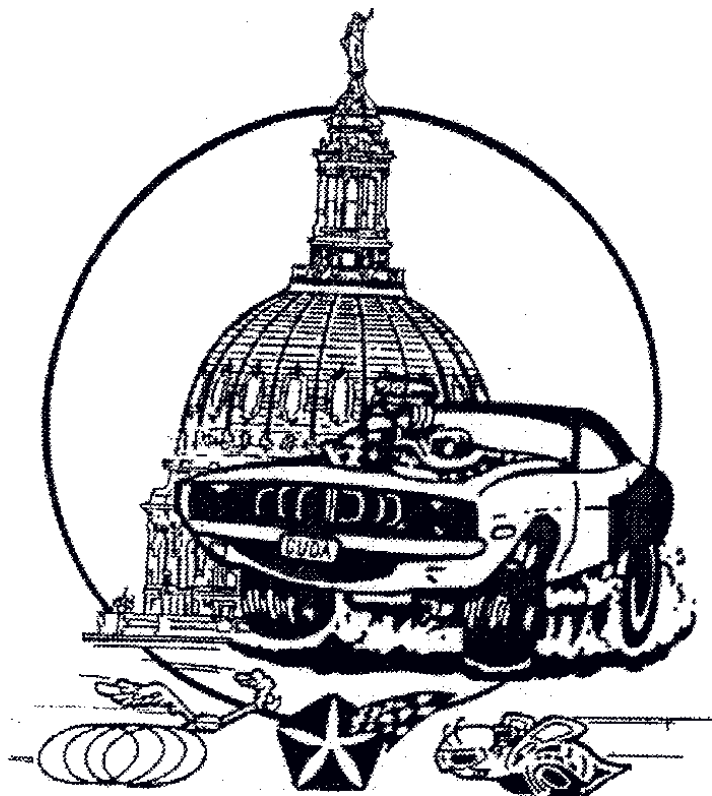


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Mopar Muscle Cars of Austin is a non-profit organization formed September 1986. The MMCA is "Dedicated to the restoration, preservation, and promotion of Chrysler built products." Monthly club meetings are currently being held the first Tuesday of every month at 6:30 PM at Heart of Texas Dodge, 7309 N IH-35, Austin, Texas 78752

The MMCA is open to all persons of good character. Yearly membership dues are \$25.00 per person. As a member, you receive a newsletter with free newsletter classifieds, a discount on parts at participating vendors, obtain access to a network of Mopar parts and paraphernalia, and become eligible to attend club functions as well as show off your Mopar. Non-members may place an ad in the newsletter for a \$5.00 donation. Copies of the newsletter are available for a \$1.00 donation.

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Editorial

By Steve Lacker

I'm pleased to report that the annual club cruise and picnic in Bastrop was a success again this year. The Austin club contributed 9 vehicles to the festivities: Kit's 73 Challenger, Ken's 74 Satellite, Terry's "Jalapeno" 74 Barracuda, Jeff's 69 GTX, Enrique's 73 Barracuda, John Molloy's '69 Charger, my 73 Satellite (driven by my wife Ann) and '66 Polara, and club visitor David Anderson's 1959 DeSoto Firedome convertible. A few members whose rides are in progress also came along for the fun- Dustin and Jennifer Cloud, Glenn and Rebecca Swaffield, and Chris Ryon. My daughter Caitlin and Rebecca pretty much immediately abandoned the car show and headed for the playground.

The weather cooperated nicely too with a mix of clouds and sun. Several of us had a pretty good case of "cloud burn" by the end of the day- funny how it sneaks up on you on these cool spring days! Members of the Houston and San Antonio clubs began arriving, and we had a grand total of around 15-18 cars (I never actually counted, come to think of it!)

As we were getting settled in the park, a pair of immaculate "brand X" automobiles showed up. A 1970 Ford Torino Cobra and a 1969 Camaro Z-28 pulled in and their drivers chatted with us for a while. They were members of a local Bastrop all-makes car club who had gotten wind that we were in the area and wanted to check us out.

A gentleman from Del Valle high school also came up to tell me about a car show the school is putting on to fund its shop class's project. They're turning an early 60's Ford truck into a bit of a street rod, with T-bird suspension and a fuel-injected engine from a late model car. The show will be held at Del Valle high school on May 5th, and more information can be found on our club website

(<http://www.mopar.org>). Just click on the "news" link and read the instructions.

Speaking of the website, Carl Samos and I have finally gotten our heads (and schedules) together enough to make the site quite a bit more useful. There is now a "news" link that is updated not just once but several times per month. Look here for final solutions to any plans left unfinished at the monthly meetings and other late-breaking news. There is also an online version of the club calendar as it appears in this newsletter. It too gets updated more regularly than just once per month. There is also a link to the MMCA "discussion board" and Carl is beginning work on a "member's cars" section. Finally, we've started populating the "links" page. Look there for links to parts vendors, other Austin car clubs, other Mopar clubs both statewide and nationwide, and miscellaneous automotive websites of interest. Check back regularly to see how things are going, and please let me know of anything else (including page links) you'd like to see added to the website.

The rest of the newsletter material this month is a collection of photos of the Bastrop Picnic. Thanks to Terry Siegmund for bringing along his digital camera. Oh, and by the way- if you visit the website, you can see this newsletter in full color!

Steve

Dues Blues

following people are due for dues in the month of March: Pat Reese, Carl Samos, and Isaac Jackson Mike Mosley. If you haven't done so already, please send money to Harry.

**Annual Mopar Picnic at Bastrop
March 31, 2001**



Austin Club Members' Vehicles

L-R: 1969 Dodge Charger, 1973 Dodge Challenger, 1969 Plymouth GTX, 1974 Plymouth Barracuda, 1973 Plymouth Barracuda, 1966 Dodge Polara, a white Chevy and a 1959 DeSoto Firedome
Out of frame: 1974 Plymouth Satellite Sebring, 1973 Plymouth Satellite Custom



Austin club members

**Top, CW from left: Enrique Guerra, Willie "Jeff" Jeffries, John, and Ken Beard
Bottom, CW from left: Carol Neal, Chris Ryon, David Anderson, David's wife, and Kit Neal**





CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2001

April 2001

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
1 Belton Swap Meet	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20 New Braunfels Swap Meet	21 New Braunfels Swap Meet
22	23	24	25	26 Pate Swap Meet	27 Pate Swap Meet	28 Pate Swap Meet
29 Pate Swap Meet	30					

May 2001

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5 Del Valle High School Car Show
6	7	8	9	10	11	12 Kars for Kids show
13	14	15	16	17	18	19 Blanco Car Show
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

April 7-8 Brady, TX 1st Annual Heart of Texas Swap Meet & Car Corral, info: 915/597-2420
 Apr 20-22 New Braunfels, TX New Braunfels Swap Meet Comal County Fairgrounds, 801 E Common St.
 New Braunfels, TX 78130 info: <http://www.newbraunfelsswapmeet.com/>
 April 26-29 Fort Worth 29th Annual Spring Pate Swap Meet
 May 5 DelValle, TX First Annual Del Valle High School Car show to fund Auto Tech class's
 annual project. Info and registration available at www.mopar.org under the "news" link.
 May 12 Austin, TX Kars for Kids benefit auction and car show. This is our clubs annual "big event," our
 name's on the T-shirt and everything! The show runs roughly 10 AM to 3 PM, located at the Sonic Drive-in on
 Riverside Drive, one block east of South Congress. We usually meet at Landry's Seafood between 8:30 and 9
 AM so that we can drive down, register, and park as a group
 May 19 Blanco, TX 13th Annual Classic Car Show at Yett Park, info 830/833-5101 (daytime)
 June 2-3 Boerne, TX 13th Annual National Dodge Charger Meet Info: 830-981-5383
 July 27-30 Fredericksburg, TX 24th Annual Hill Country Swap Meet, held at Lady Bird Johnson Municipal Park.

Member Advertisement Section

Items For Sale

Mopar Muscle Cars of Austin 10th Anniversary License Plate Frames.

These are metal frames with black-on-white lettering. Frames are now officially real cheap!. **Contact Harry Amon (512) 345-5832** and he might just give you a pair (or charge \$5 each, \$8 for a pair).
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Parting out '68 Plymouth Satellite. Mostly sheet metal
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1964 361 engine, complete, needs rebuild  
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LA purple cam .284 (NIB) \$100
LA single plane intake, \$100
LA six-pack intake, \$200
A-833 4-speed w/ pistol-grip E-body, \$500
4-speed console, \$100
Rallye gauge w/ wiring, E-body, \$100
(2) 72-74 Challenger taillight assy., \$75 / pr
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73 Satellite Sebring 2-door hardtop, 318, auto, right rear quarter damage (have good rear half), \$1500 OBO

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-6 pack air cleaner  
-Big block heads, 2 each 906, 915, 452, 346 castings

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Parting out 400 Mopars, 1953 to 1976, southeast of Austin.
Open Saturday 10 AM-5 PM
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(2) 15x8 inch Mopar Cop Car rims
Rallye hood or Fiberglass 6-pack (T/A) hood for Challenger
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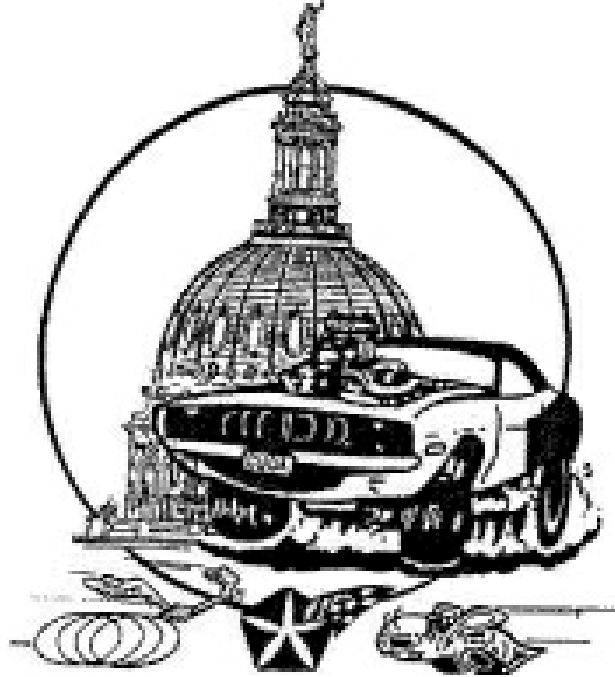
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1967 Plymouth body service manual  
radiator #2785934

Good driver's side quarter panel for 66/67 Belvedere/Satellite 2-door

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Taillight Assemblies for 1968 Barracuda.
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