

Santa Barbara Chapter (Est. 1959), Model A Ford Club of America July 2016

# No Meeting in July!



## **2016 Tours/Activities**

July 4<sup>th</sup> – Parade then BBQ at George & Alice's August 20<sup>th</sup> – Local Mystery Tour Sept. 10<sup>th</sup>-All Ford car show/swap meet in Santa Maria

Oct. 8<sup>th</sup>-Santa Maria Roundup Oct. 15<sup>th</sup> -Los Olivos Day in the Country Parade Nov. 19<sup>th</sup> – Lunner?

Dec. 4th - Christmas party at Harry's



1-Ron 24-Glenn 25-Dolly 27-Tom M 30-Henry Ford 31-Jana G.

# July 4th-Parade

Look for lineup on one of the side streets like Micheltorena or Valerio. Bill Berger will be there at 11:30am. Bring flags, decorations, chairs (if you don't want to sit on the curb or on your running board).

Plenty of time to decorate your car! Bring your lunch! Parade starts at 1pm. Bill Berger will be there at 11am.

Following the parade George & Alice invite all club members & guests to their home @ 2261 Feather Hill Rd. in Montecito for a BBQ. Bring your swimsuits if you want to swim! You must RSVP to Jill so they have a count of how many will be eating! ©



20-Bob & Annette Davis

Many thanks to Elaine & others, who bring treats to our meetings & to Bob & Susan Carty for brewing the coffee & to all who help set up & take down the tables & chairs!

And to Bob Carty for running the projector when we need it!

And to Alan for putting together photos & videos to show at meetings!

# Next Cody's <u>Friday</u> July 1<sup>st</sup> @ 5pm



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#### **Engine Problem**

**Question**: I have a 1931 Model A and I have a problem that is driving me crazy. I had not run the car in a few years and just started to get it running again. I bought new points, condenser, coil and even a new carburetor. My problem is the car starts fine when cool and runs for about 45 seconds to a minute and then just stops. It will not restart until it cools after about 10 minutes and then starts again runs fine and quits after the same amount of time. I have searched the internet for help, to no avail. What am I missing? I have proper voltage at the coil and places it needs to be. Where do I need to look, as when it is running it runs great but only for a short time? -- Kenneth Calhoun

Answer: Your problem sure sounds like it is either fuel or an electrical not flowing properly. First ... Fuel: An obstruction in the fuel tank, filter, or valve will provide enough fuel to fill the carburetor but not enough fuel to keep the engine running very long. Remove the fuel like from the carburetor and with the fuel valve open, make sure the fuel will flow strong and continuously. Catch the fuel in a container to be safe. Second ..... Electrical: Electricity flows through a conductor similar to water flowing through a pipe. If there is a restriction in the flow for electricity, heat can develop quickly causing it to expand. A poor or loose electrical connection can reduce or completely stop the flow of electricity as it becomes hot and the engine will die. Upon cooling the connection can resume the flow of electricity and the engine will re-start. Check all the electrical connections in your car from the battery to the fuse (if installed) to the key switch, to the coil and to the distributor .... especially the connections inside the distributor on the top and bottom plates. Your problem could be in other areas, but try these first. **David Bockman**, 2016 Technical Director posted 05/10/16



A Guy Who Drives A Car Wide Open Is Not Thinkin' He's Just Hopin' Burma Shave

#### Mexican Bean Salad



http://allrecipes.com/recipe/14169/mexican-bean-salad/print/?recipeType=Recipe&servings=8

Bill B. is out of the material to make new nametags. If there is a demand he may be able to get more. <sup>(3)</sup>

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If anyone would like to submit technical articles or recipes to me (via e-mail please) I would be very happy to put them in the newsletters!

If anyone would like to pursue some advertising, we have some empty spots!

# Gymkhana, June 18th

We had a great turnout with 10 A's & a couple of moderns. Those who came were Bill & Joyce, Bob & Susan, Bob Davis, Fred, Cyndy, son Andrew & family, John G., Lorne & Christine, Aaron & Robin, Ralph M., Eric & Margaret, Alan & Rene' and Truett & Jill. Giorgio came by in his Italian car to visit with us. Eric won the main trophy & Robin won the ladies trophy! Fred's tenant put on a feed of which I heard people enjoyed so much they had seconds! © Thank you Fred & Cyndy for opening up your ranch for this annual fun activity & for the drinks & snacks in the morning & for all the work setting everything up & for anything I missed mentioning!

Thank you to Cyndy & Truett for some of the photos! ©

































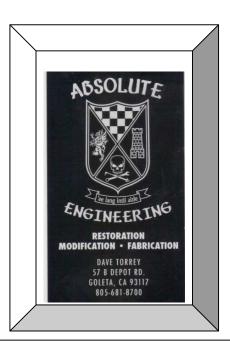














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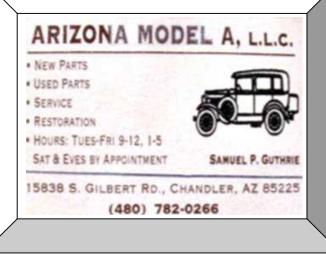
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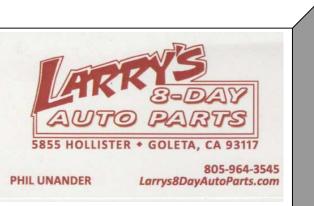
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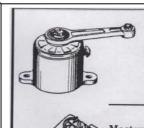
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