

SacEV News Flash

Fun EVents Calendar

Wind Farm EV Tour

The Delta breezes of Solano County are producing electricity for thousands of SMUD customers. Located in the Montezuma Hills near Rio Vista, SMUD's wind farm currently has a generation capacity of over 600 megawatts. Once per month, SMUD provides a special tour of their wind farms, and we have the June slot for **Wednesday, 6/19 at 10AM.**



REGISTRATION REQUIRED: Only 25 spaces are available. Reply for a spot, including the number in your group. CHARGERS: There is one charger in Rio Vista City Hall.

AFTERWARDS: We will meet afterwards at Fosters Bighorn for lunch to continue the conversation with our guide. Foster's Big Horn (http://fostersbighorn.com) at 143 Main Street, Rio Vista (707-374-2511). Click Here for Info and Registration

Cal ISO Tour

Cal ISO coordinates, controls and monitors the operation of the electrical power systems in most of California. It needs to continually balance electrical supply and demand. It's becoming the center of attention as renewables and EV come on the scene, both with wildly fluctuating characteristics.



Click the button for more information and to buy tickets. Click Here for Info and Registration

NorCal Reno Tesla Owners Group Activities



The NorCal Reno Tesla Owner's Club invites all EV owners, Tesla or not, to join in their social EVents. We'll keep SacEV members posted on these interesting upcoming EV activities.

EV Poker Run with Beer and Wine Tasting - May 4, 10:00am - 5:30pm

What's a poker run? It's a fun way to spend the afternoon. We will visit a number of local wineries and breweries. At each stop, you will get a playing card. At the end of the day, whoever has the best poker hand wins prizes. It's a chance to enjoy a Sunday drive, discover some cool new spots, and perhaps win prizes along the way. Tickets are \$10 to \$40. Click the button for more information and to buy tickets.

Click here for info and tickets

Hot August Nights

Save the Date! We'll be participating in the Reno Hot August Nights this year. The event runs from August 09 to August 11. Details and hotel info will be available soon.



We have picked the destination for the 2019 EV Road Trip. We'll be heading to Tenaya Lodge near Yosemite. More details on that soon.



Earth Month Activities

SacEV will join many Earth Day events sponsored by schools, environmental organizations, businesses, and government organizations. This year we are placing an increased priority on workplace sites to encourage workplace



infrastructure. We need volunteers to show EVs and share their experiences with the public.

Earth Month EVents:

April 10: With Cool Davis, EV Meetup and EV program 6:00pm, 909 5th Street

April 11: Moore Village Mutual Housing ribbon cutting, 5:00pm -6:30 pm

Moore Village Mutual Housing is hosting a ribbon cutting for their EV charging stations and resource fair, expecting 10-20 residents on site that afternoon. Cool Davis/DEVA was invited to offer EV information. DEVA would love to have a EVs and EV owners available. Contact: Chris Granger (cgranger@cooldavis.org, OR 530-219-1712)

April 13: EV owners participating in UC Davis Picnic Day Parade.

April 13: Davis Picnic Day Static EV Display. Afternoon Showcase for students and community. Contact: Katrina Sutton kmsutton@ucdavis.edu OR (831) 566-0276

April 18: HP Roseville, 11:00am-1:00pm.

EV Showcase for HP employees with dealer ride & drive. Contact: Guy Hall guy.Hall@SacEV.org OR (916) 717-9158

April 18: Folsom Kaiser, Noon - 1:30pm. Show EVs to the Kaiser employees in Folsom Contact: Guy Hall guy.Hall@SacEV.org OR (916) 717-9158

April 19: South Sacramento Kaiser, 11:00am - 2:00pm

With SMUD will show EVs to local hospital staff and provide a ride and drive. Help get health providers on the EV wagon. Dealer Ride & Drive with incentives available. Contact: Jenny Matchall ienny@chargeacrosstown.org OR (916) 764-8724

April 19: Kaiser Morse Ave, Sacramento, , 11:00am - 2:00pm

EV Showcase for Kaiser employees in Folsom. Another opportunity to help health providers get on the EV wagon, featuring agencies, vendors, and businesses that wish to share their environmental message with Kaiser Permanente members and staff. Contact: Guy Hall guy.Hall@Sac-EV.org OR (916) 717-9158

April 20: Farmers Market in Davis - See major section later

SacEV and Davis EV Association display an EV at the Davis Farmers Market. Each display includes an EV, the EV's owner, and one or two helpers who pass out literature and answer questions from market attendees. We are looking for owners and helpers for these dates: April 20, June 15, July 20, August 17

April 22: VSP in Rancho Cordova

The VSP Green Guardians team hopes you will join them this year for food, games, prizes, and music. Over 200 employees attended last year and we hope to meet or exceed that number! We will provide an EV Showcase with a dealer ride & drive. Contact: Guy Hall guy.Hall@SacEV.org OR (916) 717-9158

April 24: Earth Day at Sac City College, 9:00am - 4:00pm

A great opportunity to advertise EVs to students and faculty. Contacts: Rukiya Bates (<u>BatesR@sc-c.losrios.edu</u>) and George Parrott (gparrott@csus.edu OR (916) 752-7359)

April 27: Amador Earth Day in Jackson, 11:00am - 4:00pm

Grab the family and get out of town to visit the Gold Country. Food, Music, Children's Activities, and more. Also providing EV 101 Presentation. Contact: Guy Hall guy.Hall@SacEV.org OR (916) 717-9158

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April 28: ECOS Earth Day at South Side Park, 11:00am - 4:00pm

One of our largest EVents. Music, vendors, exhibitors, stage with events, children activities, & food vendors. California's Clean Vehicle Rebate Center will be working with us to host a dealer ride & drive. Contact: Marisol Sifuentes marisol.sifuentes@energycenter.org OR (213) 446-5690

April 29: CalSTRS, West Sacramento, 11:00am - 1:30pm
CalStrs is hosting an Alternate transportation event to share all transportation options outside of ICE vehicles. They currently have 49 registered EV users. Showcase only. Contact Guy Hall (Guy.Hall@SacEV.org, OR 916 717-9158)

Pick a few of these for you and your family. Then send a note to guy.Hall@SacEV.org

Volunteers needed for EV Pop-up displays at Davis Farmers Market

On the third Saturday of each month, the Davis EV Association (DEVA) displays an EV at the Davis Farmers Market. Each display includes an EV, the EV's owner, and one or two helpers who pass out literature and answer questions from market passersby. Please let us know if you are willing to display your vehicle and/or be a helper.



We are currently need owners and helpers for the following dates: April 20, June 15, July 20, August 17

The EV display lasts from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm, but the Farmers Market requires that the owners arrive with the display vehicle by 7:45 am.

If you would like to volunteer as an owner or helper, please send a message (including your preferred dates) to deva@cooldavis.org.

At DEVA's previous EV displays, we have been encouraged by the interest and enthusiasm generated by the vehicles. We think that you'll enjoy informing Farmers Market patrons about EVs, and you'll have the satisfaction of advancing EV adoption.

More SacEV Events Are Coming Up

Check the SacEV calendar for the latest EV-related activities.

If you've missed a Newsletter and for more information about the Sacramento Electric Auto
Association visit our website.







