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



From the Desk of the President

Well, here we go with the start of summer ----- I really don't have much to say this time except I don't know how many of you enjoy garage sales or swap meets but I find them very interesting and enjoy meeting different people. One of the best swap meets I have gone to is the one in San Diego every Saturday and Sunday at the Valley View Sports Stadium near the 8 and 5 freeways off Rosecrans. It is always large and has a vast array of items for sale but I find that it is always bigger on Sundays..



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Ray Brock & Judy Grobbel

The Palomar Mountain V-8's Regional Group of the Early Ford V-8 Club of America, Inc., Temecula, CA Organized November 8, 1996 Chartered January 18, 1997 RG #148

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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

June Birthdays

- 3 – Steve Branch
- 10 – Gale Anderson
- 11 - Ron Shedd
- 16 - Lyle Christensen
- 22 – Dory Thompson
- 23 – Gary Huckins



June Anniversaries

- 6 – Jay & Janet Harris
- 11 – Bob & Joyce Curwin
- 15 - Dave & Maryellen Huhn
- 20 – Jim & Janet Chambers
- 27 – Steve & Georgina Branch



- 1951 Ford Victoria Root beer, 350 Chev engine, 400 turbo trans., vintage air, disc brakes front sway bar front & Rear, new glass & rubber \$33,000! Peggy Petrucci (951)600-1266 [3]
- “94” Carburetor & Manifold for flathead \$100. Eddy (951)693-4740/eddysixrod@aol.com [2]
- 1940 Ford dash \$65. ,Pair 1949-51 Ford fender skirts \$100.,
- Rear sliding window 1972-79 Ford Ranchero Dan Krehbiel(951) 302-5922 [2]
- 1957 Ford Thunderbird (needs restoring) 1936 Ford Complete set of headlights \$150.
- 1935 - 37 Ford jack \$50. [no crank] , (4) 600 X 16 Coker W/W tires 50% tread \$200. Tom Hamlin (760) 745-5099 [2]
- 1937 Ford (4) Hub caps \$150 Bob McClelland (951) 233-6301 [2]
- 1935 Ford spoke 16” wheel, straight/sanded/ready for paint \$30. 1953 Mercury manifold 2T pot carburetors, oil bath air cleaner \$100. Ted Thompson (619)507-8535 [3]

WANTED

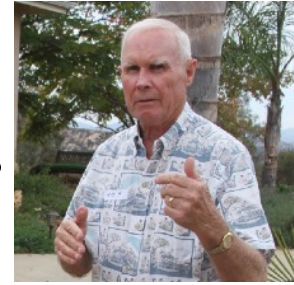
- 1946 Ford fuel sending unit Tom Hamlin (760) 745-5099 [3]
- 1940-48 Ford (2) Front brake drums & backing plates Don Harwick (760) 941-1933 [3]
- 1936 Ford NOS or Original hub cap (1) Ted Thompson (619) 507- 8535 [1]



Tom Hamlin has invited our club to again participate in the Cruis'n Grand event in June. The date is **Friday, June 22nd, from 4-9**. We have participated in the past, and it's always a fun evening. Also, Tom has offered trailer parking at his home for anyone who might want to trailer a car to the event. The name of the event is the Evolution of Ford, and will feature Ford products on display - Model T's Model A's, Early V8s, etc.



ALL ABOUT TOURS



ANNOUNCING AN ADDITIONAL JUNE TOUR

In addition to our already scheduled June tour to Cruisin Grand on **June 22nd**, we have just received a very special invitation to join Rudy Perez and his Model A club friends on a guided tour of Camp Pendleton on **Saturday, June 16th**. We will be granted special access to the historic Santa Rosa ranch house, the amphibian station (great place for a photo opp), and other attractions, ending with lunch at the golf course. The plan is to meet 'at the flag' at the Shell station at Old Town Front St and Temecula Parkway for a 9:00 am departure. More details pending. If you would like to join this special tour, simply respond to this email or call us at 760-310-9530 (cell) to sign up.



THE MYSTERY TOUR HAS ENDED

Twenty-eight enthusiastic V-8ers gathered in Temecula on May 16th in hopes of finally discovering where the month's MYSTERY TOUR destination was located. As tour maps were handed out and socializing continued, it was revealed that the destination was to be the OAK MOUNTAIN WINERY located on the De Portola Wine Trail in eastern Temecula. The tour departed at 10:20, and, after a 30 minute drive through some of Temecula's undeveloped back country, the tour arrived at the winery. Special parking was set aside for the 9 Early V-8s on the tour, and modern car drivers were parked nearby. Our first order of business was to check in for the CAVE TOUR, an event exclusive to Oak Mountain Winery, and the only wine cave in Southern California. Barrel upon barrel of wine is stored inside. After an initial wine tasting experience, our host Mike led us to a very large room where a long table was set to accommodate our entire group. Here we enjoyed a delicious cheese plate, accompanied by four more wine selections. Mike conducted a short 'seminar' on wine etiquette - how to hold the glass, how to swish it around before tasting, and how to determine the sugar content of various wines. It was simply fascinating! He also gave us a short history of wine making in the area, stating that about 100 years ago the population of the Temecula area was 332 souls!! Following our Cave and wine tasting experience we all adjourned to the patio area to enjoy lunch in a beautiful setting. The weather was great, the people were great, the wines were great. Another Palomar Mountain V-8s tour in the books.

Jay and Janet Harris

ANNOUNCING THE JULY OVERNIGHT TOUR

OK, Folks. Get ready to read about the exciting July, 2018 tour, an overnighiter set for Wed-Thurs, July 25/26. Thanks to the independent requests at two recent breakfast meetings by Ted Thompson and Cheryl Westra, plans have been finalized for our overnight July tour to Idyllwild. Janet and I drove up to Idyllwild last Sunday to look at possible facilities to accommodate our group, and came away with a wonderful inn that has all of the amenities we want. It is a multi-acre property offering a variety of accommodations, from simple motel type rooms to two and three bedroom cabins. The best part is that, in most cases, we can park our cars right next to our front door!. Furthermore, it's only a two block walk to the center of town, where shops and many choices of eateries abound. Not to mention my personal favorite, an old fashioned ice cream parlor!! Here are the details. The name is the Idyllwild Inn, which has been in operation since 1904! For the last 60 years it has been owned and operated by the White family, and current operators Josh and Emily White will be our hosts. As a side note, Josh has a beautiful '68 Cougar he will have on display during our visit.

Theme rooms (basic motel rooms).	Parking is in the nearby common parking lot	\$85
Studio cabin	Parking at front door	\$100
One bedroom cabin	"	\$110-130
Two bedroom cabin	" "	\$160
Three bedroom cabin	" "	\$175

Janet and I have already reserved the 3 bedroom cabin because it has the largest wrap-around porch that will be the site of our huge pot luck hors d'oeu-vres party on Wednesday night!! It is centrally located on the property, with a full kitchen, and will be ideal to host the party.



Welcome to the Idyllwild Inn, family owned and operated since 1904! Our accommodations include rustic cabins, theme rooms and new rustic suites.

Reservations. We're all aware of the high demand for lodging in mountain towns like Idyllwild during the summer months, so **THE SOONER YOU BOOK YOUR CHOICE OF ACCOMMODATIONS THE BETTER!** I would suggest going to their website - www.idyllwildinn.com first to familiarize yourself with the sleeping capacity of the various rooms/cabins. Some folks might want to share a room/cabin? The phone number to book your room/cabin is 951-659-2552. When you call, use PALOMAR MOUNTAIN V-8S as the name of the group you're with. Josh has waived the normal two night minimum for us, and our rates are under the standard rates listed in their brochure. One last thing. After you've booked your room/cabin, please let us know via email that you've done so. We need to keep track of who/how many members will be joining the fun in July!

ALL FOR NOW!

JAY AND JANET HARRIS





LINDA WELLS



PEGGY PETRUCCI



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Board of Directors &
Business Meeting of the
Members of The Palomar
Mountain V-8's
Regional Group of the Early Ford
V-8 Club of America, Inc.
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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 May 1, 2018 at the meeting place of the members, The Broken Yolk Cafe, 26495 Ynez Road, Temecula, California.

Directors Present: Clifford Gustin-President; Gregg Lowry-Treasurer; Janice Gustin-Secretary; Cal Westra -5th Director.

Members Present & Cars Driven: Clifford & Janice Gustin; Sam Jeromin; Ron Hull; Dan Krehbiel-39 Tudor; Ray & Jackie Ouelette; Ruth & Zip Zepede; Howard & Jane Dague; Leona Spanier; Jerry & Roxie Otteson; Dory & Ted Thompson-36 Ford; Marilyn & Chuck Rounds; Lyle Christensen; Cal Westra; Tom & Barb Keck; Gregg & Linda Lowry; Peggy Petrucci; Roger Bell; Clark Mears; Rudy Perez; Jay Harris; Jim & Linda Wells; Dave Louzek-53 Sedan; Steve Wells; Don & Sylvia Harwick; Bob McClelland 36 Ford Fordor; Tom & Patsy Hamlin; Bob Davis.

Guests: None.

The meeting was called to order at 9 a.m. President Cliff opened the meeting and led us in the Pledge of Allegiance and asked Cal Westra to lead us in Prayer. Officer & Committee Reports were accepted: President: Cliff went over birthdays ad anniversaries. He mentioned the Antique National Car Races in Fontana coming up and the Swap Meet in Anaheim on May 20th.

Vice President: Not present.

Treasurer: Gregg reported a club balance. He mentioned that he had filed our taxes. He also advised that Ford may discontinue building sedans and only build Mustangs, Trucks and SUVs.

Secretary: Janice presented the April minutes. Motion to accept made by Dory Thompson and seconded by Jackie Ouelette. Motion passed.

Director: Nothing to report.

Accessories: Irene thanked everyone for their recent orders on shirts. She advised that we can buy hats for \$12.00 with the logo. Car pictures for shirts must be on flash drive.

Advertising: Cal advised that he has not received the new club cards yet but should have by this Thursday. We can delete Bird Tires as an advertiser. Also, Napa in Temecula offers 10% off to Club members.

Membership & Club Badges: Dory Thompson advised that the new rosters will be delivered at the next meeting.

Sunshine: Jackie Ouelette advised that Leona's sister passed away. Jerry Otteson has a new hip and is at the meeting today doing great.

Tours: Jay Harris has a mystery tour of a winery in Temecula. It is a 30 minute drive on back roads on Wednesday, May 16th and he is sending a sign-up sheet around.. The tours consist of a tour of the winery, wine tasting and lunch.

Newsletter & Website: Bob McClelland apologized that some people did not receive the newsletter via email as his system is acting up. He is getting a new system installed and should not have that problem again.

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Old Business: Cliff asked Linda how the plans were coming for the Christmas lunch and she advised that she will be checking into this in the near future.

New Business: Cliff asked members if they felt that we should continue to hand out the paper appreciation documents for the Board members and the various chairpersons. The members stated that they felt this should be discontinued and that verbal thanks would work.

Program: Prior to the meeting Bob McClelland showed pictures of our last meeting. Jim Wells spoke about the paint business, which he has been in since 1952. He has worked in a lab and a factory and owned 3 businesses. He has about a million paint chips in books. He took questions from the members. It was a very interesting program and in fact, some of the women advised Jim that they really enjoyed his program. 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: May 2, 2018

Respectfully submitted,
Janice Gustin - Secretary
Corporate Minutes



ACCESSORIES NOTES FOR JUNE 2018

Wasn't the last tour GREAT. If you missed it check out Oak Valley Winery and their CAVES for your selves. On to accessories—would appreciate any help in reducing our inventory of travel mugs and tote bags. Have only 6 mugs (\$8.00) and like number of totes (\$10.00).

Summer is right around the corner and I know from experience that more towels, sunscreen, hats, books and extra clothes need more things to carry them in. And the thirst is greater too even if you are just working in the yard—mugs can be hot or COLD so always have an extra. Remember, shirts can be your own—white or light grey and a jpeg photo (you can e-mail that to me) or your own thumb drive with the photo you want printed.

Thanks again for your interest and patience with my spiels. Irene!



HAPPY FATHERS DAY

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:

May 1st Regular

June 5, Regular

June 11 - 15 Grand National Meet Dearborn, Michigan

July 3rd, Regular

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JUNE 22ND CRUSIN GRAND CLUB PARTICIPATION

NATIONAL DRIVE YOUR FORD DAY JUNE 16TH 2018

ESCONDIDO CRUSIN' GRAND SEASON APRIL THRU SEPT. 4PM - 8PM MAY 20TH

JUNE 3RD POMONA SWAP MEET & CAR SHOW FAIRPLEX 5AM-2PM

JUNE 9TH ESCONDIDO 31ST FORDS & FRIENDS CAR SHOW & PICNIC

GRAPE DAY PARK 321 N. BROADWAY 9AM-2PM

JUNE 15-16TH POMONA LA ROADSTER SHOW FAIRPLEX 7AM-5PM



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