

Indy Mopar Club News



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Meetings are the last Thursday of every month except November & December.

Next regular meeting: <u>July 25, 2019</u>, will be held at *MCL Cafeteria*, *3630 South East Street* Indianapolis (US 31- N of Southern Plaza between Sumner & National). Meet for dinner at 6pm, meeting at 7pm. A Map Quest link is available on the IMC website – www.indymoparclub.com.



Welcome to new members Chad & Amanda Lewton, Westfield, with a 1959 Chrysler 300E; and Wendell & Sheri Kegerreis, Indianapolis, with a 2017 Dodge Charger Daytona 392. We hope to see them at one of our meetings or events.



Presidents Message

We had a wonderful cruise last week. Maybe a little warm. It did not rain and could have been worse. The participants I talked to were all enjoying themselves. I would like to thank all that helped make it successful and raise over \$1100.

Bob Thomas - July 2019



Lowes Avon Cruise-In June 2019

Chuck Butler of the Indy Mopar Club organized a Cruise-nic (Cruise-Picnic) on Saturday June 29 joining the Avon Lowes Home Improvement Center parking lot Cruise-In group that meets each Saturday night during the summer. The Lowes Cruise-In group meets in the northwest corner of the parking lot and raises donations for the Indy Honor Flight charity.

Our group met early and collected at the west side of the lot relaxing under the trees until joining the normal group as they began to arrive. The IMC had a great turn-out and the group drove brought many new Challengers, an early Challenger, early Darts, twin turbo '68 Dodge R/T, 'Lil Red Express, a '64 Plymouth Fury, Chrysler TC convertible and others.



We set up three pop-up awnings for shade and though it was a fairly hot evening, the group brought plenty of food, drink and their fold-out chairs for a great evening of visiting and relaxing.



The regular group that gathers also had a number of great looking Mopars in attendance including many new Challengers, Musclecar era vehicles and both a '47 and a mid '60 Dodge Truck.

Mid event, Jeff Platzer and Tom Kelly started at each end of the show lot and passed out flyers for the Fletcher Cruise-in. The group had a great time and hopefully we can do the again soon. Thanks Chuck for the great idea!

Author~~~Tom Kelly



The 2019 Indy Mopar Club Fletcher Cruise-In

What a great day for a Cruise-In! Weather was perfect, plentiful sunshine, an abundance of eager helpers, bountiful donations for door prizes and auctions and a parking lot full of appreciative vehicle owners wanting to show off their pride and joy "Big Toys".



With the considerable number of car shows and cruise-ins as there are today, the choices of events for which car lovers can choose to display their automotive gems, makes it very competitive to draw a good number of participants. However, the Indy Mopar Club's Fletcher Car Shows and Cruise-Ins continue to draw great numbers. I believe this is due to the quality offerings and efforts the IMC put in to their events.

This year was no exception. Over 100+ participants showed up for the day's enjoyment and the comradery with other car enthusiasts. Food and drink was supplied by Chick-fil-A as well as a special treat from the Kona Shaved Ice truck. The door prize table was overflowing with very special goodies for the winning tickets and silent auction items. The Franklin Fire Truck was on display, viewed by many as the kids crawled all over it and were designated as Jr. Firefighters. (A note of interest; Dorinda declined the opportunity to ride up in the fire truck snorkel bucket.)









It was a great day for JDRF, our show's beneficiary, as the 2019 IMC Cruise-In generated thus far \$1,754.41 and still counting. We received \$75.00 from extra door prize tickets, \$69.00 from the silent auction, \$300.00 from T-shirt sales (which are still for sale) as well as a very generous donation from our major sponsor Fletcher Chrysler, Dodge, Jeep Ram. All proceeds go to JDRF.





















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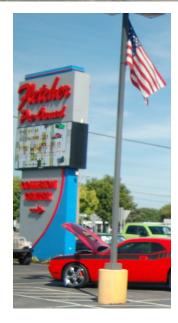
















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Thanks to all the IMC members that participated this year to helped make this Cruise-In such a great success. We wish to thank all the participants and also a few of the past members that stopped by to participate and support our cause. A very, very special thanks to our sponsor Fletcher Chrysler, Dodge, Jeep Ram who with their effort, sacrifice and backing we could not even do this event. THANK YOU so very much! Author~~~Evan Springer



Indy Mopar Club Meeting Minutes Meeting June 27, 2019

WELCOME AND SIGN-IN:

The meeting was called to order at 7:02 pm by our President Bob Thomas.

Members were asked to introduce themselves .The 25 members that attended and were asked to tell a little something about themselves were Bob Thomas - oil pressure to 0 and pull head to rebuild, Chuck & Linda Butler - Challenger 398 below 3.5 HP / 317 torque above 15#; Ronda Cherry - look at cars, too muddy, Jack Collins - just sitting, Steve Claycomb - look at my cars, Dick & Dorinda Crawmer - look at cars, Rick Kelly - nothing special, Tom Kelly - wash 2-3 cars & home repairs, Dart & Donna Liebrandt - road trip losing power & towed, Scott Oller - look at my cars, Jan Peel - Durango is a "tank", Randy & Ann Smith - doors on Wrangler, Evan Springer - Satellite back in garage, Sam & Sandra Willard - Charger stopped will get fixed, Steve Wisdom - listed cars, Rick Zimmerman - get new tires, and guests Wendell & Sheri Kegerreis (who joined tonight) - info re car, and former member Michael Markowski & Diane Norman - needs radios for cars.

Secretary's Report – Dave Opel was absent - Sandy Willard graciously offered to take minutes.

- A. Minutes from the May meeting were presented from the newsletter with no changes.
- B. A motion was made to accept the minutes as presented, the motion carried.

Treasurer's Report – Steve Wisdom

- A. May 30, 2019 balance was \$1,714.60; June income was \$1.540; June expenses were \$761.57; June 27, 2019 Balance \$2,493.03. Flower Fund \$128.85. 52 paid members.
- B. Steve presented the T-Shirt for the Fletcher Show.

Communication Director - Randy Smith

A. Current events on Website/Facebook being updatedWaiting to hear back on domain name.

Member News, Birthdays, Anniversaries - Chuck Butler

- A. Chuck Butler gave the report for the birthdays and anniversaries. Congratulations to all.
- B. Spouse Birthday and couple anniversary have been added to future IMC applications.

Event Calendar - Chuck Butler

A. Chuck read list of upcoming events and talked about flyers to be distributed. Marketing is late for the Fletcher Show.

Old Business - Bob Thomas

- A. Update on Fletcher Cruise-In. May have to purchase items at Harbor Freight for the give-away items.
- B. Need volunteers to bring donations arrive at 8am in the used car parking lot.
- C. Blood mobile will not participate this year.

New Business – Bob Thomas

- A. Jan Peel announced that the 2019 IMC Membership Roster is almost ready. Please contact her if there has been a change in your information.
- B. Chuck Butler proposed a cruise-nic with club members gathering on Saturday night at Loews Hardware in Avon 4pm-7pm. IMC members requested to attend June 29th. <u>Dan Jones Parkway and Highway 36.</u>
- C. Steve Wisdom has Fletcher shirts for sale \$15. See him in the parking lot after the meeting.
- D. Club Newsletter Member Profile
 - a. July Evan Springer will do an article and Dave Stephenson will take pictures.
 - b. August Wendell Kegerreis
 - c. September Need Volunteer

A motion was made by Ronda Cherry to adjourn and was seconded by Chuck Butler. The meeting was adjourned at 8:pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandy Willard ***Editors note - Any errors in the meeting notes are strictly the Editor's error.



Sam and Sandy WIllard's anniversary June 20th and Steve and Cathleen Claycomb was June 12th and were omitted last month



August Birthdays:

Dorinda Crawmer, 8-5

Steve Claycomb, 8-11

Sam Willard - 8-14

Sandy Dewitt, 8-25

August Anniversaries:

Chad and Amanda Lewton, 8-10

Carlton and Regina Brock, 8-11

Dave and Cindy Sanders, 8-14

Chuck and Linda Butler, 8-23 (5 years)

Congratulations to all!



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Tattler's Corner

Two members showed up that don't come very often - Rick Kelly and Rick Zimmerman. It was good to see both of them.



2019 INDY MOPAR CLUB – EVENT LIST – TBV – to be verified TBD – to be determined

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Jul	13	Sat		Fletcher CDJR/IMC Cruise-In	Franklin, IN	Dick Crawmer
	12-14	Fri-Sun		Carlisle Chrysler Nats	Carlisle PA	Dave Watt
	16-21	Tue-Sun		National DeSoto Club Convention	Hutchinson KS	Tom Kelly
	20-21	Sat-Sun		Belvidere Mopar Happening	Belvidere IL	Tom Kelly
	25	Thur	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Bob Thomas
Aug	9-11	Fri-Sun		MOPAR NATIONALS-Nat'l Trails Racew	yay Columbus (Hebron) OH	Tom Kelly
	13-18	Tue-Sat		Walter P Chrysler Club National Meet	Auburn Hills MI	Tom Kelly
	13-17	Tue-Sat		Back to the Bricks Car Show	Flint MI	Tom Kelly
	17	Sat		Woodward Dream Cruise	Oakland County MI	Tom Kelly
	29	Thur	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Bob Thomas
	TBD	Fri	TBD	DSR Open House-Car Show	Brownsburg IN	Evan Springer
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Enjoy the rest of the summer and stay COOL!