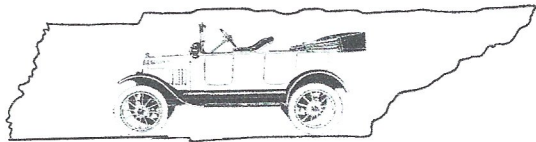


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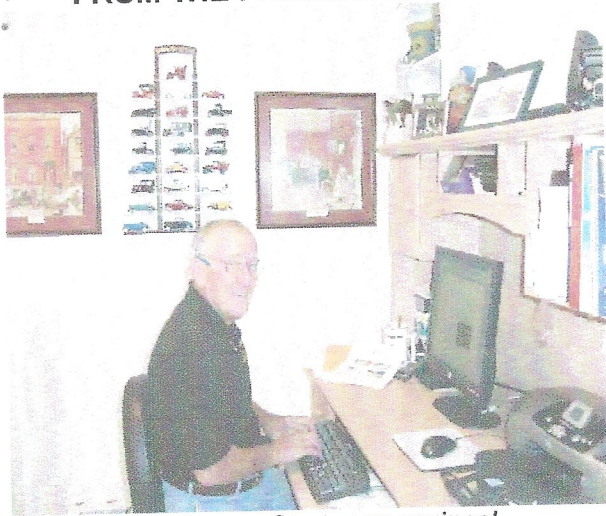


Spring Edition!

Model T Ford Club

January – March 2008

FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK



Gentlemen, Start your engines!

Touring time is just around the corner and it looks as if 2008 is shaping up to be a banner year for the Tennessee T's with a number of Chapter events planned. You should have received one email or mailing about the Henry Horton Tour and you will be receiving information when details are complete on additional events.

I hear that garages and workshops have been humming this winter with all sorts of projects and repairs. All that has been accomplished at the Williams workshop is a new set of Rocky Mountain brake linings. However, after a test drive, "Old Lizzie" appears to be good to go.

Several of our chapter members have also had to have slight adjustments and repairs this winter, such as, knees, back disk, wrist, collar bones, ribs, dental repair, left thumb overhaul, etc, but everyone seems to be like "Old Lizzie," "good to go". Just goes to show you, "You can't keep good Model T people down".

The Tennessee T's extends a hearty welcome to new members listed in this Newsletter, Bill and Susan Robinson and Ray and Melissa Elkins. Glad to have you aboard and we are looking forward to you joining us on many tours this year.

Looking forward to seeing everyone on the road this year. *Larry*

Birthdays and Anniversaries

March Birthdays

- Judy Markey.....1st
- Penny Ellis.....1st
- John Olgrogge.....3rd
- Jim Wade.....8th
- Sharon Emerson.....10th
- Carol Barrier.....10th
- Larry Williams.....18th
- Glenn Storck.....19th
- Ernestine Flowers.....20th
- Jerrie Hiner.....23rd
- Katherine Easley.....22nd
- Stevie Wyatt.....28th
- Patsy Taylor.....28th
- Carolyn Williams.....29th
- Sue Cook.....31st
- Elizabeth Monteith.....31st
- Kay McDonald.....31st

March Anniversaries

- Tony & Brenda Verschoore 23rd

Get well wishes

Jana Swann and Bob Harris have both had surgery lately and are recovering well.

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April Birthdays

Lynn Cook.....	2 nd
George Ross.....	4 th
Dewey Asher.....	7 th
Joyce Garland.....	8 th
Bryan Nelson.....	8 th
Kathe Nelson.....	8 th
Linda Eden.....	12 th
Mac Flowers.....	21 st
Donna Wade.....	25 th
Monty Monteith.....	25 th
Ann Corlew.....	26 th
Jane Summers.....	27 th
Martin Alexander.....	29 th
Pat Asher.....	30 th

April Anniversaries

Tony & Yvonne Cook.....	12 th
Nick & Connie Nicholas.....	23 rd
William & Pat Johnson.....	28 th
Charles & Barbara Wagner.....	28 th

May Birthdays

Ginny Scudder.....	8 th
Mark Dote.....	15 th
Shonda Richardson.....	19 th
Pat Johnson.....	20 th
Jennifer Miller.....	20 th
Frances Curtis.....	23 rd
Betty Jack.....	27 th
Charles Corlew.....	29 th
Jerry Waller.....	30 th
Bill Markey.....	31 st

May Anniversaries

Glenn & JoAnn Weakley.....	3 rd
Glenn Storck/Susan Harrington.....	6 th
Harold & Pam Hutsell.....	6 th
Larry & Carolyn Williams.....	19 th

Let me know....

If you have information of an upcoming event, items to sell, recipes, folks on the sick list, etc., send it to me for inclusion into the newsletter. I'll be glad to add it.

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Upcoming Events

April 4th-6th Murray KY – Spring Classic and Custom Show. RSEC building on the Murray State University Campus

April 5th Columbus MS Tour

April 26th Arlington TN Tour

May 2-3rd, 2008 Henry Horton State Park Tour

May 25-29th Blue Ridge Riders Tour - Hendersonville, NC

July 11-13th Tomato Festival - Ripley, TN

July 21-26th Model T Ford 100th Anniversary Celebration, Richmond, IN

August 8-10th Kentucky Tour - John & Bonnie Ohlrogge

September 3-7th Hillbilly Tour - Cape Girardeau, MO

October 8-11th Hershey Swap Meet Hershey, PA

December 6th Tennessee T's Annual Christmas Party Waverly, TN

Manifold - Hot Ham and Cheese

I forget who sent me this (I apologize) but it sounds good and easy (my two favorite things when it comes to cooking).

Wad up some aluminum foil and place it in the bottom of your cooker. Add about a ½ cup of water to the cooker.

Next – Make a sub roll style ham sandwich (use your favorite cheese) and place it in foil (leaving it open at the top)

Drive for about 30 minutes and take sandwich out of cooker. Add tomato, lettuce and whatever else you like to it.

The water in the bottom of the cooker steams your sandwich like the NY style deli's do them. 30 minutes is just enough to melt all the cheese and warm the ham.

Touring!

Columbus Pilgrimage Tour – April 5th

Join us for a weekend of fun and history, touring the back roads of Columbus, MS

Friday night

- Hotel in Columbus
- Group rate \$73/room at Best Western, 303 Shoney Drive, Columbus, MS, (662) 329-2255.
- We are holding some rooms but it would be best to make your reservations early

Saturday Morning, meet at Hotel at 9 AM

- Visit to Columbus Lock & Dam
- Tour of Waverly Mansion (\$7.50/person)
- Drive to Carters farm near Steens
- Lunch provided by Carters (hotdogs & hamburgers), bring foldable chairs

Saturday Afternoon,

- Country drive and possible tour of an Antebellum home

We will be finished about 5-6 PM

Please RSVP to Darrel or Ann Carter, (901) 757-0051

Darcarter@aol.com (901) 219-2213

Annie10413@aol.com (901) 848-0051

Arlington in April – April 26th

Join us for a weekend of fun in April

Friday night

- Hotel at exit 20 off of I-40.
- Days Inn Memphis. 9822 Huff N Puff Road. The rate for a double is \$59.99 plus tax. The currently have approximately 20 rooms (901) 388-7120
- There are restaurants nearby and if we have enough we could drive to Vinegar Jim's which is about 20 minutes away for dinner.

Saturday Morning

- Meet at Cracker Barrel near hotel for breakfast at 8:00.
- Tour of Davies Plantation (oldest home in Shelby County)
- Drive to Arlington town festival.
- Drive to Covington town square and antique shopping

Saturday Afternoon,

- Country drive from Covington to Braden for seafood buffet
- Back to hotel. Should be back by 5-6

RSVP to Gary Tillstrom gtillstrom@aol.com or 901-496-5527 (cell phone)

More Touring!

Henry Horton State Park Tour 2008

MARK YOUR CALENDAR AND MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS FOR THE THIRD ANNUAL TENNESSEE T'S HENRY HORTON SPRING TOUR HOSTED BY:

CHARLIE & JANA SWANN
JERRY AND DIANE WALLER

WHEN: FRIDAY, MAY 2ND REGISTER AND DINNER HOUR PICNIC
SATURDAY MAY 3RD - TOUR - DINNER AT PARK INN
BREAKFAST AT INN ON SUNDAY MORNING BEFORE DEPARTURE

WHERE: HENRY HORTON STATE PARK - CHAPEL HILL, TENNESSEE

PHONE # FOR ROOM RESERVATIONS: 1-800-250-8612 OR 931-364-2222

COST: \$63.00/NIGHT

AS SOON AS YOU HAVE MADE YOUR RESERVATIONS PLEASE LET OUR TOUR HOSTS KNOW YOU WILL BE ATTENDING SO THEY CAN PLAN "FOR EATS"

CHARLIE AND JANA.....(931) 294-2033 cswann@united.net

JERRY AND DIANE.....(615) 876-4020 jwallers@bellsouth.net

THIS IS ALWAYS AN EXCITING WEEKEND...DON'T MISS IT!

Cars for sale!



1915 or 1916 (not sure)

The car pictured to the left is for sale in Bruce MS. The owners are Jerry and Ruth Johnson and they can be reached at 662-983-8100 (Jerry)
or
662-523-0800 (Ruth)

I don't know anything about it but I have additional pictures to email if interested.

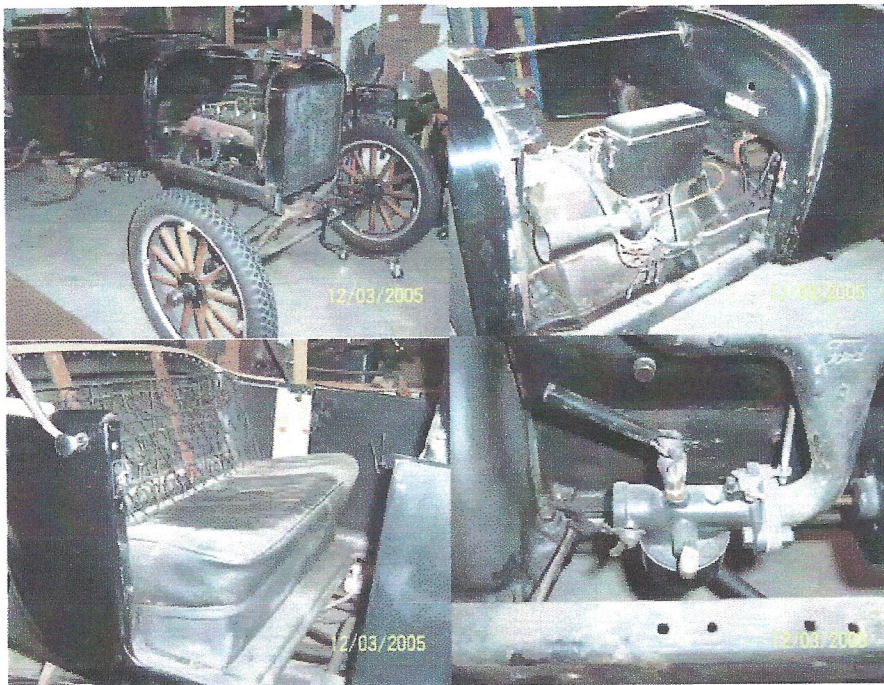
“FOR SALE”

1926 MODEL T FORD ROADSTER PICKUP

The following pictures were taken when purchased:



The car was driven onto the trailer, off the trailer and into my garage when brought home. The car was partially disassembled and some work was begun. The following pictures will indicate present condition:



The following parts are offered with the car:

QTY	DESCRIPTION
1	NEW COMPLETE WIRING HARNESS
1	NEW INTERIOR READY TO INSTALL (Cartouche)
1	NEW TOP READY TO INSTALL (Cartouche)
1	NEW SET OF ENGINE GASKETS
1	RESTORED GAS TANK BANDS
1	NEW MUFFLER AND EXHAUST PIPE
1	EXHAUST PIPE, NEW
4	NEW SPARK PLUGS (Autolite)

The Following list of "EXTRA" parts is available if the price is right:

QTY	DESCRIPTION
2	FRONT FENDERS IN FAIR TO GOOD CONDITION
1	RESTORED 1926/27 COIL BOX
4	WORKING COIL
1	NEW BRASS EXHAUST PIPE PACK NUT
1	REPAIRED RADIATOR
1	DASH BOARD IN EXCELLENT CONTIDION
2	HEAD LIGHT ASSEMBLIES IN GOOD CONDITION
1	NEW HOOD (Rootlieb)
1	FAN BRACKET, ORIGINAL
1	GAS SEDIMENT BULB, ORIGINAL
1	COMPLETE VAPORIZER SYSTEM
1	NEW CARBURETOR ADJUSTING ROD
1	RESTOREABLE GAS TANK
1	ORIGINAL SET OF TRANSMISSION BANDS
1	ORIGINAL FRONT ENGINE MOUNT ASSEMBLY

Price: Best offer over \$5,400.00 Now \$4,500.00 March 2008

No title

(Read the next page)

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Obtaining a Title in Tennessee

We are fortunate in TN in that it is fairly easy and painless to obtain a title for a Model T that doesn't have one. I would not walk away from a nice model T because it didn't have a title.

The state has what they call an affidavit of ownership that you fill out. Basically, this says you own it and you don't have a title for the following reason..... I have used, "pulled out of fence row as converted piece of farm equipment", Bought as project from out of state owner, etc., etc. Use your imagination.

You will also need a police officer to verify a pencil tracing of the VIN (serial number on block). Take the piece of paper to the DMV along with the affidavit of ownership and your checkbook and you're in business.

A word of caution. This only works on vehicles that cost less than \$1,000. My 27 was only \$750 but I paid **big** money for the wire wheels and the steering wheel (if you follow me). Get a bill of sale with an amount less than \$1,000 and this goes real fast.

A T with a \$500 bill of sale would cost 6% sales tax (\$30), a title fee of \$15; tag of \$55 and in my county a wheel tax of \$30. You walk out with a tag and a registration in about ten minutes and your title arrives in the mail within two weeks. The \$130 is a lot less hassle and expense than other states require. I have titled four model T's this way and I believe Ken Swan did the same for his camper project.

Send me stuff please! It's a lot easier to put together a newsletter with input that without.

I know of two T's that got new field coils in them over the winter and the magnets re-charged. One of those also has had the front end rebuilt so as to be ready to run down the road this summer.

Check you cars over for safety items to be ready for touring. Remember *"It is better to be careful a hundred times than to be killed once"* Mark Twain

I would like the members to consider establishing a website for our chapter. I believe it could be hosted for free and it may help us grow even more. I'll bring it up as new business at the tour in Chapel Hill in May.

See ya down the road, **Gary**