

Sacramento Valley *Model T* Club

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Sacramento Valley *Model T* Club

The Sacramento Valley *Model T* Club was established in 1971 and is dedicated to the preservation of the Model T Ford. Membership is unrestricted as to location and is open for all interested persons. The ownership of a Model T is not a requirement.

Meetings:

6:30 PM on the last Wednesday of each month

Location: the VFW American Legion

8990 Kruitof Way, Fair Oaks, Ca. 95628

Dues:

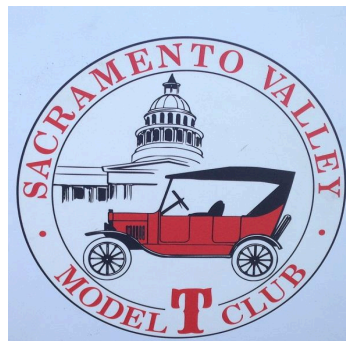
Annual dues are \$25 for the calendar year and are due the First of January. You may pay by cash (\$25) or check (made out to SVMTC) at the monthly meeting, or mail check (no cash, please) to our treasurer, John Saylor at 7304 Goldwood Way, Citrus Heights, Ca 95610. Mid-year enrollment will be prorated.

Publication copy

Any material you wish to be published in the Bands must be received by the Editor by the 5th of the Month.

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Sacramento Valley *Model T* Club Membership Application

New ☐ Renewal ☐ Renewals due Jan. 1st

Name _____ Birthday _____

Spouse _____ Birthday _____

Anniversary _____

Telephone (____) _____ - _____

Email _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

IMPORTANT STATEMENT: This information is for the club insurance:

I do ☐ I do not ☐ belong to MTFCA

Fill out completely and mail to:
Sacramento Valley *Model T* Club
% John Saylor
7304 Goldwood Way
Citrus Heights, Ca 95610

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS Annual Dues

Model T Ford Club of America MTFCA.COM --- US \$50

Model T Ford Club International MODEL.T.ORG --- US \$40

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

The MTFCA
PO Box 996
Richmond, IN 47330-0126

The MTFCI
PO Box 355
Hudson, NC 28638-0355

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

November 2024

The Holiday Season is upon us, starting with the *Model T* Christmas Party on Sunday, December 1st at the VFW.

Dinner is Pork Tenderloin with all the trimmings. It will be served at 12 noon, so make you way in around 11:30 so you can be seated and ready to “dig in” at noon.

There will be a gift exchange—please no “junk” gifts. Also, we will be having our Raffle.

The *Weirs* have volunteered to decorate the tables and provide music. Thanks.

I have 39 people who sign up to attend, and the number has gone to the VFW Chef Rob. So dress in your favorite holiday outfit and get ready to have some fun!

Regards,

Kate





VICE-PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

We were unable to participate in the Veteran's Day Parade this last week because of rain that was forecasted, and arrived pretty much in time for the parade. Too bad the parade wasn't on the weekend as the weather was perfect then! But we are in need of rain, so no complaints there!

I have been making some plans for 2025, and our first tour will be January 4th at Rosie the Riveter National Historic Park in Richmond. Sign-ups will be available at the November meeting.



‘See you at the meeting,

~ **Debbi**

October 30, 2024

Meeting Notes

Sacramento Valley *Model T* Club
by Wendel and Michele Waltz

President *Kate Bandy* called the meeting to order. No guests, but we did have one very creepy-looking visitor in a mask — it was *Hal Schedler* in a fabulous Awful Costume. Good job, *Hal* !! Maybe you'll inspire some of the rest of us for next year.

The Gastronomic Lunch at the *Kostivs'* home was a rousing success. After individually picking appetizers from a list of ghoulish-sounding unknowns (Monster Mash, anyone?), we progressed through several spirited rounds of Halloween Bingo, chili, cornbread, and two kinds of desserts. It was a lot of work for *Debbi* and *Mike* to put this together, but my, we had a good time!!

Debbi, VP and Activities Chair, remarked that the next event is the Veterans Parade in West Sacramento on November 11. Participants will meet at 9:30 and caravan to the parade starting position. After the

parade, the group will lunch at Carol's Restaurant on West Capitol Avenue.

Sunday December 1, Noon: our Holiday Party at the VFW Hall. *Kate* thanked *Wendy* and *Mac Weir* for volunteering to provide the decorations for the party. Remember to bring an appropriate gift for the exchange. "Appropriate" this year means no "white elephants."

Debbi is planning the events for next year and would appreciate suggestions from the members. So far, she is in contact with folks regarding our participation in Mount Vernon Memorial Park's annual Presidents Day event in Fair Oaks.

John Saylor remarked that, in addition to reporting a solvent treasury, he has received a new member application for *Fred* and *Nancy Byl* of Rio Vista.

Jean Lanham (Sunshine Lady) sent a card to *Mark O'Connor*, who is recovering from a knee operation.

(Meeting Notes continued)

Harvey Bandy remarked that **Mac** is working on the top for the **Steve Rowe Model T** pickup and it should be done in a couple months. The engine work on the **Pava Model TT** truck is coming along: the pistons have been removed and appear to be in good shape, with exception of one oil ring. The body is in good shape and will not need a lot of work.

The next Awful Waffle will be November 8th.

Dennis brought a mystery part from **Milt's** garage. Nobody could identify it, including **Dennis** (maybe send a photo to the **Model T** museum folks in Richmond, Indiana?).

The next meeting is November 20; change in date is due to Thanksgiving.

The 50-50 was won by **Kate Bandy** AND **Kate Bandy**. Our Prez is our first double-raffle winner! Take-home haul was \$26 for each ticket.

Music tonight from our Folsom friends was "This is My Country" and "God Bless America."





The Awful Waffle Report

by Rich Silva

November 8th was a great Awful Waffle with a fantastic breakfast that actually had waffles! *Mac, Mike, Pete, Harvey, Dennis, and Rich* attended.

***Mac* is still working on the top for *Steve's* project.**

The rest of us worked on the *Pava* project. The cylinders were honed with utmost care, as the babbitts were given to *Dude Green* for repair.

Reminder from John Saylor



Club Dues are due for 2025. Please bring a check for \$25 or exact cash to the next meeting or send your check to:

**Sacramento Valley *Model T* Club
7304 Goldwood Ways
Citrus Heights Ca. 95610**

Also don't forget to renew your MTFCA National dues. We must have 50% or more of our members to also be MTFCA members in order to remain a chartered chapter and club liability insurance at no cost.



Please Join Us

for the

November 2024

***Model T* meeting:**

Wednesday

November 20th

6:30PM

American Legion/ VFW

8990 Kruitof Way

Fair Oaks, Ca 95662

Upcoming Events

**December 1- Christmas Party
and Gift Exchange**

Tentative Tours

2025

**January 4- Rosie the Riveter
Historic Park**

**February 17- American Heritage
Day at Mount Vernon**

**March- Glo Golf and Spaghetti
Factory lunch**

April- Transportation Fair

May- Crocker Art Museum

June- Kennedy Gold Mine Tour