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Presidents Letter July 2022

Hello all, I hope all are doing well. We are really gearing up for the Mini Nationals. Things are coming together for a really good show this year. I am looking forward to our new location this year. If you haven't heard Mini Nationals will be at:

Crossroads Church 7900 Chiesa Rd. in Rowlett Texas.

September 3rd 2022. Car show will begin at 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Request club members to help setup at 7:00 AM. and help clean up at the end of car show.

Our next Dallas Mopar Club monthly meeting August 14th will be at the church starting at 3:00 PM (time may change) so we can work on the layout of the show. We would like to get as many club members involved with this meeting as possible. We want and need your input.

Okay now let me fill you in with opportunities missed this month. First, we were invited to a small show at Parsons House Preston Hollow (assisted living center). The show was for the enjoyment of the residents. No judging just food and visiting with the people. We had four people from the club bring out their cars, Andy Dicus and his 70



Cuda, Ron Rendelman and his 33 Plymouth Sedan, Rocky Haddock with his Yellow Viper and last myself with my Red Dodge D150. The residents had relatives with classics that brought them out and a guy with a 67 Camaro convertible was



driving by and stopped and stayed for the show. I think we had a total of 10 cars and the residents really did enjoy coming out and looking at them. It was nice to talk and visit with them. I hope we are invited back, would like to bring more cars out next time. The venue is small but very shady. My thanks to Lynn Bergman for inviting us out.



The next opportunity was Bluegrass on Ballard in Wylie. We had five club members enter cars in the show. Bob Gant and his 66 Charger, Rocky Haddock with his Viper got 1st place in his class, John Pierracos with his 62 Dodge Dart, David Kniss with the Graveyard Cars 67GTX and my red 87 D150. There were a lot of really nice Mopar's at the show I had not seen before. I do hope they will make it to the 38th Annual Southwest Mopar Mini Nationals.



Hope to see you at our next meeting on August 14th.

Jerry Reed

Dallas Mopar Club
Meeting minutes 7-10-2022

Meeting occurred at VFW Post 5076 Garland TX

Board/club meeting was called to order at 2:11 PM by president Jerry Reed, 11 members in attendance.

No new members were announced.

Treasurer Andy Dicus was not in attendance, Jerry gave a brief overview of financials noting no changes from last month.

Craig Bush gave a recap of the last TMCCC race, see the write up elsewhere in the newsletter for more information.

The discussion then turned to the Mini-Nats, Jerry noted that 150 T-shirts have been ordered and Steve Cardwell passed his phone around to show us a photo of what the final product should look like. Larry and Linda Bick both volunteered to work, Larry as a judge, Linda at registration. Robinson Davis volunteered to manage parking the morning of the show. Jerry gave us a quick rundown on his efforts getting a permit from the city of Rowlett, he feels the information has been successfully submitted and a permit should be forthcoming shortly. Jerry and Steve said they have commitments from all the sponsors. Jerry said Dave Bilderback is on board to do the sound/PA work as he has the past few years. Jerry brought up the Order of the Pentastar and suggested Steve contact Mike Boyd for the contact information of those vehicle owners last year and reach out to them concerning coming to this years' show. Steve mentioned online registration is open for the show on our website.

Jerry is going to check with his church to see if the August club meeting can occur there.

Motion to adjourn at 3:06 by Jerry Reed

Minutes submitted by Craig Bush

Dallas Mopar Club Tech Tips

Update on my '87 Dodge Daytona Shelby Z, I've been slowly updating the Daytona for the past year. I had the wheels redone in January newsletter. Someday it may be more of a show car, for now it's just a fun Turbo sports car to drive. For this occasion, I got the front enthusiasts seats recovered.

The Daytona Shelby Z has T-Tops and they leaked like sieves before I bought the car. I fixed the T-Top seals long ago. I've owned the Daytona for roughly 20 years and the original damage to the leather seats slowly deteriorated the leather through the years. I have a few pictures of before and after the recovering of the seats.

Before:



After:



Finally got the enthusiasts driver and passenger seat installed in the Daytona Shelby Z. They are the original Dodge Daytona design with leather on top surfaces and vinyl on seat backs. Lots of sewing and cutting of all the leather pieces. The seats were recovered by Shun at N-sydez-Out in Garland, Texas. Shun did a great job sewing the complicated leather seats to the original Dodge enthusiasts' seat design.



For those not familiar with the Daytona enthusiasts' driver seat it has pneumatics thigh and lumbar controls. The seat bottom thigh wings and back wings are adjustable for enhanced fit during the fun driving times. The passenger doesn't have the sporty enthusiast features but feel and looks great!!

BTW the car smells like new with the aroma of the restored leather seats. Future updates for the Daytona will need new carpeting and somewhere down the road a paint job.

Ron Petrsek

Dallas Mopar Club

Time to Renew DMC Dues for 2022

Club membership dues for 2022 are needed 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) 2022 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.

2022 Renewed DMC Members as of July, 2022

Family	15
<u>Individual</u>	<u>43</u>
Total	58

MiniNats 2022

We need volunteers for many things for this event! On all of these, let Jerry, me or any board member know the following

- Judges – If you want to volunteer or know someone that is willing to judge.
- Parking day of – Help direct participants to the right areas. Andy is working on a parking lot layout so we can keep the classes together. Also directing spectators to the proper parking
- Sponsors – If you know of a business that would like to sponsor and have their name on the T-Shirt
- Giveaways – Again if you know of a business that would like to donate items to give away, let us know.

We need you!

Steve Cardwell – scardw@aol.com

Dallas Mopar Events and Member Activities

THE EVENTS LISTED BELOW ARE EVENTS ATTENDED BY MEMBERS

Upcoming Events

- August 14th DMC Monthly meeting will be at 3:00 PM at:
 - Crossroads Church 7900 Chiesa Rd. in Rowlett Texas
- September 3, 2022, 38th Annual - Dallas Mopar Southwest Mopar Mini Nationals
 - New Location: Crossroads Church - 7900 Chiesa Rd. Rowlett, Texas



38th SOUTHWEST MOPAR MINI NATIONALS
CAR SHOW

Clubs 40th Year Anniversary

September 3rd 8am-4pm

NEW LOCATION
Crossroads Church
7900 Chiesa Rd. Rowlett TX

\$25 entry per car

8am Registration
10am Judging starts
3pm Awards

Raffles

1st 75 pre registrations get show shirt

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General Information Contact: Jerry Reed
214-755-6942
Registration Contact Mike Boyd;
msb.boyd@gmail.com

Check out : WWW.DALLASMOPARCLUB.COM

The poster features a yellow and black Dodge Challenger in the center, surrounded by yellow stars and a red arrow pointing left. A circular logo for the Dallas Mopar Club is on the left, and the Mopar logo is on the right. The background is white with scattered yellow stars.

- October 8th - Wills Point Fly in and Car Show "Cruisin on Wheels & Wings" to be held on at the Wills Point Regional Airport on 36671 State Hwy 64, Wills Point, TX 75169
 - 8 – 2 PM
- November 12th – 18th Annual Edgewood Heritage Festival in Downtown Edgewood
 - Registration 8-11 Am Awards 2 PM
 - Entry fee \$25 before 10-28-2022, \$30 after 10-28-2022

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 EXTREME RACEWAY PARK IN FERRIS...THE FUN STARTS AT 9AM.

- **SEPTEMBER 11TH I-30 DRAGWAY IN CADDO MILLS**
 - **GATES OPEN AT 8:00 AM**
- **OCTOBER 23RD I-30 DRAGWAY IN CADDO MILLS**
 - **GATES OPEN AT 8:00 AM**
- **OCTOBER 30TH EXTREME, GATES OPEN AT 9:00 AM**

TMCCC Race Report

As told to Craig Bush by Terry McHost.....

The fifth TMCCC race this year took place on June 19th, fathers' day. I elected to pass for more than one reason even though I was leading the points in the Street Muscle class....

Terry McHost and his three sons were at the event for some father/son bonding, Terry said it was a very hot day but they all had fun representing the Dallas Mopar Club. Terry and two of his sons were eliminated in the first round of eliminations but one son, Jeremiah won the Super Muscle class.

Terry is now in a 3-way tie for first place in Super Muscle while I dropped into a 3-way tie for second place in Street Muscle.

The next race on the schedule is for Sep 11 at I-30 Dragway.

Craig Bush



Mopar's: For Sale - Cars Wanted – Stuff

Jeff Robertson from South of Dallas needs the old A body, '68 Cuda 8 3/4-inch diff. I already forwarded his into to Jerry, Robert, Clint, and Glen as they usually have parts.

05-2022

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 into 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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Registration 8:00 - 11:00 AM, Awards 2:00 PM

Entry Fee:

\$25 per entry before 10-28-2022*

\$30 per entry after 10-28-2022

* Pre-registered entries will receive free event T-shirt.

Additional T-shirts may be purchased for \$15.00 each.

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Call 903-896-1097 for info.

ONLY PAID ENTRIES WILL BE ALLOWED TO PARK IN THE SHOW AREA



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