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Welcome to spring fellow Music City Mopar Club members!

The May meeting was held on Sunday May 18, at 2pm, during the Good Guys car show at LP Field. Mike Wilkins, our VP called the meeting to order. Once again our club worked the gate all weekend and had a great time. The weather was cool and a little damp on Friday and Saturday, but turned out great on Sunday. We want to say thank you to the many members who worked the show. Several members were able to bring their cars to the show on Sunday. The organizers of the Good Guys Show were thrilled with the efficiency and professionalism our club put on display all three days of the event. They even went as far as to say we were one of the best clubs they have ever worked with at their 16 national shows.

We are invited back next year and everyone expressed a desire to participate again in this fun event. A very special thanks goes to James Peach for all of the work coordinating our efforts with the Good Guys staff. In addition to the \$500 donation to the club, we received a nice plaque that the membership voted to present to James as a thank you for his work.

On a couple of high notes, James Peach received an award for his Dodge Aspen. Stan Hardcastle also had a good weekend helping to sell a silver Hemi Road Runner at the Indy Mecum auction as well as selling his 440 Dodge truck to someone from Iowa and closed the deal just before our meeting.

On a low note, Steve and Louie Yeldell had an accident with their Barracuda in the rain on their way to the show Friday morning. Neither was hurt in the accident but the fastback wasn't so lucky. But with true Mopar club dedication, they took the wounded fish home and then came back and worked the show! With everyone's help they are hoping to find the parts needed to get their great ride back on the road soon.

Richard Price brought the new color show flyers and they look great. There is a flyer for all three days of the show. Please get these out and use them wisely as there is a limited supply. We are still in need of class sponsors and goody bag items. We would like to have 150 goody bags this year. Remember, anything is a good item to place in the bags. September will be here soon.

Our next month's meeting will be held June 22nd at the Nashville CDJR dealership. They are our club's dealership sponsor, so be sure and be there to see all the cool cars they have for sale. We need to meet inside so we can nail down all the details for our 25th Anniversary Show in September. Remember our club gets hefty discounts on parts, new and used vehicles and services at "Nashville CDJR"!

Once again, thanks for the work at the Good Guys and if you couldn't make it this year, make it a point to do so next year. You will have a great time. See you at the cruise---ins, local shows, and our next meeting!

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Somerset, KY 2014 Mopar Mania Show Report ~ James Peach

Our trip started off on a bad note. Jeremy Tyring's '05 Rumble Bee had engine problems just north of Lebanon. He lost oil pressure and we lost Jeremy for the rest of the trip. As a total, we had five members with the support of three non-members drive up there. We also had some other members come up on Saturday to enjoy the show.

Friday night started off with us enjoying dinner and fellowship at the Texas Roadhouse. After dinner we headed down to the Somerset cruise-in at the mall. Man, there were all kinds of Mopars present. There were also other cars there too, but the Mopar family was very well represented.

Sometime during Friday night into Saturday morning, the hotel was redoing the inside pool. The concrete people dropped some concrete on my passenger side door along with giving it a concrete bath. After taking care of the police report and cleaning the car, we headed down to the Don Marshall cruise-in show. Every part of the Mopar family was present from old to new. We even saw a couple of modern Challengers with aftermarket conversions that were really cool.

After the show, it was time to head downtown. This year's drive to the show was a little chaotic. We didn't have a police escort to the show, which led to some problems getting to the show area. Jack's Dart got a little hot under the collar while standing in the long line. We also had a runner named Denise Hardcastle running up and down the street taking pictures of us, man she could run.

When we arrived at the show site the Music City Mopar Club pitched its canopies to enjoy the company. The last count was 231 Mopars and 1200 others. It sure didn't look that way to me. I thought Mopar outnumbered everyone else.

Saturday night we had dinner at Cracker Barrel. This is a yearly routine for us. After eating we open our chairs on the Cracker Barrel lawn and watched all those cars drive up and down highway 27. All in all, it was a great trip up to Somerset. I hope we have even more club members join us next year for some Mopar fun.

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For Sale: 1950's - 1980's Mopar parts, bodies, and engines for sale. Have many cars and trucks and a few vans. I have been here 35 years. Contact David Cato at 615-384-8903 or 615-513-9691 or e-mail at hemi404gettruck@aol.com

For Sale: '69 Plymouth Sport Satellite four-door parts car. Original 318 rebuilt needs some assembling; original rebuilt trans. Drive train out of car. Call Kyle @ 686-8934 with reasonable offer. Leave message.

For Sale: Brand new factory left front fender (still in original Mopar fender box), one-piece solid chrome front bumper, grille with polished stainless steel bar grille Inserts. "Package Deal" All 3 parts for \$600. Call Nick Willmore {615} 449-1210 theduke001@hotmail.com.

For Sale: 1983 Dodge RamCharger SUV, 2WD, all original no mods. Auto, PS, AC, alloy wheels. 150 Royal SE with a 318, 2 bbl engine. \$2200. Contact Chris Bielaczyc at 615-439-7326

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Based upon the same LX platform since 2008, the new 2015 Dodge Challenger (as SRT has been regrouped into Dodge again), the new SRT features the "Hellcat" 6.2L supercharged Hemi engine. Unfortunately, Chrysler remains mum on the Hellcat's horsepower output and will do so until later this year. For now all we have are pretty pictures for dreaming.



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