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ROAD RUMBLINGS...

Greetings Gearheads

This issue is a little later than usual so we could do a little re-cap on the Goodguys Show here in Nashville.

What a show it was!!! It will be interesting to see what GG says the vehicle count was, but a lot of guessing going on and a lot of numbers around 2500 cool rides at LP field. If you missed this show, plan on it for next year (entry forms available now). The only real grumbling I heard was about the HEAT & HUMIDITY and getting in the show on Sat am. Cant do much on the weather. At least the rain held off until Sunday, but it still got the awards program, making for some damp trophy presentations. Getting into the show on Sat am proved challenging. I know the boys in Blue(Nashville's Finest) were trying to do what they thought was going to help the traffic move quicker, but the closer you got to the entrance the worse it got compared to last year. Yes there were more rides trying to get in, but the confusion on which lane we were told to be in, and the lane we actually needed to be in proved too much for some cooling systems as told by the green stuff on the ground in mass quantities sometimes. Hopefully next year the spectator parking entrance will be moved away from the show entrance and things will smooth up. Anyone interested in some suggestions get a hold of me, as a lot of the Goodguys I was with had a pretty good make sense plan for next year. Can't hurt right???

Congrats go out to Mark & Rhonda Delk as their 69 BOSS 302 was selected as THE MUSCLE CAR FINALST from the Nashville show. They are now in the running to win MUSCLE CAR OF THE YEAR which will

be announced in November by GoodGuys. Congrats go out to George Ross also for being selected as 1 of 2 of US RADIATORS Coolest Classic awards with the 1954 Corvette he restored. Yours truly got selected to have the ol' 57 truck shot for a feature in TRUCK BUILDER Magazine. Pretty Cool!!!

Overall the Goodguys show was fun for all in my opinion.

Let's give some other recognition while we're at it. Jewell Shauck had her killer PRO TOUR 69 Camaro filmed for MASTER POWER Brakes for some upcoming Commercials on Powerblock. Those should debut in the August timeframe. Not just still shots but lots of driving shots too with some killer burnouts. You go girl!!!! Brad Thomas had his 1930 Ford Phaeton featured on Powerblock on July 1st with the lovely Courtney Hansen as host. It looked killer on the tube Brad!!!! Tom Akers of the Bellevue Cruisers had the 70 Mach 1 featured on MuscleCar Flashback on the MuscleCar show on SpikeTV on June 10th. It was looking good. And last but no means least, our good buddy Leon Basford scored a TOP 35 award at this years F-100 Nationals in Knoxville with his 56 Ford F-100. Over 1400 F-100 entries at this years big doin's for the Effie crowd. Way to go Leon!!!! He says it was the too cool interior by "Stitch Shauck" over at HOT RODS & THREADS that helped him into the TOP 35.

Speaking of shows, getting feedback again on how some shows have been judged this year. Some un-happy Gearheads. More to come on this issue...stay tuned.

Cruise info:

- > Don't forget about the BIG POWERCRUISE to Somerset KY at the end of July. Check out the info in the events section and make those hotel reservations now (if you can get a room).
- > The MHRC guys over in Murfreesboro have a temporary home for the Friday nite cruise nite on July 6th. Check out the event section for more details before you head over.
- > Saturday July 7th is the Bellevue Cruisers monthly cruise at the Bellevue mall. Check it out!!!
- > Got some reports on the monthly cruise at Woodbury(see cruise section for info) They are hosting over 150 rides on cruise nites so why not do something different and check this one out!!!
- > There is a new Sunday nite cruise in Murfreesboro on Sunday Nites. Check out the cruise section and check out the cruise in.

Calling all Car Clubs:

We have gotten more than a couple requests for Car Club info over the years. We think the time is right to start a Car Club Listing Section in the Ol' **GAZZETTE**. If you want your club listed, e-mail to me at gearheadgazzette@aol.com the following info, and we'll see what happens. CLUB NAME / CONTACT NAME for club / Contact Number / E-mail address / website listing.

Until next issue, keep it between the lines....

Jimmy B.

As always, if you want the **GAZZETTE** direct instead of forwarded 2nd hand, let us know. All you need to do is send me an email at gearheadgazzette@aol.com. You can also always check out the current issue of the **GAZZETTE** on line at www.gearheadgazzette.com.

"Remember...we're here for a good time...not a long time...Enjoy the Ride".

"COOL CRUISIN" FOR 2007

FOR ALL OF THE CLUBS & CRUISE NITE HOSTS, OR IF YOU KNOW OF A CRUISE NIGHT HAPPENING IN 2007, BE IT WEEKLY OR MONTHLY, SEND ME THE INFO. SEND THE COMPLETE INFO TO ME AT gearheadgazette@aol.com

- CLARKSVILLE TN: CLARKSVILLE'S FRIENDLIEST "CRUISE-IN". EVERY SATURDAY FROM 5PM - 9PM AT THE DQ GRILL & CHILL. LOCATED ON MADISON ST CLARKSVILLE TN. HOSTED BY THE "NO CAR CLUBGROUP". THE LAST SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH A POKER RUN IS HELD BY THE "CARS FOR KIDS" GANG. MORE INFO CALL 931-980-8960.
- MURFREESBORO TN: THE MHRC CRUISE WILL BE BACK STARTING FRIDAY MAY 4TH AND RUN EACH FRIDAY UNTIL OCT 5TH. THE CRUISE WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE SAME LOCATION AS 2006, THE MERCURY PLAZA LOCATED AT 1000 MERCURY BLVD IN MURFREESBORO. MUSIC, FOOD AND FUN FOR ALL. FOR MORE INFO CONTACT JOHN ORTWIEN AT ortweinj@comcast.net or go to www.4mhrc.net .
- NASHVILLE TN: THE BELLEVUE CRUISERS WILL HOST THEIR MONTHLY CRUISE IN ON THE 1ST SAT NITE OF EACH MONTH FROM APRIL 7TH - OCT 6TH. CRUISING STARTS AT 5PM. MUSIC, DOOR PRIZES AND ALWAYS SOME REALLY COOL RIDES!!! LOCATED AT THE BELLEVUE MALL AT EXIT #196 OFF I-40. FOR MORE INFO CALL 615-478-5032 OR E-MAIL TO bellevuecruisers@hotmail.com
- FRANKLIN TN: THE BATTLEFIELD AACA WILL BE HOSTING A CRUISE NITE ON THE 2ND & 4TH SATURDAY NITES EACH MONTH FROM APRIL TO OCTOBER. THE CRUISE WILL HAPPEN AT THE SONIC DRIVE IN ON MALLORY LANE ACROSS FROM CENTENNIAL HIGH SCHOOL. CRUISE TIME IS 5-9pm. FOR MORE INFO AND DIRECTIONS. **NOTE: THIS CRUISE REPLACES WHAT USED TO BE THE BACK YARD BURGER CRUISE!! THEY DON'T WANT CRUISERS THERE BASED ON INFO FROM THE AACA FOLKS!!!**
- DICKSON TN: THE SILVER HAIR ROD CLUB WILL BE HOSTING A CRUSIE NITE ON THE 3RD SAT NITE OF EACH MONTH FROM APRIL - OCT. THEY WILL HOST THE CRUISE AT THE DICKSON PLAZA SHOPPING CENTER ON HWY 70 ACROSS FROM THE KROGER NEAR THE BYPASS. FOR MORE INFO AND DIRECTIONS CALL 615-504-0212.
- SOMERSET KY: SOMERNITES CRUISE. HELD ON THE 4TH SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH, APRIL THRU OCTOBER 2007. SHOW & SHINE STARTS AT 2PM AND "CRUISING THE STRIP" STARTS AT 8PM. THIS IS A BIG ONE WITH 1000+ RIDES SHOWING UP. FOR MORE INFO CALL 800-642-6287 OR GO TO www.somernitescruise.com .
- MT JULIET TN: CRUISE-IN AT THE SONIC DRIVE IN AT 3655 N MT JULIET RD. HAPPENS EVERY SAT NITE FROM 4PM -CLOSING. FOR MORE INFO CALL 615-871-4620
- McMINNVILLE TN: McMINNVILLE CRUISERS - CRUISE-IN. THIS ONE HAPPENS THE 1ST SAT NITE OF EACH MONTH. IT'S HELD IN THE SECURITY FEDERAL PARKING LOT FROM 5-9PM. MUSIC, DRAWINGS AND MORE!!!
- LEBANON TN: CRUISE IN AT DOLLAR DINER LOCATED AT 1334 WEST MAIN ST IN LEBANON. CRUISING STARTS ON MARCH 17TH. TROPHIES FOR BEST CAR, TRUCK, MOTORCYCLES AND PEOPLES CHOICE. HAVE PARTS FOR SALE, BRING EM" ALL YEARS WELCOME. FOR MORE INFO CALLL 615-943-4680.
- **MURFREESBORO TN: HOSTED BY AND AT THE SONIC DRIVE IN AT 2360 S.CHURCH ST (HWY 231). FROM 5-7PM ON SUNDAYS STARTING MAY 13. HOT RODS 7 CUSTOM CARS INVITED. GET 20% OF YORU ORDER.**
- **WOODBURY TN: 2ND SAT NITE OF EACH MONTH THE CRUISERS GO TO THE SQUARE IN WOODBURY AND HAVE A BIG TIME. CRUISING HAPPENS FROM 4-9PM. LOTS OF SHADE TO BEAT THE HEAT AND EVEYONE IS INVITED.**
- **LIVINGSTON TN: MONTHLY CRUISE IN HOSTED BY THE STANDING STOVE CRUISERS CAR CLUB. HAPPENS THE 2ND SAT NITE APRIL - OCT. ALL RIDES ARE WELCOME. STARTS AT 4PM AND GOES UNTIL ??? CRUISING HAPPENS ON THE SQUARE IN LIVINGSTON. FOR MORE INFO GO TO www.standingstonecruisers.com .**

SHOW INFO AT A GLANCE

- JULY 1ST: NASHVILLE TN: GOODGUYS NASHVILLE NATIONALS
- JULY 2: NASHVILLE TN: GREAT AMERICAN RACE 2007 STOP AT THE LANE MOTOR MUSEUM.
- JULY 4TH: CALVERT CITY KY: TOP GUN SERIES 4TH OF JULY SHOW
- JULY 5 - DEC 31: NASHVILLE TN: NISSAN Z CARS EXHIBIT.
- **JULY 7TH: MURFREESBORO TN: INTERIM LOCATION FOR MHRC FRIDAY NITE CRUISE. SEE INFO BELOW**
- JULY 7-8: KNOXVILLE TN: NOPI SOUTHEASTERN MINI TRUCK & SPORT COMPACT CAR NATIONALS
- JULY 13-15: COLUMBUS OH: 10TH ANNUAL GOODGUYS PPG NATIONALS
- JULY 13-15: INDIANAPOLIS IN: SUPER CHEVY SHOW BEING HELD AT IRP

- JULY 14TH: 8TH ANNUAL LaVERGNE DARE/ROTARY CAR SHOW
- JULY 14TH: ATHENS-DECATUR AL: 20TH ANNUAL GREATER TENNESSEE VALLEY ANTIQUE CAR & HARLEY SHOW.
- JULY 14 & 15: BUCHANAN TN: KOOL KARS & HOT JULY NIGHTS
- JULY 14: SPENCER TN: 3RD ANNUAL MOUNTAIN HOMECOMING
- JULY 21ST: LAWRENCEBURG TN: 29TH ANNUAL CAR & TRUCK SHOW & FLEA MARKET
- JULY 21-22: FRANKLIN OH: 3RD ANNUAL SOUTHWEST OHIO'S PREMIER INDOOR/OUTDOOR CAR & TRUCK SHOW.
- JULY 20-22: ST PAUL MN: CAR CRAFT MAGAZINE SUMMER NATIONALS
- JULY 27-28: SOMERSET KY: SOMERSET NITE POWERCRUISE
- July 28-29: HOPKINSVILLE KY: 4TH SOUTHERN SLAM SHOW
- AUG 2-5TH: LOUISVILLE KY: 38TH ANNUAL NSRA STREET ROD NATIONALS.
- AUG 9 - 12: DEARBORN MI: THE DEUCE 75TH ANNIVERSARY EVENT - "BRINGING IT HOME".
- AUG 10-12: BOWLING GREEN KY: 26TH ANNUAL CORVETTE HOMECOMING
- AUG 11: ARDMORE AL: 7TH ANNUAL ARDMORE QUARTER CAR & TRUCK SHOW.
- AUG 12TH: BOWLING GREEN: ALL GM CAR SHOW AT WESTERN KY UNIVERSITY EXPO CENTER
- AUG 18 & 19: CALVERT CITY KY: SUMMER DREAMIN SHOW & SHINE
- AUG 24: ADAMS TN: SOUTHERN THUNDER MOTORCYCLE RALLY
- Aug 24-26: EVANSVILLE IN: 33RD ANNUAL FROG FOLLIES SHOW. 1948 & EARLIER.
- AUG 24-26: SPRINGFIELD IL: 28TH ANNUAL O'REILLY AUTO PARTS HOT ROD SUPER NATIONALS.
- AUG 25: DICKSON TN: 5TH ANNUAL OPEN CAR & TRUCK SHOW BY CENTRAL TN CLASSIC CHEVYS
- AUG 30 - SEPT 2: BOWLING GREEN KY: 13TH ANNUAL CORVETTE MUSEUM CELEBRATION.
- AUG 31-SEPT 2: KANSAS CITY KS: 6TH ANNUAL MIDWESTERN NATIONALS BY GOODGUYS
- SEPT 1: GOODLETTSVILLE TN: 26TH ANNUAL BOWEN CAMPBELL AUTO EXPO
- SEPT 1 & 2: PADUCAH KY: TOP GUN NATIONALS CAR SHOW
- SEPT 7 & 8TH: PIGEON FORGE TN: SHADES OF THE PAST SRA HOT ROD ROUNDUP #25
- SEPT 9: FRANKLIN TN: CHILDRENS MIRACLE NETWORK HOSPITAL CHARITY RIDE
- SEPT 13-15: BOWLING GREEN KY: CAMARO / FIREBIRD EVENT.
- SEPT 13-16: PIGEON FORGE TN: 2007 FALL GRAND RUN
- SEPT 13-16: CHARLOTTE NC: CHARLOTTE AUTO FAIR FALL MEET
- SEPT 14-16: SPRINGFIELD MO: 19TH ANNUAL O'REILLY'S FALL STREET MACHINE NATIONALS.
- SEPT 15-16: LOUISVILLE KY: CHRA "RUN FOR THE SON" 2007
- SEPT 22: PULASKI TN: ANNUAL P.A.C.E. CAR SHOW
- SEPT 22: CHAPEL HIL TN: STEP BACK IN TIME EVENT AT HENRY HORTON STATE PARK.
- SEPT 22: COLUMBUS MS: 16TH ANNUAL PRIDE & JOY CRUISE
- SEPT 27 - 29: BOWLING GREEN KY: PACE CAR EVENT
- SEPT 29: COLLEGE GROVE TN: 2ND ANNUAL "CRUISIN THE GROVE" MOTORSPORTS EXPO
- SEPT 29: NASHVILLE TN: CAR SHOW AT AL MENAH SHRINE CENTER
- OCT 6TH: COLUMBIA TN: NEW LIFE CAR SHOW BENIFITTING RONALD McDONALD HOUSE
- OCT 6TH: LYNCHBURG TN: CRUISIN THE HOLLOW HOSTED BY THE WHISKEY RUNNERS CLUB
- OCT 6TH: GALLATIN TN: 2007 FALL SWAP MEET HOSTED BY MID-SOUTH CHEVELLE CLUB
- OCT 11-13: BOWLING GREEN KY: CLASSIC CORVETTES
- OCT 12-14: TAMPA FL: NSRA SOUTHEAST NATIONALS
- OCT 18TH: NASHVILLE TN: 4TH ANNIVERSARY OF LANE MOTOR MUSEUM.
- OCT 18-20: KNOXVILLE TN: FALL EDITION OF THE CORVETTE EXPO
- OCT 20TH: FRANKLIN TN: 18TH ANNUAL ANTIQUE & CLASSIC CAR SHOW HOSTED BY THE BATTLEFIELD REGION AACA
- OCT 26-28: CHARLOTTE NC: 14TH ANNUAL GOODGUYS SOUTHEASTERN NATIONALS
- NOV 10-11: FRANKLIN TN: 4TH ANNUAL KRIS KRINGLE KAR KLASSIC AT WILLIAMSON CTY AgEXPO CTR.

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THE NEW STUFF IS LISTED IN ITALIC'

JULY 2007:

- JULY 2: NASHVILLE TN: GREAT AMERICAN RACE 2007 STOP. THIS WILL BE AN OVER NITE STOP. LOTS OF ACTIVITIES ARE PLANNED. WATCH THE CARS PULL IN. FOR MORE INFO CALL 615-742-7445 OR GO TO www.lanemotormuseum.org .
- JULY 4: CALVERT CITY KY: FIRECRACKER SPARKLE & SHINE TOP GUN SERIES 4TH OF JULY 2007. SHOW BEING HELD AT THE OLD PARK IN CALVERT CITY KY. OPEN SHOW. DASH PLAQUES TO THE 1ST 100 ENTRIES. FOR MORE INFO CALL 270-382-2139 OR GO TO www.bluegrasscarevents.org .
- JULY 5-DEC 31: NASHVILLE TN: NISSAN Z CARS EXHIBIT AT THE LANE MOTOR MUSEUM. THIS EXHIBIT EXPLORES THE HISTORY OF THE Z CAR. FOR MORE INFO CALL 615-742-7445 OR GO TO www.lanemotormuseum.org .
- *JULY 6TH: MURFREESBORO TN: The Murfreesboro Hot Rod Club has secured an interim site to hold the "Friday Night Cruise-In" for the next Friday night 7/6. North Boulevard Church of Christ at 1112 Rutherford Blvd Murfreesboro, Tn 37130 has agreed to let us use their parking lot for this nights, we will then return to our regular site at Mercury Plaza Shopping Center.*
- JULY 7-8: KNOXVILLE TN: THE NOPI SOUTHEAST MINI TRUCKIN & SPORT COMPACT CAR NATIONALS. BEING HELD AT CHILLHOWE PARK. STEREO CONTEST, SPECIALTY AWARDS, BIKINI CONTEST AND MORE. MAGAZINE COVERAGE. BURNOUT CONTEST, DRAG & BRAG CONTEST, HYDRAULIC CONTEST, AND LOWEST OF THE LOW. FOR MORE INFO CALL 423-623-4644.
- JULY 13- 15: COLUMBUS OH: 10TH ANNUAL GOODGUYS PPG NATIONALS. SHOW BEING HELD AT THE HOIO STATE FAIRGROUNDS. FOR MORE INFO OR TO REGISTER GO TO www.good-guys.com OR CALL 925-838-9876.
- JULY 13-15: INDIANAPOLIS IN: SUPER CHEVY SHOW AT O'REILLY RACEWAY PARK (IRP). THIS IS THE ONE THAT STARTED IT ALL. FOR MORE INFO GO TO www.superchevyshow.com .
- JULY 14TH: ATHENS-DECATUR AL: 20TH ANNUAL GREATER TENNESSEE VALLEY ANTIQUE CAR & HARLEY DAVIDISON SHOW. SHOW BEING HELD AT THE DELPHI SAGINAW PLANTS ON HWY 31 SOUTH IN ATHENS - DECATUR AL. GRAND PRIZE IS A 1967 MUSTANG THAT IS A FRESH RESTORATION. ALSO OVER \$15000.00 IN CASH AND DOOR PRIZES INCLUDING A 350 MOTOR, 700R4 TRANS, SET OF CHROME WHEELS AND MORE TO BE GIVEN AWAY. FIRST 500 ENTRIES WILL RECEIVE A FREE DASH PLAQUE & T-SHIRT. AMERICAN & FOREIGN CARS THROUGH 1981 ONLY & AMERICAN TRUCKS THRU 1981 ONLY. THERE WILL BE PARTS VENDORS & ARTS AND CRAFTS TOO. **CHECK THIS ONE OUT, AS IT IS A GEARHEAD GAZZETTE PICK!!!**
- JULY 14TH: LAVERGNE TN: 8TH ANNUAL LAVERGEN / DARE ROTARY CAR & TRUCK SHOW. HELD BEHIND LAVERGNE CITY HALL. CONCESSIONS, DOOR PRIZES, 5 CLASSES. FOR MORE INFO CALL BAKER AT 615-459-4145 OR GO TO baker@raborn.net .
- JULY 14 & 15: BUCHANAN TN: TENNESSEE KRUIZIN' NATIONALS KOOL KARS & HOT JULY NIGHTS. SHOW TO BE HELD AT PARIS LANDING STATE RESORT PARK. OPEN SHOW. DASH PLAQUES TO THE 1ST 100 ENTIERES. FOR MORE INFO CALL 270-382-2139 OR GO TO www.bluegrasscarevents.org .
- *JULY 14: SPENCER TN: 3RD ANNUAL MOUNTAIN HOMECOMING. BEING HELD JUST OFF THE SQUARE IN SPENCER TN, AT THE OLD CITIZENS BANK. OPEN SHOW. TOP 5 AWARDS IN EACH OF THE CLASSES PLUS SOME SPECIALTY AWARDS. JOIN THEM FOR FOOD FUN CRAFTS AND MORE. FORMORE INFO CALL 931-946-2088.*
- JULY 20-22: ST PAUL MINN: GM PERFORMANCE DIVISION PRESENTS THE CAR CRAFT MAGAZINE SUMMER NATIONALS. BEING HELD AT MINNESOTA STATE FAIRGROUNDS IN ST PAUL MN. FOR MORE INFO GO TO www.carcraft.com .
- JULY 21: LAWRENCEBURG TN: 29TH ANNUAL CAR & TRUCK SHOW AND FLEA MARKET. HOSTED BY THE LAWRENCE COUNTY CLASSIC CAR CLUB. SHOW TO BE HELD AT THE ROTARY PARK ON NORTH MILITARY AVE. 40 CLASSES AND SPECIALTY AWARDS. PROCEEDS GO TO LAWRENCE COUNTY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT. FOR MORE INFO CALL 931-964-3658 OR GO TO www.lccc.com .
- JULY 21-22: FRANKLIN OH: 3RD ANNUAL SOUTHWEST OHIO'S PREMIER INDOOR/OUTDOOR CAR AND TRUCK SHOW HOSTED BY KINGDOM SPORTS CENTER & HASTY'S CAR COUNTRY CRUISERS. OPEN SHOW. SHOW IS HELD AT KINGDOM SPORTS CENTER. LOTS OF AWARDS. ALL PROCEEDS GO

TO THE AUTISM SOCIETY OF GREATER CINCINNATI OH. SWAP MEET GOING ON TOO. FIRST 200 GET DASH PLAQUE AND GOODY BAGS. FOR MORE INFO CALL 937-746-3370 OR GO TO www.kingdomsportscenter.com .

- JULY 27-28: SOMERSET KY: **CHECK THIS ONE OUT!!!** This is some info you might like to pass on to fellow car guys.... Somernites Cruise will be holding their 2nd Annual Power Cruise on July 27, 2007. All of the final preparations for Nashville area are still being finalized but at this time it looks as if we will leave for Somerset Kentucky at @8:00 am sharp Sat. July 28 from Opryland Hotel. Opryland has also verbally committed to holding a cruise on Friday nite 7-27-07 and provide entertainment for the cruisers...There will be Cruisers leaving from Cincinnati, Knoxville, and Louisville that same morning with all of us meeting hopefully about noon in Somerset...There will be Magazine coverage for the rides out of Cincinnati and Knoxville and the Somernites guy told me Horsepower TV mentioned interest in cruising with us from Nashville. Horsepower TV has been to Somernites Cruise 2 times already. The Inaugural 2006 Power Cruise had just over 400 Powercruisers from 3 cities (Knoxville, Cincinnati and Bowling Green) with about 1100 cars at the show. We all arrived by police escort and were treated to a barbecue lunch at the High School. The goal for 2007 is 1000-1500 Powercruisers with 2000 plus show cars!!! I have been at Somerset when they had just over 1500 cars in the show. What a site!!! And it's all free!! If you know of anyone going tell them to make motel reservations ASAP and pre-register on the Somernites web site so they can feed us all.... I have been asked by the Somernites Cruise staff to help organize and spread the word in this area. I will have new Brochures and info the 1st week of May and will start to hand them out at Murfreesboro on Fridays and in Franklin and Bellevue on their cruise nites. FOR MORE INFO CONTACT: Jim Lowe aka "The Guy in that Gray Primered Truck" 615-210-3244 **A GEARHEAD GAZETTE PICK EVENT!!!**
- * JULY 28-29: HOPKINSVILLE KY: 4TH ANNUAL SOUTHERN SLAM. SHOW BEING HELD AT JAMES E RUCÉ CONFERENCE CENTER ON HWY 41A SOUTH IN HOPKINSVILLE KY. OVER 30 CLASSES, SPECIALTY AWARDS, DRAG & BRAG, NEON CONTEST, BIKINI CONTEST AND MORE. FOR MORE INFO CALL 270-839-3598 OR GO TO www.vaperz.com .

AUGUST 2007:

- AUG 2-5: LOUISVILLE KY: 38TH ANNUAL NSRA STREET ROD NATIONALS. BEING HELD AT THE KENTUCKY EXPOSITION CENTER. THIS IS THE BIG ONE GANG!!! PRE 48 ONLY. FOR MORE INFO AND REGISTRATION FORMS GO TO www.nsra-usa.com .
- AUG 9TH: DEARBORN MI: THE DEUCE 75TH ANNIVERSARY EVENT - "BRINGING IT HOME". OPEN TO ALL 1932 FORDS BOTH FORD AND NON FORD POWERED VEHICLES. REGISTRATION FEE: \$32.00 PER VEHICLE.THERE ARE LOTS OF SPECIAL EVENTS AND OPEN HOUSES AS PART OF THIS EVENT. MORE INFO AT info@Deuce75.com OR CALL 313-415-2699
- AUG 10-12: BOWLING GREEN KY: 26TH ANNUAL NATIONAL CORVETTE HOMECOMING. EVENT BEING HELD AT WESTERN KY UNIVERSITY EXPO CENTER. KING OF THE MOUNTAIN CORVETTE DRAGRACING AT BEECH BEND RACEWAY. THERE IS AN ALL GM JUDGED CAR SHOW ON SUNDAY. FOR MORE INFO GO TO www.nationalcorvettehomecoming.com OR CALL 800-53-VETTE.
- AUG 11: ARDMORE AL: 7TH ANNUAL ARDMORE QUARTERBACK CAR & TRUCK SHOW. TO BE HELD AT ARDMORE BALL PARK, LOCATED AT I-65 EXIT 1. \$3000.00 IN CASH TO BE GIVEN AWAY. 53 AWARDS WITH SPECIALTY AWARDS TOO.FOR MORE INFO CALL 256-423-8524 OR E-MAIL TO rwilloughby@carolinahandling.com
- AUG 12: BOWLING GREEN KY: ALL GM CAR SHOW. BEING HELD AT WESTERN KY UNIVERSITY EXPO CENTER. IF IT WAS MADE BY GM YOU CAN BRING IT. TOP 35 AWRDS AND SPECIAL AWARDS. FOR MORE INFO CALL JOE PRUITT.
- AUG 18/19: CALVERT CITY KY: SUMMER DREAMIN SHOW & SHINE CHEVROLET & GM SUOER CAR & TRUCK SHOW. TO BE HELD AT KENTUCKY DAM VILLAGE STATE RESORT PARK. DASH PLAQUES TO THE 1ST 100 ENTIRES. FOR MORE INFO CALL 270-382-2139 OR GO TO www.bluegrasscarevents.org .
- AUG 24TH: ADAMS TN: SOUTHERN THUNDER RALLY HOSTED BY CMT ABATE. RALLY LOCATED AT RED RIVER VALLEY ON HWY 41. BANDS, CONTESTS, FIELD EVENTS AND MORE. FOR MORE INFO GO TO www.southernthunderrally.com
- AUG 24-26: EVANSVILLE IN: 33RD ANNUAL FROG FOLLIES. OPEN TO PRE 48 VEHICLES ONLY. NO TRAILERS ON THE SHOW GROUNDS...NONE. GIVEAWAY THIS YEAR IS A 33 FORD ROADSTER. LOTS OF COOL STUFF TO SEE AND DO ALONG WITH A GREAT SWAP MEET. FOR MORE INFO GOT TO www.frogfollies.org OR CALL 812-428-FROG. **CHECK THIS ONE OUT, AS IT IS A GEARHEAD GAZETTE PICK!!!**

- AUG 24-26: SPRINGFIELD IL: 28TH ANNUAL O'REILLY AUTO PATRS HOT ROD NATIONALS. EVENT BEING HELD AT THE ILLINOIS STATE FAIRGROUNDS IN SPRINGFIELD IL. FOR MORE INFO GO TO www.familyevents.com .
- AUG 25TH: DICKSON TN: CENTRAL TENNESSEE CLASSIC CHEVYS PRESENT THEIR 5TH ANNUAL OPEN CAR & TRUCK SHOW. TO BE HELD AT DICKSON COUNTY SADDLE & BRIDLE CLUB PARK ON GRAB CREEK ROAD. DASH PLAQUES TO 1ST 100 ENTRIES. 60 + CLASSES. DOOR PRIZES, 50/50 DRAWING, SWAP MEET & MORE. FOR MORE INFO CALL 931-645-2234.
- AUG 30-SEPT 2ND: BOWLING GREEN KY: 13TH ANNUAL ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION FOR THE CORVETTE MUESUM. FOR MORE INFO GO TO www.corvettemuseum.com OR CALL 800-53-VETTE.
- AUG 31-SEPT 2: KANSAS CITY KS: 6TH ANNUAL MID-WESTERN NATIONALS BY THE GOODGUYS. EVENT TO BE HELD AT THE KANSAS MOTOR SPEEDWAY. FOR MORE INFO GO TO www.good-guys.com . **CHECK THIS ONE OUT, AS IT IS A GEARHEAD GAZZETTE PICK!!!**

SEPT 2007:

- SEPT 1-2: PADUCAH KY: TOP GUN NATIONALS. PART OF THE TOP GUN SERIES OF SHOWS BEING HELD AT JR'S EXECUTIVE INN ON THE RIVERFRONT. OPEN SHOW. DASH PLAQUES TO THE 1ST 100 ENTREIS. FOR MORE INFO GO TO www.bluegrasscarevents.org OR CALL 270-382-2139
- SEPT 1: GOODLETTSVILLE TN: 26TH ANNUAL BOWEN CAMPBELL AUTO EXPO. HOSTED BY THE SUMNER COUNTY VINTAGE VEHICLE CLUB. HELD AT MOSS WRIGHT PARK. 50 CLASSES WITH SPECIALTY AWARDS TOO!!!. BIG SWAP MEET. DASH PLAQUES TO ALL ENTRIES. PEDAL CARS, MODEL CARS AND BICYCLES WELCOME TOO. FOR MORE INFO CALL 800-755-8611.
- SEPT 7 & 8: PIGEON FORGE TN: 25TH ANNUAL HOT ROD ROUNDUP HOSTED BY THE SHADES OF THE PAST SRA. TO BE HELD AT THE SMOKEY RIVER RANCH. OPEN TO RODS & CUSTOMS THRU 1972. 2 FINISHED CARS TO BE GIVEN AWAY THIS YEAR, A 32 FORD HIGHBOY ROADSTER AND A 1968 BIG BLOCK CHEVELLE. THIS IS ALWAYS A KILLER SHOW WHERE OU SEE THE BEST OF THE BEST ON DISPLAY. LAST YEAR 5 OF THE GREAT 8 FROM THE RIDLER COMPETITION WERE HERE. DON'T MISS THIS. FOR MORE INFO GO TO www.shadesofthepast.com OR E-MAIL dchutsell@yahoo.com. **CHECK THIS ONE OUT, AS IT IS A GEARHEAD GAZZETTE PICK!!!**
- SEPT 9: FRANKLIN TN: CHILDRENS MIRACLE NETWORK HOSPITAL CHARITY RIDE. STARTS AND END AT COOL SPRINGS HONDA. DOOR PRIZES, SILENT 7 LIVE AUCTIONS. EACH PARTICIPANT GETS A T-SHIRT. FOR MORE INFO CALL 615-604-4735.
- SEPT 13-16: PIGEON FORGE TN: FALL GRAND RUN. SHOW IS HELD AT THE GRAND RESORT RIGHT ON THE STRIP IN PIGEON FORGE. OPEN SHOW. FOR MORE INFO GO TO www.corvetteexpo.com OR CALL 865-687-3976
- SEPT 13-15: BOWLING GREEN KY: CAMARO / FIREBIRD EVENT AT THE CORVETTE MUSEUM. FOR MORE INFO GO TO www.corvettemuseum.com OR CALL 800-53-VETTE.
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- SEPT 15-16: LOUISVILLE KY: "RUN FOR THE SON" 2007. HOSTED BY THE CHRA. EVENT TO BE HLED AT VALOR ACADEMY ON BARDSTOWN RD. FOOD-GAMES-BURNOUT CONTESTS AND MORE. GRAND PRIZE THIS YEAR IS A 2000 GMC SONOMA CUSTOM PICK-UP TRUCK. FOR MORE INFO CALL 812-288-0829 OR GO TO www.christianhotrodassociation.com .
- Sept 22nd: CHAPEL HILL TN: "Step Back in Time" event at Henry Horton State Park in Chapel Hill. "Car Show & Parade" for the event. If you have some members, that might be interested let me know. Will include your club's name on the promotional material going out for the event. Just let me know! To find out more about the event contact KarenMoore@state.tn.us or call 800-250-8612.

- SEPT 22: COLUMBUS MS: SOUTHERN CRUISERS PRESENTS "CRUISIN THE RIVER" 16TH ANNUAL PRIDE & JOY CRUISE. OPEN SHOW. TO BE HELD AT LOCK & DAM EAST BANK IN COLUMBUS. 1ST 100 GET DASH PLAQUES. TROPHIES, CASH AWARDS & LOTS MORE FUNT STUFF TO DO. KICK OFF PARTY AT WOODY'S ON THE WATER ON SEPT 21 @ 8PM. FOR MORE INFO CALL 662-574-2678.
- SEPT 27-29: BOWLING GREEN KY: PACE CAR EVENT AT THE NATIONL CORVETTE MUSEUM. FOR MORE INFO GO TO www.corvettemuseum.com OR CALL 800-53-VETTE.
- SEPT 29TH: COLLEGE GROVE TN: 2ND ANNUAL "CRUISIN THE GROVE" MOTORSPORTS EXPO. HOSTED BY THE COLLEGE GROVE LIONS CLUB. OPEN SHOW. SHOW HAPPENS RAIN OR SHINE. SHOW LOCATION IS THE WILLIAMSON COUNTY COMMUNITY CENTER IN COLLEGE GROVE AT HWY 31A & COLLEGE GROVE ARNO RD. DASH PLAQUES TO THE 1ST 150 ENTRIES. GOODY BAGS WHILE THEY LAST. AWARDS PROGRAM INCLUDES TOP 25 CARS/TRUCK & TOP 5 MOTORCYCLES ALONG WITH MANY SPECIALTY AWARDS. ALSO THIS YEAR SPECIAL AWARD FOR 75TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE 32 FORD AND 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE 57 CHEVY. LOTS OF DOOR PRIZES & CASH, FOOD, 50/50 RAFFLE AND MORE. THERE WILL BE AN ARTS & CRAFTS HOW ALONG WITH KIDS STUFF TO DO AS PART OF THE "CRUISN THE GORVE" FESTIVAL. FOR MORE INFO CALL 615-300-2003 OR E-MAIL AT hotrodthreads@aol.com . **CHECK THIS ONE OUT, AS IT IS A GEARHEAD GAZETTE PICK!!!**
- SEPT 29: NASHVILLE TN: CAR SHOW AT THE AL MENAH SHRINE CENTER. RAIN DATE IS OCT 6TH. DASH PLAQUES TO ALL ENTRIES. FOR MORE INFO CLL 615-230-5984.

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