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# **REV IT UP!**

#### FROM THE DESK OF RJ

Hello All.

A lot going on here at RJ CARS INC lately. We had the 1957 Plymouth Belvedere Convertible featured in Building T at the Carlisle Chrysler Show. We arrived on Wednesday and it was the 2nd hottest set up for the show I can ever recall. The old Plymouth got attention as soon as the trailer door dropped and it never stopped getting attention the whole weekend until we loaded it up. Owner, John Tornow, made the trip with his family despite his health nagging at him. John had a great time hanging out with his old car and talking with many people who were excited to check it out. We received lots of compliments from other restoration shops while we were there and Tim Costello did a photo shoot before we loaded up on Sunday. Watch for this one in an upcoming magazine article!

On top of showing off the 57 Plymouth, we met with many vendors, clients, and friends at the show, had some time to visit with the Hegglins in Carlisle, and I participated in the Restorer's Roundtable again this year. The Roundtable was one of the best we've ever done I believe! Hats off to all the people who work hard bringing these cars back to life, day after day, year after year!

Besides Carlisle, we just wrapped up the 1978 Dodge Magnum partial restoration and are working hard to wrap up the 1975 Plymouth Valiant as well! Check them out in our Photo Gallery at <u>RJCARS.COM</u>.

Earlier this year I was interviewed by the Gearheads and Gasoline Podcast. This was released recently and we have the info here in the newsletter about it. Thank you Barry Alt at Motorhead Digital & Annette Bauer at Annette Bauer Creative!

### Restoringly, Russell

Lots more projects unfolding here, so watch for them on our website and our social media:



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John Tornow and family with their 1957 Plymouth Belvedere Convertible in Building T, Carlisle PA July 2024.





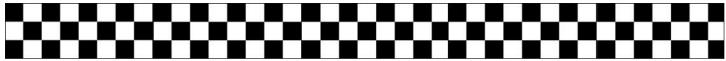
## 1957 PLYMOUTH BELVEDERE

CONVERTIBLE
301 V8
PUSHBUTTON 3-SPEED TRANS
BURGUNDY W/ WHITE PAINT
FAMILY OWNED SINCE 1966
1972 FLOOD SURVIVOR
RESTORED BY RJ CARS INC

OWNED BY: JOHN TORNOW STANLEY, NY







#### 1978 DODGE MAGNUM





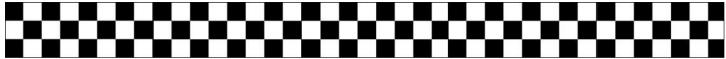


Shari Bell had us do a partial restoration to her Dodge Magnum which she bought out of California when it was just 2 years old. We have her back on the road and looking good!

#### 1968 KAISER JEEPSTER CONVERTIBLE DELUXE

Doug Labell brought us his highly optioned Jeepster Convertible for a full restoration and some upgrades. This one is gonna keep us busy for a while! A few of the factory correct highlights on this one are a Buick V6 engine and Turbo 400 automatic transmission w/ console shifter. Also it has A/C, power top, front mounted Ramsey winch, and spinner hubcaps w/continental kit. A lot of people are following this project and excited to see the end results down the road!







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Check this out!



Kenna's Corner! I am super excited to announce that I have started my career as a Nail Technician. I am in a private suite at a beautiful salon in Hornell now. I feel so blessed that I am working with such an amazing team and have the best clients. I also bought my dream car this year! I now drive a 2024 Subaru Crosstrek and I love it! I am still at the shop working part time in the office and doing the shop's social media marketing. We had a great show at Carlisle this year and I cannot wait to see you all next year! Thank you to everyone who came up to me and said hi!

~ Kenna



Hi everyone! It's Kenna here at

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