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Mission Statement

The El Dorado Early Ford V8 Car Club is based in El Dorado County, California and is dedicated to the restoration and preservation of Ford, Mercury, and Lincoln vehicles designed and built by the Ford Motor Company from 1932 to 1953. Meetings are held on the first Thursday of each month. Locations change so check the newsletter for location.

President's Dean's Message

Welcome to the November monthly newsletter of the El Dorado Early Ford V8 Club. Depending on when you receive or read this newsletter, I'd like to say Happy Thanksgiving or I hope you had a great Thanksgiving with family and friends. The annual Veterans Day parade to Eskaton retirement center was a lot of fun. I heard there were some 80 cars, 5 of which were from our club. Thank you, Jim & Marsha, Jon & Kim, Dan, Dave for taking the time out of your life to bring smiles to the residents of Eskaton lots of thank you's were received from the residents,

The November club meeting was held at the Colina de Oro about half the club showed up. Next Club Meeting which is in conjunction with the Christmas Party is at the Forester in Camino 5:00 December the 9th Please RSVP to Patty so she can let the Forester know for their food orders, I really hope for a great turn out and would love to see everyone there.

The November Club Breakfast scheduled for the Sportsman in Pollack Pines was a complete bust. At about 8:00am Patty and I made the decision to eat at Annie's Mimosa's on Placerville Drive about 8:30 the Lucas's called and asked were we going and joined us.

As a closing note the club is in need of 1 officer for the calendar years 2024. So please give some serious thought to serving, or who would be a good officer. No one was nominated and no one stepped up as of 18 November, sadly this needs to be settled at the Christmas Party. According to the National By-Laws Article XVIII Paragraph D section 1 "The Officers of a Regional Group shall be a President, Vice President, Secretary and/or Treasure." So, we can't go forward without a VP.

Happy Thanksgiving Dean



Meeting Minutes Early Ford V8 Club

On Thursday, November 2nd the El Dorado Early Ford V8 Club met at Colina de Oro for our monthly meeting. President Dean Plant called the meeting to order at 6:04pm and we had 12 members in attendance. The minutes from the October meeting were approved as printed in the last newsletter. The treasurer, Jo gave current financial status, with no transactions this month. Sunshine Judi was out of town; club members are all doing okay. Art Hardie had his second knee replaced and is recuperating, Dan Schwartz was battling allergies, and Sandy is still having back problems. Under old business, Erik (Jerry Lucas' son) is assisting Jerry and Dean with the website. We are hoping to be able to add advertisers soon. Reminder that the Veteran's car parade to the Eskaton Village is on Friday, Nov 10th, meet at Grocery Outlet parking lot at 9:30am. As an after note, we had 5 members attend (Dave Waddell, Dan Schwartz, Jon & Kim Hopwood, Jim Moore & Marsha, and Dean & Patty Plant). Lunch of hamburger or hot dog with potato salad & cookie was served by Eskaton Village to all participants and residents. Don't forget the club Christmas Party will be held on Saturday, December 9th at the Forester Pub & Grill in Camino at 5pm. Bring an exchange gift, not to exceed \$20., if you want to participate in gift exchange. Please don't forget that we will be voting for next year's officers at the Christmas Party. Dave Waddell has stepped down as Vice President and we need to fill that spot, thank you Dave for your contribution. Meetings for next year are scheduled as follows: Jan 4th at Round Table Pizza in Safeway shopping center Missouri Flat Road, and Feb 1st at the Breakroom in Shingle Springs. The Hot Rod BBQ was held on Oct 21st with 88 people attending and 39 classic cars. Our November birthdays are: Bud Lewallen 25th, Barbara Erb 27th, & Judi Lewallen 28th. We had one anniversary, the Lewallen's on November 5th. The meeting was adjourned at 6:27pm.

Submitted by Secretary Patty Plant

Meeting Saturday December 9, 2023

Christmas Party Forester Pub & Grill in Camino at 5pm

Breakfast Saturday December 9 2023

None scheduled for December 2023

2024 Breakfast Schedule

Soon to be announced

Men's Luncheon

TBD consideration is being given to scheduling a Saturday men's lunch allowing those working a chance to attend.

Ladies Luncheon



Five ladies met at the Buttercup Pantry for lunch on Thursday the 16th. Had a nice time. Discussed races at Placerville Speedway and Kyle Larsen being there. Falling leaves and cooler weather were also discussed. Hashed over club participation and possible places to go. Weather was beautiful with puffy white clouds and blue skies.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

November Birthdays: Bud Lewallen 25th, Barbara Erb 27th, Judi Lewallen 28th

November Anniversary: The Lewallen's 5th

December Birthdays: Cathy Keeler 7th; Connie Johnson 11th; Jo Oberg 12th; Kim Hopwood 16th; Jim Moore 26th.
No Anniversary in December

Sunshine 2023

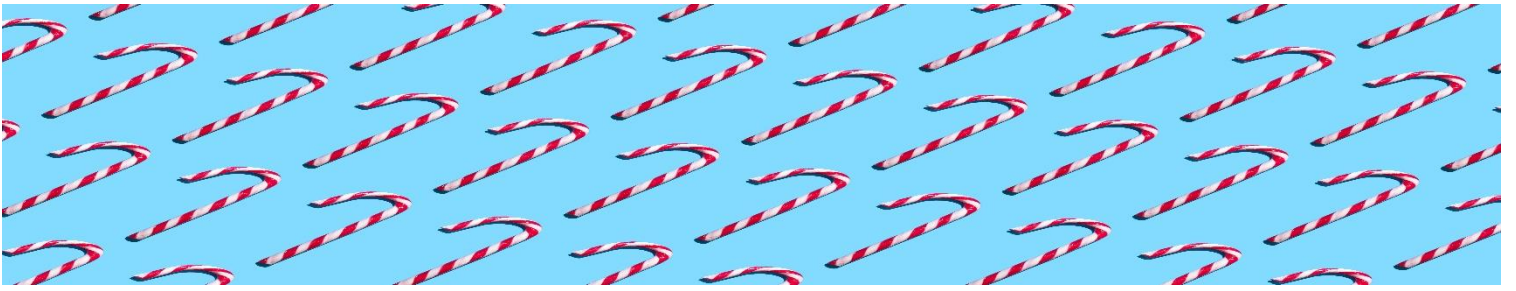
Happy Thanksgiving!!!

Well I sent out my little sunshine note to everyone (somehow it went out as an attachment?)

Most reported they were doing well. Waddell's; Plant's; Lucus's; Madison's; Jo & Milo; Sandra Morgan; Schwartz's; Lewallen's.

Art is hanging in there doing his PT for his knee; Sandy says she is hanging in there but her back is still talking back to her; Barbara and Don are kinda sorta ok (her response to me was BOOHOO);

I left messages for the Keeler's; Jim Moore; Connie Johnson; Haynes's; tried to reach Rex but something must be wrong with their phone(it just rings busy all the time).



Eskaton Village Veterans Day Car Parade



Dean & Patty Plant car and Jim Moore's car



Dan Schwartz car



Dave Waddell car and Jon & Kim Hopwood 's car

November 2023 Club car of the month



Upcoming 2023 Car Show Events

Nov 26, Rancho Cordova, Hot Rod Toy Run, Nimbus Dam 8:00 - Noon
December 2nd Folsom, Christmas is for Kids Toy + \$20.00
January 1st Columa Happy New Year Free Dress Warm

WEEKLY NEAR BY GATHERINGS

Saturday's Placerville Cars N Coffee Free Bell Tower 7:30am to 9:00 am

Got something to sell? Post it here for free.