



**EARLY FORD V-8 CLUB OF AMERICA
SACRAMENTO REGIONAL GROUP #4**



CLUTCH CHATTER

September 2013

September 7th Cruise

We will cruise to Placerville for the Experimental Airplane Association Cruise and Pancake Breakfast. The club will buy the breakfast. Meet at Brookfields at 7:45AM for the drive to Placerville.

**Please let Dan know if you plan to attend. DnlSchwart@aol.com
916-962-3521**

September 11th Meeting

Our next meeting will be held on WEDNESDAY, September 11th, 4:45 pm to 8:30pm at the California Automobile Museum. SALAD and PIZZA.

Please let Alma Thompson know if you plan to attend. Email art56chev@yahoo.com, 916-652-0701

Heads Up! Remember to save December 1st for the Christmas Dinner

<u>DATE</u>	<u>2013 EVENTS</u>	<u>PLACE</u>
SEPTEMBER 7 SATURDAY	EXPERIMENTAL AIRPLANE ASSOCIATION CRUISE AND PANCAKE BREAKFAST	PLACERVILLE 7:45AM BROOKFIELDS
SEPTEMBER 11 WEDNESDAY	REGULAR MEETING 5-8:30 PM PIZZA & SALAD	CAM SACRAMENTO
OCTOBER 5 SATURDAY	POKER RUN 9-930 AM BROOKFIELD'S	BERT'S DINNER, WILTON
NOVEMBER 2 SATURDAY	VINTAGE FORD 11:30 AM HOT DOG MEETING	RANCHO CARDOVA
DECEMBER 1 SUNDAY	CHRISTMAS DINNER 5 PM SOCIAL HOUR, 6PM DINNER	DANTE CLUB

NOTE THE EVENTS LISTED ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

CARS AND PARTS FOR SALE

4" Drop Axel for a 29 model A \$150.00
Front upper and lower brackets for tub shocks for 29 model A \$30.00
46-48 Front and Rear backing plates \$100.00
Steve Wahab (916) 988-4249
Cell: (916) 616-4249

Jahans 3-5/16 new pistons in box \$450.00
Slightly used 3-5/16 pistons \$150.00
Russ Broyles (916) 363-3740

Please visit our website at clutchchatter.org for pictures, tour plans and much more.

August 11, Region 4 Early Fords cruise to Alma & Gary Thompson's house for an ICE CREAM SOCIAL

The Cars:

- 1947 Woodie Ford Bob & Lorraine Kane
 - 1952 Ford Bev & Jean Davis & Charlotte Murray
 - 1941 Ford Truck Russ Broyles
 - 1940 Ford Coupe Dan & Gerry Schwartz
 - 1940 Woodie Ford Matt & Lloyd Thurston & Wade
 - 1932 5-Window Coupe Lynda Bates & Fred Hultin
 - 1950 Ford Convertible Steve Wahab
- Also attending Bill Toensing



The Cruise started at Region 4's usual place Brookfield's HWY 50. The cruise began with a left turn on Folsom boulevard and on to Loomis, a right turn to Horseshoe Bar Road and left turn to the Thompson's house. The early fords cars were parked in the Thompson's beautiful grass back yard.



Cruise highlights: Alma Thompson's assisted by Gerry Schwartz, and Lynda Bates cooking the best spaghetti and meatballs ending with your choose of 6 different flavors of ice cream. (Kid in a candy store which one do I choose, no problem, come back for seconds or thirds)



Gary Thompson has sectioned a 4-cylinder model A motor. He sections three of the cylinders leaving the 4th cylinder a working cylinder. The motor runs on that 4th cylinder showing the movements of the pistons, valves, crankshaft and camshaft in the sectioned three cylinders. Gary claims that this has been done only on two running motors and he has one of them.

Matt Thurston made a December commitment that he would finish his Dad's 1940 woodie. Lloyd has owned this car for 41 years. During this time the car was driven and then taken apart with the intent to do a total restoration. Matt grew up with this car. His chosen profession is a paint and body man. Matt did the bodywork and painted the car Cloud Mist Gray. Matt's commitment to finish the car was not easy and mere words cannot describe to you the difficulties he had to over come to finish this good old 40 woodie. Matt you are special for bring the car to the cruise and giving your Dad the opportunity to drive the woodie home.

Gary & Alma thank you for all your work, the cruise and the ice cream social was enjoyed by all the V-8 club members.

