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Exhaust Notes:

What a great turn out for our February Meeting at The Cock of the Walk restaurant. I reserved the room for 40 and we over-flowed that room with several members eating in another room and then attending the business meeting with standing room in short supply. The restaurant manager and all the staff went out of their way to make our experience a good one. Something very refreshing after the January meeting.

Gary Garner has documented the meeting very well in his meeting notes. Be sure and read them for important information about the bylaw changes and future events. I want to focus my Exhaust Notes on two events for the month of March. First, here is a note from Steve Yeldell about the funeral arrangements for Louie:

I would like to invite all members of the Music City Mopar Club to the funeral service for Louie Yeldell of Saturday, March 18th, at 1:00 PM. The service will be held at St. Joseph of Arimathea Episcopal Church 103 Country Club Dr., Hendersonville, TN. There will be a reception at the church immediately following the service. Burial will take place at 10:00 AM, Friday, March 24th at the West Tennessee Veterans Cemetery. Louie was a WWII veteran having served in the US Navy.

Please join my family while we rejoice a life well lived.

Steve Yeldell



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I trust we will have a good turn out from our club for the Yeldell family. They are an important part of our club family. Second, I want to emphasize our March 26 meeting and Chili cookoff. I have invited the President of the A.A.C.A. to join us. He will be bringing a pot of chili and joining in the contest. (Did I mention First place will pay \$100.00.) He has also volunteered the use of their club house for our meeting. It is at the Wilson County fairgrounds and will take place at 1:00. The best way to get to the clubhouse is to enter the fairgrounds from the North entrance off Tennessee Boulevard. After you pass the white fenced area turn left. Go passed the Quonset Hut on you right and you will see the clubhouse on your right. Do not enter the main entrance. You can get to the clubhouse, but it is much more complicated from there. There are a lot of activities in March that our members will be attending. Be a part of the fun and see you the 26th. Mopar Mike

Gary's Notes/Meeting notes

The February meeting of the Music City Mopar Club was held Feb. 26th at the Cock of The Walk restaurant. We had a great turnout as the room that we had reserved was filled. Our server did a great job in keeping all of the orders straight and the food was very good. If you haven't heard, long time club member Louie Yeldell recently passed away. Steve Yeldell said that a celebration of life for Louie would be held March 18th at 1pm and that he would get out an email with further details. Louie will be greatly missed, and we all pass along our condolences to his family.

The first order of business was the approval of the minutes of the January meeting. Club Treasurer Wayne Hall gave a financial report. The club is in very good financial condition with all of the bills having been paid. Membership renewals for 2023 are due and we currently have 143 members. O'Rielly Auto Parts has been contacted about possible sponsorship of our show and they



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are interested in helping pay for our plaques and having their name on them. We will have more talks with them to see if we can work this out.

Jake and Angie Istvanditsch are working on getting Mopar first responder vehicles to display at our show. The Thin Blue Line display will honor all of our first responders for all of the things they do to help all of us in their service to the community.

We have show flyers for our September show, so please be sure to pick some up and help spread the word at all of the events that you attend.

The members voted to amend the club by-laws to give the family of a member who passes away the option to continue the membership by paying the annual dues or to retire the members number for 1 year in honor of the member.

Events Director Steve Yeldell passed on information about some upcoming events. The New Orleans Mopar Show will be March 10&11.

Several club members are planning to attend this one. The Spring Rod Run in Pigeon Forge will be April 13-15. The Mopars at the Battleship show will be April 28&29 in Mobile, Alabama. This show is also put on by the Big Easy Mopar club. The Smoky Mountain Street Dreams show will be held in Townsend, TN April 27-29. The first big event for our club will be the Good Guys show at the superspeedway May 19-21. For information about these and other events, please check out the club's website and Facebook page. It is going to be another busy show season. If you have any information on upcoming shows, please email it to Steve at slyeldell@gmail.com.

The March meeting will be held at the AACA Middle Tennessee Region clubhouse at the Wilson County Fairgrounds March 26th. This will be a very special meeting as there will be a chili cookoff contest for our members. Bring your best pot of chili and it will be judged for a \$100 prize. The club will provide the fixings to go along with the food. Please bring



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a dessert to share with the members.

We are trying to see if the April

meeting can be held at Johnson's

meeting can be held at Johnson's
Horsepowered Garage. It is an
unbelievable venue, so we are
hoping for a return visit. The May
meeting will be held at Jo & Donny's
home on May 13th.

Many thanks go out to Troy
Randolph for the work that he does
on the newsletter. Please be sure to
contact Troy to place a want ad or to
update or cancel the ad if the item is
sold. Spring and cruise and show
season are just around the corner, so
tune and shine up those Mopars and
get them out on the road and we will
see you at the next meeting.











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Upcoming events



Mail in registration on back – Host Hotel info coming soon
Online registration and payment open October 15th www.bigeasymopar.org/NOshow23
Contact info: Eric 504-512-0367
FaceBook page "BEMA Big Easy Mopar Association" email: bigeasymopar@gmail.com





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For additional information contact Fred Cook at 901-481-1309.

For sale: 4-E70 X 14, raised white letter polyglass tries. They are mounted on small bolt patten rally's. Tired are in excellent shape but are approx.15 years Old with low miles. No trim rings or centers. Rims do need a repaint.\$500. Located just past Clarksville, TN Around Hopkinsville Call 270-719-2364 David

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The Build Sheet reflects this was a Dodge Factory Car, I have the Original Window Sticker and a majority of Documentation since day one.





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Please contact me via email for additional information. I have a Clean Tennessee Title for the car. \$27,500.00 - Contact Mike Thomas.

For Sale:

Contact Jeff Strickland

Phone (after 5pm) or Text 931-637-8024

2010 5.7 Hemi complete \$900.00

2010 5.7 Hemi Long Block \$900.00

2004 Dodge Durango Hemi Limited Edition White \$1500.00 (has title)

1998 Jeep Grand Cherokee with 318 Magnum \$1100.00 (has title)

1966 Chrysler 300 complete car, was running in 2019 \$4000.00 (comes with a

parts car, have title on both)

1974 Dodge Dart, no title but has bill of sale \$1500.00

1966 Chrysler Newport, convertible – no motor, no trans \$1800.00 (all body parts

available, has title)

440 Engine with fresh pistons, crank, and heads \$1800.00

Serious offers only no trades. Pictures available upon request.

For Sale: Dodge Plymouth 8 1/4 sure grip pos



Charles Allen (919-390-4791)
For Sale: For sale 1965 Belvedere project car \$1000 OBO. Andrew Kurilich 615-440-8786. Text or call. If you call and I don't answer leave a message and I'll get back to you.



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For Sale: Aftermarket stainless steel, hood latch cable, originally 8' long, cut to 6'6", like new condition. Originally \$ 65, selling for 45, in perfect shape.





Wanted

Wanted: Trunk lid, quarters, roof skin (from 1070Roadrunner, GTX or Satellite) and tail panel from 1970 GTX. Contact Joe at 931-242-2641

Wanted: 1970 Dodge Challenger - 318 or 6 motor with flat hood for a daily driver in respectable condition but not too perfect. Convertible, R/T, SE would be ok, but no hemi or 6 pack cars. Contact Ray Brauer:hollybrauer1214@gmail.com

Wanted: 8.25 rear end for A-body (72 Dart) prefer 3.21gears. Drive shaft also. Contact Michael at 615-519-8029or Michael.brown326@gmail.com

Wanted: Current project is 1980 Dodge D150 and parts are needed: Dash panels or dash panel assembly and 5.9 (360) short block or long block. If you have these parts or know where some may be located, please contact Eddie Frazieor 615-476-3485).



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Wanted: 4 speed winged car – Plymouth or Dodge.

Contact Brent 414-788-9423 or emailred99prowler@yahoo.com.

Wanted: Driver's side door glass for a 78-79
Magnum (a glass from a 75-79 Charger or Cordoba should work) or good parts car. Fenders for a 71
Roadrunner 65-75 era b body roller to put a 440 Contact John Jennings at 931-287-751.

Wanted: K number sub frame 318 motor has to bolt up to a 66 dodge dart. Contact Bill Orwn 615-948-1218.

Wanted: Looking for a steel hood in good condition to fit a 1972 Plymouth Duster. I believe a '70 or '71 will also fit. John Cuzzone 615-414-5309 jcuzzone@bellsouth.net



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