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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

In early June, Linda sent us a note from Harry Newman stating that Amelia Earhart's 1937 Cord 812 Convertible will be in Washington at the National Mall in September. Harry suggested we do a Fun Run to see it. This article will explain why it's coming to Washington in September.

Amelia Earhart bought her Cord 10 months before her trip to circumnavigate the globe. It was Palm Beach Tan with a deep maroon leather interior

and had several very rare accessories. After her disappearance and declaration of death, her husband sold the Cord. It surfaced in the 1950's and was owned by Charles Sternburg who owned several Cords. During his ownership, he swapped engines and body panels with the other Cords he owned. The Cord with Amelia's engine was sold to Gene Hansard in Great Falls, Montana in 1992.

Meanwhile, Ray Foster, long time Amelia Earhart history buff, spent 30 years tracking down this car.

## Aug. 3, 2023 7:00 pm Membership Meeting & Potluck

Where: Antique Car Shelter, Jim Barnett Park 1001 E. Cork St. Winchester

(see map and directions on next-to-last page of newsletter)

#### Meeting Hosts: Wayne & Sharon Parker

This will be a "potluck" meeting at the shelter. The Club will provide the meat entrée. Please bring a "covered dish" (for example: appetizer, salad, vegetable side, dessert) to share, and your own dinner plate, tableware, tablecloth and beverage. See you there!



Jack Fischer's 1959 AMC Rambler Super won People's Choice at the MSV Show. See more on pages 3-5

### CALENDAR

- AUG 3 Membership Meeting & Potluck, 7pm, Antique Car Shelter, Jim Barnett Park
- AUG 13 Annual Corn Roast, Queen City Region - possible Fun Run [see page 2]
- AUG 17 Board Meeting, 7pm, Round Hill Church, Winchester. All members welcome
- AUG 28 NOON DEADLINE FOR SEPT NEWSLETTER
- SEP 7 Membership Meeting & Potluck, 7pm, Antique Car Shelter, Jim Barnett Park

He bought three cars that covered most of Amelia's Cord. Ray Foster bought the Hansard/Montana Cord with Amelia's engine, in 1992. Finally, he was able to determine that Charles Sternburg's Cord was Amelia Earhart's serial numbered Cord. Foster was able to purchase that final piece of the puzzle in 2004. After putting the correct engine back into Amelia's correct chassis, Ray Foster sold his cars to Jack Boyd Smith Jr in 2018. Mr. Smith Jr enlisted well-known Auburn, Cord, and Duesenberg specialists LaVine Restorations to perform their magic. After completion the

Cord has won 11 awards. The most prestigious award was Best of Show at the Auburn Cord Duesenberg Festival, September 2021. At this Show the Cord scored 1002 points, two points more than a perfect 1000. The two extra points were for having the rare accessories of a compass and a steering-assist knob on the steering wheel.

This March, Amelia Earhart's Cord was chosen as the 33rd vehicle to be placed on the National Historic Vehicle Register. To be considered for the Register, a vehicle must meet at least one of these criteria:

1)The car must be associated with a significant

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<b>\</b>	06 Anne Moore	13 Kenny Harper	18 Doug Swanson	21 Lauren Conrad	31 Liz Kline 💡
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## HEAR YE, HEAR YE - OUR NEW WEBSITE IS "LIVE"

We have a NEW Region website ! It's hosted by AACA, our parent organization, at no cost to the Region. Tom Parker has volunteered to be our webmaster. Thank you, Tom ! He will be making more enhancements to the website in coming weeks. Newsletters (current and archived), Car Event lists, Club membership applications, By-Laws, Apple Blossom show registration forms and show results, and other info in formats that Facebook can't display will be posted. Bookmark our new website on your browser: https://shenandoah.aaca.com

## FUN RUN (maybe) & ANNUAL CORN ROAST AUG. 13



The Queen City/Shenandoah Region annual corn roast is hosted this year by Queen City, and will be held at the home of Lynn and Marsha Keiter, 16801 Kens Lane, Frostburg, MD 21532 on August 13th, 2023 starting at 1:00pm. Queen City will provide the chicken and corn. Each family should bring a covered dish to share with everyone, as well as their own place settings to eat with. Bring a lawn chair or two and if you have a pop up tent you may want to bring it along for shade. Contact Lynn or

Marsha at 813-394-7809 if questions.

#### **Directions from I-68 in Cumberland:**

- Take I-68 westbound toward Frostburg, and take EXIT 34 (Rt 36 S) toward Midland, MD
- At the blinking caution light, make a LEFT TURN, and then in only 50 feet or so,
- Make an immediate RIGHT TURN onto Burning Mine Road.
- Follow this road, keeping LEFT at the forks in the road.
- At the top of the mountain, you will see a rock that looks like a GHOST and a sign that says "SECOND CHANCE"
- Make a LEFT TURN onto Ken's Lane. The Keiters' home is on the top of the mountain with acres of land and a big pond (there will be directional signs posted along the road to help). Lynn will direct us where to park.

**NOTE:** We hope to make this event a **Sunday Fun Run**, if somebody is willing to lead a "convoy" from Winchester. Per Google Maps, it's 72 miles from Martin's Groc in Sunnyside to the Keiter's - a 1.5 hour drive via 522 to 127 (Bloomery) to 29 to 9 (Paw Paw) to 51 (Old Town) to Cumberland, then I-68 west. Less-travelled roads will take a little longer. **We'd need to leave Winc about 11:00am, depending on the route selected.** We will discuss this at the Aug. 3 Membership Meeting. The location is quite scenic, and being in the mountains, much cooler than locally. Let's get those old cars crankin' and have some yummy fresh corn with our friends in QCR !

#### ATTN: WANT YOUR CAR'S PHOTO IN OUR 2024 CLUB CALENDAR? DEADLINE = SEPT 30, SO ACT NOW. SEE PAGE 6 FOR MORE DETAILS.

SEPT NEWSLETTER DEADLINE = NOON ON AUGUST 28

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## Sunshine Report

Sunshine Chairs Dave & Sharon Lewis report sending:

- Wishes for speedy recovery to Ruth Newman, who recently had surgery; to Judi Hall, who had outpatient surgery July 19 to correct issues caused by her past chemo treatments, and to Jeff Smulovitz, who had a mild case of COVID that kept him from attending the MSV show.
- We were glad to see Len Roman at our July meeting. He's recovering well after undergoing triple bypass surgery in May.
- We learned that Bruce Hall's July 28 scheduled heart valve replacement surgery will also include a triple bypass.
- Please keep Ruth and Harry, Len and Susan, Jeff and Vickie, and Judi and Bruce in your thoughts and prayers for healing.
- And as always, let's all also remember those members who struggle daily with ongoing issues that keep them "in the shop" and not running on all cylinders.



#### MUSEUM OF THE SHENANDOAH VALLEY ANNUAL CAR SHOW JULY 15, 2023 by Dan Rowzie, Show Chairman

There were 116 cars on the show field for the Museum's annual car show. This is the 14th year that we have held the show for MSV on their Open House weekend.



And that's what makes this show special, many families with children come through our car show when visiting the museum on this Open House day. For many, it's the first time of seeing so many special cars on display.

Museum Director's Choice: Nelson Chewning

Editor: note that the People's Choice is pictured on page 1]



A big part of Special, is the diversity of that display. There are national AACA show winners sharing the show field with hot rods, rat rods, full customs, sports cars and micro cars.

There was a wonderful showing of the earliest cars, the

Model T Fords. Three of the four appeared to be perfect, while the T Touring showed it's wear and tear from its journey across the US and back. The five Model A's also put on a good show with very handsome examples for us to drool over.

The cars of the 1920s were well represented, too. There were two 1926 autos, the 1926 Paige 6-72 and the 1926 Dodge Roadster, then a 1928 Studebaker Commander. There was a very special





#### MSV Car Show July 15, 2023 Awards

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Award	Owner	Vehicle
Oldest Car	William Moore	1915 Ford Model T Phaeton
Director's Choice	Nelson Chewning	1930 Ford Model A Phaeton
People's Choice	Jack Fischer	1959 AMC Rambler Super
Best Antique	J.C. Black	1928 Studebaker Commander
Best Modified	Jeff Feltner	1956 Chevrolet Sedan Delivery
Best FOMOCO	David Anderson	1950 Ford F2 Pickup Truck
Best GM	Larry Omps	1957 Chevrolet Corvette
Best Chrysler	Hans Stamberg	1926 Dodge Roadster
Best Orphan	Eric Kirk	1926 Paige 6-72
Best Foreign	Warren Bricker	1998 TVR Cerbera
	Top 10	
# 1	Paul Ruscito	1963 Studebaker Avanti
# 2	Art Bragg	1937 Buick Roadmaster Conv
# 3	Danny Estep	1939 Chevrolet 2-Dr Sedan
# 4	Scott Stroop	1970 Chevrolet Chevelle
# 5	Robert Wolford	1961 Chevrolet Impala
# 6	Thetan Ogle	1917 Ford Model T Touring
# 7	Larry Omps	1957 Chevrolet Corvette
# 8	Kenny Harper	1959 Ford Skyliner
# 9	Glen Stickel	1948 Chevrolet Stylemaster Cpe
# 10	Wayne Goodlove	1952 Chevrolet Pickup

There were 116 cars on the field compared to 77 cars last year

group of 1930 cars, as well: the 1933 Hudson Standard 8 the 1938 Lincoln Zephyr Coupe and the 1935 Ford Woody.

Some of the other 1930s car were hot rods. rat rods and full customs. I'm remembering the very well built 1932 Ford Highboy, the Austin Bantam rat rod, the very chop topped 1939 Chevrolet 2 Door and the chopped black 1950 Mercury.

To continue with the unusual mix of cars, I'm thinking about three microtype cars: the 1991 Nissan Figaro, the 1963 Trabant and the 1959 Fiat Abarth. The little Figaro wowed the crowd with it's technical excellence. while the East German Trabant had us wondering how

cardboard could holdup as a body panel and the Abarth told us it was ready for the race track.

The Euro cars were

**Oldest Car: William Moore** 



Best GM & Top 10 #7: Larry Omps





Best Foreign: Warren Bricker

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Top 10 #3: Danny Estep

Top 10 #9: Glen Stickel



Top 10 #6: Thetan Ogle

Top 10 #8: Kenny Harper

so well represented. There were several Roll Royce, an MGB, a very unusual TVR Cerbera, a right hand drive BMW 2002, and a 911 and a 914-6 Porsche.

Now, stir those into all of the restored and well presented 1950s, 1960s, and 1970s show cars on our show field and you have a very interesting car show.

## Thanks to all of our members who entered their cars in the show, Thanks also to the chairmen:

Lorie Ruscito, Registration, and those who ran up and down the line to all those cars on Saturday: Nita Bearer, Lauren Conrad and Sally

Wolfe.

Bob Engle, Field Layout and Car Placement and those who helped in the hot sun: Bob Bearer, Jerry Baldwin, Paul Ruscito, Tom Parker, and Bill Carl. Also those who came out early Friday morning to help Bob with the tent: Jerry Lunt, Jim Tillery, Dave Conrad, and Bill Carl.

Jerry Lunt, Judging and Scoring, and those who ran among the many cars to pick the right one: Mark Dinsmore, Bob Engle ,and Kenny Harper.

Thanks to **Jim Tillery**, **Duane Catlett**, and **Jerry Lunt** for counting the many ballots for Peoples Choice and Top 10 awards.



Best Modified: Jeff Feltner



Prez Dan handed out awards early—it was HOT ! Photo by Paul Ruscito

Thanks also to **the staff of the Museum of the Shenandoah Valley** for all the work they do to ensure the show field is prepared and all of our needs are met.

Now that I'm sitting in air conditioned comfort, I can say let's do it again next year!

#### [See more MSV Show on page 5]



NOTE: Timothy Price (see ad above) says for antique cars, if you supply the oil and filter, he will change your oil and lubricate the chassis for \$40. Mention this ad. here.





Top 10 #5: Robert Wolford

Top 10 #10: Wayne Goodlove



Top 10 #4: Scott Stroop

Top 10 #1: Paul Ruscito

**MEMBER NEWS** 

THANKS, MSV SHOW CHAIRMAN DAN ROWZIE. JOB WELL DONE !!

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www.facebook.com/ShenandoahRegionAACA



#### [Editor: here are members' submissions received since June 26]

**FROM THE JULY 6 MEETING:** Eric Kirk recently received his AACA 50-yr pin , and Pres. Dan presented it at our meeting. Eric has been club Pres.,VP, and Secty. 3 times each, plus Chief Judge and Newsletter Editor. He received the Big Steering Wheel award in 1988 and will attend his 49th year as a vendor at the Hershey Fall Meet. His advice? "Don't be afraid to volunteer, you will have fun and make new friends." Congrats, Eric!



**FROM PAUL RUSCITO:** Paul attended the Capon Valley Ruritan show July 4 in Yellow Springs, WV.





[More MEMBER NEWS, page 7]

event in the history of the country.

- 2) Be part of the life of a significant person.
- Be based on design, craftmanship or aesthetic value.
- 4) Be a particular type that was first or last produced.

Amelia Earhart's Cord meets 3 of those 4 criteria.

This is the official version of this Programs description: The National Historic Vehicle Register records the important history of America's significant automobiles, preserving their information for future generations in perpetuity at the Library of Congress. Following the model of preservation work and legislation that has existed at the federal level for significant buildings, bridges, and airplanes, but never cars. Historic Vehicle Association (now the Hagerty Drivers Foundations) initiated a collaboration with the U.S. Department of the Interior in 2013 to include automobiles in the Historic American Engineering Record through a National Historic Vehicle Register program. The 33 vehicles, thus far, have been added to this documentation program and demonstrate the vast impact cars have had on all aspects of American history. With the following criteria set forth by the Heritage Documentation Programs and the Secretary of Interiors Standards, many more vehicles will be added in the future.

Now, about Amelia Earhart's Cord being at the National Mall in September. Her beautiful Cord will be





Amelia Earhart with her Cord in 1936. Photo from Hagerty Drivers Foundation, from an article by Brendan Mcaleer on the Car and Driver website, June 2023

part of a month-long display of about four very significant vehicles. It's too early to get details, but based on last year's display, the feature car, that is displayed in the glass case, changes weekly. All four are still there on display, for the month.

I was very happy to see that last year they offered an early "Cars at the Mall and Coffee" 7:30-10:30am, each Saturday. Harry Newman and I plan to go to an early morning Cars at the Mall and Coffee, and we hope you will join us. This could be our Fun Run for September. More on this as we gather more information. See you at the Aug. meeting. - Dan

#### WANTED: YOUR CAR'S PHOTO FOR THE 2024 CLUB CALENDAR

Tom Parker is now accepting photo submissions for the 2024 Club Calendar.

Now that we are in car show/cruising weather, keep your eyes open for good backdrops and take the time to stop and photo your "Pride & Joy".

The calendar will be in an 8.5" x 11" (closed) wall-



calendar format, one vehicle per month. Side or 3/4 views, taken outside in daylight, show off your car/ truck/bike the best. You can send multiple photos of your car or different views (engine, etc.) if you like and he will try to work into the layout as possible. Please email your vehicle's photo

#### to Tom at tomrparkerjr@gmail.com.

The best results will be from hi-resolution photos; keep in mind that they will be sized at approx. 8" x 10" in landscape mode (horizontal). Most cellphone cameras take fairly hi-res photos if you don't have digital photos on file. If you have photos on your cellphone and don't know how to download them to email, you can text the photos to Tom at (703) 727-3665.

If you don't have a way to get Tom a digital photo, or don't have a photo, please contact him to make other arrangements. Tom will also need a little info about your vehicle for the caption; like how long you've had it, what restoration was needed, any special facts, or how many miles you've driven it, etc.

He needs to receive enough vehicle photos to fill the calendar by Sept. 30, 2023. This will allow for calendars to be created and received in time for delivery at the Nov. membership meeting. Thanks!

#### **MEMBER NEWS:** [from page 5] **FROM NC MEMBER CURT MASON:** Curt's VW Thing was on TV in NC when WECT News reported live on the Southport July 4 parade.



Curt also sent the image below showing the very patriotic decorations for the day. Besides our Region, he belongs to Cape Fear Chapter in NC.



#### FROM TOM PARKER: BUICK CLUB REGIONAL MEET

Every year, the Buick Club of America holds a National Meet and the location changes each time. This year's Meet was held in Washington State, so several BCA chapters got together and planned a Northeastern Regional Meet in Morgantown, PA. The Meet took place June 22-24th at a hotel on the grounds of the Classic Auto Mall. I had planned to drive my '71 Buick Centurion but encountered a misfire problem just a few days before I needed to leave. So, I ended up driving my daily driver '05 Buick Park Avenue Ultra.

Unfortunately, it rained for most of the show but that didn't keep many



#### THE SPLIT RIM

very nice Buicks from attending. I think they ended up with about 85 entries. I arrived on Thursday while many of the attendees were out on some local tours. However, I did join in on that night's dinner at one of the local large Smorgasbord buffet restaurants. I had never seen such a large place and they were cooking actual steaks in the buffet! But back to the cars. Since I didn't bring an antique, I hitched a ride with a friend from upstate New York in his yellow '55 Buick Super two-door hardtop. It's an original-paint car that he drives frequently. His son brought the red '72 Buick Centurion convertible on the trip so we were sharing Centurion information.



This show also provided me with another opportunity to see this very nice '64 Buick Riviera. I had seen this at the AACA Spring National in Gettysburg back in May. It is a very highly optioned car that was ordered originally by the owner of the dealership. The current owner has sourced every last option that the car had down to the purse hook and umbrella!



The Buick shows usually have a very wide range of cars attending. These Buick Grand Nationals have become much more collectable as time goes on. This particular one was a very low mileage example that was likely preserved from the beginning of its life.



The oldest car at the meet was this '25 Buick Open Touring. To live up to its name, the owner takes it on many tours around the region.

My pick for most original, and probably one of my favorites of the meet, was this '34 Buick Victoria Coupe. The current owner purchased it from the estate of the original owner in 1961. He has kept it completely unrestored.





One feature of the show was that they were hosting a GSX/GNX reunion. I think they ended up with about 20 in attendance, would have been more if the weather had cooperated.

While I didn't bring my intended car to the show, they do allow entries up to modern cars. There was a month-old 2023 Buick Enclave and a fairly new Encore in the newest class. The show organizers did talk me into entering my Park Avenue in the 2000-2009 class and it ended up taking home 2nd place to a much cleaner looking '03 LeSabre.

[Editor: Congrats, Tom - a pleasant surprise for your 2005 Park Avenue ! ]

	CAR EVENT LIST	TING	UPDATED 07/20/2023
Date/Time	Event	Location	Notes
Aug 4-6	Das Awkscht Fescht	Macungie Memorial Park 50 Poplar St, Macungie, PA	www.awkscht.com
Aug 4-6	Carlisle Truck Nationals	Carlisle Fairgrounds, Carlisle, PA	www.carlisleevents.com
Aug 5- 8am-2pm	Shawquon Ruritan Car, Truck, Motorcycle & Tractor Show	Newtown Commons 5165 Main St, Stephens City	Free will Donation, registration 8-10, rain date 8/6
Aug 5- 9am-2pm	All GM Show	Eagle Ridge MS, 42901 Waxpool Road, Ashbum	https://www.capitolcitvrockets.com/
Aug 5- 12-4pm	Romney Peach Festival Show	95 E Main St, Romney, WV	\$10 registration
Aug 12- 4-7pm	Victory Cruise-In	Victory Church, 2870 Middle Rd, Winchester	\$5 donation benefits food pantry
Aug 13- 1-4pm	Clarke County Fair Car and Truck Show	Clarke County Fairgrounds 890 W Main St, Bernwille	\$10 registration
Aug 19- 8am-2pm	38th Annual Benefit Show	Rose Hill Manor Children's Museum & Park 1611 N Market Street, Frederick, MD	\$10 pre-registration or \$15 day of show. Rain date on 8/20.
Aug 19- 3-8pm	Middletown Show	Main St. Middletown, VA	\$10 registration, rain date 8/26
Aug 20- 9am-3pm	Hot Rod Cruisers	Skyline Ranch Resort 751 Mountain Rd. Front Roval	\$15 registration, rain date 8/27
Aug 24-26	Corvettes at Carlisle	Carlisle Fairorounds, Carlisle, PA	www.carlisleevents.com
Aug 26- 4-7pm	Summer's End Cruise-In	Downtown Berrwille (enter at Taylor Street)	\$10. line-up at 2pm, raindate 8/27
Aug 27- 9am-12pm	Heart of MD Classic Chevy Club Breakfast Cruise-in	Elks Lodge 684 289 Willowdale Dr, Frederick, MD	\$12, breakfast provided by Elks Lodge
		RECURRING EVENTS	
Fri-5-8pm	Cruise-in	Jefferson Crossing 188 Flowing Springs Rd, Charles Town, WV	May-Sept
1st Sat- 4-8pm	Cruise-in	Vallev Mall, 17301 Vallev Mall Rd, Hagerstown, MD	May-Oct- \$5 entry
1st Sat- 5-8pm	Cruise-in	American Legion, 22 W 8th St, Front Royal	May-Oct
2nd Sat-8-11am	Cars & Coffee	Callaway Classics- 8323 W Main St, Marshall	April-Oct
2nd Sat- 9:30am-12pm	n Cruise-in	Roy Rogers- 28 Souder Rd, Brunswick, MD	April-Oct
2nd Sat-5pm	Cruise-In	Roy Rogers- 130 Riverton Commons, Front Royal	April-Oct
2nd Sat-5pm	Cruise-in	At Home, 1811 Monocacy Blvd, Frederick MD	April-Oct
4th Sat- 5-8pm	Cruise-In	Mill Creek Intermediate School 8785 Winchester Ave, Bunker Hill, WV	May-Sept
1st Sun- 4-8pm	Cruise-In	Henry's Grocery-1181 Strasburg Rd, Front Royal	May-Oct
1st Sun- 10am-2pm	Cruise-in	Cushwa Brewing Co,10210 Governor Lane Blvd, Williamsport. MD	Apr-Oct
Sun- 12-2pm	Cruise-In	107 West Main St. Berrwille	Informal gathering

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**CAR EVENT** 

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September 21-23, 2023 I9th Annal Tri-State Antique Truck Show	All Trucks Welcome Slow Race Friday at 1 p.m. Flea Market 50/50 Drawings Friday & Saturday Food and Drinks Available Movies Thursday & Friday Night ATHS Golf Cart Policy in effect (no ATVs)	Stonewall Ruritan Club / Frederick County Fairgrounds Clear Brook, VA www.tri-state-antiquetruckshow.com For more information call Scott Shifflett: 540-478-4389

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#### MEMBER NEWS: [from page 7]

#### FROM JIM COLVILLE: CHRYSLER NAT'LS, CARLISLE

Although it's safe to say that all who read this have caught the old car bug, those of us who have caught "Dodge Fever" are in a special group. Through decades of trial and error, we have found that while Hershey may be the place to find Mopar parts from the 50's and earlier, our chances of finding parts for muscle era Mopars are rather slim at multi-make shows. That in itself has fueled the enthusiasm and growth for the Chrysler Nationals at Carlisle. It has become the largest all-Mopar show on the planet. This year broke the record for the show: 3,156 vehicles wound up registered for the show field at the 2023 Carlisle Chrysler Nationals July 13-15.

I've attended the Chrysler show at Carlisle every year since the first show in 1991. Over the years attending this event, it's become a sort of reunion for my friends and me as we make our annual trek to Carlisle from around the US. But I've also met people from around the world and I've kept in touch with some, including people from Australia, Brazil, Canada, and Norway. This year I had the opportunity to re-



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connect with Chrysler enthusiasts from Norway who I had met years ago at Carlisle. Knowing they would be visiting, they took advantage of using my address as a shipping address for parts they had ordered online from vendors who wouldn't ship to international customers. The four travelers from Norway then flew into Dulles Airport on Sunday afternoon, July 9th. As travelers often do, the first thing on their agenda was to go shopping. So, a trip to Leon's Auto Parts (a 100-acre salvage yard full of 50's to 80's vehicles near Culpepper) was the first activity on their list for Monday morning.



But not being used to Virginia's weather (Norway has two seasons, winter and July) they didn't last long in the overgrown tick and mosquito-infested junk yard. Their next stop was AMK Products in Winchester, where they stocked up on automotive hardware.

> Then I got the call from them letting me know they were on their way to my place. Five friends brought over their old Mopars to give the visitors a proper Mopar welcome. We enioved their visit as we heard tales of massive car shows for vintage American cars in their part of the world, and stories of restorations done without easy access to American vendors or parts cars. But the afternoon went quickly and then they somehow managed to cram all their purchases from Leon's, AMK, and the parts that had shipped to my house, into the back of their



rented Tahoe along with all their luggage. On Tues..and Wed., they took a tour of the White House, visited Harper's Ferry, and took a guided tour of Gettysburg. Meanwhile, my buddy and I prepared our cars for the trip to the show. In the last newsletter, you saw my buddy had removed the vinyl top on his Dart Swinger. As always seems to be the case, the reassembly was going on right up to the day before the show. He used nine rattle cans of Top Banana Yellow paint from Auto Body Supply in Winchester to paint the roof and it matched the original yellow shade perfectly. But the worrisome part



was reinstalling the front and rear window. The original window gaskets ordered proved to be defective or ill fitting. New, better-quality gaskets had to be ordered and overnighted from Precision, and the windows installed with

little time to spare. On Thursday,

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## MEMBER NEWS: [from page 12]

**CHRYSLERS CARLISLE, CON'T** as other friends were bringing 66-67 Dodge Coronets, I drove my red 67 Coronet convertible. We put up our canopies for the weekend on Thursday to stake our claim to five show car spaces in the 66-67 Coronet class.



The Norwegians enjoyed Carlisle, but weren't accustomed to the heat. Still they found lots of parts to buy in the vendor section, even a large bulky gas tank, and somehow managed to fit it all in the rented Tahoe. I wasn't looking for parts this year, so my main goal was to see cars. As for the pictures, well, I only took 1500 photos this time. It will be difficult to scale that number down to a more manageable number of pictures to submit for the newsletter, but I'll try. The size of the car corral gets smaller every year, but there's still many cars for sale in the corral and in the vendor area in every condition.





My favorite was the Dodge Power Wagon with the Tiki bar in back. There are always about a dozen AMC products in the show. Among them this

year was a late 50's Rambler American. Next, a 1961 DeSoto, its last model year, as it was discontinued before the 1961 calendar year started.



A 1961 Valiant was the earliest of Chrysler's compact cars in the show.



The largest part of the show field was occupied by 1962-74 B body Plymouths and Dodges. The cars in that group that seem to be everyone's favorites are the 68-70 Chargers like this 68 Charger. One of the "Forward Look" Mopars was this 57 Dodge two door wagon. Among the "Beautiful Brutes" as Chrysler once referred to the "300" series cars, was this 65 4-speed convertible. Next, this 73 Imperial was one of several Imperials at the show.



There were several vintage race cars, but the Sox and Martin 1971 Plymouth Cricket was the most unusual of them.





The blue 70 Sport Fury GT is one of six built with the optional 440 Six-Pack engine, and the only one known to be running. Scattered across the show field were several unique Australian Mopars, including a mid-50's Plymouth Savoy Ute.



Those who like winged cars were in for a treat this year at Carlisle as there was a long row of Dodge Daytonas



and Plymouth Superbirds. I liked the dark blue 67 Belvedere wagon *[next page]*, and in the past, the owner has given me some help in finding wagon specific

parts for my own Belvedere wagon.

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#### MEMBER NEWS: [from page 13] CHRYSLERS CARLISLE, CON'T



The Plum Crazy Purple 70 Road Runner convertible seemed to have it all. The desirable high impact color, four speed, and the Air Grabber hood.



Another stunning car was the bronze 1960 Chrysler New Yorker Town and Country wagon.



Here's three of the many Dodge trucks in attendance.







Another AMC was this Hornet hatchback with a camping tent option



A couple more in the "300" series: a white 57 300-C, and a 64 convertible.





The 64 Plymouth was an actual vintage police car.





Surviving 1968 Dodge Coronets are more rarely seen than both earlier and later examples. The freshly restored 68 Coronet 500 convertible was stunning. Next, a '61 Dodge Dart with the D-500 engine option, and a 56 Dodge Royal Lancer.





A pretty little 65 Dart convertible and a 71 Roadrunner.



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