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REV IT UP!

From the Desk of RJ

I pushed this newsletter writing back a bit this issue. As I geared up for Carlisle, my dad had landed in the nursing home. We had a wonderful Fathers Day weekend together and then he immediately took a turn for the worse the day after. I was able to bring him home for 1 Saturday visit after that. I did everything possible to handle anything that crossed the checklist in his mind as relevant in recent months. He finally seemed content that things were in order, and allowed himself to exit on August 15, 2019. I would like to take this opportunity once again to thank all that backed me up and stood by me this past couple years to help my dad while his health declined... My children, staff, family, friends, and Dad's caregivers. Rest in peace Stephen Earl Jacobs... My favorite Vietnam Vet! That being said and with the holidays upon us...unplug and hold your close ones closer! Restoringly,

Russ and McKenna Carlisle 2019



Russell

Carlisle 2019



1969 Hemi Super Bee

Fresh out of the jigsaw puzzle assembly process, Greg McDonald's Hemi Super Bee grabbed a 2nd place trophy on the show field at Carlisle in July. Greg followed up this event in August by arranging a 50 year reunion of the Super Bee at the original dealership, Bayview Chrysler Dodge in Ontario, Canada.... With it's original owner and his uncle (previous owner). Great stuff for Greg and his Hemi car!





1970 Superbird

Mark McCormick's 1970 Plymouth Superbird is the latest restoration project to come in the door here. It's a 440, 4 speed car with a Dana rear end. B5 Blue with white interior. The car was unfortunately a sight unseen purchase for Mark showing low miles on the odometer, but it needs to be gone through for a complete restoration. The process is well underway and the body shell is currently on the rotisserie awaiting it's turn in the body shop. We are also working along at component work and collecting the necessary parts to bring this one back to life and back on the road. Watch our website photo gallery and upcoming newsletters as this full restoration moves forward!



1917 Locomobile



John McAlpin stopped by with the 1917 Locomobile and the awards it has acquired so far. From left to right on the running board:

- Amelia Island Concours d'Elegance –Awarded The Buddy Palumbo Corporate Award for the best Car Restored By it's owner.
- The Elegance at Hershey (75 car invitational event in The Gardens at The Hotel Hershey)-Awarded The Elegance Heritage Award.
- Cobble Beach Concours d'Elegance
 — Winner of Class 3 American
 Full-Classic 1915 thru 1948 and winner of The Most Elegant PreWar.
- AACA Eastern Spring National Meet—Competed and earned the AACA Senior level of judging.
- AACA (Antique Automobile Club of America) Southeastern Spring National Meet—Competed and earned the AACA First Junior.
- The Grand Classic event of the Classic Car Club of America (CCCA)- Evaluated in the Primary Custom 1915-1924 Judging Division where it earned 100 points.

It has been a pleasure working with John and watching the Locomobile as it competes and gains recognition as it is believed to be the oldest surviving dual-cowl/ dual windshield designed car. We look forward to what the coming year will bring.

Darren Ohara

1970 Six Pack Challenger R/T





We've been back to work on Kevin Zipkey's 1970 Dodge Challenger R/T; getting the body and all the individual parts prepped and edged with B5 Blue paint. We undercoated the floors, removed the body from the rotisserie, and installed the Dana rear end with a new set of leaf springs. Time for some more wet sanding and then prep for exterior paint and clear coat next!

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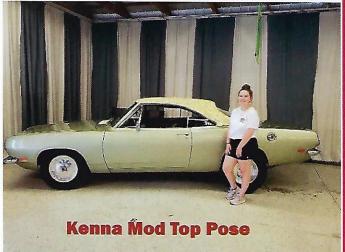
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Kenna's Corner...

Hi, Kenna here at Kenna's corner. This summer has already been really fun! I had the chance to go to Carlisle this year again. I met the new owner, Shane Trent, of Ed and Grace Jackson's 1969 Dodge Dart GT Sport. I also got to spend time with Artie and Donna Handzlik, they own a 1969 Dodge Charger R/T. Both of their cars were in building Y this year for the Summer of '69 theme.

Kenna