





### The President's Letter

Happy President's and Valentines Day!

The first regular Club meeting was January 13th at the Spring Creek BBQ, our regular Club meeting location, Interstate 635 and Preston Rd. in Dallas. We were pleased to have three generations of the Hawk family attend for the first time. Eric and his son Mitch are looking for a 1973-74 CUDA as a project. If anyone has a lead on a CUDA project car contact Eric at <a href="mailto:ewhawk@archwayprop.com">ewhawk@archwayprop.com</a>. Mitch, at 18 fits the Young Gun category at Mini-Nats.

Ready, set, here we go to the 59th annual AutoRama. Bob Ostrowski will work his magic to set up the Club's display again this year. He has six (6) Club member's cars scheduled to be a part of the booth but can use volunteers for booth duty to promote the Club. Autorama runs from February 15-17 at the Dallas Market Center. Get in touch with "BobO" if you can assist. This is a Club subsidized event for Club members so remember to make sure your dues are current. This could be BobO's last Autorama as he will retire from Dallas ISD this year and plans to retire to his estate in Arkansas along with his 12 cars...

Remember to pay your dues. The next Club subsidized event is Mopar Magic's Mopar LA Car Show, March 23rd at First Baptist Church of Shreveport. This is a well managed and fun event. You can register on-line at their website, www.moparmagic.us. The Club pays the registration fee for members in good standing to take their cars. Remember to pay your dues. See you at the next meeting.

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Bill

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# Feature Car - Mechanics Day

#### **Dallas Mopar Club 2019**

Roy Gronau just joined the Dallas Mopar Club and has few pictures of his very nice '74 Challengerf for our February Newsletter – Roy plans on performing a Hellcat Conversion that will be done by Collin County Customs. The concersion will begin some time in May with a complete conversion kit (engine, engine management system, and tranny).







#### **Current Specs:**

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- 360 Engine 265 HP (Better Low-end Torque)
- A833 4 Speed Manual Tranny
- Center Force Dual Friction Clutch
- 3 "Stainless Dual Exhaust
- QTEC Electric Exhaust Cutouts
- 3:55 Posi 8 3/4 Rear End
- Big Block Radiator
- Power Front Disc Brakes
- Power Steering
- Stock Guages
- 17" Billet Specialties Custom Wheels
- Tires are "Federal 255/55/17 and 215/50/17

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- New Base Coat/Clear Coat Sublime Paint
- Gen IV Vintage Heat & Air
- All Electronics Systems Work Everything
- 70 Blacked Out Grill
- Green Halo Black Sealed Beam Headlight Conversion Low and High beams
- LED Sequential Tail Light Kit
- Original Steering Column and Steering Wheel
- Aftermarket Steel Pro Touring Style Front Spoiler
- Aftermarket Stereo with CD and IPOD Compatibility
- Kenwood 4" Kick Panel Speakers
- MSD Ignition
- Americana AutoWire Wiring Harness (Front to Rear)
- Rear Ducktail Spoiler (Has paint chip)
- Stock Challenger Wiper Arms
- Matching Front & Rear Floor Matts with "Challenger" logo
- Ride Tech 4-Link Rear Suspension with 2-Way Adjustable Coil Over Shocks
- Dougs Ceramic Coated Headers
- Autometer Guages (Volt Meter, Fuel, Temperature, Oil Pressure)
- Powermaster 75191 Alternator
- Recalibrated Speedometer
- New Classic Industries Dashpad

Complete engine and transmission will be for sale after the Hellcat converson starts. Engine is a stout 360, transmission is a 4-speed. A/C, Headers, exhaust cutouts, and mufflers are also included if wanted.

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Roy plans on pricing the complete setup at \$6700. DMC Club members are welcome to contact Roy at 256-665-6387 prior to Hellcat conversion. He plans on attending the February 10<sup>th</sup> DMC Monthly Club meeting if you want to see and hear the drive train prior to the Hellcat upgrade.

# Membership in Dallas Mopar Club

#### Time to Renew for 2019

Club membership for 2019 was 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, <a href="www.dallasmoparclub.com">www.dallasmoparclub.com</a>, renew by mail or pay at one of the Club events. Thanks to those who have already renewed their membership.

The membership dues have remained constant for several years; 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. Your email address is especially important as an email is sent out when the newsletter is posted on the website.

#### **New DMC Board Elections:**

- President. Bill Bonney
- V.P. Open

- Sec. Terry Lewis
- Treas. Brad Buttermore

### Dallas Mopar Events and Member Activities

# THE EVENTS LISTED BELOW ARE EVENTS ATTENDED BY MEMBERS Upcoming Events

- DMC Club Meetings
  - Monthly Member Club Meetings are 2:00 PM the second Sunday each month.
     We meet at Spring Creek BBQ 12835 Preston Road, Dallas TX 75230. We'll talk shop, share stories, announce events, and conduct club business.

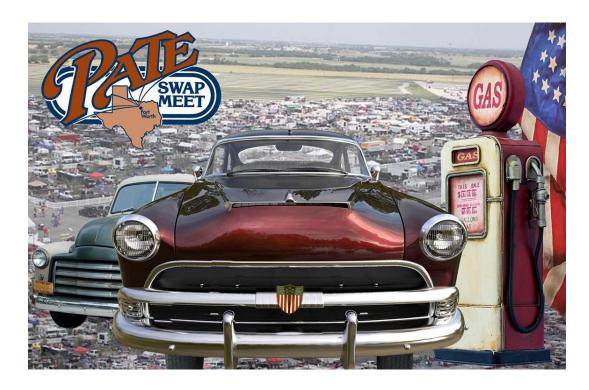
- Dallas Mopar Events and Member Activities

  1. CAR SHOWS COMING IN THE NEAR FUTURE.
  2. March 9-10. Allen indoor car show. Watters Creek Convention Center.
  3. April 6th, south Fort Worth a muscle car show (1958-1979) only.
  4. May 4-5, Houston, Keels and Wheels car show. They want to display 3 1967 Coronet R/T's. They already have one in b5 blue, and one in red, they need one in white. Want a 4 sp/hemi car. Not required

  5. March 29-30th. Charity car show benefiting a Mansfield, and a Grand Prairie dog shelter.
  6. Pate Swap Meet April 25, 26, 27 Texas Motor Speedway https://www.pateswapmeet.com

  THE DALLAS MOPAR CLUB WILL BE "SUPPORTING" TO FOLLOWING EVENTS IN 2019.
  1. Dallas Autorama, February 14-17. Bob O coordinating.
  2. Cowtown Nationals, Date and location TBD
  3. Louisiana Mopar Magic annual show in Shreveport, March 23rd
  4. Mechanics days. Several hopefully. First job will be at the home of Charles and Barbara Barnett. The have a '69 Dart, shoehorned a 440 into it.
  5. Cracker Barrel Lewisville. (May or June) will be on a Saturday evening.
  6. Norma's off the tollway, North Dallas.
  7. Joint Cowtown/DMC picnic at River Legacy Park in Arlington. (May or June).
  8. Bluegrass on Ballard. We will support Robert Vaughan. He is coordinating.
  9. Texas State Fair. If we are invited. Jerry Reed coordinating (or I will).

### Dallas Mopar Events and Member Activities



 If interested in participating in the Pate Swap Meet Contact Frank Maxwell 214-577-5187, email <u>frank.maxwell@yahoo</u> or meet at the monthly DMC CLUB meeting on Sunday Febuary 10, 2019 to review details. The Dallas Mopar Club may sponsor a few spaces if there is enough interest. \*

2. The show is April 25, 26, 27, all day.

- 3. Spaces cost \$55 each, for entire length of event. Early entry reduced rate is over.
- 4. Around April 1st packets will go out in mail with all paperwork. I was assured if we need to cancel all spaces a refund will be given.
- 5. There will be a car corral, and some sort of car show.
- 6. There is a web site to visit for more details, including a map of the grounds, spacing, and some sort of directory. Link to site <a href="https://www.pateswapmeet.com">https://www.pateswapmeet.com</a>
- 7. The "spaces" are first come, first served. We can reserve any number of spaces, in a row, back to back. The rows are double wide, walk way between rows. Like most swap meets each row is two spaces back to back. I can see us going back to back and using center area for sitting, resting, eating. There will be shower facilities, bathroom facilities, and track food.
- 8. Spaces are 9' x 18'. No "corner" spaces left.
- 9. Layout is rectangular configuration long way north to south, central part of infield.

#### Race Info

### **Texas Muscle Car Club Challenge**

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



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#### Texas Muscle Car Club Challenge Racing Series.

Come race with us!

2019 Race Schedule

www.tmccc.org

Electronics, Outlaw, Super Pro, & Pro are all 1/8 mile

SPRING RACING FALL RACING

2018 BIG DOG RACE TO BE HELD HEF

CHALLENGE LXIV - ENNIS CHALLENGE LXIV - ENNIS

31-Mar <u>Texas Motorplex</u> 31-Aug <u>Texas Motorplex</u> NIGHT RACE

Ennis, Texas
Gates open at 8am
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Gates open at 3pm

Entry \$30.00 Spectator \$12.00 Entry \$30.00 Spectator \$12.00

972-878-2641 972-878-2641

29-Sep Xtreme Raceway Park

7-Apr The Big Country Raceway 1800 South I-45 Service Rd.

5601 West Stamford Street Ferrs, TX 75125
Abilene, TX 79603 Gates open at 9am

Gates open at 9am Entry \$30.00 Spectator \$15.00

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23-Jun Xtreme Raceway Park ADDITIONAL FALL OUT OF TOWN RACE

1800 South I-45 Service Rd. TO BE ANNOUNCED AT A LATER DATE
Ferrs, TX 75125

Gates open at 9am
Entry \$30.00 Spectator \$15.00 TBD BANQUET

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1/4 mile tracks 1/8 mile tracks 1/8 mile All E.T. Electronics Electronics Super Pro 1/8 mile Super Pro 6.99 & quicker Pro 1/8 mile Pro 7.00-7.64 **Outlaw Muscle** 1/8 mile **Outlaw Muscle** all E. T.

 King Muscle
 12.00-12.99
 King Muscle
 7.65-8.27

 Super Muscle
 13.00-13.99
 Super Muscle
 8.28-8.91

Street Muscle 14.00 & slower Street Muscle 8.92 & slower

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# Mopar's: For Sale - Cars Wanted - Stuff

#### CARS/PARTS/FOR SALE/WANTED:

For the listings below not coming from active DMC members, contract me directly for more information.

Frank 214-577-5187 frank.maxwell@yahoo.com

- 1. 1984 Dodge Rampage f/s. Car in San Antonio.
- 2. 1977 Newport f/s.
- 3. 1968 Cuda conv. f/s.
- 4. 1986 Dodge Daytona Shelby Z f/s. 2 tail light lenses for '69 RR f/s. hardware for '69 GTX console f/s From: Jim Stigliano 214-544-2307.
- 5. 2015 Dodge Charger R/T, wrecked. f/s parts. Cat back system, valve covers, R/T rims, etc.)
- 6. A person needs a conventional distributor for a 440. He has 3 Jensens. He is not Robinson Davis.

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Ken Holderbaum has a B body 1971 steering box \$50

He also has 26-inch big block radiator for an automatic trans. It has been diped and cleaned at a radiator shop in Plano \$125

Ken Holderbaum 214.504.5300

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# Mopar's: For Sale - Cars Wanted - Stuff

Terry Lewis is selling his 1979 Chrysler 300. Car is in excellent condition. 53,000 miles all original. 360 4 bbl, automatic, ps,pb, air, cruise.

For more info call Terry at 817-371-4403 or email jayfather@att.net











# Mopar's: For Sale - Cars Wanted - Stuff

Tony Feger Phone 972-342-7741 e-mail: tony@probeafs.com

Tony needs some parts for his 1968 Hemi Roadrunner

- 1ea. correct power brake booster assembly
- 1ea. 172 tooth flywheel for direct drive starter. Mopar P/N 2892259

#### Parts to sell

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- 1ea. 426 Hemi right side exhaust manifold. Pictures attached \$450.00
- 1ea. set 426 Hemi exhaust manifold gaskets. Picture attached \$15.00
- 1ea. Road Runner horn. Picture attached \$35.00
- 2ea. B Body exhaust tips. Picture attached \$60.00







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**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.

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# Important Info from the Newsletter editor

Fellow Dallas Mopar Members, I wish to thank all those who sent articles to be in the newsletter.

I am planning to continue to be the newsletter editor but I do need your help. I need your input on what you would like to see in the newsletter.

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

I need the following:

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

Please send articles, pictures, your write-ups to:

Ron Petrasek @ <u>ripetrasek@msn.com</u> 214-385-0413

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# **Meeting Information:**

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Monthly meeting 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month at 2:00 pm, Spring Creek BBQ, 12835 Preston Rd. SW Corner of Preston and LBJ

#### **BOARD MEETING INFORMATION**

Board meetings are open to all club members: Board meetings are usually held 8:30 am at Charlie's Old-Fashioned Burger,604 TX-78, Farmersville the Saturday before the Sunday monthly Club meeting and all members are encouraged to attend. Check the DMC website for any last-minute time or location changes.

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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