



# Drive Lines

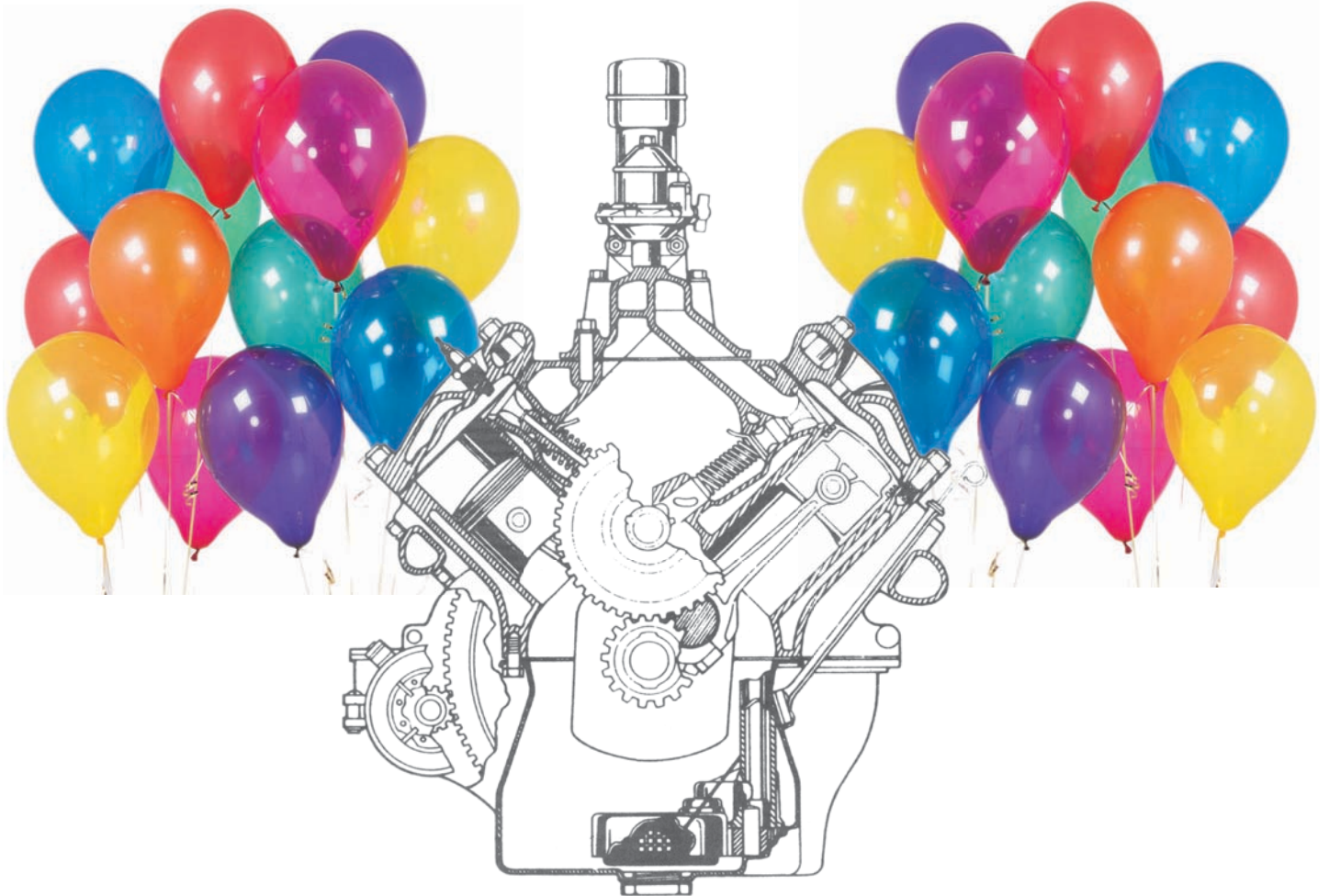
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*Our 50th Year*

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# FIFTY YEARS



The Valley V8's  
9700 Farralone, Chatsworth, Ca. 91311

# The Valley V's

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Meeting: 1st Tuesday of the Month, 7:00p  
 No host Dinner, Starting at 6:00p  
 Rosie's BBQ & Grill, 8930 Corbin Ave.  
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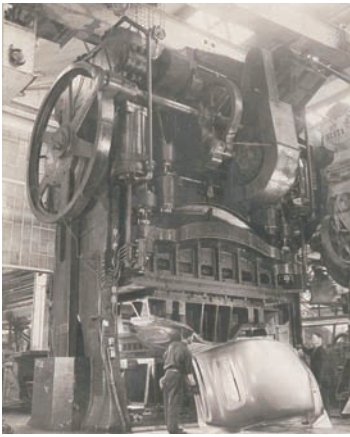
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### Past Presidents

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Ed Warnock	1975
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Ernie Baily	2019-????

**Our Next Meeting**  
**UNKNOWN 2021**



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**CHAPTER 40 -- SAN FERNANDO VALLEY V-8'S CLUB**  
**MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES FOR**  
**No Meeting, No Minutes.....**

## HELLO FELLOW MEMBERS

We would like to know more about You, Your Car...  
So, What I would like from our members is a picture of you  
with your car, with a small story. (1 Paragraph)  
That way, We get to learn more about our members, & we  
can put a face to a name & car

Please make all submissions to ether  
"Drivelines" at madmodelr@aol.com, or  
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*Thank You*  
Rob Glucksman, DL Editor



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# From The President

Hello All,

Hope all is go well with everyone. To start with I had just finished calling a number of members to remind them about the annual membership dues, I wanted to get as many of the members up to date so they would be included in the 2021 Roster. I actually enjoyed calling and getting a chance to talk to them. I think Howard Brown & Jerry Littner said the Roster would go to press before the end of the month.

I still have yet to put together the "Photo Op" tour. It looks like it may be a April tour. Speaking of Photos, I hope you all are considering submitting Photo to the National Club for their up coming "Virtual Car Show" in the July/August issue of the V8 Times. I would but I think they only want Ford Photos ! Ha! I also want to wish all those that have April Birthdays a "Happy Birthday":

April 1st- Terri Reitz  
April 2nd-Ruby Greene  
April 4th- Grack Clark  
April 13th- Doug Petersen  
April 27th- Steve Lehman

I also want to mention that our own Howard Brown (Membership) is also the President of the local Studebaker Club. And invites you to their "Classic Studebaker Car Show" on Sunday April 25th at Bobs Big Boy in Northridge at 8876 Corbin Ave. 8am-noon.

Also there is a National Zoom meeting planned for March 30 for all the regional club Presidents to attend. They are hoping to have additional Zoom meetings during the year in order to be closer connected the regional clubs.

Well as far as my personal old efforts go. I've been busy helping my Niece move (Lot of fun with 3 little kids to deal with while moving) and I now have my brothers 56 Studebaker driveable. I drove it to Bobs Big Boy cruise night last week. I was also able to finish the Brakes and fix the speedometer on my brothers 58 Studebaker President and was able to drive it after sitting about 20 years, but during that test drive the power steering developed a leak, so now I have to fix that. I also got his 56 Packard 400 running and driving, just have to re-bleed the brakes and fix the gauges and that car will be drivable. I also got my 55 Dodge working "Great"! Some times you just have to have a professional look at it. Now it works better than it did when I had the engine rebuilt.

Well thats about all I have at this time. I hope to have good news about when we can have a REAL meeting soon!

Prez Ernie



Jerry Littner and Howard Brown have delivered the information to the printer and we should have our 2021 rosters ready to distribute in a couple of weeks.

# From The Editor

## *Hello Fellow Valley V8's*

I'm starting a new page for our club, & anyone that wants to post something that may not be newsletter material...

In other words, maybe something that you, a member have a story, a joke, a pic.... Something that may not be "Ford" related, but still fun & worth sharing...., Maybe it's to long for the Main newsletter

These will be "ONLINE" only....

The name will be

## *DriveLines Online...*

This months posting, Well, it's My back story, & how I came to be part of this group  
I hope you enjoy.

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An interesting morning at Earl's Donut Shop

After months of discussion and many attempts to 'get er done', today we finally accomplished it; all four of the '55 Fords that regularly attend Earl's, showed up on the same day. We had Rob Glucksman's '55 Mainline, Jim Ellerbrock's '55 Customline, Larry's '55 Fairlane Victoria and Howard Brown's '55 Fairlane Crown Victoria all there at the same time. Interesting group and really interesting to compare differences between models and body styles.

Howard Brown

