

VALVE CHATTER

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The Palomar Mountain V-8's

Regional Group #148 of the Early Ford V-8 Club of America, Inc.



From the Desk of the President

First of all, I would sincerely like to thank all the loval members for attending our meetings, especially those that show up every month. Secondly, I would like for all members to thank Patsy Hamlin for the beautiful quilt square she made. I am told it is a lot of hard work and she did us proud as a Club to send this on to the Foundation to be put onto a large quilt for display. I think it would be interesting if the members would tell us about their first cars. Mine was a 1948 Buick convertible that I paid \$50 for. It had no top, holes in floor, leaked 3 quarts of oil per day with a big straight 8 and leather interior.

TRY TOPPING THAT ONE !!!!



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AdHoc committees: President is Ex-Officio member

on all committees

MEMBERSHIP

Contact Dory Thompson (619) 889-3242 On-line:

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Initiation Fee: \$15.00 (includes two Regional Group Name Tags to wear to meetings & events.) Annual dues: \$25 per year (Jan. thru December 31) Nat'l Membership also required Nat'l Dues: \$35/yr + \$3 spouse Or optional \$10/yr no magazine

Www.efv8.org



A regularly scheduled business meeting of the Board of Directors and Members of the Palomar Mountain V-8's Regional Group of the Early Ford V-8 Club of America, Inc., and a California Non-Profit Public Benefit Corporation was held on August 1, 2017 at the meeting place of the members, The Broken Yolk Café, 26495 Ynez Road, Temecula, California.

Directors Present: Cliff Gustin - President; Gregg Lowry-Treasurer, Janice Gustin - Secretary.

Members Present & Cars Driven: Cliff & Janice Gustin: Dan Krehbiel-49 Ford: Sam Jeromin: Dave Louzek-49 Custom 4 door; Bob & Sharon McClelland - 36 4 door; Tom & Patsy Hamlin-46; Mark Detwiler; Gregg & Linda Lowry; Jay Smith; Lyle Christensen; Leona Spanier; Jerry & Roxie Otteson; Ray & Jackie Ouelettte; Zip & Ruth Zepede; Roger & Bonnie Bell; Ken Magers; Chuck & Marilyn Rounds; Dory & Ted Thompson; Frank & Irene Griffin; Rudy Perez; Norman & Peggy Petrucci. Guests: Art Knapp - 47 Ford Sportsman; Payton Bales (who is getting to be a regular guest- she may have to join soon),- only kidding. The meeting was called to order at 9 a.m. President Cliff opened the meeting and asked Jay Harris to lead us in the Pledge of Allegiance and Sharon McClelland led us in Prayer.

Officer & Committee Reports were accepted:

President: Cliff thanked everyone for attending especially Mark Detwiler, whom we haven't seen in a while. Cliff had Janice read the birthdays and anniversaries.

Vice-President: Not present. **Treasurer**: Gregg reported a club balance.

Secretary: Janice presented the July minutes. Motion to accept made by Jackie Ouelette and seconded by Marilyn Rounds. Motion passed.

Director: Not present.

Accessories: Irene Griffin advised she has order blanks for the tee shirts and has a few tote bags and coffee mugs left. She needs photos for the tee shirts.

Advertising: Not present.

Membership & Club Badges: Dory Thompson announced she has been in this position for 8 years. We have 125 members and she would like members to reach out to any new members and make them feel welcome.

Sunshine: Jackie Ouelette was injuried in June but is doing fine now. She sent a card to the Perez family and one to Carolyn Mears, who had hip surgery. Jackie will not be at the next 2 months of meetings and advised the members to send her an email about any information.

Tours: Jay Harris stated there are a few openings still for the winery tour on August 26th. Also, the Harris tour to Salem, Oregon is in September. The Fallbrook Country Car show is in October.

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Newsletter & Website: Bob McClelland stated that our newsletter is 10 pages long and he needs the information for it by the 20th of the month. He also advised that no one in California can re-silver a mirror so he got a kit on line and did the work himself, which was very time consuming. Rudy Perez advised that a new mirror can cost between \$350 and \$600.

Old Business: Linda Lowry advised that our Christmas luncheon is set for the Golf Club of California in Fallbrook for December 5th at a cost of \$25.00 per person. Also, Patsy Hamlin showed us the quilt square she had made for the Ford Foundation and we all agreed that it was beautiful. Also, the members were advised that the Board had decided that dues had to be paid no later than February 15th and if no response from a member, we would carry them for one year and then drop them if no response by the next year. This way, we can get the new rosters by March 1st.

New Business: A volunteer was asked to head the nominating committee as Jay Harris did not want to do it again but no one wanted the position. Per discussion, it was advised that if all the current officers wanted to keep their positions, no need for a nominating committee and it was advised that all the officers did want to keep their jobs (Kathy Shedd was notified by email and agreed to be Vice-President again). In November, the club will celebrate 21 years and Jay Harris suggested we have a small party during our regular meeting and all agreed. No one actually wanted to head this committee but Dory Thompson, Irene Griffin and Jackie Ouelette agreed to assist. Dan Krehbiel volunteered to contact the founding members to attend. Dorv Thompson stated that on our tour to the John Ellison garage, he mentioned he

would like a plaque or photo from our club. Someone suggested we take a picture of the quilt square that Patsy made and put it on a plaque. Everyone liked that ideal. Peggy Petrucci suggested we drive up to Palomar Mountain for the 21st celebration.

Announcements: Rudy Perez thanked everyone for the cards he had received and also thanked the members for driving their old cars to our meeting. Rudy has a friend with a 36 Ford barn find that needs a front seat and selling for \$3,500. He also has a friend with a 1944 show Convertible for \$4,500.

Program: Pictures shown of Idyllwild tour prior to the meeting. No guest speaker was available for this meeting due to vacations etc. Being no further business to come before the meeting and on motion duly made and carried, the meeting adjourned at 9:50 a.m. It is directed that this action be filed in the Minute Book of the Corporation. This action is executed pursuant to the Corporation Code of the State of California, which requires accurate minutes of any meeting of the Board be maintained.

Dated: August 3, 2017

Respectfully submitted, Janice Gustin - Secretary







- 1940 Ford Convertible, Show Restoration, very nice looker \$45,000. OBO John Clemet (951) 737-0969 [1] • 1936 Ford Cabriolet -partially restored. Frame & most body work done, engine rebuilt, many new reproduction parts. Call Linda, Fallbrook (760) 994-5293 [1] Ford 8AB engine complete running out of 40 Ford, removed for SBC cone. 12V, balanced flywheel, new clutch pressure plate \$2900. Walker radiator with elec fan \$650. Fresh re-built side shift trans \$675. Mark Detwiler (760) 489-1054 [1] • 1966 Mustang gas tank, 1939 Ford DLX STEERING WHEEL COMES WITH CRACKS 1939 Ford DLX radio box lid face! Clark Mears (951) 766-5031 [3] 1939 Ford DLX Front & rear bumpers Orig Re-Chromed \$600. Ford ceramic dogs \$35. Rudy Perez 951-674-4330 [3] • 1939 Ford Trans. \$750. 1940 Ford Trans. \$650. Both rebuilt 1940 Ford dash \$65. Radiator cores, (1) 39-40, (1) extra 39-40, (3) 42-48 \$25. Each 2 Sets of 4 670X15 tires 1set Denman 1 set Firestone Dan Krehbiel (951) 302-5922 [1] • 1957 Ford Thunderbird (needs restoring) 1940 Ford Running boards Tom Hamlin (760 745-5099 [3]
- 1936 Ford front & rear bumper mounting irons with license plate holder, \$75. all Vintage folding running board luggage rack \$50., 1936 Spare tire cover with ring great condition \$150. Ford GREEN BOOK NOV. 1950, Passenger 1928 Thru 48 Truck 1928 Thru 47 \$50.
 Bob McClelland (951)233-6301 [2]
- 1953 Ford F100 doors \$25. Ea 1953 Merc. Manifold, carb & oil bath air cleaner \$100.
 Ted Thompson (619)507-8535 [2]
- 1948 Ford Coupe nice black modern call for price Zip Zepede (951)677-5362 [2]
- 1940-1953 Chiltons Manual \$10. Nick Cacci (619)548-4416 [2]
- Edelbrock manifold and 3 Stromberg 96's 302 engine? Best offer
 - Ken Magers (760)751-1760 [2]

WANTED

- Ford C6 automatic trans. for a 302 Cliff Gustin (951) 837-1044 [2]
- 1935 Ford Stromberg Carb., 1935 wire wheels4X16 (5) need to be good shape!
 - Ted Thompson 619-507-8535 [2]
- 1951 Ford Under radiator pan Dan Krehbiel 951-302-5922 [3]
- 1936 thru 1939 Ford wide pattern rims (5), 1937 thru 1939 standard 4 blade fan
 - Sam 760-445-7441 [3]

Note: Dan Krehbiel is not retired and is still doing Columbia's!!









September Anniversaries

- 16 Gregg & Linda Lowry
- 16 Jack & Missi Kay
- 19 Ronald & Patricia Prentice
- 20 -Len & Jo Ann Barbieri

September Birthdays

- 1 Maryellen Huhn
- 1 Robert Mc Clelland
- 7 Rudy Perez
- 10 Judith Spaid
- 12 Merleen Magers
- 13 Zip Zepede
- 15 Masako Luts
- 16 Jim Chambers
- 16 Carolyn Mears
- 16 Kathy Shedd
- 18 Bob Curwin
- 23 Len Barbieri
- 25 Ken Magers
- 29 Linda Lowry



Patsy Hamlin with the Palomar Mountain V-8's quilt block she made on behalf of the Club for the Grand National Meet in 2018 Dearborn Mich. All clubs were to create a block for the quilt for display on the 55th Anniversary! Thank You Patsy!!



A big thanks to those

who ordered t-shirts with the photo of their cars on the back. They have been sent to the printer and I hope to have them back in time for the September meeting. There were quite a few who expressed an interest in these, so if any have decided to take a good picture of their auto and want it printed on a t-shirt, please let me know. Only a few tote bags left for those necessary carry-all's that only take up a little space but can hold A LOT. And, of course, several travel mugs remain. Remember, both of these items make great one of a kind gifts for friends or family and they will never forget who gave them. See you next meeting. Irene





"AND THE WINNERS WERE"

Club Members enjoying breakfast & fellowship!











Early Ford V-8 Museum

"Preserving 1932-53 Ford History"



A contractor has been chosen for the construction of the addition. Work will begin as soon as the weather permits. The Foundation is still \$500,000.00 short of needed funds.

Raffle to be held: 1939 Mercury Raffle

Former Early Ford V-8 Foundation President Bob Malley has generously donated a beautiful original 1939 Mercury 4 door car to be raffled. Tickets are \$10 each and can be ordered by calling the museum at 260-927-8022. The winning tickets will be

drawn in Auburn October 6, 2017 - need not be present to win. There are 3 prizes! Winner has choice of the car or \$10,000 cash. Second place wins \$3,000, third wins \$1,000. More details on the Foundation website, www.fordv8foundation.org

If ticket buyers want their stubs, they MUST send us a self addressed stamped envelope. The drawing will be held October 6, 2017 DURING the Hershey Swap Meet. Because of a change to the Indiana Gaming rules, the drawing has to take place in Auburn, but we will be on the phone while the drawing takes place. Josh will draw the tickets in Auburn and he will video tape it and post the drawing on social media. We will then post the winners on a board in Hershey. Note: tickets sold at Hershey will be over-nighted to Josh at the Museum and will be placed in the drawing bin.

Important Notice

AND THE TOUR BEGINS

No local tour in September as the Western National Meet takes place in Salem, Oregon. The Harris Tour is set to depart Sept 7th for a four day tour up the California and Oregon coasts to Salem. There are 30 cars signed up for this tour. All for now,

Jay and Janet Harris



*Optional Gift Exchange Game

Tuesday, December 5th $\sim 11:30$ to 3:00 pm

Golf Club of California

3742 Flowerwood Lane, Fallbrook, CA 92028 Right off Hwy 76 & Gird Road

Holiday Buffet Luncheon Includes:

- Six Assorted Salads
- Three Entrée Selections: Chicken Breast with Mushrooms in Marsala Wine Sauce Oven Roasted Salmon, Carved Roast Beef Au Jus
- Seasonal Vegetables
- Potatoes or Rice
- Fresh Baked Bread & Butter
- Carrot Cake
- Hot Coffee, Tea Beverage Station

\$25.00 per person

Cash Bar is Available

Deadline to sign up is November 20th

Please make checks out to the club and hand deliver to Linda Lowry or mail to 2617 Via Del Robles, Fallbrook, CA 92028

• No refunds after November 24th •

*If you would like to participate in the Gift Exchange Game bring one wrapped gift per couple – \$25 minimum value. Suggested gifts include Gift Cards, Car Memorabilia, or Consumables (i.e. food or drink). No 'White Elephants' please!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!! SEPTEMBER, 2017 CHECK OUT <u>WWW.SOCALCARCULTURE.COM</u> OR

WWW.GOODOLEBOYSSANDIEGO.COM/EVENTS

2017 Weekly Escondido Cruzin Grand AVE 5pm - 9pm Sept.17th Dana Point Lantern District Car & Motorcycle show, Del Prado 10am-3pm Sept 30th Lake Elsinore Car Cruise on Historic Main St. 4pm-8pm Sept. 30th San Diego 24th Annual Fall Classic Embarcadero Marina Park north 9am-2pm

MONTHLY CLUB BUSINESS & BOARD OF DIRECTOR MEETINGS

First Tuesday Monthly
(January thru November) Breakfast @ 8:00 am Meeting @ 9:00 a.m.
Broken Yolk Cafe
26495 Ynez Rd. Temecula, Ca. 92591

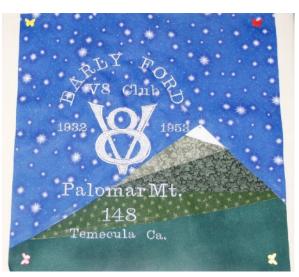
UPCOMING MEETINGS:

September 5th Regular
October 3rd Regular
November 7th Regular



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