

THE GAS GAUGE

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JUNE 1993

JUNE TOUR

Join the circle tour for a day. Depart from Denny's in Kennewick (395 & Kennewick Ave.) June 19 at 8:43 a.m. (If you want breakfast better plan on quite a bit earlier).

We will cross over the Horse Heaven Hill to Bickelton, Goldendale, Maryhill, Stonehenge, and spend the night in The Dalles. (Tapadera Inn, 112 W. 2nd, 1-800-722-8277. \$46.00 +). There will be entertainment at The Dalles provided by the Stredwick's and whoever we can con into helping.

CALL GARY 586-9676

PREZ SAYS

Out club is off to a running start for this summer season even though it has been a little windy and rainy at times.

In April, eight cars participated in the 50th Anniversary Torchlight Parade in Richland. Jim Stafford has a video available to anyone who is interested in seeing it.

The Swap Meet was a big success on May 1. We are planning a thank you party at the Kiwanis building in Columbia Park in July. (Probably the first part of July). Everyone is invited and food will be provided. More details on this event will be mailed to you at a later date.

Dave & Jan Underwood as wagon masters did a great job of leading a small but hearty group to Joseph in May. Did you know there is (or was) still snow in the Blue Mts.? An open car is no way to go when there is snow!

The foundry was one of the most interesting places I have been to recently. Be sure to ask Jan Underwood about her Manuel art piece.

All of the information and final plans have been sent out for the 1000 mile circle tour that Cork and Audrey have organized to take us around Washington State. Departure is June 19 and expect to return a week later. This trip will really give those old cars a nice workout!

We continually receive invitations to parades. If anyone has particular strong feelings about a certain event please contact me and we will try to organize something.

We always enjoy seeing those who are able to participate. If we are missing something that you would like to do please call 582-7530. This is your organization.

Martha

VERN SEZ . . .

"Its easier to take the car to the gas station than it is to carry gas to the car."

NOTE FROM UNDERWOODS

The May 22 overnighter to Enterprise & Joseph was a great success and everyone seemed to have a good time, and the weather was great. No one got lost, hurt or riled, but Vern Shreve was found outside the motel Sunday about 6 am working under the front end of the Hup. Seems like he noticed the tread was worn off the front tires. He found out why—the front wheels were toed-in almost 3/4 of an inch! (spec is 1/16" to 1/8" on most cars).

For those who were unable to go, and have not been to Joseph, the Museums, art foundry, tram, spectacular scenery and other neat stuff are still there.

Vernal found that famed artist/sculptor Dave Manuel has more wagons than Vern does. Manuel toured us through one building full of horse conveyances, fire trucks, cars and other stuff. He has one of the largest collections of Indian stuff around, and has been collecting, studying, painting and sculpting the Nez Pierce and their customs and lives for over 40 years.

An observation: Jan kinda out-did Dave (who had just arrived home May 20 with a '23 Packard from Phoenix) by buying a couple of bronzes at the Manuel Museum and Gallery.

Dave

JULY 24-25 MINI-CIRCLE TOUR BICKLETON AND GOLDENDALE AREA

Wayne & Donna Shreve and Vern & Martha Shreve are planning a circle tour of the Bickleton-Goldendale area for July 24-25. We will plan so that you can make this a one day trip if you do not wish to stay overnight.

If you are going to stay overnight we suggest The Far Vue Motel.

Call right away to make reservations.

There is a RV park across the street. In case the Far Vue is full there is the Ponderosa Motel.

Far Vue Motel, 1-800-358-5881
\$47.08 includes tax.
Triple A Member \$42.80
Has swimming pool

Ponderosa Motel
(509) 773-5842
\$43.87 includes tax

RV Park
(509) 773-3111

Call Martha Shreve
582-7530 if interested



Grand Circle Tour 1993 by Travel Agent Cork . . . June 19 to 26th Sat. to Sat.

1000 miles in 8 days is the goal. You may join or leave the tour at any time. It depends on your luck and tenacity. We will have Model T's to Post War autos and Humans from 6-? years old. Games, entertainment, door prizes, and get togethers each evening are planned. You should plan to add your bit to the festivities too.

THE ACCOMMODATIONS LISTED BELOW ARE REASONABLY PRICED AND SOMETIMES UNUSUAL PLACES FOR US TO STAY THE NIGHT (TRUST ME). PLEASE MAKE MOTEL RESERVATIONS BY MAY 1, 1993 and mention Ye Olde Car Club or YOCC or my name for proper identification.

June 19 The Dalles, OR
Tapadera Inn \$46.00+
112 W 2nd Ave (downtown) 97058
1-800-722-8277 4 (Helen)

June 20 Castle Rock, WA
Mt St Helens Motel \$38.00+
227 Spirit Lake Hwy 98611
206-274-7721 (Ellen)

June 21 Ashford, WA
"The Lodge" \$11-30 per person
Cork has made a package deal for the whole resort. Cabins (big & small). Will have private rooms but in groups, semi private baths. This will be a fun experience. THIS IS WHY CORK NEEDS TO KNOW IF YOU WILL BE ON THE TOUR. (Bob) says this will be a fun experience too.

June 22 Port Townsend

B & B's listed on back of this sheet.
Try a B & B for a new way to stay overnight---we are.

June 23 Sedro Wooley
Skagit Motel \$39.00+
1977 Hwy 20 98284
206-856-6001 (Bernie)

June 24 Winthrop
Winthrop Inn SR20 98862 \$52+
1-800-422-3048 (Monica)

June 25 Eastmont
The Rivers Inn \$52.+
580 Valley Mall Pkwy
1-800-922-3199 (Margie)

POINTS OF INTEREST

Day 1: Tri-Cities to Bickleton, Goldendale, Lyle, The Dalles. A few things along the way, but in the Dalles, if we get there in time, The Original County Courthouse, Two churches, Fort Dalles Museum, Pulpit Rock, Free Train Tour, dinner and parking lot meeting.

Day 2: Leave The Dalles via Old Scenic Hwy 30 loop (out of town on 6th), Hood River Bridge to Carson, Mt. St. Helens, Cougar, Woodland, Castle Rock.

Day 3: Castle Rock, East 35 miles to view point and return via Toledo, Jackson House, Mary's Corner, Morton, Elbe, Ashford.

Day 4: Ashford, Elbe, Yelm, Tumwater, Shelton, Hoodport, Port Townsend. P.T. has shops for the ladies, antique stores, and a special old car store, and many historic bldgs. Get there early.

Day 5: P.T. to Keystone Ferry, Fort Casey, Coupeville, Oak Harbor, Anacortes, Burlington, Sedro-Wooley, (Pat Farrell has a great Garage Tour for us, we should do it in the afternoon.

Day 6: S.W. to Concrete, Diablo Dam and hillside tour (90 min.). On over the North Cascades Pass to Winthrop.

Day 7: to Twisp, Pateros, Rocky Reach Dam Grounds, Galleries and Gardens. To Eastmont (East Wenatchee)

Day 8: Home---Wherever it may be.

More details may be obtained by phone or at time of departure Saturday, June 19, 1993 9:00 A.M.

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Bed & Breakfast Inns
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Port Townsend

Port Townsend June 22 1993

Bed and Breakfast listings, all close together and acceptable places to stay. (Live dangerously and pick an odd one)

Ann Starrett Mansion Inn	744 Clay	1-800-321-0644	\$70-150.00
Baker House	905 Franklin	206-385-6673	\$55
Heritage House Inn	305 Pierce	206-385-6800	\$55-120.
Holly Hill House	611 Polk	206-385-5619	\$76-135.
Shantacleer (Rooster)	1208 Franklin	1-800-858-9421	\$\$60-90.
James House	1238 Washington	206-385-1238	\$65-135.
Lincoln Inn	538 Lincoln	1-800-477-4667	\$70-85
Lizzie Victorian	731 Pierce	206-385-4168	\$55-98
Old Consulate Inn	313 Walker	206-385-6753	\$69-155
Quimper Inn	1306 Frnklin	206-385-1060	\$70-120.
Ravenscroft Inn	533 Quincy	206-385-2784	\$65-150.
Rose Cottage	1310 Clay	206-385-6944	\$70-82.

---These all serve breakfast in the morning, and are run by nice people.

Motels if you are faint of heart-----

Harborside	330 Benedict	1-800942-5960	\$64-130.
Aladdins Inn	2333 Washington	206-385-3747	\$50-99
The Tides Inn/ Port Townsend Motel	1807 Water St	1-800-822-8696	\$68-140

11-12	YAKIMA, WA; YAKIMA HCCA "FUN IN THE SUN TOUR" Holiday Inn; Theme is "Mystery in Yakima;" Pre-Registration Required; Tom & Judy Wilson, 304 N. 29th Ave., Yakima, WA 98902; 509-248-3605	July 10	ROSEBURG, OR; ROSEBURG GRAFFITI NIGHT CRUISES; Downtown Roseburg; Pre-61 & Other Restrictions; Admission Free; 7 pm to 11 pm; by Umpqua Flatheads Car Club; Wade Or Retha Kirby, 3122 Chateau W., Roseburg, OR 97470; 503-672-7235
12	YAKIMA, WA, 11th ANNUAL YAKIMA SWAP MEET & CAR SHOW; Yakima County Fairgrounds, by Yakima HCCA, Apple Valley A's & Yakima Region Early Ford V-8 Club; Admission Charge; Bob Van Pelt, 3603 Gregory Ct., Yakima, WA 98902; 509-453-2119 or 248-9418	July 11	BELLEVUE, WA; 3rd ANNUAL SUPER CRUISE EAST; Factoria Square Mall; 9 am to 4 pm; Admission Charge; Games & Awards; by 49-59 Ford Owners Assoc.; Don Baker, P.O. Box 5555, Bellevue, WA 98006; 206-641-6333
12	MARYSVILLE, WA; BERRY BEST AUTO SHOW; Towne Center Mall; Registration Fee; by Port Gardner Vintage Auto Club; Larry Knowles, 215 Old Tutalip Rd. W., Marysville, WA 98270; 206-659-5189	July 11	FOREST GROVE, OR; 21st ANNUAL FOREST GROVE ROTARY CONCOURS D'ELEGANCE; Pacific University Campus; Pre-Registration Required; by Forest Grove Rotary Club; P.O. Box 125, Forest Grove, OR 97116; 503-357-6656 or 357-3136
19-20	SHELTON, WA; 4th ANNUAL SHELTON NIMROD SWAP MEET & CAR SHOW; Mason County Fairgrounds; Admission Charge; Friday Set-up; by Shelton Nimrod Club; Frank Gibler, E. 1120 Pickering Rd., Shelton, WA 98584; 206-426-4090	July 17	VANCOUVER, WA; 19th ANNUAL S.W. WASHINGTON VANCOUVER USA SWAP MEET & COLLECTABLES; Clark County Fairground; I-5 Exit at 179th; Free Admission; Parking Charge; Friday pm Set-up; Reservations Taken, Inside or Out; by Oregon Trail Model A Club & Evergreen Old Car Club; Mary Skophammer, 145 Three Mile Ln., McMinnville, OR 97128; 503-472-8799
20	GRAHAM, WA; WASHINGTON ALL GM PICNIC; Graham Fairgrounds; by Mt. Rainier Vintage Chevrolet Club of America; Phil Thomas, 5114 N. 45th, Tacoma, WA 98407; 206-752-5371	July 17-18	BELLEVUE, WA; 13th ANNUAL MUSTANG ROUNDUP & ALL FORD PICNIC; Bellevue Community College; Entry Fee; Judged Show Saturday; Peoples Choice Sunday; by Mustangs Northwest; Doug Peters, 2629 - 237th Pl. SW, Brier, WA 98036; 206-485-2381
20	SALEM, OR; 21st ANNUAL SALEM SWAP MEET; Chemketa Community College; Free Admission; Free Parking; by Willamette Valley Chapter MAFCA; Salem Swap Meet, P.O. Box 3031, Salem, OR 97302; Walt 503-399-7931; Jack 503-393-7185	July 18	WILKESON, WA; WILKESON NATIONAL HANDCAR RACES & AUTO SHOW Downtown Wilkeson; Car Parade, Saturday 11 am; by Wilkeson Handcar Races; Bill Ostlund, P.O. Box 239, Wilkeson, WA 98396; 206-863-6075
25-27	KLAMATH FALLS, OR; 11th ANNUAL KLAMATH KRUISE; "Cops & Robber," Sock Hop; Show-N-Shine; Raffle; Downtown Cruise; Church Services; by Klamath Cruisers, P.O. Box 7363, Klamath Falls, OR 97602; 503-882-9491 or 883-2021	July 19-23	TACOMA, WA; 37th ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL MODEL T FORD CLUB TOUR; Pre-Registration Required; by Tacoma Chapter Model T Ford Club; Charlie Ostlund, 12415 - 51st Ct. E., Sumner, WA 98390; 206-863-6211 or Angie Marek, P.O. Box 45174, Tacoma, WA 98445; 206-531-1369 or 1-800-523-5673
26-27	SALEM, OR; EARLY DAY GAS ENGINE & TRACTOR CLUB SWAP MEET Antique Powerland (I-5 Exit 263, north of Salem); Admission Free; by Early Day Gas Engine & Tractor Club; Les Layton, 729 Marino Dr. N., Salem, OR 97303; 503-390-6405	July 24-25	SALEM, OR; GREAT OREGON STEAM-UP; Antique Powerland (I-5 Exit 263, north of Salem); Admission Charge; Free Parking; by Early Days Gas Engine & Tractor Club; Antique Powerland, 3995 Brooklake Rd. NE, Brooks, OR 97303; 503-393-2424 (ALSO JULY 31 & AUG. 1)
27	VICTORIA, BC; 20th ANNUAL VICTORIA SWAP MEET; Pearkes Rec. Center; 8 am - 4 pm; Dave Wallace, 5648 Wallace Dr. R.R. 5, Victoria, BC V8X 4M6; 604-429-2793 or 604-382-3469; FAX 604-479-0127		
3-11	SPOKANE, WA; EARLY FORD V-8 SWAP MEET; Spokane Fairground; July 9, 1 pm - 9 pm; July 10, 7:30 am - 6 pm; Sunday 8 am - 4:30 pm; V-8 Club, P.O. Box 176, Veradale, WA 99037		

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