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Dallas Mopar Fan,

I would like to say that I am happy to serve as your leader. I hope to serve you well.

I do hate to see Brad & Becky Buttermore leave for their new home in Tennessee. They will leave a big hole to be filled. Brad has been a credit to the club for years but Becky is going to be missed tremendously for all of the organization she has put into the Mini Nats. I hope we can pull it off without her. (I WILL CALL HER FOR ADVICE). They will truly be missed.

The first Dallas Mopar Club meeting of 2022 was held at Jerry's home in Garland Texas. January 9th at 2:00.

Next, we have Auto Rama coming up February 18-22. We are combining with the Cowtown Mopar club for this.

Jerry Reed
Dallas Mopar President

DMC January Meeting Notes:

January 2022 Board - Club meeting called to order at 1:10 pm by Jerry Reed, 10 Members in attendance.

The club provided pizza, soda and cookies for members.

Andy Dicus passed out a financial recap and went over it for us. Andy stated the bank wants himself, Bill Bonney and myself (Craig Bush) to make an appearance for verification of the club financials to be handled by Andy. Andy will coordinate with Bill and myself to arrange a day and time to meet at the bank in Garland.

Jerry Reed confirmed the club will pay for entries to the Auto Rama for any member willing to put his car in the show. Frank Maxwell stated he will be contact for Auto Rama and that we will be sharing space with the Cowtown Mopar Club. Frank also stated he will be the contact for the Pate Swap Meet and we would be sharing space with the Cowtown Mopar Club for that also. The DMC will try to bring four cars to the Auto Rama which is scheduled for Feb 18-20.

Jerry brought up the idea of having our Mini-Nats on a different (later) day to escape the heat of Labor Day weekend, possible in October. Several members had opinions for and against moving the date. Jerry also stated a new location will be needed as Brad and Becky have moved and the event had been held at their church. Jerry said he will approach his church in Rowlett as he thinks it will be a good option. Jerry then tabled the Mini-Nats discussion until next month.

I mentioned the TMCCC first event for 2022 is Feb 27th at Xtreme Raceway in Ferris. Our meeting will be February 13th and will be held at Clint Cash warehouse in Nevada. Frank mentioned the Cowtown show this spring is on April 9th at Speed Tekin Haltom City and it would be nice if some DMC members brought their cars.
Meeting adjourned by Jerry Reed at 3:35 pm

Minutes submitted by Craig Bush

What's a MOPAR ?

Section "B"

Is Ford a Mopar?

In a great twist for muscle car lovers, the gearheads at Ford also designed and built a hemi engine that was available for sale in limited quantities of Mustangs in 1969 and 1970. Called the Boss 429 Mustang, these rare models are coveted because their hemi engine technology (like Chrysler's) made them among the most powerful muscle cars on the road. (Note: Mercury offered an even rarer example of the Boss 429 hemi in the Cougar Eliminator.) Prior to this, Ford offered the race-use-only SOHC 427, a hemi-headed crate engine derived from the FE engine platform and offered over the counter at special Ford dealerships.

Nevertheless, Chrysler came to the hemi game first in 1952 and popularized the hemispherical combustion chamber design, making "hemi" a household word. By the time Ford produced its hemi, Chrysler already "owned" the hemi in enthusiasts' hearts and minds. When Ford built its hemi-headed Blue Crescent Boss 429 based on the 385-series big-block, it shared nothing with Chrysler's hemi except its combustion chamber concept. Today, the word "hemi" is so thoroughly wed to Chrysler that when it is used (correctly) to refer to another brand's hemi engine, many folks incorrectly conflate Ford as being a Mopar. Fun fact: Alfa Romeo and Lancia, two other Stellantis brands related today by marriage to Mopar, both offered famous hemi engines.

What Is a Mopar Jeep?

In recent years, the owners of the Mopar brand (in chronological order: Chrysler Corp., Daimler Chrysler, Cerberus Capital, Fiat Chrysler Automobiles, and Stellantis) have sought to increase Mopar's public relations energy by promoting a line of aftermarket vehicle accessories and performance parts to complement its main business of making and selling original-equipment service replacement parts (and yes, antifreeze).

To that end, Mopar's parent company has long been a member of SEMA, producing a fantastic vehicle display at the annual SEMA show in Las Vegas. Each year, Mopar presents new products on modified Jeeps with a wide variety of dealer-added and aftermarket pieces that provide a variety of benefits from appearance to off-road performance. These "Mopar Jeeps" are usually one-off concepts (not generally for sale) and are created to showcase what folks can build at home or select as options at the point of sale. On rare occasions, Mopar assembles a very limited run of Mopar-branded Jeeps equipped with performance and appearance upgrades that are available at select dealerships through the Mopar parts franchise. Â

Excerpt From: Motortrend Magazine

Dallas Mopar Club Tech Tips

I've been contemplating cleaning up my '87 Dodge Daytona Shelby Z for some time. Well, I have started with the wheels since the tires were needing to be replaced after being on the car for 15 or so years. The wheels had lost all their luster after 35 years. Yes, hard to believe my Dodge Turbo's are that old.



These are some before and after pictures of the wheels after the refinishing.
Before:



After refinishing: Wheels look like new



Wheel Repair Solutions in Carrollton, TX stripped the old clear coat and silver paint off of the four wheels. Silver Power coated the wheel centers, polished the aluminum rims and applied clear coat on the wheels. The back side of the aluminum wheels were also professionally cleaned up. The new tires were mounted and balanced on the 35-year-old refinished aluminum wheels. Although not shown in pictures the center caps were also refinished to original silver paint. Service was great and completed in 4 business days!

Thanks for looking,
Ron Petrasek



Time to Renew DMC Dues for 2022

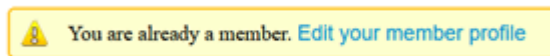
Club membership dues for 2022 are due by the end of January in order to remain a member in good standing and to continue receiving the *PentaStar Press*. You can renew, or join, by going to the Club's website, www.dallasmoparclub.com and pay with PayPal, or renew by mail or pay at one of the Club events. Your email address is especially important as an email is sent out when the newsletter is posted on the website. Thanks to those who have already renewed their membership.

Single membership is still \$25, and Family membership remains at \$40. Current members need not fill out a membership form for renewal unless a change is needed for membership information the Club has on file.

Join or renew by mail fill out a membership form send check to:
Andy Dicus, PO Box 193, Scurry, Tx 75158

Membership updates:

- a) Dallas Mopar membership cards/badges are available on line through DMC website.
 - a. Current and new members can print DMC membership card
 - b. Log on to <https://dallasmoparclub.wildapricot.org/>
 - c. Click on "Become a DMC member" on DMC home page and click on:
"Edit your membership profile"



- d. Click "Printable PDF" to print your 2022 DMC Membership card

Dallas Mopar Club Jackets are available for DMC members to order.

- Contact Gabby at Unique Karz and Awards in Forney, TX to order yours. All you need to do is contact her by e-mail: Gabby1975e@Yahoo.com or phone 469-632-6993. The jackets are \$45 and she takes credit cards.

2021 DMC Members

Family	12
Individual	52
Total	64

2022 Renewed DMC Members as of January 17th, 2022

- 29 paid memberships

Family	3
Individual	26

Dallas Mopar Events and Member Activities

THE EVENTS LISTED BELOW ARE EVENTS ATTENDED BY MEMBERS Upcoming Events

- February 13th DMC Club meeting will be held at Clint Cash warehouse in Nevada, TX
 - 2484 Co Rd 643, Nevada, TX 75173
 - RSVP to Clint Cash at 972-742-8191
- February 18, 19, 20 - Auto Rama 2022 DMC will display with the Cowtown Club in their usual location (in the center area of the big room)
 - Contact Frank frank.maxwell@yahoo.com or cell 214-577-5187
- March 18, 19, 20 2022 - Pate Swap Meet
 - Contact Frank frank.maxwell@yahoo.com or cell 214-577-5187
- March 26, 2022 LOUISIANA MOPAR NATIONALS
 - Presented by the Mopar Magic Unlimited Auto Club at:
First Baptist Church of Shreveport, 543 Ockley Drive, Shreveport, LA 71106
Registration-8:00 a.m.; Judging-11:00 a.m.; Awards-3:00 p.m.
Contact Robert Stachowicz, (318) 840-5073 email: robertstachowicz@yahoo.com
See Pre-Registration form at end of of DMC newsletter Page 10 & 11 and must be mailed

Please make Checks Payable to: Mopar Magic
P.O. Box 52081
Shreveport, LA 71135

Race Info

Texas Muscle Car Club Challenge

FOR INFO CONTACT ROBERT VAUGHAN
972-988-7381 REV383@YAHOO.COM

TEXAS MUSCLE CAR CLUB CHALLENGE FIRST RACE IS ON FEB 27 AT XTREME RACEWAY
PARK IN FERRIS...THE FUN STARTS AT 9AM.

- 2/27 XTREME
- 3/20 XTREME
- 4/3 ARDMORE
- 5/29 XTREME
- 10/30 XTREME

GATES OPEN AT 9:00 AM AT XTREME AND 8:00 AM AT ARDMORE

Mopar's: For Sale - Cars Wanted – Stuff

Tom Arenson, tomarenson@yahoo.com 817-991-0630.
Selling his modified 1966 Dodge Dart GT, 360/auto. Red over black. Lives in Keller.

01-2022



Kyle Hill, d10speedbird1@gmail.com, 214-405-1766.
1971 Chrysler T & C wagon for sale, glacier blue and blue interior.

12-21

Mark Gibson, gaugedoc@gmail.com 585-615-0456
has sever Demons for sale. One is a '71 340, 4 speed

12-21

Jim Crank, jcnk42@yahoo.com has a '61 Fury. Needs suspension work, and an alignment. I already told him about Garland Safety Lane.

12-21

Glen Balco is liquidating the remainder of the items that he purchased from the Gaylen Williams estate. They include many performance items, distributors, carbs, valve covers, heads, intakes, automatic trans, oil pans, timing covers, wiper water storage bottles, lens, and many more mopar items. Also, non-mopar items are high end sound systems components, and test equipment. "All are free, just a small handling and processing fee". This is your last chance to buy these items. Glen Balko 469 766-6464

9-21

Important Info from the Newsletter editor

Fellow Dallas Mopar Members, I wish to thank all those who sent articles to be in the newsletter. As the Dallas Mopar Newsletter editor, I need your inputs on what you would like to see in the newsletter.

If I don't get your input, I cannot put it in the newsletter.

- Feature Car
- Tech article
- Items for sale or trade
- Pictures of events, parties, car shows attended
- Anything you would like to have in the newsletter

Please send articles, pictures, your write-ups to:
Ron Petrasek @ ripetrasek@msn.com 214-385-0413

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Meeting Information:

Monthly meeting 2nd Sunday of each month at 2:00 PM

BOARD MEETING INFORMATION

Monthly meeting 2nd Sunday of each month at 2:00 PM

BOARD MEETING INFORMATION

Check Web site for most current meeting location

Board meetings are open to all club members: Board meeting will be held at 1:00 PM prior to DMC Monthly meeting. All members are encouraged to attend. Check the DMC website for any last-minute time or location changes.

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Our sincere thanks go to Russel Hardin - Main 972-569-9650, Cell 469-337-06920 and the staff of **Chrysler Jeep Dodge City of McKinney** their support of the Dallas MOPAR Club



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30TH ANNUAL CAR SHOW
SATURDAY, MARCH 26, 2022

Presented by the Mopar Magic Unlimited Auto Club at:
First Baptist Church of Shreveport, 543 Ockley Drive, Shreveport, LA 71106
Registration-8:00 a.m.; Judging-11:00 a.m.; Awards-3:00 p.m.

All Mopar Makes, Models, & Years Are Welcome!
(Chrysler, Plymouth, Dodge, DeSoto, AMC, Jeep, & Predecessors)

First 100 Entrants Receive a Show T-Shirt, Dash Plaque, & Goodie Bag!

Each Entrant receives a Door Prize!

A Family Event! Playground & Activities for the Kids!
Indoor Dining Facility! Vendors Welcome! Plenty of Paved Parking!
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and Club Participation!**

**Early Registration (Postmarked on or before March 12, 2022
including registration form and payment):**
1st Vehicle-\$30.00, 2nd Vehicle-\$25.00, Each Subsequent Vehicle-\$20.00
Regular Registration (on or after March 13, 2022 and at Show):
1st Vehicle-\$35.00, 2nd Vehicle-\$30.00, Each Subsequent Vehicle-\$25.00
**NOTE!!! Early Registrants (on or before March 12, 2022) are eligible
for \$100.00 drawing the day of the show (must be present to win).**

For more information, visit:

FaceBook at Mopar Magic, or call:

Robert Stachowicz
(318) 840-5073

email: robertstachowicz@yahoo.com

(no calls after 9PM please)

(See back for mail-in registration form)

Mail-in Registration Form

(PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY)

Name _____ email _____
(last, first, MI)

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ T-Shirt Size _____ # of Guests _____

I'd like to buy _____ (quantity) additional Show T-Shirts @ \$15.00 each

Additional Shirt Sizes _____

Vehicles entered, be specific on model, i.e Challenger, Charger, Coronet, Satellite
+ GTX, Super Bee, SRT, R/T, SE etc.

Entry # 1 Year _____ Make _____ Model _____

Entry # 2 Year _____ Make _____ Model _____

Entry # 3 Year _____ Make _____ Model _____

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Signed _____ Dated _____

How did you hear about the show? _____

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