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### Upcoming EESCC Events

<b>Monthly Meeting:</b>	<b>June 5<sup>th</sup></b> <b>7:00 pm The Sizzler</b> <b>Postal Way and Gateway</b>
<b>Autocrosses 3 &amp; 4</b>	<b>June 1 &amp; 2</b> <b>Bald Knob Lumber Site</b> <b>South Mill Rd</b> <b>Creswell OR</b> <b>See Flyer Enclosed</b>

### **Another Great New Site!**

As you can see from the schedule above we have another new site. It is the old mill site Bald Knob Lumber. Take exit 182 from I-5 into Creswell, go west to South Mill Street right before the train tracks and go south about a block to the Mill Site. The address is 33662 East Park Dr.

This sight about the same size as the Goshen sight, but is almost square.

It is going to be a great site. There is lots of parking for racers. We are really excited by this new place. Thanks to Bonnie Mueller for finding it and Lorin Wamsley for securing the use of it.

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Again, we are emphasizing noise reduction. This is a contest of speed and car control, not how much noise you can make. Course workers and neighbors are not impressed. There were cars at events 1 and 2 pushing the limit, let's keep it down!

Let's have some fun at our new site!

### **Event 1 & 2 recap**

We had some fun at Goshen Forest Products for our Events 1 and 2. The pavement there was great! Jerry Braunberger and Bert Jacobson designed some fun courses for us. It started off a little wet Saturday morning but the weather soon turned in our favor.

We had a few new faces at the event, including a special guest from Idaho, Cal Craner. He was willing to help out with the event from set up on Friday, to helping registration, to whatever was needed. His enthusiasm was contagious and he looked like he was having a lot of fun. We look forward to having Cal again!

One new program we are implementing this year is giving away EESCC bucks to volunteers and/or racers that go above and beyond the call of duty. Alicia Andrews will be keeping an eye out for those who she finds doing more than their fair share giving them a reward for going the extra distance.

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**Adopt-A Highway Cleanup Done**

On Saturday April 27<sup>th</sup> 15 folks turned out to clean up our two miles of adopted highway in Goshen. We had it done in about 2 hours and the “find of the day” was a David Bowie t-shirt found by Ruben Cruz. His prize was a \$10 bill that was found by Ed Gouldsmith and donated to the cause. Thanks to all! See you at the next cleanup in August.



**Who is Virginia (Gen) Owens  
By Gen Owens**

Some of you only know me as ESPL 31 L. Well, I’m a little more than that. I’m a mom of two kids, a son that is 21 and a daughter that is 20. I’m the lead person in the ice cream room at Lochmead Dairy. I have been making ice cream for 14 years, and love what I do. I met James on a singles site 9 years ago and have been married for 8. He was always talking about a racing club, that he used to race with and how much he missed it.

About a year after we got married we bought a 94 white mustang and started to rebuild it.

The first racing day of the season came around, and I have never seen such a happy man. I set up my chair and just to watch someone enjoy themselves so much, it was an amazing thing to see. He would ask me to ride along with him and I would always say no!

I finally gathered all my courage and rode along. I couldn’t believe how fun it was. I started to think that watching wasn’t going to cut it anymore. I told James I wanted to share this with him. I got my numbers and a helmet. Knowing all eyes were going to be on me was terrifying. What if I missed something or forget where I was going? Oh, well I guess it happens. It’s all about having fun

After joining the group, I got to know some of the people in my class and we became friends as well as other people in the club. After three years of racing, it makes me giddy knowing people have a hard time telling James and I apart when we race. I have made some good friends, and hope to get to know more of you.

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**Dirty Bert CP#13 2.0****By Bert Jacobson**

Well once again, hello friends! I would like to chat (giggles to self). The new venue seems to have worked out very well. Both days were a lot of fun. I believe the owners of the venue are pleased to have us there. We'll see how the next event goes. It was great seeing all the old faces and meeting new ones. I truly enjoy this crazy sport and all the friends we have made along the way. As most of you know, some of us can't leave stuff alone. So, QUESTION: If you could change one thing on your HOTROD, WHAT WOULD THAT BE? Next month just email me ([berttheroofer@yahoo.com](mailto:berttheroofer@yahoo.com)) or the club ([secretary@eescc.org](mailto:secretary@eescc.org)) and share your choice. No need to write a letter, just share. But, you could write a letter for an upcoming months newsletter (hint ... hint).

I really didn't know what to write about so you get what you read. LOL! Did you all see that I did have a car finished for Events 1 and 2? It had a hiccup. Brad Moffett and Phill Akins will give her a clean bill of health for Events 3 and 4. The punishment will begin.

Congratulations to Phill on his marriage. May he and his family be forever happy!

Shake and Bake till next time.