiyou County Museum Family Fun Day

October – Fort Jones Fall Festival Car Show

I've been thinking...

It looks like most of the children are back in school, and many of them, I suppose, are blankly facing the front of the classroom, mourning over their lost freedom. The Autumnal Equinox is just a few weeks off, and though the sun is still warm it is striking the earth at a noticeably lower angle than it was just a month ago. In the south county, I've noticed the number of people at all the "touristy" places has vastly diminished. Here and there I see pickup trucks laboring under loads of firewood, chugging down the road, or parked somewhere with a crooked, cardboard "wood for sale" sign hanging on the back. If you know where to look, you'll find that blackberries are still profuse and just waiting on a sunny



vine to be carefully plucked and enjoyed. In backyard gardens, warm-season vegetables will continue to yield their fruits till the first frosts of autumn, when the cool-season varieties start to take over production. The days are indeed getting shorter. Summer is waning and the ancient cycle continues.

The Three-Chapter Gymkhana is now a pleasant memory. It was great to see all our friends from Oregon come down for the day. I'd like to express my gratitude to all who helped with plans and preparations for the last several months to make the day enjoyable for our guests and ourselves. Special thanks to the Noels for securing the facility, purchasing food and drink, and for overall coordination of the event. Thanks, also, to the Gabrielsons for running our club's game and for overseeing the Hubley races, and to our grille masters, Bob Noel and Joe Giordanengo. Thanks, as well, to everyone who volunteered to show up early, stay late, and generally keep everything on track and on time and, in the end, cleaned up and put away. Your selfless, helping hands made it work!

You may want to wander out to Montague, later this month, for the balloon fair, car show, parade, and a whole bunch of other fun stuff.

Also, the Northern California Regional Group is holding a Mini Roundup in Sutter Creek. It will be a three-day event with a tour, seminar, gymkhana, great food and more. Register by September 20th if you plan to attend.

Linda Ellison has not been feeling well but, after several tests, the doctors seem to be getting closer to a diagnosis. Wish her well for increased strength and renewed health! - RG



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

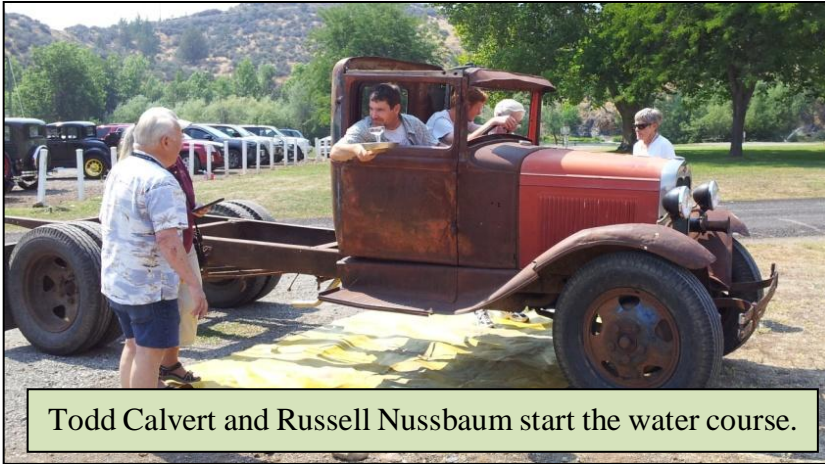
Clair Thorne, Sept. 4th
Jeanne Peterson, Sept 15th
Richard G., Sept. 23rd



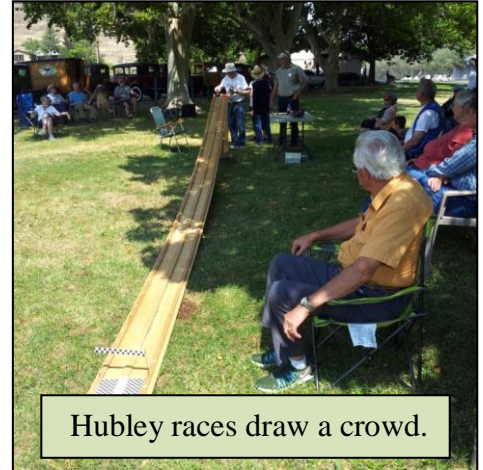
Model A Fords, from Northern California and Southern Oregon, converged outside of Hornbrook, California, along the Klamath River, for a fun day of car games, feasting, Hubley races and entertainment.



2022 Three-Chapter Gymkhana at the Klamath River Country Estates Hornbrook, Ca.



Todd Calvert and Russell Nussbaum start the water course.



Hubley races draw a crowd.



Nancy Firth tests her skills.



The Hornbrook Brigade drum corps performs for us.



Tom Peterson changes spark plugs as fast as he can.



Nancy G's "Gumby" defeated all challengers in the Hubley races. *

* Owner of the "Hillbilly Express", which crashed heavily in the final heat, immediately cried "foul". Suspicions ran high, fingers were pointed, and rumors continue to circulate.



PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE
Flights & Dreams
2022

MONTAGUE BALLOON FAIR

SEPTEMBER 23-25

Fri 9/23 - Interactive Day Sat 9/24 - Spectator Day Sun 9/25 - Locals Day

7AM - BALLOON LAUNCH /
CHAMPAGNE BREAKFAST

12-3PM - DRONE DEMONSTRATIONS /
OPEN KITE FLYING
(SPECIAL INVITATION FOR
MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS)

4-6 - RODEO GROUNDS FOOD & BEV OPEN /
DJ COUNTRY MUSIC

6 - 8 PM - BUCK FORD LIVE - RODEO GROUNDS

8PM - LOCKED & LOADED LIVE - RODEO GROUNDS

12PM - BAR CLOSES

EXTRAS

POWER PARAGLIDERS

HELICOPTERS

DRONES & MORE!!

7AM - BALLOON LAUNCH /
CHAMPAGNE BREAKFAST

9-1 - STATIC AIRPLANE SHOW @ MONTAGUE AIRPORT
+ GLIDERS / POWER PARAGLIDERS AND MORE

8-1 - CAR SHOW @ MONTAGUE CITY HALL

8-3 - VENDORS @ CITY HALL
BARNSTORMER FLEA MARKET

130 PM - COMMUNITY PARADE MAIN STREET

3-5 PM - CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT @ CITY HALL PARK

5PM - FOOD & BEV OPENS
SISKIYOU BREWERY LANE @ MONTAGUE AIRPORT

6-8 PM - ONE COUNTRY - LIVE MUSIC
@ MONTAGUE AIRPORT

8:30 PM - NIGHT GLOW - BALLOONS
@ MONTAGUE AIRPORT

10PM - BAR CLOSES

7AM - BALLOON LAUNCH /
CHAMPAGNE BREAKFAST

9-4 - SLOW PITCH TOURNAMENT
@ DIGGLE FIELD

12-3 - KITE FEST /
CHILI COOK-OFF / PIE CONTEST
ROTARY BAR
@ COMMUNITY HALL
RAILROAD PARK

12-3 - VARIETY SHOW (SPAC)
@ COMMUNITY HALL

12-3 - KIDS FUN ZONE @ RAILROAD PARK

12-3 - WHISKEY & WINE TASTING
@ RAILROAD MUSEUM

12-3 - MONTAGUE 8TH GRADE TRI-TIP
FUNDRAISER @ COMMUNITY HALL



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NCRG Mini Roundup – Jackson, CA

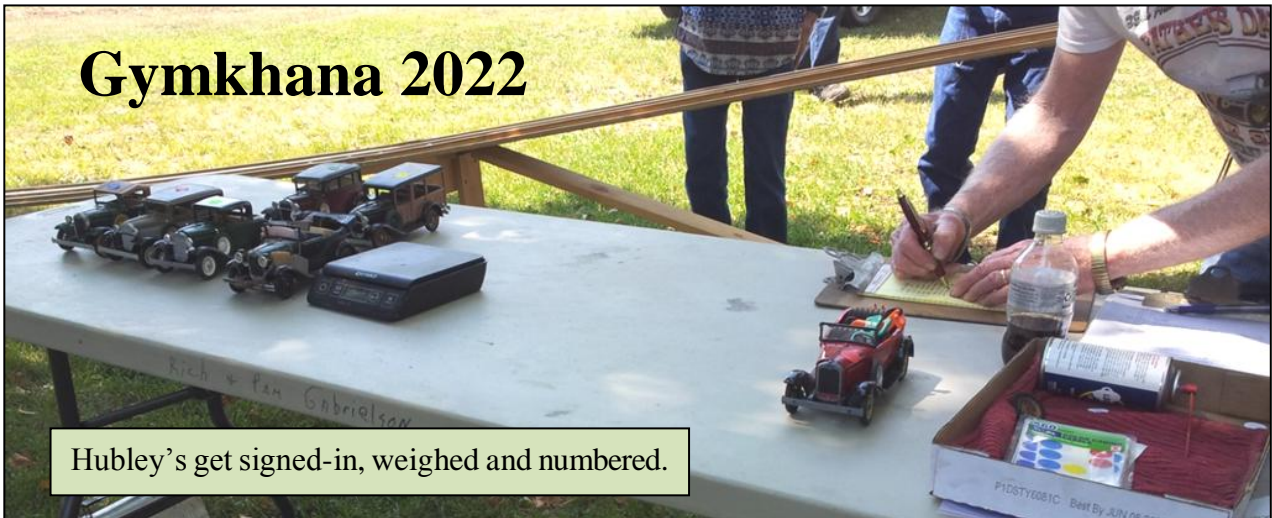
For registration information go to www.ncrgmafca.com/calendar-of-events or call Patti Stetson (209) 479-4820

BREAKING NEWS! There WILL be a NCRG Roundup at the Italian Picnic Grounds, Sutter Creek CA on Tues-Thurs, October 4-6, 2022. For those who attended the 2010 NCRG Roundup, it is located at the same venue. While the Roundup has historically been on a 3 day weekend, we chose a mid-week date because the motel rates in Jackson are \$60/70 per night less expensive mid-week than on weekends.

Since no chapter has stepped up to host a Roundup or regional event this year, a few NCRG board members got together and worked quickly with the Italian Benevolent Society (IBS) to come up with a mini Roundup. We feel absolutely confident our host organization and meal servers, the IBS, are able to provide a safe venue and food handling experience.

We will be offering a Welcome Party with outdoor BBQ, a Grand Tour, a technical seminar, a historical seminar, gymkana, and a closing Banquet and Program. There will be no car or fashion judging, hubley derby, pick-a-prize raffles or hospitality table (except waters) at this event. We want you to come to the Sierra foothills and kick back and get to visit with your Model A buddies once again. You will have time to visit the many wine tasting venues and multiple wineries in Amador County's Shenandoah Valley, go antique and collectable shopping in Sutter Creek and Jackson, and even try your chance at lady luck at nearby Jackson Rancheria Casino.

We know time is short until registration closes on September 20. You will be making your own lodging reservations. We have one motel with our group rate, available until September 20 as well as several other motels in the area. Check your calendars and get your forms back as soon as possible.

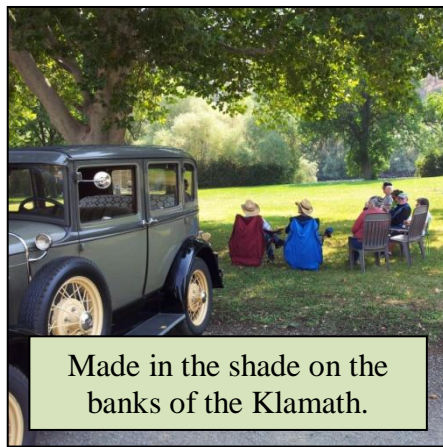


Gymkhana 2022

Hubley's get signed-in, weighed and numbered.



Two thumbs up from the rumble seat!



Made in the shade on the banks of the Klamath.



Waiting for the games to start.