



Indy Mopar Club News

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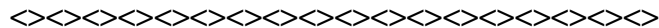
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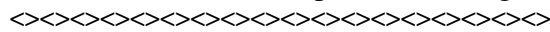
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Meetings are normally the last Thursday of every month except November & December. Refer to the President's Message for both those and future meeting dates.

Next regular meeting: **July 28, 2022** 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 Member Summer McFarland. We hope to see her again at a meeting or an event.



Message from Jeff Platzer, President:

Hello everyone! My this sure seems like one hot summer, doesn't it? It almost makes me wish for fall, but then I'd just be wishing for summer again.

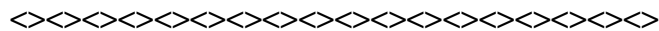
Guess moving to California is the only option, but no thanks! I've never owned a swimming pool but it's making me think about it.

Thanks to all of those who helped with the Fletcher cruise-in! I would say it was a tremendous success based on the numbers. I'll let Steve get us the final details, but it looks like we had over 80 cars. The weather was really poor early on and I was expecting few cars honestly, but then they just kept rolling in. Even some of our own members had rain in their area and couldn't bring a car. I think the lucky part was that we only got light drizzles, and they weren't even supposed to happen. I think I want to be a weatherman. You can be wrong a lot of the time and not be blamed for anything.

We did get the York Crawfordsville cruise-in confirmed as most of you know. Kaye York was out of town on vacation last week, but she had Kory Warren the Sales Manager communicate with me. We've got all the details worked out. Bob Davidson is confirmed to DJ the event and Kory is picking a local food vendor to have a truck on site for lunch. Show time is still 10-2:00pm. I have twice tried to get the "oldcarsonly" website to list the event and haven't gotten confirmation, so something is odd there as Junior is always on top of it. I'll stay on it. Randy got the flyer completed and we'll have those to pass out at the meeting. We could use a few more raffle drawing door prizes just to be safe, so if you can grab anything at your local auto store go ahead and do that. I should be able to grab a few at our local NAPA. I have a few auction items still, but any other unique things are always appreciated, especially items that may appeal to women.

Hope to see many of you July 28 at MCL!

Thanks,
Jeff



Despite some mist early in the day and a brief sprinkle, the Fletcher Cruise-In had a strong turnout. A total of 86 cars registered for the event. Another 10-15 cars cruised through without registering.



Indy Mopar Club was happy to host the Graber Family who represented JDRC. On the left is Coby Kay Graber and her brother is on the right.

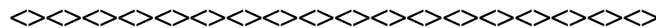


We had a wide range of participants this year, such as: big block Polara and Savoy cousins, a Challenger T/A then (Leyes) and now (Kelly) duo, a high impact array of Modern Mopars, and a contingent from the Central Indy Jeep'rs. The Mopars abounded, but the Big Three were all pretty strongly represented. Notable non-Mopes included: a Chevy COE, two GM land yachts (nearly 36 feet of car when they parked end-to-end), a number of Mustangs, an early 90's Camaro who's rims are still spinning, and a pretty neat S-10 based rat rod and trailer. And, of course, everyone was transfixed by "Dixie the Praying Dog" in her little Jeep.





We are thankful for Fletcher CDJR's partnership in putting on this event annually. Ronda Cherry presented to Brad Joiner the appreciation plaque on behalf of Fletcher CDJR.



Indy Mopar Club- June 30, 2022 Meeting Minutes, MCL South

President Jeff Platzer opened the meeting at 7:00pm.

Introduction of Guests/Members by Jeff Platzer.

Those attending were Jeff Platzer, Ronda Cherry, David Opel, Steve Wisdom, Dick & Dorinda Crawmer, Tom Kelly, Randall Smith, Evan Springer, Bob Thomas, Sam & Sandra Willard, and new member Summer McFarland.

Secretary Dave Opel:

A. Dave gave highlights of the May meeting as were presented in the June Newsletter with no corrections. Accepted by members present.

Treasurer Steve Wisdom:

A. Treasurer Report Indy Mopar Club May 26, 2022 to June 30, 2022. May 26, 2022 Balance \$1,871.19. June, 2022 Income \$1,550.00.

June 2022 Expenses \$501.74.

June 30, 2022 Balance \$2,919.45

(Flower Fund \$195.65) 63 paid memberships.

Randy Smith - Communication Director

A. E-mail being spammed from outside sources. Updated events to be listed.

Vice President Ronda Cherry

- A. Ronda took the attendance - 12 members were present - plus one new member tonight - Summer McFarland.
- B. She gave the current member news on July birthdays and anniversaries. Congratulations to all.

Event Calendar -Tom Kelly

- A. Nothing new

New Business

- A. Fletcher updates
- B. York update - due to construction at York dealership in Plainfield, Jaff has been in contact with York dealership in Crawfordsville. Plan to move show to Crawfordsville September 10
- C. Cruise Indy - scheduled for September 17
- D. Club Member Profile - July - Fletcher Car Show
- E. Club Member Profile - August - needed
- F. Club Member Profile - September - needed

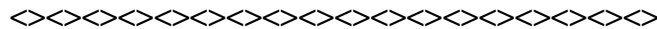
Old Business:

- A. Mecum Review - Ronda Cherry
Ronda on Nationwide TV in #2 Million dollar IMS Racecar driven by Mario Andretti. Autographs to follow.
- B. York update - July 9
- C. Fletcher Flyers available for distribution
- D. Cruise Indy Flyers available
- E. George Summers / Excel Cars - Fantastic collection
- F. IMC Patches - Available from Jeff

Dick Crawmer made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Randy Smith seconded the motion, the motion carried.

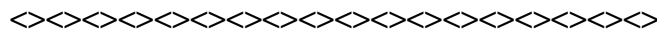
Jeff Platzer adjourned the meeting at 7:50pm.

Respectively submitted by David Opel



Tattler's Corner

Well it looks like Rick Zimmerman was enjoying viewing all the cars at the car show, regardless of the make or model. Stay cool - we still have August heat to suffer through.



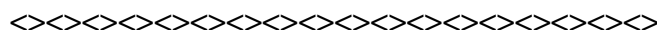
August 2022 Birthdays:

Dorinda Crawmer, 8-5
Elaine Thomas, 8-6
Steve Claycomb, 8-11
Chris Usher, 8-12
Sam Willard, 8-14
John Kramer, 8-23

August 2022 Anniversaries:

David and Donna Opel, 8-1
Carlton and Regina Brock, 8-11
David and Cindy Sanders, 8-14
Walter and Elaine Thomas, 8-18
Chuck and Linda Butler, 8-23

Congratulations to all!



2022 INDY MOPAR CLUB – EVENT LIST **TBV** – to be verified **TBD** – to be determined **R1** Updated 2-18-21 tvk **IMC** Contact

Jan	27 -	Thurs	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Jeff Platzer
Feb	6	Sun		WPC Winter (Mopar) Swap Meet	Macomb College Detroit	Dave Watt
	24	Thurs	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria → Canceled	Jeff Platzer
Mar	3-5	Thu-Sat		Indy Cyl Hd Show Set-up Thu/Show Fri-Sat	Ind State Fairgrounds	Ronda Cherry/Jeff Platzer
	25-27	Fri-Sun		O'Reilly World of Wheels Car Show	Ind State Fairgrounds	Jeff Platzer
	31	Thurs	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Jeff Platzer
Apr	25-29			Dodge Bros Club	Charleston SC	Tom Kelly
	28	Thurs	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Jeff Platzer
May	12-13	Thur-Fri		FAST-Pure Stock Drags - US 131 Motorsports Park - Martin, MI		D Watt
	13-21	Fri-Sat wk later		Mecum Collector Car Auction	IN State Fairgrounds	Ronda Cherry
	26	Thurs	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Jeff Platzer
Jun	15-19	Wed-Sun		The National DeSoto Club Natl Meet	Altoona PA	Tom Kelly
	30	Thurs	6-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Jeff Platzer
Jul	9	Sat		Fletcher Chrysler - IMC Cruise-In	Franklin, IN	Steve Wisdom
	7-10	Thurs-Sun		Commemorative Air Force	Terre Haute IN	Tom Kelly
	9-14	Sat-Thurs		Airflow Club of Amer National Meet	Independence MS	Tom Kelly
	15-17	Fri-Sun		Carlisle Chrysler Nats	Carlisle PA	Dave Watt/Tom Kelly
	20-24	Wed-Sun		Walter P Chrysler WPC Natl Meet	Elk City OK	Tom Kelly
	28	Thurs	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Jeff Platzer
	TBD			Indiana's Fastest Street Car Show-IMC	TBD	Jeff Platzer
Aug	12-14	Fri-Sun		MOPAR NATIONALS-Natl Trails Raceway Columbus (Hebron) OH		Tom Kelly
	20	Sat		Woodward Dream Cruise (wk long lead up) Oakland County MI		Jeff Platzer
	25	Thurs	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Jeff Platzer
	8-28/9-1	Sun-Thur		Ply Owners Club Great River Tour-Miss River: St Louis-Dubuque IA		Tom Kelly-Jan Peel
Sep	2	Fri	TBV	DSR Open House-Car Show	Brownsburg, IN	Evan Springer
	10	Sat		York Chrysler / IMC Cruise-in	Crawfordsville IN	Jeff Platzer
	15-17	Thurs-Sat		Pure Stock Muscle Car Drag Race	Stanton MI	D Watt/Tom Kelly
	17	Sat	9a-12p	Cruise Indy	Carmel IN	J Platzer
	16-18	Fri-Sun		Holley Moparty-Beech Bend Raceway	Bowling Green KY	J Platzer
	22-25	Thu-Sun		NMCA Race-Show	Lucas Raceway (IRP-Clermont)	Dave Watt
	29	Thurs	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Jeff Platzer
Oct	22	Sat	TBD	JDRF RUN/WALK – Victory Field Baseball Stadium - Indianapolis IN		Steve Wisdom
	27	Thurs	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Jeff Platzer
				Nominations for 2023 Officers		
Nov	17	Thurs	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Jeff Platzer
				NOTE: 1 week early because of Thanksgiving - Election night for 2023 Officers		
	19-20	Sat-Sun		Muscle Car and Corvette Nationals show	Rosemont IL	Tom Kelly/Dave Watt
Dec	11	Sun	5p	Indy Mopar Club Christmas Party	Steve Wisdom's Clubhouse	Steve Wisdom
				NOTE: NO DECEMBER MEETING AT MCL	1202 Leisure Lane, Greenwood 46142	
Local Cruise-Ins (Reoccurring)						
May thru Sept	1st Fri	5-9pm		Danville Cruise-In 1st Friday of Month	Danville IN Town Square	Tom Kelly
May thru Sept	Sat	6-9pm		Lowes Summer Cruise-in - Every Sat Night	Avon IN US 36	Jeff Platzer
May thru Sept	TBV			Mooreville Cruise-in / TBV	Mooreville IN	Dick Crawmer
Apr thru Oct	Sat	4pm		The SUDS Cruise-in / TBV	Greenwood IN	Evan Springer
May thru Sept	Thur	5-9pm		Martinsville Thursday Cruise on the Square	Martinsville IN	Dick Crawmer
May thru Sept	Sat	4-9pm		Noblesville Cruise	Noblesville IN	