

# NorCal FAST e-Newsletter

## March 2021



Whether for cruising or racing, NorCal FAST guys make old four cylinder engines go faster. We meet monthly at different locations around the northern California area . . . *And for open throttle thrills* . . . A yearly 1/10th mile hillclimb!

If you are interested in “souping up” your old A-B-T Ford, or other pre-1935 four cylinder engine, come to a meeting and see what we’re all about. We are a loose group and there are no chapter dues.

To our FAST Regions:

As of this date, the attached postcard was mailed to all of our FAST membership advising them of the current status of FAST. We are trying to determine how many folks would like to be involved in a new organization. At this point, only our existing memberships at the time of our shutdown are being contacted. We have determined that, whether or not the organization continues, we have enough funds to support one year of hill climbs. So, we are contacting you folks that have been involved in the hill climbs in your region to see if there is any interest.

We need to do this in a way that will not waste our cash, due to any restrictions from the City, County or private organizations, in case our events are cancelled at the last minute and thus make our “paid” insurance void. Because of the current situation with COVID-19, two things will have to happen before we buy the insurance. We have to be certain our events will take place (other than weather issues) and that a repayment as in the past can be made back into our Treasury (\$400.00). FAST hill climbs will still be operated using our current Classes and Rules. We will also need to have at least 4 events in a 12-month period. Once we are able to get information on these events, the first confirmed event will begin the 12-month insurance period.

As some of you know, we are close to a finalization of getting the organization back in some form. So we felt we should at least attempt to have some hill climbs while we are waiting. Hopefully, you guys who have been the spark plugs of FAST by going that extra distance, will be able to put on these hill climbs. Do what you can, and get back to us with any comments.

Thanks for your support.

Ron and Carol Mosher



### **EVENTS OF INTEREST TO NorCal FAST-ers**

#### **April 2021**

17. Sacramento Swap Meet in Woodland, CA (see flyer on page 6)

17. **NorCal FAST meeting at Bob Miller's in Ripon**

#### **May 2021**

1. Tulare "Swap O Rama" (see flyer on pages 3 & 4)

15. **NorCal FAST meeting at Steve Nelson's in Petaluma**

#### **June 2021**

6. Mother Lode Swap Meet in Auburn. See flyer on page 7.

#### **September 2021**

**NorCal FAST Hillclimb in Auburn**

**WEAR YOUR MASK TO ALL F.A.S.T. MEETINGS!**

### **HELP STILL NEEDED!**

#### **COFFEE & DONUT GUY**

**HILLCLIMB ANNOUNCER:** Announces the cars with information from the supplied information cards and tells clean jokes

**TIMING EQUIPMENT GUY:** Stores our timing equipment, maintain it and bring it to our hillclimbs.

**FAST TRAILER GUY:** Brings the FAST trailer (and the equipment it stores) to our hillclimbs and return it to its home.





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# STEVE SEZ

Steve Straw

## MEETING MINUTES: NO MEETING - NO MINUTES!

Steve Sez: Hi "Fasters"

Hope everyone is doing ok! Once again **S.O.S. D.D.!!!!!!**

F.A.S.T. update: We got good news-see page 1!

Yes, it's the same introduction I used last month and the month before that and the month before that and.....BUT, some things have changed! One, I'm a year older and it feels it. Two, the little woman and I got both of our Corona shots!

**Looks like we may be back hill climbing!** The information on page 1 is all I know. I met with our board of directors (myself and the two cats) and we decided to just concentrate on a fall hill climb and make it on our regular meeting date of September 18. When I know more we will start the paper work with the city of Auburn a little early to make sure we can have a fall event at our usual City of Auburn/airport location. This will also give us enough time to get our crews up and running and retrained! Better sign up early to get a good job! We will be using our same old F.A.S.T. rules. I encourage all of you to sign up with Ron and Carol as directed: send your postcard back, Email: [woody29@jps.net](mailto:woody29@jps.net) or call them 661-904-8227

We have some swap meets scheduled. Maybe we can recycle some rust.

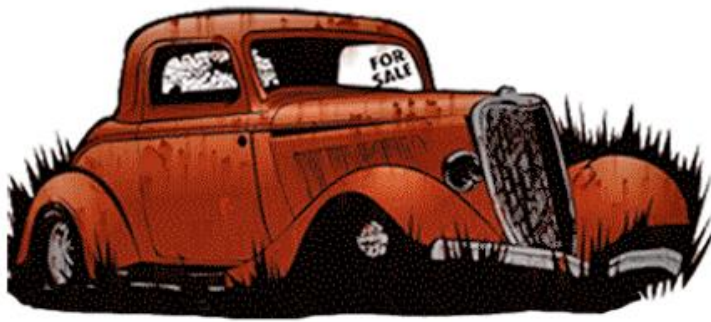
Last month I talked about my T speedster front end. Without pictures it's just so much BS! SEE!



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Still Smilen behind the mask, Steve



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**New Location!**

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**Woodland, CA 95776**

**Coming Soon on April 17, 2021**

**Swap Meet Spaces: \$35**

**Car Corral Spaces: \$35**

**Car Show: \$35**

**Admission: \$12**

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**46th ANNUAL MOTHER LODGE**  
**SWAP MEET**

**Sunday**  
**June 6, 2021**

**Gold Country Fairgrounds**  
**Auburn, Calif.**

**All County & State COVID Social Distancing & Mask requirements will be followed.**

**Gates Open 5 AM – All Spaces 15x25 - \$25.00. Buyers \$5.00**

**Vintage & Classic Cars, Parts and Memorabilia.**

**Vendor setup after 4 pm, or when the field is finished Saturday, June 5.**  
**All spaces first come basis. No Space reservations needed.**  
**All vendors must vacate by 3 pm Sunday, June 6.**

**Alcoholic beverages, Firearms, Food sales &**  
**Open fires are not allowed.**  
**Proceeds will benefit Local Charities.**  
**Food Booth on site provided by a local food vendor.**

**Contacts: Phil (530) 559-1440. Gary 916-599-0059.**

**More Info- Updates <http://www.motherlodemodelt.com>**

**Directions: I 80 Eastbound, exit Maple St., follow signs to fairgrounds.**

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June 13

July 11

September 12

October 24

November 13-14

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**1931 Model A Sport Coupe:** engine, trans. and most parts to finish the car.  
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## **FOR SALE: continued**

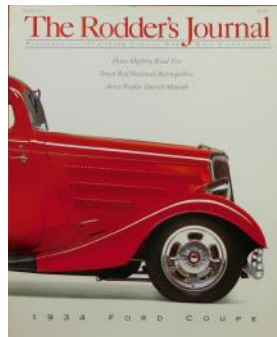
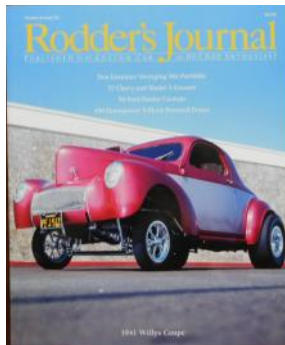
**Aluminum Crager crossflow head one of three cast in the mid-fifties** - I made custom welded chrome headers, custom intake manifold with chromed side draft carburetors. Head needs to be finished for oil to the rocker shaft. Asking \$3500.00 plus UPS. It was a project starting in 1957 and have lost enthusiasm to finish it up. I have many more pictures that I can send on request.  
Greg Edwards, Gaston, OR, 503-357-3980 (2/21)



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