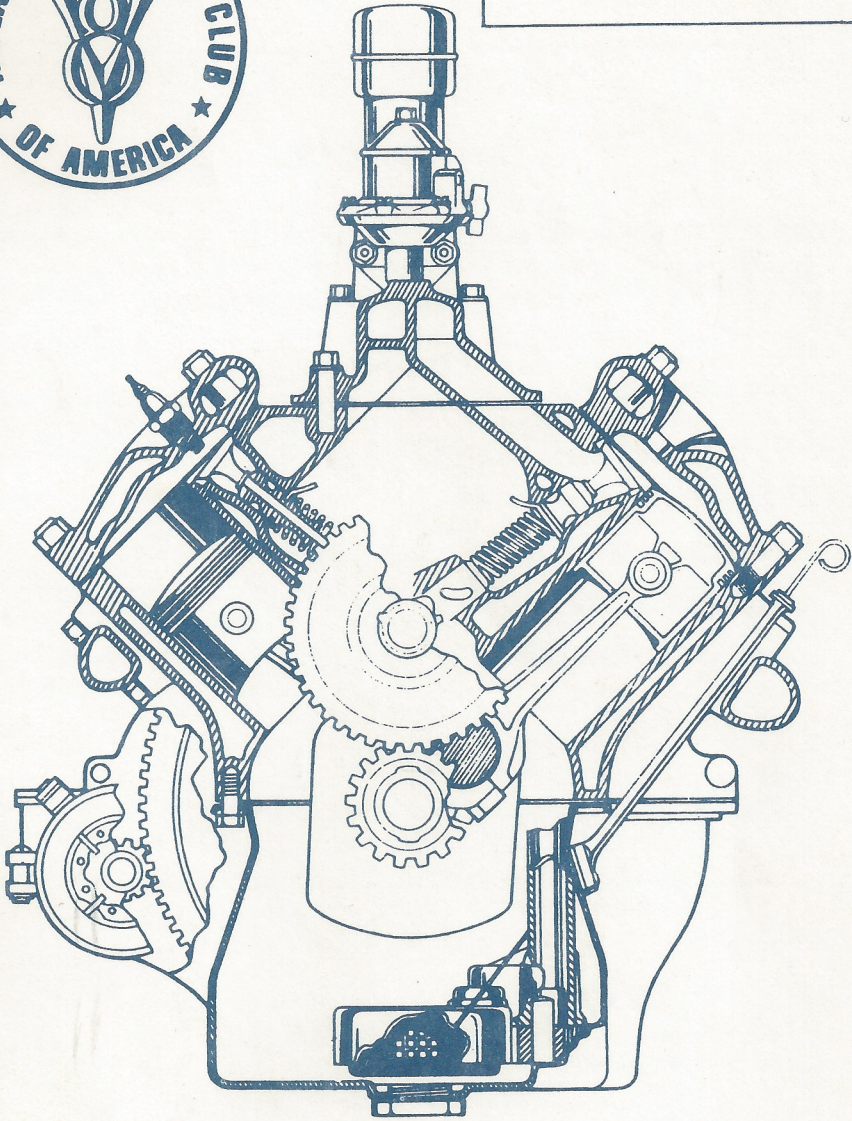


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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Through the years the weather for The Valley V-8's tours has generally been good. Sunday February 11, the day of our tour to the Museum of Flying, the day couldn't have been nicer. At 9:30 thirteen cars pulled out of the parking lot at Balboa Park and headed for Santa Monica under sunny skies. The Model T Club had chosen to visit the museum the same day, so there was a large variety of cars in the parking lot at the museum. The Museum of Flying has a broad spectrum of exhibits and proved to be very interesting. I for one did not get to see all of it in the one hour forty five minutes we spent there. I plan on going back to see it again. A number of our members enjoyed a delicious brunch at the Acapulco Restaurant, before heading home.

Elsewhere in this issue is an outline of the August tour to the Western National Meet at Reno, lead by Jay Harris of the Southern California Regional Group. Jay has organized and lead many tours to National Meets, and always has a well attended outing. If you plan on joining this tour, take Jay's advice and get your reservations in early for your lodging.

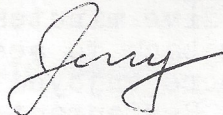
Chuck Shubb is organizing a tour on May 19th to the Queen Mary, Voyage to 1939. This will be a joint tour with the Ventura, Southern California and the Baldy View Chapters. It should be great fun, mark your calendar and save May 19th for a super tour.

Dudley Ochsner is still working on the tour to the Pasadena Historical Society. This will probably take place in June. Details will be published at a later date. We are still looking for ideas for future tours and folks to organize them.

If you are planning on attending the Fabulous Fords Forever Car Show at Knott's Berry Farm on April 29th with your car, you must be preregistered. For more information call 818/343-2091 or write Johna Pepper, 24142 Roma Drive, Mission Viejo, CA 92691 for a registration form.

Club dues are still due if you haven't paid them for 1990. We will soon be working on the 1990 Membership Directory, only paid up members will be included. A note to our advertisers - some of you are due for renewal for 1990. Rates are the same as last year.

The program for the March meeting will be another Lorin Sorensen video. This tape features the Ford Tri-motor, the 1934 Pike's Peak Race, introduction of the 1936 Lincoln Zephr and other subjects. See you at the March meeting.



WELCOME TO THE NEW MEMBERS

Ed and Marge Buckner

Kenneth and Joan Sapper

Richard and Judy Chutuk

TOUR TO RENO

Only five months now until we head north to attend RENO IN NINE OH, the Western National Meet in Reno, Nevada. The meet dates are August 6 - 10, 1990 at the Peppermill.

The following is a proposed itinerary for the Harris tour to Reno:

FIRST DAY - THURSDAY, AUGUST 2: The tour will assemble at the Holiday Inn in Buena Park, located on Beach Blvd just north of the 91 (Riverside) freeway. There is a nice restaurant there for those who wish to enjoy breakfast before we depart at 8:00 am. The tour will proceed north on I-5 to the Santa Monica freeway and continue directly into Santa Monica where we will join Hiway 1 and pick up Valley V-8ers. Sightseeing will include a stop at an 1800's school house, lunch in the little town of Los Olivos, a stop for shopping and sightseeing in Morro Bay, with our final stop in Cambria for the night.

*** MOTEL: San Simeon Pines pho 805-927-4648

SECOND DAY - FRIDAY, AUGUST 3: We will tour over scenic State Hiway 46 to Paso Robles, where several Victorian homes and other attractions await us. We will have breakfast at The Bakery Works, a quaint, small cafe in the center of town. Then we'll proceed north on Hiway 46, stopping in Cholame to view the monument erected by a Japanese business man in the memory of James Dean. Our destination for the night will be Fresno.

MOTEL: Ramada Inn Ask for Early Ford V-8
pho 209-224-4040 Club group rate

THIRD DAY - SATURDAY, AUGUST 4: This morning we will tour the Meux Museum, located in a restored Victorian mansion located only a block from our motel. The tour will then proceed north on US 99 with our next stop being the Castle Air Museum in Atwater. Lunch will follow at Turlock Reservoir, the day ending in Sonora.

MOTEL: Best Western Sonora Oaks pho 209-533-4400
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*** IMPORTANT: The San Simeon Pines requires a written reservation request. P.O. Box 117, San Simeon, Ca 93452 Attn Janet - Manager

Harris tour to Reno continued.....

FOURTH DAY - SUNDAY, AUGUST 5: Today we will start out after breakfast with a tour of the historic mining town of Columbia, located not far from Sonora. Then we will head up State Hiway 49 through the 'Gold Country', stopping in Sutter's Creek, Dry Town, and at the gold discovery spot at Marshall Gold Discovery Historic Park located 8 miles north of Placerville. Our day will end in Grass Valley.

*** MOTEL: Best Western Gold Country Inn pho 916-273-1393
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49.

FIFTH DAY - MONDAY, AUGUST 6: This morning we will tour east on State 20, a scenic route that will unite us with I-80 and a two hour ride into Reno where we will join the first day activites of the Western National Meet 'RENO IN NINE OH'

If you plan to join me on our tour to Reno I urge you to make motel reservations early to avoid disappointment. This year's tour includes more sightseeing and fewer miles per day than prior tours, and is sure to be enjoyable. You may call me during the day at 714-553-1733 for answers to any tour questions, or in the evening at 714-586-4150 between 7 and 8 PM. HAPPY TOURING!!

JAY HARRIS

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>>>>>>>>> BIRTHDAYS <<<<<<<<<<<

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<<<< Happy Birthday to All of you. >>>>

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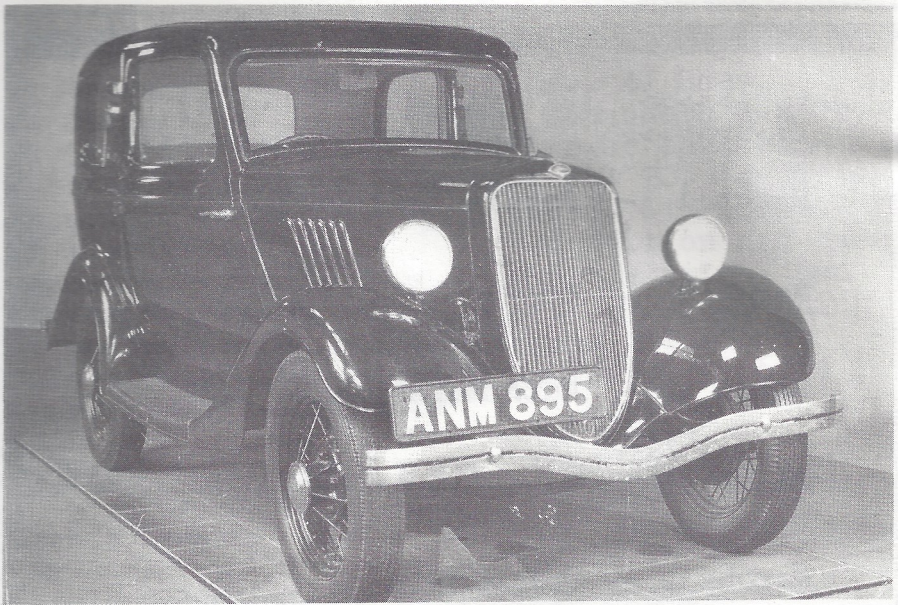
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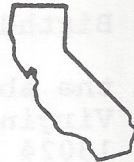
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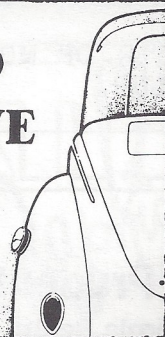
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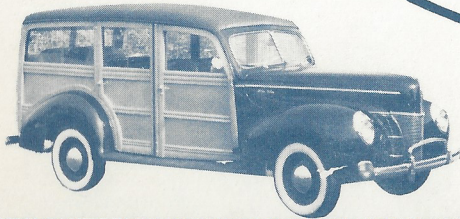
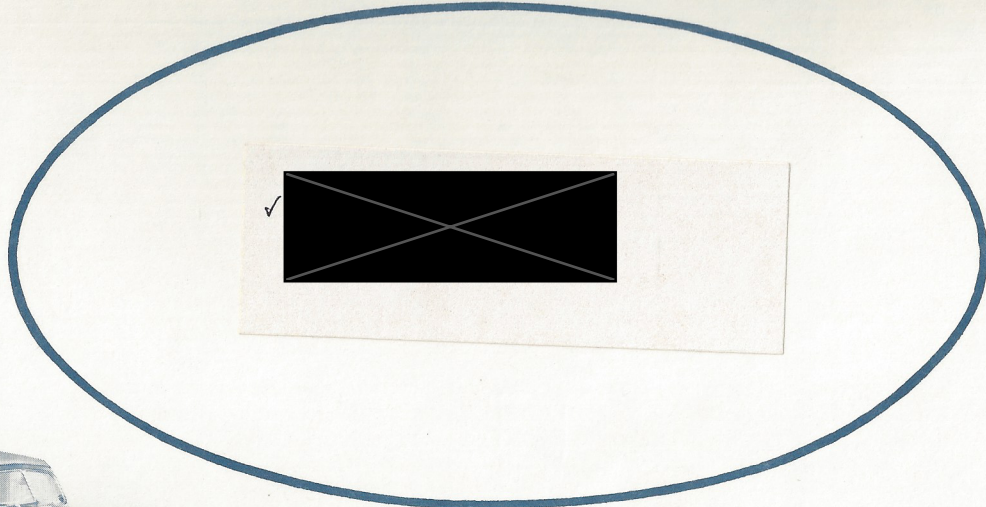
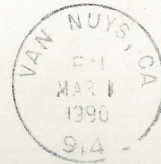
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