

Music City Mopar Club



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Exhaust Notes

WOW – what great weather for a club meeting! Let's everyone pray the weather for our show is this good! It was good to see so many wonderful Mopars driven to the meeting, and Lester's collection of Cuda's, Challenger's, and Road Runner's, is always great to see. Then there's that new B5 Blue project that's worth checking out! It was especially good to see Wayne Hall's Challenger running again after an extended round of transmission trouble. The cookout went great! Thanks to everyone for bringing their covered dishes and treats. Lester and Pam Bentley received a well deserved round of applause and thanks for their generous hospitality.

As the meeting started, John introduced a new member to the club, James Orrand. James lives in Smyrna and owns a new Dodge Challenger. It is great to have you with us!

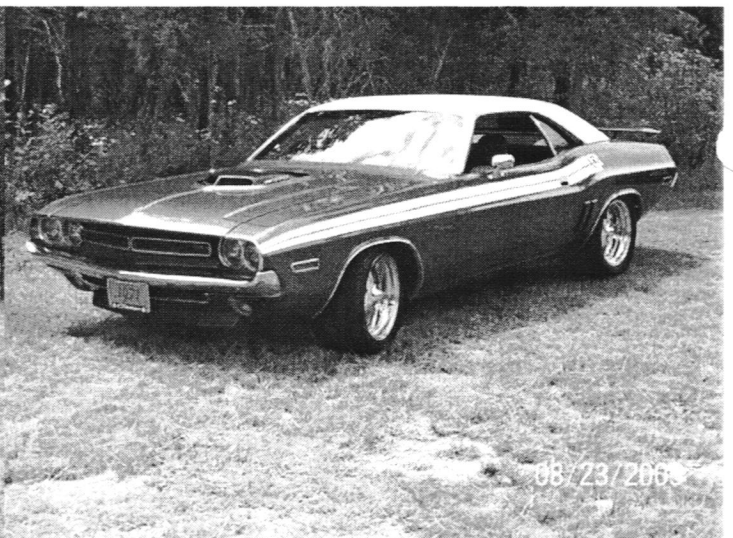
Next, our 20th Annual Car and Truck Show were discussed at length. Some of the things discussed include the following: 1) Class sponsors – About 10 more are still needed. 2) Stan Hardcastle explained that our show trophies and dash plaques have been ordered, and if all goes as planned, they will sport the same art work as our show shirts. Again thanks to Hunter's Automotive for all their help with the shirts! 3) John said the "Event Staff" T-shirts for the show workers were on order from All-Star and that he was set to go by Frensley CJD and pick up their sponsorship check. 4) DJ – Stan has been by Dugger's and sent him e-mail but this is still yet to be resolved. 5) Door Prizes – We still have need for door prizes and goody bag stuffers. Don't be afraid to ask your local businesses, many are willing to help us, if we just ask! Jack suggested you try them early in the month, as some have budgets that could be exhausted by months end. 6) Show Help – We still need volunteers for parking cars and vendors, registration, and judging. Remember, the more people involved, the easier it will be on everyone. 7) Club License Plate – Club voted to order the plates. They will be \$5.00 each and Richard Price is getting them ordered. We hope to have them by the show. Thanks Richard! 8) Wayne Hall gave us a treasurer's report, and said he had paid the fair board and he insurance for the show and we were in good shape going into the show. He said we have 14 pre-entries, which is good 5 weeks ahead of the show.

In other business, it was noted that the club has already reserved the Wilson County Fairgrounds for next year's show, so that we will have a guaranteed location and date. Next, Linda Price advised us of the Celebration City AACA Car and Truck Show in Shelbyville on Saturday, September 12th. David Denny also asked it be noted that the 53rd Middle Tennessee AACA Car and Truck Show in Red Boiling Springs is also on this weekend. The Gladefest Antique Car and Truck Show in Gladeville is the following Saturday, September 19th.

Next, we were sorry to hear that Lars Skroder's father had a heart attack. We are happy to say that at the last report, he was out of the hospital and at home recovering, and Lars is with him. And finally, on a sad note, we are sorry to report the death of Jack Hooper's wife, Joan. She died at home on September 1st, services were held on Saturday, September 5th. Please keep these folks and their families in your thoughts and prayers.

Next month's meeting will again be hosted by Lester and Pam Bentley on Sunday, September 20th. Meet and greet starts at 1:00 pm and the meeting and goody bag stuffing starts at 2:00 pm. NO cook-out this time, but if you would like to bring drinks or cookies, feel free to do so, and of course, don't forget your favorite Mopar.

See you on Sunday and the meeting and don't forget to bring your Mopar!



Directions to the September Meeting
And Goody Bag Stuffing
at
Lester Bentley's House

3526 Hobson Pike

Hermitage, TN

From Nashville, take I-40 East to the Mt. Juliet Rd/TN-171 exit, 226-A. Exit onto Mt. Juliet Rd/TN-171 and continue on TN-171 for approximately 4.5 miles. The house sets back off the road on the left, and there is a church across from the driveway on the right.

Mopar Market

For Sale: 1985 Dodge RAM W-150 4X4. 318, A/T, Non Working A/C, Standard Cab, Long Bed. Many new parts. Needs some minor TLC. \$1000.00 FIRM. Call Dale @ 615-210-9301. (07/09)

PARTS

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 hemidodgetruck@aol.com . (07/09)

For Sale: Original 1971 15"x7" black steel wheels, off a 1971 Dodge Charger I bought new. In good condition. Call Ed Pella at 615-482-0443 (Cell) in Goodlettsville. (09/09)

All new ads for the Mopar Market, requests to extend an ad, or request to remove an ad should be E-mailed to gillespierj@comcast.net or to wayne.hall@state.tn.us or call 615-812-5274.

2009 Events Calendar

September 11-12, 2009 “53rd Annual Middle Tennessee AACA Car & Truck Show”, at the Thomas House in Red Boiling Spring, TN. For more information contact Glenn Edwards at (615) 444-7315.

September 12, 2009 “Celebration City AACA Car and Truck Show”, at the National Walking Horse Celebration Grounds in Shelbyville, TN. For more information contact Jerry Clanton at (931) 684-9379.

September 19, 2009 “Gladefest Antique Car and Truck Show”, in Gladeville, TN. For more information contact David Denny at denneytrucks@earthlink.net.

September 19-21, “9th Annual Mopar Thunder Car Show and Race”, at the Bristol Dragway, in Bristol, TN.

September 26-27, 2009 “20th Annual Music City Mopar Club Car & Truck Show” at the James E. Ward Agricultural Center at the Wilson County Fairgrounds in Lebanon, TN. For more info check the club website at www.musiccitymoparclub.com or call (615) 794-4204.

October 3-5, Mopar Southern Classic, at the Mt. Park Dragway, in Clay City, KY., featuring a car show, drag racing, and swap meet. For more info check out <http://www.mpdragway.com/> or contact Joe Payne at (502) 868-0517 or email at hemi472@bellsouth.net.

Local Cruises

M’boro Hot Rod Club Cruise – Every Friday night from May 1st thru October 2nd, weather permitting, from 5-9 PM. New location is at *The Avenues* in Murfreesboro. The cruise in will be behind **Belks**, at 2615 Medical Center Parkway, Murfreesboro, TN. Open to all makes/models. Participants pay a \$1 donation to defray expenses and go toward charities.

Mt. Juliet Cruise In – Every Saturday night beginning April 18th, from 5-10PM, at the Chick-Fil-A in Providence Marketplace, Mt. Juliet, TN. Activities include 50/50 Drawing, door prizes, and music.

Bellevue Cruise In – 1st Saturday night of each month thru October, from 5-9 PM. Held at the SEARS Automotive Center Area at the Bellevue Mall. Please enter the mall lot off of Sawyer Brown Road. For more info call 615-478-5032 or e-mail at bellevuecruisers@hotmail.com.

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