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## **Newsletter**

### **September 2009**

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## **Hello! Mopar Fans!**

Car show this Saturday sponsored by LifeSouth Community Blood Center located at 2801 WestCorp Blvd between Triana Blvd & the Parkway from 10:00am to 3:00pm.

## **2009 TVMC Events**

- **19 September 2009 - 8:00 General membership Meeting at the Carriage Works located just off Winchester road at 6012A Trail wood.**
  - **Take 231 North to Winchester – turn right**
  - **Turn left on Trail wood**

## **2009 Regional Mopar Events**

**26-27 September**

20<sup>th</sup> Annual Music City Mopar Club Car & Truck Show, Lebanon TN  
Wilson County Fair Grounds

Visit, <http://www.musiccitymoparclub.com>

## **2009 Local Shows and Cruise Ins**

**19 September Super Saturday Cruise in**  
Downtown Anniston 5-8pm

Visit, [www.downtownanniston.com/supersaturday.html](http://www.downtownanniston.com/supersaturday.html)

19 September Jeff's Muffler Shop  
S. Memorial Parkway, Huntsville AL  
6-10pm

**19 September** Steak & Shake Monthly Cruise in  
Spring Ave and the Beltline  
Decatur, AL  
6-9pm

**19 September** Toney Volunteer Fireman's Car Show  
5900 University Drive NW (Old Circuit City Location)  
8am – 2pm

**19 September** Hartsele Depot Days  
First United Methodist Church Parking lot on Hickory Street  
Hartselle, AL  
8am – 2pm

**26 September** First National Bank 26<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Car Show  
Martin Methodist College on Green Ave  
Pulaski, TN  
9am – 4pm

**26 September** Bug's and Brats Show and Shine  
180 Pauline Drive  
Hazel Green, AL  
9am – 4pm <http://www.airkooledkustoms.com/brats.html>

**26 September** 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Home Depot & Stevenson Corvette Club Car & Truck Show  
Hwy 35 & 72  
Scottsboro, AL  
8am – 2pm

**3 October** Vets with Vettes & Corvette Owners Open Car show  
Madison Street Festival – Downtown Madison, AL  
8am – 3pm  
[Click here for map to show.](#)

**3 October** Whitesburg Drive-In Car Show  
7300 Whitesburg Drive  
Huntsville, AL  
9am – 3pm

**10 October** New Hope Founder's Day Car, Truck & Bike Show  
New Hope High School Parking Lot  
New Hope, AL  
9am – 1pm

## **Editor's Corner**

If you're reading this news letter, chances are, you're a fan of Mopars. If you're really interested in something different why not join us this Saturday for a treat sponsored by The Carriage Works. Tim Snitger and his gang will be showing some very interesting Mopars and will discuss the restoration process for us.

We need our membership to start fellowshipping each month, you don't need to own a Mopar to be a part of our fellowship, so don't worry if that 1971 'Cuda is still out of reach. Of course if you're thinking of making the plunge, who better to consult with than fans and owners of the cars you're considering? Our membership is an excellent source of information if you're looking to purchase, restore, repair, or simply ogle Mopars of all types. Just this past weekend Lennie helped yours truly with some advice on getting my Cuda up & running again. I had an electrical problem, replaced the electronic module but that did not fix it. Lennie suggested the coil and whalla! I put almost 60 miles of cruising on it Saturday & Sunday and will be taking it to the LifeSouth show this weekend. Thanks Lennie!

Has anyone seen what Mr. Norm is offering? Looks like there's a demand for "Super Challengers" and "Super Cudas" and Norm is just the guy to hook you up with one. Being a Cuda owner I was really intrigued by the idea and went onto his website to see what all the hype was about. Holy crap, he's using the legendary 1970 AAR 'Cuda as a foundation for his creation. Body mods include a retro style cuda grille and tail panel, shaker hood, and a very aggressive front spoiler. Reinforcing the theme, the sides of the Hemi Orange Super 'Cuda are boldly accented with satin-black strobe stripes. Inside the cockpit features a Hurst Shifter, a Katzkin "Barracuda" custom leather interior with a Hemi Orange perforated inserts and Super 'Cuda monogrammed carpet mats. The engine is a ground-pounding Hemi fitted with a Kenne Bell blower (up to 900 hp) and of course there's the best of the best suspension upgrades for firm launches and hard cornering. Man-oh-man I want that car!

Oh, the Challengers – well just take a "look-see" at his website for more info on that!  
<http://www.mrnormsgarage.com/>

### **Trivia Questions:**

What was the first Mopar musclecar to feature an in-dash tach?

In 1969 What was Motor Trends' "Car of the Year"?

## **Swap Shop**

If you have items listed here that are no longer available or wanted, shoot me an email (roy.k.gronau@boeing.com) so I can update.

### **For Sale**

Member Ed Downing has 2 Dodge Darts bodies for sale, a 71 & 74. He is asking \$1,200.00 for both of them. You can reach Ed at 256-651-9175.

John Bynum is parting out 69 Coronet 2 door(not a lot left, good rear glass, some trim good rear bumper core with guards) 66 Monaco 2dr 383, auto/console car, 71-72 Chargers, 80's RWD Fifth Avenues, other cars & have some 73-74 Road runner parts. 1980 VW Diesel Pickup for sale & 3 diesel rabbits included for spare parts. Also, for sale a Ludwig Hollywood Blue Oyster Pearl Drum set circa 1970, good shape with cases. He may be reached at 931-967-4499 or by email at [johnwbynum@bellsouth.net](mailto:johnwbynum@bellsouth.net)

Rockey Rozell has the following 69 Barracuda hood - \$50 (will fit 72 Dart); 68 Roadrunner grille - \$75; 68/69 deck led and hood for Roadrunner/Satellite \$50 each, Contact Rockey at 497-0110 or email: [rrrgtx4404@aol.com](mailto:rrrgtx4404@aol.com)

Pete Shreeves has a 78 Aspen, 70 Coronet, 68 Coronet, 74 Dodge truck and a General product which will remain a mystery, For Sale. For information, call or email Pete. Pete 503-0902. [Pete.Shreeves@tbe.com](mailto:Pete.Shreeves@tbe.com)

Robert Lewis has a 1967 440 with 727 Torqflite. The engine and transmission are a numbers matching set. The engine is date coded 10-66 for any of you looking for a date correct power train set up for your project. The engine still has standard bores and is complete minus the carburetor, distributor, and valve covers. Price is \$1500.00 negotiable. Robert can be reached at 256-603-5134 or [robert.g.lewis@us.army.mil](mailto:robert.g.lewis@us.army.mil)

Jud Hudson has the following for sale. 2 Sets of 1968 Dodge Charger taillights. Chrome is pitted in various places, but the lenses are excellent. Needs to be cleaned up. \$20 a set. Need to get rid of them!

Fran Cunningham –Eight pallets of Valiant, Dart, & Barracuda “A” body parts for 63 thru 66 Slant Six engine & body parts. Also, three parts cars. Contact Fran at 920 Toney Dr SE, Huntsville, AL 35802-1121 Home 256-881-5980 Cell 256-651-9461

## Wanted

Member Judson Hudson is looking for the following items:

“I'm looking for parts to convert my 68 Charger to a 69, and need the following”:

- 1 Piece for Grille
- Grille Trim
- Middle Section of Grille
- 69 Tail panel
- 69 Hood Latch for Grille
- I'm willing to trade too! Great Mint Condition complete 68 Charger Grille for a Mint 69 Grille. Rust free 68 tail panel already drilled out from car, will trade for a workable 69 tail panel.
- Judson can be reached at [judhudson@knology.net](mailto:judhudson@knology.net)

### Trivia Question Answers:

1956 Plymouth Fury

And of course the 1969 Plymouth Roadrunner