

MOPAR EXPRESS

Presidents report

Hello Everyone,
 First of all, thank you to all the volunteers who came out to help make Mopar Madness a great success. Without your help, we wouldn't have a show. If your name isn't on the list of volunteers, please add it during the meeting. One of many positive comments came from Facebook. ***"Best car show every time. You don't have to search for the nice cars through a sea of clutter otherwise known as not a Mopar. Lol. Great show, great crowd"***



Thank you to Mark and Colleen Myles for bringing Ray's truck and car out to the show and then hosting the after show BBQ. It was good to be able to sit back and relax and sip a cold one after a long day.

On August 13, Karin and I will be driving Duke to Oak Harbour WA to attend Mopars Unlimited, Northwest Chapter's annual Summer Sizzler car show. Always a great show and a nice drive through Deception Pass State Park. So if you're looking for a cruise, it would be great to see you there.

Keep on cruising

Jim



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Mopars Unlimited is a non-profit car club dedicated to the restoration and preservation of Mopar cars and trucks

MOPAR MADNESS 2023



With 197 registered plus an unknown number of unregistered Mopars, the 30th annual Mopar Madness was a success. I'm not sure how many spectators came out to the show but I heard there were no parking spots for two blocks.

The smiles on the drivers faces as they rolled through the giant Dunlop tire, pausing briefly to have their photo taken before cruising over to park their rides, made all the planning and work worthwhile.

The center display with Ray's truck and Hemi powered '64 Dodge 330, or as Ray liked to refer to it, his "Addiction" received non stop attention throughout the show.

Looking at the many photos and videos circulating on Facebook and YouTube, makes me smile and proud to have been a part of the 30th Annual Mopar Madness...I wonder what next year will bring?

Jim Miki

Vern Keith's "Dusty" won the "Best Club Car" trophy.



Mopar Madness 2023

Mopars Unlimited Club Choice, L'Donna Lynds - 1958 Desoto



Mopar Madness 2023



The Swap Meet Had a Steady Stream of People looking for that “Special” Part

Village Classic Car Show Chilliwack

The summer sun shone down on hundreds of shiny classic cars as thousands of people flocked to downtown Chilliwack for an annual car show on the weekend.

More than 550 cars filled the streets of Chilliwack for the Fortin's Village Classic Car Show on Sunday, June 25. The event attracted about 20,000 people to the downtown core.

Trevor McDonald, executive director with the Downtown Chilliwack Business Improvement Association, called it the "biggest and best one yet."

The Chilliwack Progress



Village Classic Car Show Chilliwack



Mopars Unlimited Car Club Meeting Minutes

June 21st, 2023 at Ricky's Walnut Grove

23 members in attendance

Called to order @ 7:01pm

Mopar Madness

- Thank you to all who went out & got sponsorship, the show is now fully funded by sponsors
- We will be going back to classes again this year
- Question whether we will allow ALL Chrysler related vehicles (ie-Peugot, Fiat). Yes, if they pay, they can go into Chrysler Related class
- Tshirts & trophies are ordered, no ETA yet
- The tire this year will be closer to Registration so we can take photos of cars as they come into the show
- Sign-up sheet is going around, please sign up for a specific job but if you don't mind what you do, we will find something for you to help with
- After the show, Ray's kids would like to carry on the tradition he set and invite the club to his house for a BBQ
- Jim is meeting with the Lodge Steakhouse on Friday to work out a menu & location
- Funds from the raffle ticket sales will go to the Langley Food Bank. Funds from the Silent Auction will go to Stocking Stuffers for Seniors. We were planning to donate money from the 50/50 to the Leukemia & Lymphoma Association of Canada via a car show a week later but that show has just been cancelled.
- Discussion about what charities we could support. A show of hands chose BC Children's Hospital
- Club Members may put their cars in the show but cannot vote.
- There will be a Best Club Car added to the ballot for participants to vote on

Shows

- Small show & shine/photo op this Saturday at Laura's Cafe
- Fortins Show in Chilliwack this Sunday, meet at Rona @ 7:30am
- At the RE Mountain Show, Dennis took home Best Mopar & Jim took Best 4x4

Ray's Memorial

- July 23rd 11am – 4pm @ Ray's house by invitation only
- Club Members (old & new) are invited to attend
- Bring your own picnic & car

BREAK

50/50 Raffle held

Executive Reports

- Treasurer – we have money in chequing and more coming in from sponsors
- Membership Director – 2 new members. Welcome Tim & Sandra.
- Secretary – nothing to report, please sign up for volunteering at the show
- Website Director – all good
- Newsletter - any buy & sell, pictures or stories can be sent to our club email address.

Buy & Sell

Meeting adjourned @ 7:51pm

Next meeting to be held July 19, 2023

Mopars Unlimited Executive Meeting

July 5th, 2023

Attendees: Jaylene, Jim, Vern, Gary, Garry, Lore, Glen & Bruce

Absent: Sandy, Lawrence, Rick

Meeting called to order @ 7:10pm @ Ricky's

Mopar Madness

- Gary went to KMS and found out we have a credit there which we will use for some raffle prizes since we didn't get much and a \$200 gift card for the participants' raffle
- Vern has 2 items, Garry has 2 director's chairs and Gary has 2 fender covers for silent auction
- Banner has been posted at the Rec Center at George Preston
- Karin is putting the goody bags together
- Jim is printing the show maps on larger paper
- Jim will check the trailer tomorrow for supplies and stanchion numbers

Christmas Party

- Decided to try The Lodge this year because they don't charge for the room

Meeting adjourned @ 7:44pm



NW Mopars Unlimited and Oak Harbor Motors Presents:

Summer Sizzler **2023**



August 13th 2023

All Mopar Car Show & Swap Meet



Dash Plaques for first 100 entries

- SHOW ENTRY • \$20
- REGISTRATION • 9AM TO 12PM
- VOTING • 11AM TO 1PM
- AWARDS • 2PM
- TROPHIES AND PLAQUES
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GFV MOPARS UNLIMITED CAR CLUB MEMBERSHIP

Our purpose is to promote the preservation and restoration of motor vehicles produced by the Chrysler Corporation and to provide a common meeting place to accomplish the purpose of the organization and promote goodwill among themselves and their sport.

2023 CLUB DIRECTORS

President: Jim Miki
Vice Presidents: Garry Keay
Garry Payne
Treasurer: Loré Arens
Secretary: Jaylene Smillie
Membership Director: Sandy Raadschelders
Sergeant at Arms: Rick Campbell
Newsletter Editor: vacant
Webmaster: Lawrence Raadschelders
Stores: Rick Campbell
Events Director: Vacant
Directors at Large: Glen Solly
Vern Keith
Bruce Johnston

Club Mailing Address:

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CLUB MEETS every 3rd Wednesday of the month except for December & January at Ricky's Restaurant in Walnut Grove (8720 202 st. Langley, BC) @ 7:00 PM

MEMBERSHIP DUES: \$30.00

TREASURY REPORT: available to members by request to the Treasurer or attending the monthly meetings.

NEWSLETTER:

Please email your event photos / stories to:

mopars.vancouver@gmail.com

Web Site: Mopars Unlimited, Vancouver

Club Email Address:

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DISCOUNTS OFFERED TO MEMBERS

ABBOTSFORD CHRYSLER DODGE JEEP RAM (20%)	30285 Automat Dr. Abbotsford	(604) 857-1000
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To be revised as other vendors offer discount.

Club Members Business Cards



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