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Exhaust Notes:

What a great turn out for the March Meeting at our 2nd Annual Chili cook-off at the A.A.C.A. club house. Thanks again to their President Jim Pritchard for opening it up for our meeting. David Denny shared all the advantages to being a member of this fine Middle Tennessee car club. They meet the second Sunday of each month at 1:00 pm. We had several new faces at our meeting, be sure and get to know them in person.

Gary Garner has documented the meeting very well in his meeting notes. Be sure and read them for important information about future events. I want to focus my Exhaust Notes on upcoming club activities that we need every member to participate in April and May.

Mopars at the Battleship is happening April 26 and 27 in Mobile Alabama. Our sister club, Big Easy Mopar Association, puts this show on and as always, they promise a good time for all. Close to home on May 5 the Mt. Juliet, Wilson County bank show happens. Come early because parking fills up quick.

Now let's talk about the GoodGuys show May 17-18 and 19. As most of you know our club is responsible for running the gate and parking cars in the special designated areas. Except for our annual show, this is one of our biggest events and we need as many of you to work as possible. Steve Yeldell has already sent out the on-line sign up sheets. Please stop as soon as you read this and go sign up NOW. This is a great club event, and we need all hands-on deck. Register here:

<https://musiccitymoparclub.us14.list-manage.com/track/click?u=6962b2f55f48bf5doceff1a7c&id=720bcd371f&e=288c371eb6>



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Our next meeting is May 11 at Donny and Jo's

7037 Polk Lane

Columbia, TN

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at 1:00 pm. This is a Saturday meeting with the best brisket and sides in Tennessee, you just need to bring a dessert.

Add in the AACA Granville show May 25 and follow that with the Hot Rod Power Tour June 10-14 and there is a lot to do in the next few months In Tennessee!

See you at Donny and Jo's!

Mopar Mike

Gary's notes/Minutes notes

The March meeting of the Music City Mopar Club was held Sunday March 24th at the AACA clubhouse at the Wilson County Fairgrounds. Many thanks to the AACA for allowing us to use their clubhouse for our meeting and for having the club's 2nd annual chili cookoff. All of the entries were very good, but this year's winner was Jo Lippard. After receiving the \$100 prize, Jo kindly donated the money back to the club.

In member news, Ron Gillespie's wife, Teresa, has been dealing with a heart issue, Larry Crawford is dealing with some ongoing health issues, and Troy Randolph was dealing with a sick child. Please keep them in your thoughts and prayers as they recover.

After the approval of the February meeting minutes Donny Lippard stated that the liability release dealing with members who are traveling to, attending, and traveling from a club meeting or event would be added to the membership form and renewal. He also stated that the club website is back up and running. Wayne Hall presented another good financial report to the club and stated that all of the club's bills are up to date. Steve Yeldell has printed up some show flyers for this year's show and had them available at the meeting. Please pick up some of them at the next meeting so we can spread the word about the show.

Chet Biggers reported on the recent Big Easy Mopar Club show in New Orleans. Everyone had a great time and enjoyed the swamp tour. There was a good turnout for the show and Paul Reynolds wife Cindy, who has been dealing with some serious health issues, was in attendance. That is great news.



Steve Yeldell reported that the online signup sheet for the Good Guys Show is up and running. He has sent out an email with information. Please contact Steve if you did not get this. The show is May 17-19 at the Superspeedway. He has not had any recent contact from the Good Guys, but he hopes to hear from them soon.

Several club members are planning to take part in the first two stops on the Hot Rod Power Tour starting June 10th. The plan is for members who want to get together to meet at the Cracker Barrel in Franklin, KY on Monday the 10th and cruise up to Beech Bend in Bowling Green for the first day of the tour and to then go to the Superspeedway in Lebanon for the 2nd day of the tour. We will have further details at the next meeting.

Jake Istvanditsch reminded everyone of the event happening in October at the International Motorsports Hall of Fame in Talladega. This is a fund raiser for the museum and includes laps on the track and laps at the road course at Barber Motorsports Park. The Aero Cars will also be having a gathering at this event, so this will be a great one to put on your calendar.

Jack Stone showed everyone a Mopar jacket that he had purchased. It was a very good-looking jacket and he said that a hoodie was also available. He said to contact Cathy Podell at 574-220-3975 or at podellsF@aol.com for more information and said that club members could get a \$15 discount on jackets and a \$10 discount on the zip hoodie.

Troy Randolph let everyone know that the ads in the newsletter will be removed this month and if want to continue an ad or post a new one, you need to let him know. Ads will be cleared every 6 months.

In club show news, Mike Wilkins and several other club members met with the sound guy for the Made in Tennessee building that we will be using this year to plan for using the sound and video features during the show and the awards. We plan to have the registration table, an eating area, special car displays, and the awards in the building this year. We are trying to line up some wing cars, including the Buddy Baker 200 mph Daytona, and possibly the Marty Robbins 64 Plymouth that he raced at Nashville Fairgrounds. Use of this building will help us grow our show to a new level and we will need everyone's help to make this happen. Our members are what makes our show special. We are also talking to a photo guy and looking for a food truck for the show. Please let us know if you have someone that may be interested.

The combined April and May meeting will be held at Jo and Donny Lippard's home on Saturday May 11th. BBQ and side dishes will be provided. Please contact Jo or Donny and let them know how many will be attending so they can make sure to have enough food. We ask that members bring a dessert and a drink.



The weather is warming up and it is time to get those Mopars on the road. We will see you at the next meeting. Stay safe.

Pictures from last meeting







Upcoming Events

1. April 26th -27th Mopar battleship
2. May 17th – 19th Good Guys car show

Cars and coffee shows

1st Saturday - Lebanon

Nashville Superspeedway

866-RACE-TIX 4847, McCrary Rd F, Lebanon, TN 37090

2nd Saturday - Brentwood

Global Motorsports Performance Center

1690 Mallory Ln, Brentwood, TN 37027

3rd Saturday - Columbia

801 Woodland St, Columbia, TN 38401

4th Saturday - Spring Hill

The Goldton at Spring Hill

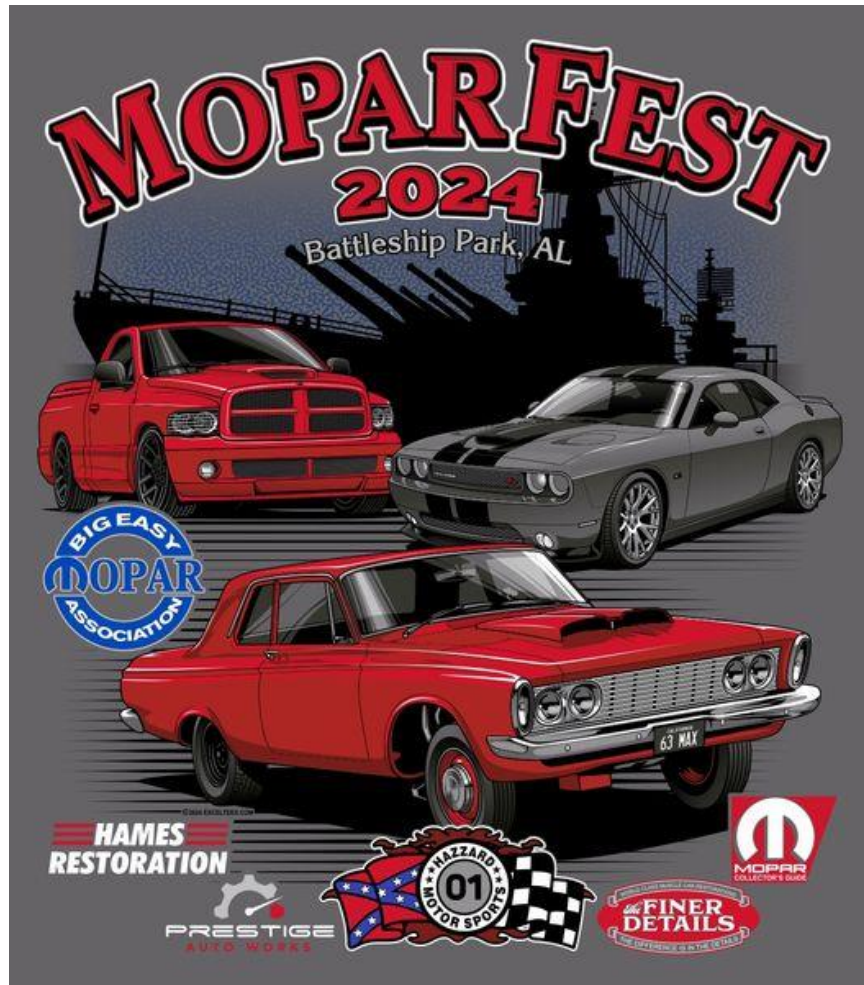
3056 Miles Johnson Pkwy, Spring Hill, TN 37174

Every Saturday

Christ Community Church

1215 Hillsboro Road Franklin, TN

Around the back of the church nothing in the front



FOR SALE

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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