



Indy Mopar Club News

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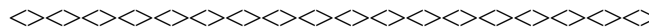
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Meetings are the last Thursday of every month except November & December.

Next regular meeting: Thursday, July 26, 2018, 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.



Presidents Message

Happy July Everyone!

The Fletcher Cruise-In Car Show was on a picture perfect day. There was a bit of a break in the heat and no rain!

I had the awesome opportunity to meet this very special young lady, Kolby Kae and her family! A bundle of energy with a beautiful smile. Kolby was our JDRF representative child for this event. Thank you to Kolby and her family for coming to our Cruise-In Car Show!



Also, I want to extend a thank you to Fletcher Chrysler, Dodge, Jeep, Ram for being the host for our Cruise-In Car Show! Kaylee Joiner, our contact for this event, did an awesome job! This was her first year being involved with setting up this event and she is looking forward helping us plan next year!

A huge shout out to Team Rick! Thank you Rick for working so diligently to make sure the event was a success! This was my first year and my “greenness” showed. Thank you to the volunteers that helped throughout the event. We could not have done it without you! The Fletcher Event was competing with a number of other events on the same day which probably had an impact on the attendance.

Quick note about the Westgate Cruise-In Car Show --- We will be putting a lot of focus on this event, which is coming up on September 8. Suggestions that came from Kaylee at Fletcher – theme baskets. Theme Baskets are baskets that have a theme: like movie tickets or free movie rental, pizza gift card and popcorn in one basket.

with our flyers. The early registrations were exciting as many different cars (new to Fletcher) arrived. With many cars parked and signed in before 10:00, I had an expectation for a lot full of vehicles by noon. Even though there were only around 80 vehicles, it was an incredible show!



High Points: The great weather allowed people to really enjoy the event. I had positive feedback from everyone except the Mustang guy who didn't want the fire engines parked next to him! The DJ did an excellent job with perfect cruise music. There was plenty of good food.

We spent a little money to make the door prizes more attractive/valuable which resulted in more ticket sales by Bobby Stephenson and "Trouble".



Even with fewer cars, there was a significant increase in donations/ticket sales that Steve will share at our next meeting (big positive).

Some points to think about: There were other car events that day in our area. Plus the huge Good Guys event in Ohio. The high heat and humidity in the prior weeks had probably dimmed some enthusiasm for another car event. I could have done a better job of updating our donation sheet & flyer earlier.

We also need to investigate how to use electronic advertising as Lynn has suggested. So, thanks to Fletcher and IMC for this big JDRF fund raiser!

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INDY MOPAR CLUB MONTHLY MEETING, JUNE 28, 2018

WELCOME AND SIGN-IN:

The meeting was called to order at 7 pm by our President Lynn Miller.

Randy Smith made a motion to suspend introduction of member and guests conserve time, Chet Branham seconded the motion, the motion carried.

The meeting was attended by Chester Branham, Chuck & Linda Butler, Ronda Cherry, Stephen Claycomb, Tom Kelly, Ron Kriech, Dart Liebrandt, Lynn Miller, Scott Oller, Dave Opel, Rick Ordo, Jan Peel, Bruce & Lois Phillips, Randy Smith, Evan Springer, Bob Thomas, and Steve Wisdom.

Secretary’s Report – Dave Opel

The Secretary’s report was given by Dave Opel as printed in the June IMC newsletter with no additions or corrections. A motion was made by Ronda Cherry to accept the report and was seconded by Chet Branham.

Another fine newsletter article presented by Evan Springer in June. Thank you.

Treasurer’s Report – Steve Wisdom

May 31, 2018 Balance \$1,585.97; June income was \$2,120.00; June Expenses were \$175.21; June 28, 2018 Balance \$3,530.766. Flower Fund \$299.66. 57 Paid members.

Communication Director – Randy Smith

The website is being streamlined. The updated website will be much cleaner.

Member News, Birthdays, Anniversaries – Bob Thomas

Bob read names of club members on their respective Birthdays and Anniversaries.

Event Calendar – Bob Thomas

- A. July 7 – Fletcher CDJR/IMC Cruise-In
- B. July 15 – Shelbyville Shifters Show

Old Business – Lynn Miller

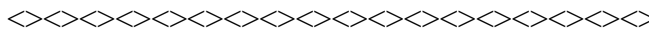
- A. Fletcher CDJ/IMC Show – July 7
 - a. Round table discussion Planning – IMC v2.0
 - b. A report will follow up in July’s newsletter
- B. Other unfinished business - none

New Business – Lynn Miller

- A. Club Newsletter Member Profile
 - a. July – Fletcher Car Show – Rick Ordo
 - b. August – Randy Smith
 - c. September – Mopar Nationals – Bob Thomas
- B. Other new business
 - a. Ideas for club activities
 - b. Show and tell

A motion was made by Chuck Butler to adjourn and was seconded by Ronda Cherry. The meeting was adjourned at 8:10pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Dave Opel



August Birthdays:

Dorinda Crawmer, 8-5
John Hynds, 8-11

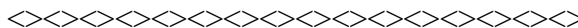
Steve Claycomb, 8-11
Kelly Quack, 8-22

August Anniversaries:

Carlton and Regina Brock, 8-11
Jerry and Margaret Bayse, 8-23

David and Cindy Sanders, 8-14
Chuck and Linda Butler, 8-23

Congratulations to all!

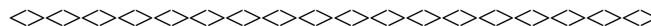




Westgate is only six weeks away! Everyone needs to jump in to help Chuck with whatever he needs done today. It is a club effort!
Thanks, Rick Ordo

MANY THANKS TO OUR PHOTOGRAPHER - DAVE STEPHENSON

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Tattler's Corner



How many times were the registration persons eating and up would walk a new person to be registered? Sure is embarrassing sometimes. And wow, were those cookies good. Melted right in your mouth after being in the sun for awhile.

2018 INDY MOPAR CLUB – EVENT LIST – TBV – to be verified TBD – to be determined

May 5	Sat	11a-5p	Cinco de Mopar-American Cancer Society Car Show	Lafayette, IN	Tom Kelly
13	Sun	9-Noon	IMS Speedway Cars & Coffee	Speedway –Indianapolis	Tom Kelly
15-20	Tue-Sun		Mecum Collector Car Auction	IN State Fairgrounds	Tom Kelly
18-20	Fri-Sun		Chrysler Power Classic Nat'l Trail Raceway	Columbus OH	Dave Watt
31	Thur	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Lynn Miller
2-9-16-23-30	Wed	5pm	LOR Wild Wednesday's	Lucas Oil Racing	Evan Springer
Jun 9	Sat	9-Noon	IMS Speedway Cars & Coffee	Speedway –Indianapolis	Tom Kelly
20-24	Wed-Sun		Airflow Club of America National Meet	Chico CA	Tom Kelly
28	Thur	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Lynn Miller
29-30	Fri-Sat		FAST-Pure Stock Drags	Martin MI	Dave Watt-Mike Leyes
6-13-20	Wed	5pm	LOR Wild Wednesday's	Lucas Oil Racing	Evan Springer
Jul 7	Sat	TBD	Fletcher CDJR/IMC Cruise-In	Franklin, IN	Lynn Miller
13-15	Fri-Sun		Carlisle Chrysler Nats	Carlisle PA	Dave Watt
14	Sat	9-Noon	IMS Speedway Cars & Coffee	Speedway –Indianapolis	Tom Kelly
21-22	Sat-Sun		Belvidere Mopar Happening	Belvidere IL	Tom Kelly
24-28	Tue-Sat		Plymouth Owners Club National Meet	Northville/Novi MI	Tom Kelly/Jan Peel
26	Thur	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Lynn Miller
11-18-25	Wed	5pm	LOR Wild Wednesday's	Lucas Oil Racing	Evan Springer
Aug 10-12	Fri-Sun		MOPAR NATIONALS-Nat'l Trails Raceway	Columbus (Hebron) OH	Tom Kelly
11	Sat	9-Noon	IMS Speedway Cars & Coffee	Speedway –Indianapolis	Tom Kelly
14-18	Tue-Sat		Back to the Bricks Car Show	Flint MI	Tom Kelly
17-19	Fri-Sun		Woodward Dream Cruise	Oakland County MI	Tom Kelly
22-26	Wed-Sun		National DeSoto Club Convention	Branson MO	Tom Kelly
30	Thur	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Lynn Miller
31-TBV	Fri	TBD	DSR Open House-Car Show	Brownsburg IN	Evan Springer
1-5	Wed	5pm	LOR Wild Wednesday's	Lucas Oil Racing	Evan Springer
Sep 4-8	Tue-Sat		Walter P Chrysler Club National Meet	Chattanooga TN	Tom Kelly
8	Sat	TBD	West Gate Chrysler / IMC Cruise-in	Plainfield IN	Lynn Miller
14-15	Fri-Sat		Pure Stock Muscle Car Drag Race	Stanton MI	Dave Watt/Mike Leyes
15	Sat	9-Noon	IMS Speedway Cars & Coffee	Speedway –Indianapolis	Tom Kelly
20-23	Thu-Sun		NMCA Race-Show	Lucas Raceway (IRP-Clairmont)	Dave Watt
27	Thur	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Lynn Miller
Oct 6	Sat	9a-1pm	JDRF RUN/WALK – Victory Field	Indianapolis IN	Steve Wisdom
13	Sat	9-Noon	IMS Speedway Cars & Coffee	Speedway –Indianapolis	Tom Kelly
25	Thur	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg	MCL Cafeteria	Lynn Miller
31	Wed	5pm	LOR Wild Wednesday's	Lucas Oil Racing	Evan Springer
Nov 17-18	Sat-Sun		Muscle Car and Corvette Nationals show	Rosemont IL	Tom Kelly
29	Thur	7-8p	Indy Mopar Club Monthly Mtg Election night for 2019 Officers	MCL Cafeteria	Lynn Miller
Dec 15	Sat		Indy Mopar Club Christmas Party	Steve Wisdom's Clubhouse 1202 Leisure Lane, Greenwood 46142	Lynn Miller

Cruise-In's

Danville	Fri	4pm - ?	1 st Friday of May through October	Court House
Avon	Sat	5pm - ?	Saturday's May through October	Lowes Lot
Mooreville	Fri	4pm - ?	Friday nights May through October	Kroger Lot
Fortville	Wed	5pm - ?	Wednesday nights May through October	Main Street Downtown
Greenwood	Sat	3pm - ?	Saturday's May through October	The SUDS