

*From the desk of our Chapter Coordinator
Robert Bullard*

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We'll we're off and running for 2022. I don't know if I would say it's a great start with the spiking of COVID Omicron variant cases but we are under way. Of the friends and acquaintances that have contracted the flu lately, at least the affects are mild and all have made a quick and uneventful recover. I wish the same for you and your Chapter members if infected.

On behalf of Happy Begg, our 2022 Vice President and the entire MAFCA Board of Directors, I would like to put the call out for volunteers and volunteer Chapters for someone to step forward and either host, or co-host, the 2024 National Tour. We have plenty of time to put a tour and its various pieces together but we are short a take charge group to make it happen. If you are interested, please contact Happy and she will be glad to guide you through the process with valuable know how and resources. And remember, teaming together with another club or clubs is a great way to increase your resources and divide the work into smaller parts!

I was recently contacted by Tad Petrie of the Alamo A's concerning a method to make a Chapter Google Map depicting the location of Chapters members on a single map. Tad has found this useful for the Alamo A's in helping members locate members that live close together, design tour routes that originate near member homes, source officer(s) locations and source club members willing to help with car repairs. This last one is especially helpful for members looking for resources close by to help them get a vehicle running again. I have attached a link for a power point presentation describing how to make the map happen. Also, Tad is available at (309) 634-1350 to answer any questions and to help in any way to help you make such a map.

https://www.mafca.com/chapter_editor_resources.html

Don't forget to check out MAFCA National Driving Recognition Awards policy #P2S05-G. There are three different was to earn MAFCA recognition for the miles you drive you Model A in 2022. Downloadable from the MAFCA website, check it out and see if it will work for you or your club. Now is the time to create the records you will need in December 2022 to claim your awards.

"Paying it Forward" - Robert Bullard

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