



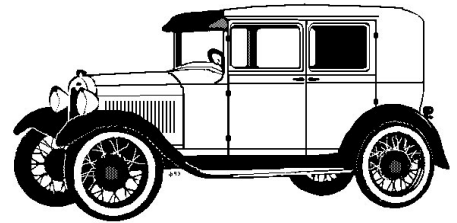
SANTA MARIA A'S HEADLIGHT HERALD

The Santa Maria A's Chapter (Est. 2003), Model A Ford Club of America

Visit our website: www.santamariamodelaclub.com



www.mafca.com



The Santa Maria A's P.O. Box 2983 Santa Maria, CA 93457

September Club Activities

11th GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING 6:30 Car Show final Prep and Root beer Floats

13th Annual All Ford Car Show

18th –Board Meeting 6pm Oasis Senior Center

19th&20th Model A Day's Gilmore Museum

20th Monthly Tour No Tour due to Car Show

28th Club Breakfast Boy's Restaurant 8:30 am

October Look ahead:

18th Model A Roundup See attached flyer and Register Now

Be sure to enter to
send in your entry
for the Car Show.

Price increase after
9-1

The Santa Maria A's General meetings are held on the 2nd Thursday of each month at the Elwin Mussell Senior Center, 510 E. Park Ave in Santa Maria, CA. Doors open at 6:00 and the meeting begins at 6:30 PM.

Board of Directors

President : Roberta Weber

V President: John Idler

Secretary: Karen Haugse

Treasurer: Dave Richards

Activities : Richard Alexander

Editor: Kay McCord

Past President: Bill Hansen

Members at Large

Lavonne Martin

Robert Franzen

Note: Phone numbers can be found in the Club Roster.

President's Corner

September 2025



President
Roberta Weber

Hello Santa Maria A's

At the August 14th meeting, Laura Hansen was appointed as Nominating Committee Chairperson, and she selected Kay McCord to assist in nominating candidates for the 2026 Board Officer positions and the 2026 CCRG Chairperson. Materials outlining the requirements for voting at the November meeting will be provided at the September 11th meeting. The objective is to encourage candidate participation and voter turnout. The September 11th meeting is our final one before the Annual All Ford Car Show on September 13th. Please bring any questions or concerns to this meeting. Seed money and raffle tickets for the show will be distributed also. Thank you for your support and teamwork.

Roberta Weber



September Celebrations



3 Hank Haugse
6-Audrey Bailey
11-Richard Gomez
13 Richard Canada
13 Larri Deedon
15th Kimberly Estep

18 Trudy Stevens
20 Lois Canada
29 Ron Stevens

4th Ken & Debra Koop
8th Gerri & Gary Lees
26th Lois & Richard Canada



Santa Maria A's

General Membership

Meeting Minutes

August 14, 2025

President, Roberta Weber opened the meeting at 6:30 p.m. at the Elwin Mussel Senior Center, Santa Maria. Richard Alexander led the *Pledge of Allegiance*. The attendance sheet was circulated – 28 attendees. A warm welcome was extended to the Allan Hancock College scholarship winners and their families. After dinner was over, the scholarship winners introduced themselves and spoke about their areas of study and future plans.

Meetings:

August 14 – General Membership Meeting at 6:30 p.m. and potluck/barbecue honoring Allan Hancock College scholarship winners.

August 21 – Board of Directors Meeting at 6 p.m., [Oasis Senior Center, 420 Soares Avenue, Orcutt](#). Dinner location to be determined. Members are welcome.

September 11 – General Membership Meeting at 6:30 p.m. Ron & Trudy Stevens will bring dessert.

September 18 – Board of Directors Meeting at 6 p.m., Oasis Senior Center, 420 Soares Avenue, Orcutt. Dinner location to be determined. Members are welcome. Discuss lessons learned from Car Show.

Secretary's Report – Karen Haugse.

Motion for approval/discussion of the General Membership Meeting Minutes of July 10, 2025, Richard Alexander. Seconded by Brian Weber.

Treasurer's Report – Dave Richards. Submit bills/receipts/checks, discuss income and expense report and account balance. No Treasurer's Report.

President's Report – Roberta Weber.

Roberta shared a flyer available to members containing links on the Club's website with John Idler's photos and information about his recent MAFCA National Tour in Waynesboro, VA. Roberta announced that Laura Hansen will be chairperson for selecting 2026 Board members. To qualify, you must be a MAFCA member. Laura will present a list of potential officers at the September 11 General Membership Meeting. For details, see 2025 Roster for information on pages 17 – 19.

October 1 – deadline for notifying Laura Hansen of your interest in being on the Board of Directors. In November, voting will take place.

Vice President's Report – John Idler (absent).

Past President – Bill Hansen. No report.

Activities – Richard Alexander.

August 16 – Tour to the Guadalupe-Nipomo Dunes Museum. Brad Southwick set up the tour. If you have a tour idea, pass it on to the Board.

August 28 – Club breakfast, 8:30, The Boys Restaurant, Santa Maria.

September 13 – 23rd All Ford Car Show (Thunderbird theme), Orcutt.

September 20 – No tour.

September 25 – Club breakfast, 8:30, The Boys Restaurant, Santa Maria.

September 30 – CCRG Solvang Grand Tour.

General Membership

August 14, 2025

Minutes

Member at Large: Robert Franzen.

Member at Large: Lavonne Martin. Members' wellbeing report – get well/encouragement cards were mailed to several members. Lavonne is the contact person re well-being of members.

Sunshine Report: Linda Phelps (absent).

Refreshments: Kathy Pedrick.

Newsletter – Kay McCord. Article deadline for the *Santa Maria A's Headlight Herald* newsletter is the first Tuesday after the Board Meeting. Do you have 500 words or less story to share? Do you have a car or parts for sale? Note: if your item has sold or there are ad changes, please let Kay know.

Riddle winners were announced and a prize was given out.

New Business

Ron announced that San Luis Obispo Cuesta Crankers members, Jim & Lisa Walker, would like to join the Santa Maria As.

Roberta announced that if you wish to buy **20 or more Car Show raffle tickets**, let Richard Alexander know prior to the September 11 General Membership Meeting.

Registration for the Car Show is \$30 before September 1; after September 1, cost will be \$40.

Old Business.

Contact Jay McCord or Roberta Weber if you would like to order car door magnets; approximately \$25 each.

Jay stated that all but one Car Show sponsor has paid.

Jay thanked members for their Car Show raffle donations.

Kathy Pedrick put together Car Show gift bags donated by Haggerty.

Car Show committee members are: Gary Lees, Jay McCord, Curt Warner, and Bill Hansen.

CCRG Representatives Report: Curt Warner (absent). Ron Stevens.

Ron announced that there will be a *CCRG Board meeting on September 29. Contact Ron for details.

Website: See www.SantaMariaModelAClub.com Let Curt Warner know if you find any inaccuracies on the website.

Other Business not included on Agenda.

Ron Stevens won the 50/50 drawing.

Meeting adjourned at 8 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Karen Haugse.

*Reminder: you must be a MAFCA member to participate in MAFCA events.

Santa Maria A's Tour to the Dunes Center

Sixteen Members of the Santa Maria A's gathered at the Golden Donut in Orcutt. We departed as a group heading along Highway 1 to our destination, The Guadalupe Dunes Center. We were treated to the historic collection of modern day artifices that were left behind after the filming of Cecil B. DeMille's Epic 1922 Film, "The 10 Commandments". We were joined there by Bill Kane and Toby & Denise Smieciuch. After the interesting tour, we drove the back roads of Nipomo to Rancho Nipomo Restaurant for lunch and some good old fashioned visiting. It was a fine day for a tour. Thanks to Brad Southwick for the planning



Kanne and Smieciuch Sport Coupes!

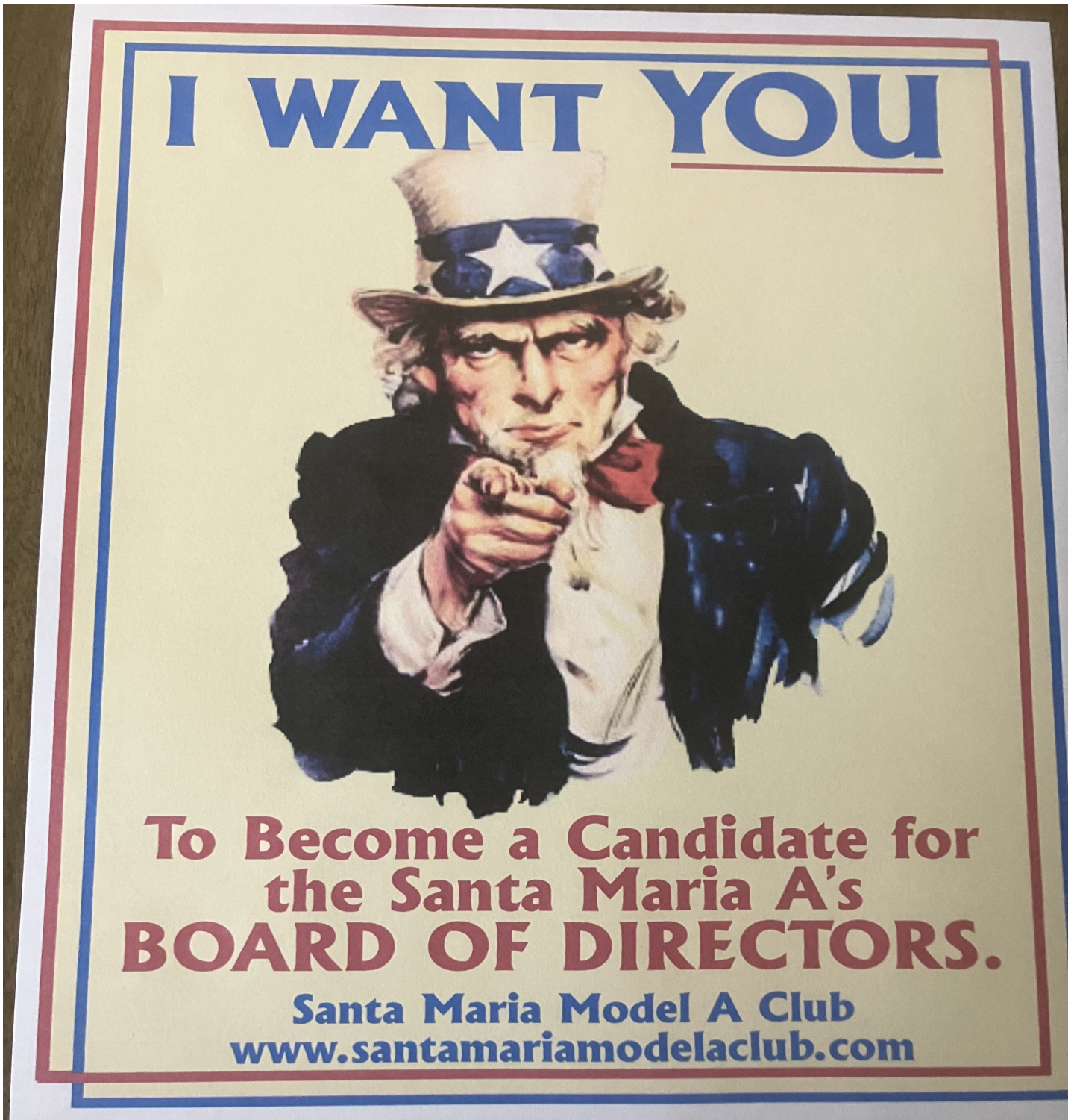


Santa Maria A's:

"We are looking for candidates for our 2026 Board. Of Directors. We want you!! We want your thoughts and opinions to make the 2026 Board the best ever. Thank you.

Laura Hansen, 2025 Nominating Committee Chair

Kay McCord –Committee member.



23rd Annual All Ford Car Show and Swap Meet



Celebrating
70 years of the
Thunderbird



Benefits Allan Hancock College Industrial Technology and Other Local & National Scholarships

Saturday September 13, 2025
Car Show • 9 am-3 pm | Swap Meet 7 am

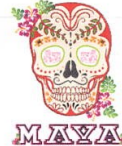
AWARDS • RAFFLE PRIZES • 50/50 • MUSIC • Non-Food Vendors Welcome!

ENTRY APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE AT: www.santamariamodelclub.com

Old Town Orcutt
at the Orcutt Union Plaza • 201 S. Broadway, Orcutt, CA 93455

Contact Jay McCord (805) 598-8133 • Curt Warner (805) 478-1231

CONTRIBUTING SPONSORS



23rd Annual All Ford Car Show & Swap Meet



Saturday, September 13, 2025 — 9 am-3 pm
In Old Town Orcutt
201 South Broadway, Orcutt, CA 93455

Class 1: Model T/Lincoln-Original 1903-1931

Class 2: Model A Open Vehicle- Original

Class 3: Model A Closed Vehicle- Original

Class 4: Ford/Lincoln-Open Car- *Modified 1903-1931

Class 5: Ford/Lincoln-Closed Car- *Modified 1903-1931

Class 6: Ford/Lincoln/Mercury-Original 1932-1953

Class 7: Ford/Lincoln/Mercury-*Modified- 1932-1953

*Modified--A Vehicle in which the body and/or drivetrain have been substantially modified from original.

Class 8: Ford/Lincoln/Edsel/Mercury-1954-1977

Class 9: Ford/Mercury Trucks, Rancheros & Broncos-1954-1977

Class 10: Mustangs/Shelbys/Cobras 1963-1977

Class 11: Mustangs/Shelbys/Cobras 1978 & newer
-- includes replicars, kit cars, etc.

Class 12: All Ford Vehicles- 1978 or newer
-- includes replicars, kit cars, etc.

Class 13: Cougars 1967-2002

Special Awards:

- Best Club Participation Award
- Best of Show Awards
- Chuck Bailey Award for Best Original Model A Ford
- Best Feature Car Award

**REGISTRATION FORM: Make checks to
Santa Maria A's, PO Box 2983, Santa Maria, CA 93457
PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!!!**



Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-Mail: _____

Year: _____ Make: _____ Model: _____

Club: _____ Class: _____

Show Car/Truck: _____ OR: Swap Meet: _____ OR: Vendor: _____

Class will be determined by show criteria. Ask if you have any questions.

Signature Required Here

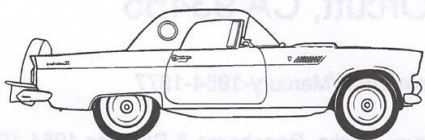
Liability Release:

In consideration of the acceptance of the right to participate, entrants and spectators, by the execution of this entry form, release and discharge the Santa Maria A's, from any and all damages, injuries, losses, judgments and/or claims from any cause whatsoever that may be suffered by any entrant, to his person or property. Further, each entrant expressly agrees to indemnify all of the forgoing entries, firms, and persons and bodies of and from any and all liability occasioned or resulting from the conduct of entrants or any participant assisting or cooperating with the entrant and under the direction or control of the entrant. I also give permission for my entry vehicle and my person to be photographed at the car show for use in any form of future communication or advertisement.

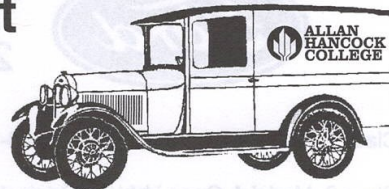
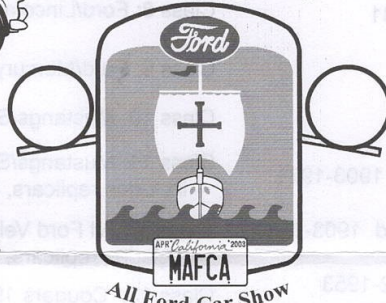
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Saturday, September 13, 2025—9 am-3 pm

In Old Town Orcutt



Santa Maria A's



SPONSORED BY:

The Santa Maria A's

Registration \$30.00 prior to Sept. 1
\$40.00 After the 1st. & day of show.

For information contact

Jay McCord (805) 598-8133

• jemccord@aol.com

or Curt Warner (805) 478-1231

• Ckw71977@gmail.com

www.santamariamodelclub.com

Non-Food Vendors Welcome

• SWAP MEET:

Registration 7:00 AM

Opens to the Public 7:00 AM

• CAR SHOW:

Car Registration 7:00-9:00 AM

Opening Ceremonies 9:00 AM

Raffle Prizes begin at 10:00

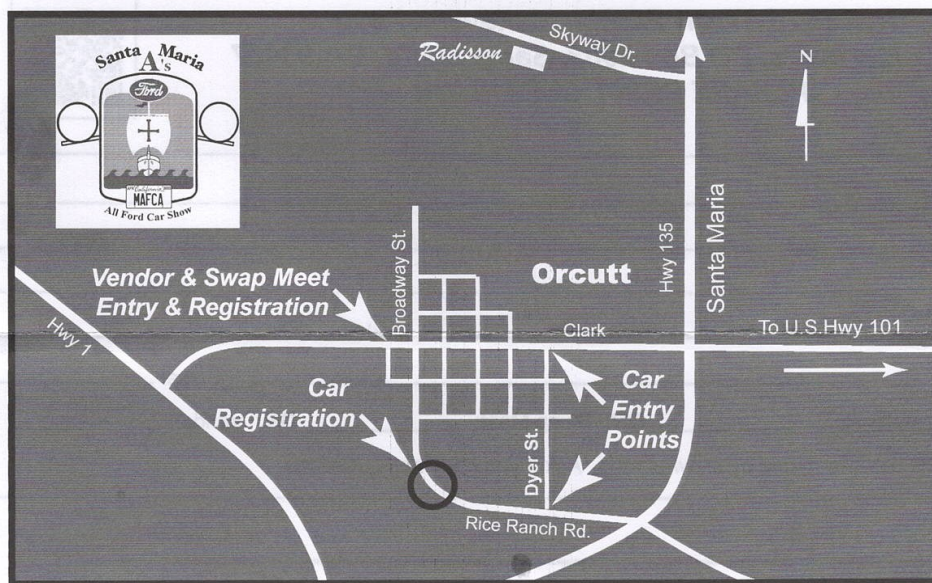
Car voting ballots in by 12 Noon

Trophies at 2:00

50/50 Drawing at 2:30

NO FIREARMS/ALCOHOL

Supporting Allan Hancock Automotive Technology and other Local & National Scholarships



Stay at the

Radisson

Hotel Santa Maria

3455 Skyway Drive, Santa Maria Ca 93455

Call (805) 928-8000 for special rates.

DIRECTIONS: Exit Hwy. 101 at Clark. Go West to Dyer St. in Old Town Orcutt. Turn left to Rice Ranch Road. Turn right on Rice Ranch Road, proceed to Car Show entry point.



THE 14TH ANNUAL
Santa Maria A's
CENTRAL COAST
MODEL A ROUNDUP

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2025

JOHN HUMANN RESIDENCE

1376 E. CLARK AVENUE, ORCUTT

10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

SANTA MARIA STYLE BBQ—TRI TIP & CHICKEN

Including beans, salad, dessert & water

\$ 10.00 PER PERSON, before October 5

(After October 5, cost is \$15.00 per person at the door)

50/50 DRAWING

Games & Prizes at 11

LUNCH at 12:00 NOON

Questions?

Email or call -

Richard Alexander

Rich.SoCalDrill@gmail.com

(805) 452-5205

Roberta Weber

roelynnw@gmail.com

(805) 717-9367

Please detach and mail -

RSVP to: Santa Maria A's P.O. Box 2983, Santa Maria, CA 93455

No later than October 5th Make check payable to: Santa Maria A's

Name: _____

Number attending: _____

Payment included (@ \$10.00 per person): _____

Riddle: Of the Month-September

Once upon a time there were seven dwarfs who were all brothers. They were all born two years apart. The youngest dwarf is seven years old. How old is the oldest brother?

Email your answers to applemomkay@aol.com.

A prize for the winners at the September Meeting

Joke of the Month September:

Why do people always trip on September 22?

Next time you drive through Old Orcutt, Check out the Orcutt Cow Pasture located just west of the OLD TOWN MARKET. !

They mention our All Ford Car Show , front and center

