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Palomar Mountain V-8's

Regional Group of the EarlyFord V-8 Club of America



MONTHLY CLUB BUSINESS & BOARD OF DIRECTOR MEETINGS

First Tuesday Monthly (January thru November) Breakfast @ 8:00 am Meeting @ 9:00 a.m.

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

OCT. 6TH Regular BusinessMeeting

NOV. 3RD Regular Business Meeting

Dec. 1ST Annual Christmas Party



REGULAR MEETING PLACE BROKEN YOLK CAFE

26495 Ynez Rd., Temecula 855-229-9655 \$7.00 per person Breakfast (includes coffee & tip) Each person attending pays . . .



" Nominations for the Board of Directors"

vacancies coming up in 2016 are going quite well. As a reminder, there are three seats that need to be filled - Vice President and Secretary due to the two

year term limit imposed by our bylaws, and President, which position has run only one year of the two allowed. All members are invited to nominate another member, or volunteer for one of these positions themselves. In all cases, the nominated member must agree to be nominated and be willing to assume the duties of the position. Final nominations will be heard at our general

membership meeting on Tuesday, October 6, 2015. The final vote to determine which candidates are elected to fill all positions will take place by voice vote at the regular November membership meeting. In the event there is more than one candidate nominated for any office, voting will take place by written ballot rather than voice vote, and the results announced in the December Valve Chatter. Please be reminded that, even though nominations have been received to fill all positions, the nomination period is still open, and additional nominations can be made at the October general membership meeting. "

Jay Harris, Nomination committee Chairman



Tom Hamlin finds Patsy her dream car! He had been looking for over a year for a 1946 Ford

convertible Maroon in color. Tom located this one in Saratoga, Ca. Patsy did do her own

carburetor re-build on the car. This was her second re-build, her first was a total big block engine for Tom's truck.







Patsy doesn't just rebuild carburetor's & engines. She is also a seamstress and made lap robes for their 1933 Ford Phaeton. One is a Log Cabin design and the other

pictures of the Phaeton. Good job Patsy!! Oh, good find Tom!!

ride through De Luz to Fallbrook. Their destination - the Beach House Winery, a small, mom & pop operation located in the hills of northern Oceanside near the Fallbrook border. Owners George and Kim Murrary were waiting for us. Having agreed to open the winery for just our group, as they are normally closed on week days. After George deftly guided the parking of all 14 of our Early V-8 and modern vehicles on his rather small parking pad, we all went inside the air conditioned tasting room- quite welcomed on that very hot day. Wine tasting and conversation followed, and George gave us a talk about how he and his wife came to be wine

makers after his 32 years with SDG&E.
The Murrays were gracious hosts, but all things have



come to an end, so by noon we made our way back into downtown Fallbrook for a lovely patio lunch at the Garden Center Cafe - a local favorite.

Then everybody departed for home, and a n o t h e r

Palomar tour was in the books.

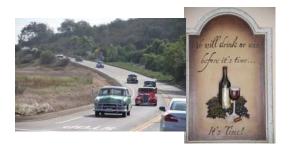
Jay and Janet Harris Tour Leaders



Beach House Winery

On Wednesday, August 26th, 27 Palomar Mountain V-8s Regional Group members departed Temecula for a back country





September 1, 2015 Minutes

Board of Director's & Business Meeting of the

Members of

The Palomar Mountain V-8's Regional

Group of the Early Ford V-8 Club

of America, Inc.

A California Non-Profit Public Benefit

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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 September 1, 2015 at the meeting place of the members, The Broken Yolk Café, 26495 Ynez Road, Temecula, California

Directors Present: Cal Westra, John Connelly, Gregg Lowry, Janice Gustin.

Members Present & Cars Driven: Clifford & Janice Gustin, Bob & Joyce Curwin, Ron & Kathy Shedd, Gregg & Linda Lowry, Bob & Letrice Davis, Chuck & Marilyn Rounds - 37 Pickup, Jim & Leona Spanier, Roger Bell, Howard & Jane Dague, John & Margaret Connelly - 47 Super Deluxe Sedan, David & Lisa Graham - 46 Conv., Jay Harris - 51 Victoria, Dory & Ted Thompson - Amboolance, Cheryl & Cal Westra - 50 Tudor, Sam Jeromin, Dan Krehiel, Bob Payne - 36-5 window, Jerry & Roxie Otteson, Gary Huckins, Dave Louzek - 49 Sedan, Gary Potts, Bob & Sharon McClelland, Tom & Patsy Hamlin, Zip & Ruth Zepede - 40 Merc., Carolyn & Chuck Mears - 56 Pickup,Lyle Christensen.

Guests: None.

The meeting was called to order at 9:05 a.m. President Cal opened the meeting and asked Clark Mears to lead us in the Pledge of Allegiance and John Connelly in prayer.

Officer & Committee Reports were accepted: President: Cal went over the birthdays and anniversaries. He advised us to look out for a spam or web page talking about a court appearance -

DO NOT OPEN.

Vice President: No report but John did welcome back Joyce Curwin.

Treasurer: Gregg reported a club balance. **Secretary:** Janice presented the August minutes. Motion to accept made by Margaret Connelly and seconded by Gary Huckins. Motion passed.

Director: Not present.

Accessories: Not present but Cal advised he had sold 2 cups.

Advertising: Bob Davis stated we have 24 advertisers. He is working on Valvoline with new manager and will try contacting Valvoline headquarters.

Historian: Not present but there are two books from Peggy in front for the members to look at. **Membership & Club Badges:** No report. **Sunshine:** Carolyn happy to state she has no report except her hip hurts.

Tours: No report but Cal reminded the members of C & G's open house on **October 17th** and that Jay Harris is going to Sequoia. Cal wants to know if anyone wants to go somewhere for a luncheon just to get together. Cal also stated that everyone liked the winery tour.

Newsletter & Web Site: Cal thanked Margaret Connelly for being the editor and thanked Bob McClelland for taking over the job. Bob said he needs input from the members.

Old Business: Nominations for officers for next year-contact Jay Harris.

New Business: Cal advised that the Christmas committee had finalized our luncheon location and menu and the Board approved. Kathy Shedd went over the menu and advised how great the food was.

Announcements: None.

Program: Video of the last tour to the winery shown prior to the meeting. Cal showed a video called "Trader Thorne" about how to train a Ford sales person. We found out that a "bird dog" was everyday people that the salesman uses to buy and sell vehicles. Being no further business to come before the meeting and on motion duly made and carried, the meeting adjourned at 9:55 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: September 3, 2015

Respectfully submitted, Janice Gustin-Secretary Corporate Minutes



MEMBER'S SPECIAL OCT. CELEBRATIONS

October Birthdays!!

- 5 Nick Cacci
- 10 Cheryl Westra
- 18 Jay Harris
- 27 Dave Louzek
- 30 Leona Spanier



October Anniversaries!!

- 10 Tom & Gale Anderson
- 15 Ted & Dory Thompson
- 31 Bob & Cheryl Ross





Update on Accessories for October

I have had several requests for the denim shirts and am awaiting the current quotes. Hopefully they will be available and reviewed by the

Board for presentation at the Oct. meeting. In the meantime, don't forget the quote bags and the coffee mugs—still a few of each a great prices.

Thanks again for your support. Irene

Editors note:

A big shout out to Margaret Connelly for her many years as the Valve Chatter Editor. She has provided the organization with a professional and informative News Letter! I now understand the hours and effort that go into producing it. I also thank her for all of her help in trying to bring me up to speed!!







MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!

Oct. 6 Tuesday. Monthly Breakfast Meeting of Members, RG#148 2 Broken Yolk **Restaurant 8AM**

- Oct. 10 Canyon Lake 10th Anniversary Canyon Lake Car Show 9 AM 3:pm
- Oct. 16-17 Murrieta 3rd Annual Rod Run (Fri Cruise 4pm -7 pm Sat
- Oct. 17 Dana Point 5th Annual Woodall Woodies Show-Lantern Bay Park 8 AM 3 PM
- Oct. 18 Pomona Swap Meet & Classic Car Show at the Fairplex 5 AM 2 PM
- Nov. 3 Tuesday. Monthly Breakfast Meeting of Members, RG #148 2 Broken Yolk **Restaurant 8:00AM**
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- 1940 Deluxe Coupe Dearborn, 1932 Roadster All Henry steel full fender, Chevy engine, trans., Dave Louzek 858-682-8585[1]
- 1949 Ford Tudor Sedan Original car, 26000 Miles, Overdrive, new tire, etc. Located in Murrieta Gary Potts, 818-319-8200

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Dave Louzek is all smiles after 2nd win!!



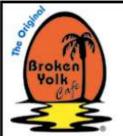
PRESIDENTS MESSAGE



Grampa Westra spreading the Bull!!

With every project we start there is a "this is where we are at and this is where I want to be" moment. Such is true with our recently purchased 1950 Ford Fordor from Oregon. Found on E-Bay and purchased with a click of the button and no eyes on the car. Do I regret it, NO! Utilizing the resources of this club is something we all should put foremost in our minds. I should have called an Oregon member and asked them to go look at the Fordor and tell me their unbiased opinion. I should have done some research on the make and model before I clicked "place bid". I should have asked for a picture of the VIN plate to verify that the paperwork was correct. (Wrong VIN number, another story) Those on email have been watching the process of new tires, new head gaskets, new wiring system (big item), new shocks, and new universal joints. I was pleasantly surprised just how easy to install and reliable the dash wiring harness kit was that I purchased from C&G Ford Parts. I don't know if it's a good thing that the staff at C&G doesn't ask for my name or account number anymore. They do smile and recognize me when I walk in. However, this is where we are now and looking back I wouldn't have changed a thing. Our "Annie" as we call her, is fun to own, fun to drive, and fun to work on. I write to you before leaving on the 2015 Harris Tour to the Eastern Sierra's. Our journey starts in Hesperia and travels Highway 395 north for five days. A highway that Cheryl and I are very familiar with. During our ownership of our lodge on the shores of Lake Almanor, we frequently traveled 395 from Susanville to SoCal. Driving our 1950 (without airconditioning) will be a unique experience. I am so glad that we have traveling companions that are familiar with our class of early Ford. Changing gears let's talk about Christmas. Yep, you now have less than 100 days before the wrapping paper will be ripped and torn and discarded all over your floor. Have you reserved your spot at our annual Holiday luncheon? Check out page XX?? for details. October is usually associated with Octoberfest. We have several opportunities to drive our early Ford V8's. One is to the Annual Car Show and BBQ at C&G Early Ford Parts in Escondido. I'm sure I know the way so if you want to caravan with me meet at the flagpole in Temecula the morning of Saturday, October 17th. I plan on leaving the flagpole at 8:15AM. That same weekend as well as the following weekend the Antique Gas & Steam Engine Museum is Celebrating the Lost Arts of Yesterday. Our very own Chuck & Marilyn Rounds have a special connection with the museum. This event starts at 9AM each day in Vista, CA. My intentions are to get there one of those two weekends. You see tractors and I have a special bond. I spent a lot of my childhood on a tractor. Pulling hay trailers, kicking in the hay back into the manager and even hauling that lovely byproduct that our cows produced. When you have pictures such as this, you remember your first tractor. (I still have it). I want to welcome our new Editor, Bob McCLelland. You have received the most up to date, modern, mind blowing Valve Chatter. Make sure you send Bob and Sharon a word of thanks. I leave you with: " Of all the follies the elder generation falls victim to this is the most foolish, namely, the constant criticism of the younger element who will not be and cannot be like ourselves because we and they are different tribes produced of different elements in the great spirit of Time." Henry Ford;

Best Wishes, Cal Westra President!



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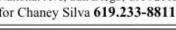
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