



VOICE OF THE V8

A monthly newsletter of the Early Ford V-8 Club of the Inland Empire #23

NOVEMBER 2023

Dear V/8ers,

What a turnout we had for the Thanksgiving dinner! 40 members showed up for the meeting and dinner with desert of apple and pumpkin pie. Dinner was buffet style and very good. Salad with your choice of dressing, turkey, ham, mashed potatoes, dressing, cranberry sauce and bread sticks. Darcy's puts out a very fine dinner and the restaurant is good to our club.

Now, the big thing is that we talked with the owner of Darcy's and the club's Christmas party is all set for December 3rd. I moved the board meeting up a week early so they could decide how the club would handle the cost. The board decided to pay for the Christmas party. Thanks to the board for this year's Christmas party. I will be up front and honest with you. This means members only. If you bring a guest, it will cost \$33.00. No one under the age of 21, it is for adults only. We need a total head count by November 22nd. Please call Norma Skidmore at 509-928-2211, Jo Ann Davis at 208-755-3436 or me at 509-993-5636. Members and guests must be preregistered to attend. Guest fees will be paid at the door and that money will go to charity. The club will have a silent auction from 5:00 to 8:00 pm. Bring all auction items unwrapped. All sales will be donated to charity.

The President's Fall Colors Tour went as planned. Pictures from the tour are on page 2 of this newsletter. The first set of pictures are at Exit 15 in Idaho. The second set from Glen Nickerson's in Pinehurst Idaho. Next set is on the road to Thompson Falls for lunch at Minnie's Cafe. After lunch it was on to Plains Montana and Rehbein Ford. We met the owner and he showed us around the company. Inside, the very first thing we saw was Dave Nickolauson's '51 Mercury. Wade got it and has never touched it; same paint and upholstery. Next to it is a '34 Ford Deluxe street rod. The last picture is of my '41 coupe headed back to Thompson Pass. We stopped at the Sprag Pole for a drink.

For me, it has been a great year. A BBQ at Jim and Carol Langstaff's, the big fish fry at Bobbie Welch's K-Bar Ranch and the campout on the river. I talked with Bobbie, and if we are in good shape, we may have a fish fry again next year. Maybe!!

Please get your dues paid; it's that time of year again.

Please take care of yourself and others. Keep the hand sanitizer handy, mask with you and the Lysol nearby.

Until the December 3rd, please take care. I will see you at the Christmas party.

Your Club President,
Chuck McVey



**RICK & DONNA
ROLLINS**



welcome
to the **CLUB**

They have three V8 cars.
Hope to see them on an
upcoming tour.

- 1946 Ford PU (S)
- 1946 Ford Panel (PRR)
- 1947 Ford Express PU (PR)

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DECEMBER 3
Christmas Party

JANUARY 7
Regular Meeting

If possible, please pay your
2024 DUES by January 7th

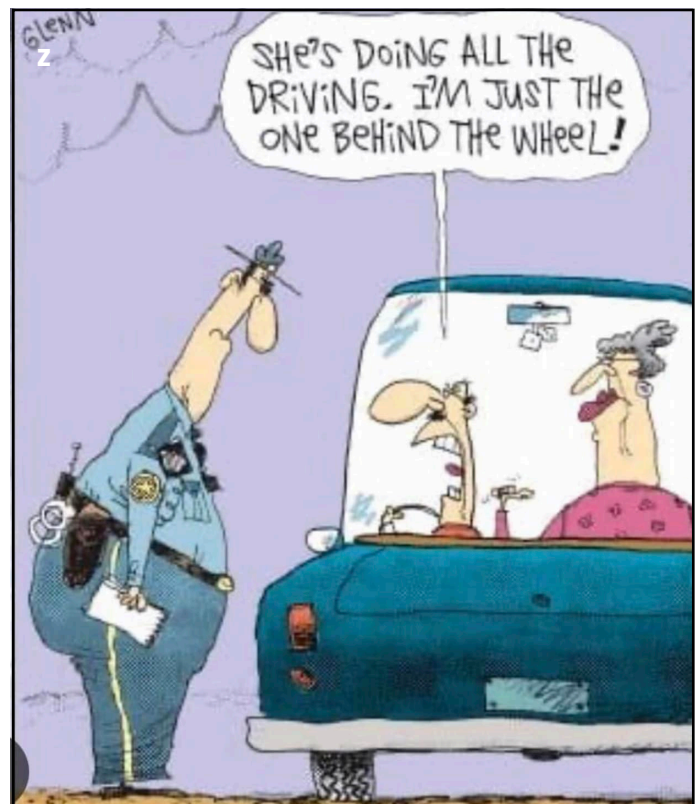
JANUARY 31
DUES are DUE!!

FEBRUARY 4
Regular Meeting

MARCH 3
Regular Meeting

APRIL 7
Regular Meeting

JOIN
the
FUN



The President's Fall Colors Tour

October 14, 2023



Exit 15-Idaho



Glen Nickerson's-Pinehurst Idaho



Lunch at Minnie's in Thompson Falls



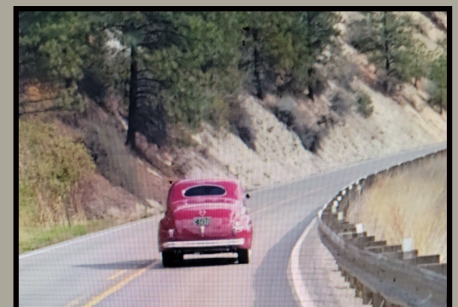
Rehbeine Ford-Plains Montana



Going to Thompson Falls



Rehbein's Ford Dealer-Plaines Montana



Heading to Murray Idaho

EARLY FORD V-8 REGIONAL GROUP #23

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MINUTES ♦ SEPTEMBER 10, 2023 ♦ 6:00PM ♦ DARCY'S RESTAURANT

Meeting called to order: 6:30
Officers in attendance: Chuck McVey, Tom Davis, Jack Guinnane and Gary Davis
Flag Salute: Led by Dal Furnish
Introduction of any guests: Rick Rollins
Old minutes of the October 10th meeting as published in the newsletter. Any questions or comments? Motion to accept the minutes: Wally Graham. 2nd by Dale Furnish. Motion passed.
Treasurers Report: Gary read the report. Motion to accept the report: Dave Volker, 2nd by Beryl Fitzpatrick. Motion passed
COMMITTEE REPORTS
Badges: Shirley Adams–no report
Sunshine: Cards for Jim Langstaff, Chris Hughes and Kelly Kimble.
Bereavement: Deloris Cain passed. Her service is November 17th at 2pm. Service will be held at

Riplinger Funeral Home located on N 4305 Division.
Christmas Party: Norma Skidmore and Jo Ann Davis will organize this year's gathering at Darcy's. Be there December 3rd at 5pm, dinner at 6pm.
Charitable Giving: No report
INCCC: Jack Guinnane and Wally Graham gave a report.
Ladies Luncheon: No report
Newsletter & Webmaster: No report. If you have anything for sale or wanted please let Becky Swenson know so she can get it in the newsletter.
Nominating Committee: Annette Long finished the nominating process.
Property Accountability: Shirley Adams–no report.
Tour Committee: No report–could be the weather

New Business: Rick Rollins was voted in as a new member. Annette Long has the nominations for 2024; Jack Guinnane–president, Bob Long –vice president, Gary Davis–treasurer, Annette Long–secretary. Dale Furnish made a motion to close all nominations and Judy Little seconded. Motion passed. Gary Davis mentioned to the group that dues for 2024 are due and it helps him if people get it done soon. Board meeting is on Thursday, November 9th to nail down costs for the Christmas party. That meeting is at Shirley Adams house at 6pm.
Old Business: No old business
Next meeting will be at Darcy's on January 7, 2024
Motion to Adjourn the meeting: Motion made by B J Glander, 2nd Kelli Pemble. Meeting adjourned at 7:00 pm.
 Respectfully submitted by
 Tom Davis, Secretary

EARLY FORD V-8 REGIONAL GROUP #23 BOD MINUTES
 NOVEMBER 9, 2023 ♦ 6:00PM ♦ SHIRLEY ADAMS' HOME

Meeting called to order at – 6:05pm
Members in attendance: Chuck McVey, Shirley Adams, Bob Long, Dale Furnish, Tom Davis, Don Leidel, Norma Skidmore and Gary Davis
Guests: Jo Ann Davis
Motion to accept old minutes: Norma Skidmore, seconded by Don Leidel. Motion passed.
Financial Report: Gary gave a very detailed report, and we are doing well with the 2023 budget. Motion to accept the financial report by Dale Furnish, seconded by Don Leidel. Motion passed.
New Business: Jo Ann Davis and Norma Skidmore have the Christmas party all planned out and ready to go. Chuck is communicating with the National V-8 to update insurance for the club. Since we no longer have a swap meet, our insurance needs have changed; more on that in the near future. The board voted to change the amount allocated for bereavement from \$50 to \$100. Dale Furnish made the motion and Norma Skidmore seconded. Motion carried.
 Any further business? None
Motion to Adjourn: Dale Furnish. Seconded by Don Leidel.
Meeting adjourned 7:20pm
 Respectfully submitted,
 Tom Davis Secretary

Veterans Day–Every Day
 Honoring All Who Served

I am not a veteran, but my dad was, as well as many other family members, so I know what it is like to be in a military family. The awe and respect I feel towards them and all vets never goes unnoticed.

Veterans are individuals who have dedicated their lives to protecting our nation and preserving our freedoms. Their service and sacrifice should never be taken for granted, and it is important that we honor and thank them for their dedication and bravery.

There are many ways to show appreciation for our veterans. One way is to simply say "thank you" when you see a veteran or active duty service member.

Veterans have made tremendous sacrifices to protect our country and our way of life. Let us never forget their service, and always show them the respect, gratitude, and support they deserve, not just on Veterans Day, but every day!





This car has 63,000 original miles from the factory, original paint, original interior, Wunderbar radio, Columbia two speed rear end. I'm trying to sell it for a friend of mine. Asking \$16,000.

The engine had been frozen because it sat with water in it in a garage for years. It's has a rebuilt motor, 59ab of course. It ran like a clock, but it's been sitting for about 10 years now.

Contact Al Pharness for more information at (509) 220-7978.

**1948 Ford Coupe
FOR SALE**



11/23

HAPPY THANKSGIVING

Classifieds




FOR SALE
Original Front Seat
From a 1942 project Woodie.
Would fit in a 1942-1948
(possibly a 1941). \$200 obo.
Daniel Bakken: 509-869-3911



FOR SALE
Filton Sun Vizier—new, still in box.
New Heater Core for a 1949 to 1951 Ford.
Make offer. Other parts are also available.
For more info, call Steve at 509-592-7419.

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION
P.O. Box 176
Veradale, WA 99037
Dedicated to the Preservation of Ford V8s 1932-1953

Year: _____

Renewal (due January 31) No Changes _____ Changes _____
Fill in name, include insurance carrier name and national membership status in the spaces provided. Include any changes. Be sure to check the appropriate renewal space above (no changes/changes). All members must return a membership renewal form. Be sure to check below if you want a newsletter mailed to you.

New Member: Please fill out this form completely. Thank you!

Name _____ Spouse Name _____
Address _____ Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Home Phone _____ Business Phone _____
Cell Phone _____ Spouse Cell Phone _____
Email Address _____ Spouse Email _____

FORD CARS: List make, model, body & condition
S=Show Condition, PR=Partially Restored,
PRR=Partially Restored & Running, UR=Unrestored, OC=Original Condition

1. _____ 4. _____
2. _____ 5. _____
3. _____ 6. _____

* Insurance Carrier: _____
(All cars taking part in V8 activities must be covered by liability insurance)

* Are you a member of the National Ford V8 Club _____ (write Yes or No)
(all Chapter Members must be National Members)

All members agree to abide by all of the rules and regulations of the Inland Empire Regional Group #23

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Please check appropriate boxes and include payment with this application

_____ \$30 Annual Dues
_____ \$25 Hard copy of newsletter mailed to you
_____ TOTAL PAID (to be enclosed with this application)

Thank you RG #23

2024 DUES

Membership dues are due by January 31, 2024. Please pay on time as it makes a lot more work when members delay payment. It would actually be very helpful if you are able to pay by the January 7th meeting. A renewal form is included in this newsletter (page 6). They are also available online.

[Download here](#) 😊

Much appreciated,
Membership Committee



If you have something for sale or wanted that you would like published in our newsletter (must be vintage), please send the information to earlyfordv8ie@gmail.com. Be sure to include the price. Pictures may be attached as well. **Please put Voice of the V8 in the subject line.**



THE EARLY FORD V8 CLUB WILL BE HOSTING THE MEMBERS FOR THE

2023 Holiday Celebration

DECEMBER 3, 2023

DARCY'S RESTAURANT

10502 E SPRAGUE AVENUE, SPOKANE VALLEY

COCKTAILS

5:00 to 6:00 pm

No Host Bar for Drinks

DINNER

6:00 until 9:00 pm

MENU

Prime Rib

Salmon

Chicken Cordon Bleu

Rice Pilaf

Garlic Red Potatoes

Salad wth Bread Sticks

Christmas Cake for Dessert

SILENT AUCTION

Starts at 5:00 pm and ends at 8:00 pm

Bring an unwrapped auction item to share in the fun. Silent auction sales will be donated to charity

IMPORTANT THINGS TO KNOW

- Total headcount on or before November 22nd!
 - If you have not signed up already, please call
 - Chuck McVey (509) 993-5636
 - Norma Skidmore (509) 928-2211
 - JoAnn Davis (208) 755-3436.
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- Adults only

CELEBRATE WITH FRIENDS,
FOOD AND MORE!!





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Name _____ Spouse Name _____

Address _____
Street City State Zip

Home Phone _____ Business Phone _____

Cell Phone _____ Spouse Cell Phone _____

Email Address _____ Spouse Email _____

FORD CARS: List make, model, body & condition

S=Show Condition, **PR**=Partially Restored,

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Next Meeting
Sunday, January 7th
Dinner at 5:00 p.m. - Meeting at 6:00 p.m.

Darcy's Restaurant and Spirits
10502 E Sprague Ave, Spokane Valley, WA 99206

"The gifted man bears his gifts into the world, not for his own benefit, but for the people among whom he is placed; for the gifts are not his, he himself is a gift to the community."

~Henry Ford



The Early Ford V8 Club of America, Inland Empire Chapter #23 is dedicated to the restoration and preservation of all Ford Motor Company vehicles, 1932 through 1953

Find us on Facebook: [Early Ford V8 Club of the Inland Empire](#)

Visit our club's website: <https://www.earlyfordv8ie.org/>

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