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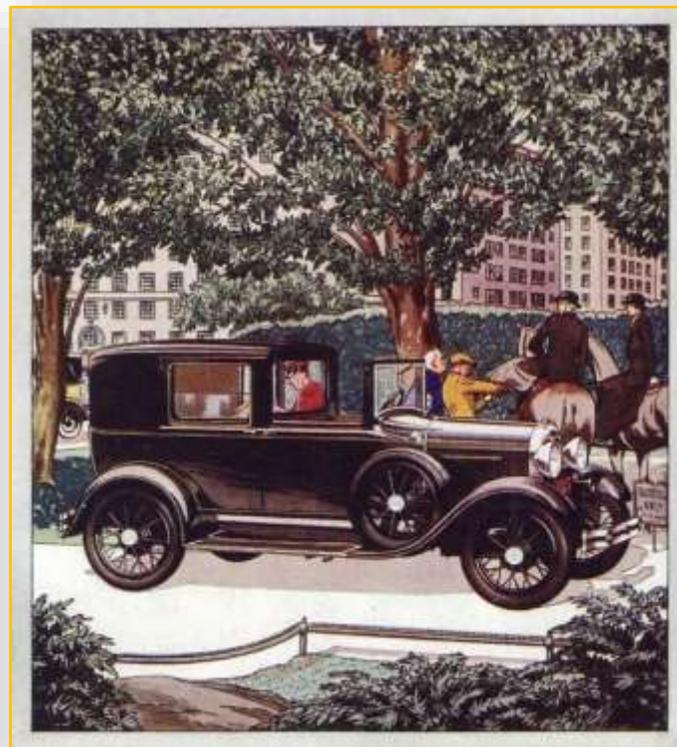
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November, 2019

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“Classy ride to your Thanksgiving feast.”

Southside A's
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Mileage keeper: Pat Tyler

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Webmaster: Pat Tyler

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****Board Meeting Minutes:** We will now be posting our Board Meeting Minutes on the website each month. Simply go to the website and click on the link under "About" on the home page, or [click here](#).

2019 Southside A's Club Events

November 2	Business Meeting, Frank's at the Old Mill for lunch. 12 noon.
November 7-10	Directors' Tour - Thomasville
November 16	Tech Meet - Romine's Huckster Chassis. 9:30 AM.
December 7-8	Madison Christmas Tour of Homes (NEW DATES!)

2019 Events of Interest

November 22-24	Moultrie Swap Meet
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2020 Start of the New Year

January 4	12 th Night post-holiday party. Frank's at the Old Mill.
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Editor's Note:

As we move into November don't forget to "Fall Back" this first weekend. Shortly after that will be the Fall Directors' Tour to Thomasville. This promises to be a lovely visit to a town that was once the winter destination for those in the wintry north. It now hosts wonderful restaurants, shopping, antiques and more. Find out more in these pages, and join the crowd! The registration form is also included.

At our Annual Meeting we will elect our 2020 Board as we near the end of a fabulous year and look forward to another one with lots of signature touring.

Have a safe, happy and grateful Thanksgiving!

--Gwyneth



Happy Birthday!

4th – Mike Shotwell
8th – Walt Smith
9th – Taylor Merrill
11th - Rick Minter
14th – Ken Turner
14th – Ken Riley
17th – Liz Romine
18th – Joe Fagundes
18th - Terry Atkins
19th – Jenny Smith
20th – Kathleen Willingham
25th – Benny Bohanan
26th – Tommy Davis



Happy Anniversary!

17th – Joe & Betty Fagundes
18th – Phil & Kathie Meyers
21st – Tom & Liz Romine
26th – Pat & Pam Tyler



Notes from Our Director

Wow! Where has the year gone? Now that the weather has finally turned cooler, we can jump back in our cars and enjoy them before the weather turns too cold. We have scheduled our last tour of the year to Thomasville and you can find more information on this fun tour in this newsletter. Come on out for our last hurrah for 20019!

As most of you know, the Miller's; the Besch's, my brother and I traveled to Utah for the MAFCA National Tour in Kanab. What an adventure. We saw many sights including some great state and national parks on our journey. We also got to see some old friends that we don't get to see that often. It brings to mind why we drive our cars, to explore the beauty and grandeur that is this great country at a leisurely pace.

Remember the year's not over and we still have plenty planned including our business meeting this Saturday, followed by the aforementioned Fall Directors' Tour to Thomasville and our last technical meeting for the year at Tom and Liz's home on November 16th. We will finish the year on a tour of homes in Madison for Christmas. So, come on out and enjoy your cars and the friendships we embrace.

Hope to see you all down the road,

~Jim

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Southsideas.com

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Directors' Tour - Thomasville!

November 7-10, 2019



You are invited to join us for an enjoyable tour to South Georgia to the picturesque town of Thomasville, once a wintering destination for those in the north. We will visit the notable Pebble Hill Plantation which was one of the "shooting plantations" providing winter recreation. The grounds are beautiful and extensive, and we will have a picnic lunch after touring the main house and the upstairs art gallery. The gardens and outbuildings are self-guided and well worth your time.

We will also enjoy lunch at the famous Mr. Chick in nearby Cairo, followed by a tour of the owners' truly spectacular private car and memorabilia collection, located behind the restaurant.

Thomasville is a lovely walk-able, charming town featuring shopping, antiques and a variety of eating (and ice cream!) offerings. You will have free time to explore and relax around our planned activities.

On our tour from Sam's Club heading south, we'll stop for lunch in Butler, Ga, at a local institution - Ms. Betty's Fried Chicken on the square. Continuing on the road we'll make a brief stop in Albany to visit "One of Georgia's Seven Natural Wonders," Radium Springs Gardens. With an interesting history going back to Indian settlements in the area, it became a popular tourist destination in the early 20th century, boasting swimming in the clear springs, a hotel and a casino (no gambling; just entertainment). Bobby Jones even played and exhibition match at the resort's golf course. Today you can see the outlines and remnants of the resort and still watch fish swimming in the clear water.

In Thomasville our hotel is the **Hampton Inn** at 1950 GA Hwy 122. We have a block of rooms reserved at a rate of **\$136.10/night**, including taxes and fees. Please make your reservations soon, as **we have the block until October 7**. Trailer parking is available onsite, if needed.

Call: 229-227-0040 and mention "Southside Model A Club."

Questions? Jim Wingo (404-683-7344, nosomi2@gmail.com).

Registration form, next page.

**FALL DIRECTOR'S TOUR
THOMASVILLE, GEORGIA
NOVEMBER 7-10, 2019**



**REGISTRATION DEADLINE
October 31, 2019**

REGISTRATION FORM

Name:	Spouse/Guest:
Street Address:	City, State, & Zip Code
	Email address:
Model A Year & Model:	Local Car Club Affiliation:

EVENT REGISTRATION	Number Attending		FEE	TOTAL
Registration		@	\$10.00 Per Car	\$
Buffet Lunch @ Mr. Chick's (includes Car Museum Tour)		@	\$15.00 per person	\$
Pebble Hill Plantation Tour		@	\$13.00 per person	\$
Box Lunch @ Pebble Hill Plantation (includes drink)		@	\$15.00 per person	\$
				\$
TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED				\$

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Please make checks payable to: Southside A's
Mail registration form and check to: Cheryl Simpson
8735 Watkins Rd.
Chatt Hills, GA 30268

The signers below agree to indemnify and hold harmless for any and all liability due to attendance and participation in the 2019 Fall Director's Tour, the Southside A's members, their officers & directors and any and all constituents acting on behalf of the aforementioned affiliations and/or Tour Volunteers. Submission of this Tour Registration Form (signed or unsigned) constitutes acceptance of the terms of this release. The vehicle being used has all the required automobile insurance established by state statute.

Signed _____ Date _____

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING-Saturday, November 2, 2019 – Frank’s at the Old Mill

TIME: 12 noon

PLACE: Frank’s at the Old Mill, 1095 Hwy 54, Fayetteville.

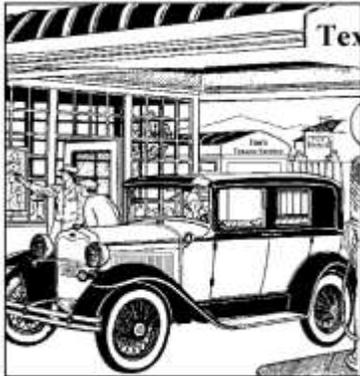
RSVP: By Wednesday, October 31 so they have an accurate count for seating.

Besides enjoying good food and good company, we will also elect the 2020 Board. The slate is:

Director/President:	Jackie Peterson
Vice-Director/Vice-Director:	Jim Hunter
Secretary/Corresponding Secretary:	Kathy Kelly Huey
Treasurer:	Cheryl Simpson
Newsletter:	Gwyneth Shotwell
Member-at-Large:	Terry Atkins
Past Director:	Jim Wingo

We’ll also have a 50/50 drawing! So, come one, come all!

Next Tech Meet – November 16, 2019



Once again our tech guru, Tom Romine will host a tech meet at his garage in Fayetteville. The session will center around the chassis of Tom’s latest project, the Huckster.

Come learn and participate. Here’s the usual game plan:

Date: Saturday, November 16

Time: 9:30 AM

Place: Romine Garage, 444 Harp Rd., Fayetteville

RSVP: Tom’s cell: 770-527-4039 or email: ModelATom@comcast.net





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TINY TIPS

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Submitted by Robert Scoon - Arcadia, California

HOOD ROD REPAIR

Some A's have a hollow hood hinge rod. The front end sometimes wears off before the female bracket attached to the radiator shell does - usually from lack of oil. Result: when the hood is raised, it falls off. One method of repair consists of driving out enough of the rod so that it can be put in the chuck of an electric drill (once an insert has been made to keep the hollow rod from collapsing in the chuck). Provided the hinge has been well oiled, the drill will turn out the rod.

Another repair can be made by obtaining a hex head sheet metal screw of the type used in radio work - one inch or longer. The head should just fit into the radiator bracket. The threaded portion can then be screwed into the hollow rod. There is just enough "give" in the radiator shell to allow the screw head to be pried into place with a fine screwdriver (or else, release the radiator support rods). Future grief will be avoided by keeping the hood hinges well oiled, along with the holddown clamps, particularly the internal springs.



Monday, November 11



Daylight Savings ends Sunday, Nov. 3, 2019



**SWAP MEET
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MADISON HOLIDAY TOUR OF HOMES

December 7-8, 2019



We're planning a trip to Madison, GA, to tour their collection of holiday-decorated homes in early December. We will drive our A's to Madison on Saturday morning, December 7, see the homes, and stay overnight. Sunday we will drive home.

Mark your calendars! And stay tuned for more details.



WELCOME!
David & Cindi McHone
Griffin, GA

<u>Treasurer's Report</u>	
Balance as of August 31, 2019:	\$5,518.00
Deposits: Dick & Jane Tour	\$476.00
Expenses: Dick & Jane Tour	(<u>\$2,882.35</u>)
Balance as of September 30, 2019:	\$3,111.65

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FOR SALE: NEW: 1930 Model A Fordor Deluxe Sedan. One owner for 21 years. Pristine condition. Fresh insert engine, tour prepped. Collection of "A" books & parts included. Priced to sell.

Asking \$21,000. Phil Myers, 770-487-4220, or email: pkmeyers46@gmail.com.



FOR SALE: I have a few nice pairs of license plates available plus two complete runs from 1914 - 2018 with all the matching pairs, and one complete run from 1915 - 1970. Most are 'great paint'. If interested, please call after 7:00 PM. Greg Marshall: 470-234-7187



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Club Items

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Remember: There is almost no limit to what you can have embroidered. Use your imagination, talk to Eugene and see what you can come up

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Invitation to join Model "A" Restorers Club

(Membership in Southside A's requires membership in MARC, as well.)

MODEL "A" RESTORERS CLUB

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Garden City MI 48135
(734) 427-9050 office
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Membership Application

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Name: _____

Address: _____

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Model A Restorers Club Purpose:

The purpose of the Model "A" Restorer's Club is to encourage its members to acquire, preserve, restore, exhibit, and make use of the Model "A" Ford vehicles (models 1928-1931) and all things pertaining to the historical information, and to promote the introduction of ideas and fellowship among its members.

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