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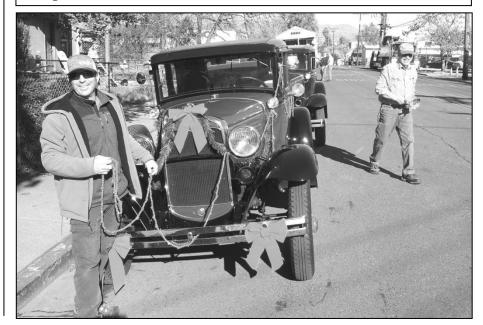


Yreka Holiday Parade



Above: Parade Grand Marshal and World War II Navy Veteran, Dwight Roberts led the parade in Brian Favero's Model A Cabriolet.

Below: Joe Giordanengo and Mike Spiess un-decorate the coupes at the end of the route.



The Sis-Q A's, of Siskiyou County, California, is a chapter of The MODEL A FORD CLUB OF AMERICA





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The Model A Ford Club of America is a non-profit corporation of California and a national historical society dedicated to the restoration and preservation of the Model A Ford automobile as manufactured from 1928 through 1931

Mark Your Calendar

Thursday, December 8 (DATE CHANGE!) 11 am – Christmas Party at the Giordanengo's Don't forget to bring a potluck dish to share and a wrapped gift to exchange.

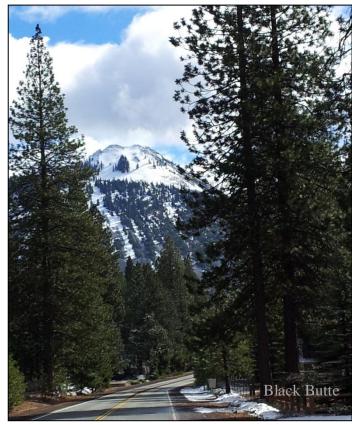
Saturday, December 10 - Fort Jones Christmas Parade, 1pm.

There will be no Business Meeting held in January.

I've been thinking...

I came across an interesting news article It seems that the people who recently. measure this kind of stuff with satellite observations tell us that, at nearly 16,000,000 square miles, the current Northern Hemisphere snow cover is at the greatest extent ever measured for the month of November. So, I guess the heavy snow which fell on some areas of the county a few weeks back is part of a global phenomenon. I'm not sure what it all means but, if you haven't already, it's probably a good time to put those flannel sheets on the bed.

Yep, winter is fast approaching. Snowplow blades are being bolted back on to pickup trucks, and snowmobiles and ski equipment are getting dusted off. Some



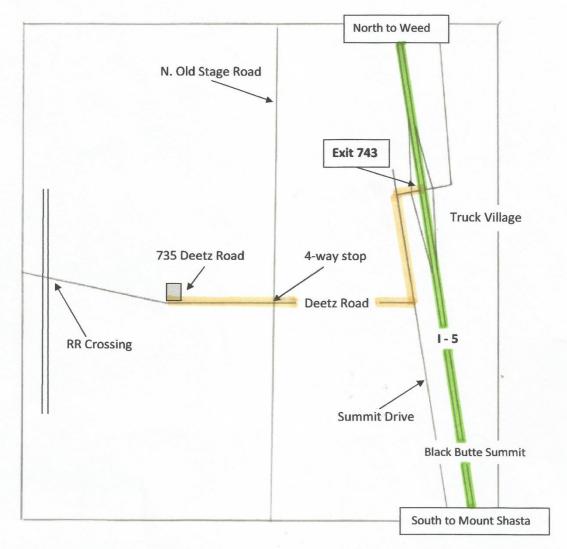
days are dim, and all of them are short and getting shorter. It's a good time of year to be standing at the stove, stirring a pot of soup, or tinkering around with some little project or other in the garage, or just curling up in a warm place with a good book. I've noticed Christmas decorations starting to go up, and the local Boy Scout troop has fresh-cut firs for sale on the usual vacant lot downtown - a final flurry of activity and celebration before 2022 recedes into the rearview mirror.

The recent Yreka Holiday Parade was a well-attended event on a calm, warm and sunny day. There were what looked like hundreds upon hundreds of parade goers all along Miner Street, enjoying the enthusiasm and small town neighborliness of this much-anticipated annual attraction. Special thanks to Brian Favero, and the Yreka Elks Lodge, for planning and coordinating every aspect of the parade – a monumental undertaking, and we salute you! To top it off, the Sis-Q A's were awarded a beautiful trophy in the car club category.

The new date for the club Christmas Party is Thursday, December 8. Hopefully, the highways will be clear. It's always a gamble to plan anything this time of year.

Once again, we've been invited by the Fort Jones Lions Club to participate in the 54th Annual Christmas Parade. The parade is scheduled for 1pm on Saturday, December 10. Cash prizes will be awarded to the winners in each category and there will be a raffle after the parade with numerous items donated by local businesses. This will be our last planned club event for the year. Let me know if you can make it.

Please, remember to send your 2023 membership dues to Ann Noel. Annual membership runs from January to December, and at only fifteen dollars per family, is still a bargain! - RG



Directions to Giordanengos - 735 Deetz Road, Mount Shasta

Sis-Q A's Annual Christmas Party Thursday, December 8, 11am at the Giordanengo home Potluck Feast Final Business Meeting for the Year Gift Exchange



We'd most certainly like to wish You a very Happy Birthday!

Lily Ashley, Dec. 2

Rich Gabrielson, Dec. 29

Sis-Q A's Business Meeting, November 7, 2022

The meeting was called to order at 10am, at the home of Mike Spiess and Pat Witt, following a potluck brunch. Members in attendance were: Mike Spiess, Russell Nussbaum, Rich Gabrielson, Bob and Ann Noel, Richard and Nancy Giordanengo, and Cindy Hammar.

Previous Meeting Minutes: No meeting was held in October.

Treasurer's Report: Ann gave an update of the club finances. We were reminded that membership renewals are due in January. Mike made a motion (second by Rich) to approve the report. Motion carried.

Old Business: There was no old business to report.

New Business: The date (Saturday, November 26) for the Yreka Holiday Parade was announced. Registration forms are available at the Elks Lodge and at Zephyr Books.

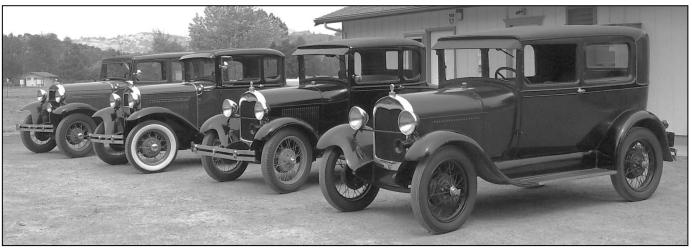
The Fort Jones Christmas Parade is scheduled for Saturday, December 10. Possible dates and locations were discussed for our club Christmas Party.

For the Good of the Club: Cindy Hammar will be stepping down as secretary, and the search for a replacement will begin. Russell's name was suggested!

Motion to Adjourn: Mike made a motion to adjourn. Carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted, Cindy Hammar, Secretary





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