



August 2024 President's Message

August is here, where does the year go? We have passed the halfway mark in the year and have done some great things. Several of our members went on the National Tour in San Diego in June and had a great time. We just finished the 70th Swap Meet which was a great success thanks in large part to Jeff Hood and the eighteen members that helped set up and work the event, more later. Upcoming events include the Hill Climb September 14 Hill Climb on Signal Hill, October 11th Barstow Tour, and the Christmas banquet and 70th Anniversary celebration, so get ready and polish up those Tin Lizzies.



On the 4th of July there was a car show at Leisure World and our very own Jeff Skinner won a trophy "Judges Choice". His display of pictures depicting the resurrection of his vehicle from a pile of parts to his beautiful vehicle is amazing. There are many stories' members have about their cars. If you have a story about your T, please let us know what makes your car special with a quick article for the Mag news.

This year's 70th annual Parts Exchange was outstanding thanks in large part to the efforts of Jeff Hood who tirelessly promoted, organized and works the event. Also, his wife Jane who allows Jeff to commandeer the dining room table for about six months as the command-and-control center for the planning and organizing of the Swap Meet. The Swap Meet wouldn't have happened without the hard work of Tom Leroux, Gene Carrothers, Jim Clift, John Craig, Chris Craig, Glen French, Leonard Glick, Joe Brun, Jeff Skinner, Mike Hewitt, John Bowman, Alex Kennedy, Neil Hagemister, Richard Holt, Carlos Wilhelm, Bruce Gunther and Doug Mullin. These members set up the venue on Friday. On Saturday they arrived at 4am directed vendors to their sale spots, took and sold tickets, monitored the gates and made sure things ran smoothly. Then during the heat of the day took down club equipment and took it to storage. Without this participation from the Club Members, we could not accomplish events like this without your participation. Thank You all.

The Hill Climb will be coming up very quickly. We have five cars signed up for the climb. There are still five spots available. If you are up to the challenge let us know and we will get you on the program.

Remember to bring your show and tell stuff to the meeting. It doesn't need to be T related just stuff that is interesting or weird.

Respectfully Submitted

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