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A Plumas County tradition for many years makes it's annual appearance on June 5; the Plumas County Picnic. This is that old fashioned get together that sets the rural communities apart from their city cousins. The Plumas County picnic has been nothing more than a party for the residents of the county. Visitors will find food provided by local vendors, displays from local businesses, entertainment by local groups, a car show by the local club and lots of sun and fresh air.

The centerpiece of the picnic for many years has been the fabulous car show put on by the Sierra Cascade Streetrodders. Members show off their machines and skills throughout the day. June 5 is also 4H Showmanship Day where the clubmembers show off their animals and work on their presentation. There will be dancing and singing in the Tulsa Scott Building and all sorts of fun activities for the whole family.

Both the day of the picnic and the day before is the annual electronic recycling day at the Fairgrounds. You can drop off your unwanted electronics right by the front gate at no charge. Old computers, monitors, TV's, cell phones and stereo equipment are all welcome for recycling. Kitchen appliances, batteries, light bulbs or paint are not allowed.

There are a couple of new events happening on County Picnic Day as well. The wildly popular Plumas Mudslingers will be in action at 1pm in Serpilio Hall. Our local roller derby team put on a great show last month and are coming back for more. Tickets will be available around town or at the door.

June 5th will also be the first annual Plumas Sierra Classic Horse Show that will kick off the night before with food and live music in Old Town. The Elks will be celebrating their annual Graffiti Night on Friday as well at the Fairgrounds. In the past, that event was held at the Lodge, but has outgrown that location.

Finally, Saturday night features one of the biggest races of the year for the American Valley Speedway. This is a great way to kick off the summer season; Plumas County style!