

# Cascade Pacific Plymouth® Club, Inc.

DEDICATED TOTHE PRESERVATION, RESTORATION, AND ENJOYMENT OF PLYMOUTH AUTOMOBILES

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# Rain kept numbers down. The folks who showed up enjoyed themselves.



By John Cooper, with help from Randy & Pam Ealy

In spite of the rain, we still had a successful show and happy participants. Over the years we hear how much folks appreciate all the work they know goes into putting on our show and they enjoy having it at the park.

Yes, the rain kept cars away. Sixteen

of the preregistered fifty eight cars decided to pass due to the weather. Twenty eight cars registered on Saturday. That gave us a grand total of seventy cars at our show.

The main awards are as follows: Brad Groff won the Host Car with a 58 Plymouth Belvedere convertible; Peoples Choice went to Kevin Ernst for a 68 Ford 4X4; Long Distance went to Fred Braun from LaPine,OR with a 67 Camaro convertible; The Mayflower award went to Virginia Hernandez for a 67 Chevelle SS 396; The Best of Show was won by Michael Hinsch for a 65 Ford Thunderbird. There were also the 24 Judges Choice Awards, presented.

We also presented checks for \$2000 to the CCC Automotive Department, Scholarship Fund. The CCC Track Team was very helpful and received a \$500 check.

Even though we were low on the number of cars, compared to last year, the Silent Auction brought in \$300 more than last year, totaling well over \$800. Also the new design on the Tee

shirts sold very well, 78 sold even with our small turnout.

After awarding scholarship money to the Automotive Department and Track Team, figuring expenses (DJ, Park rental, etc.), looks like the Club treasury will receive \$1800. If the weather had been better we may have brought in an additional \$3000.

# Club picnic set for August 10 at Sunnyside Meadows Memory Care

By Jim Wheat

The Annual Cascade Pacific Club Picnic Car Show will be August 10th., 10 to 3 at the Sunnyside Meadows Memory Care parking lot.

This is the same place we held it last year. There is no cost, the facility will provide all the food and drinks. Bring your classic cars – there will be prizes. Watch for updates and directions via email.

Remember there won't be a club meeting in August.

CPPC will meet Tuesday, June 25th at the clubhouse in Clackamas, at 6:00PM



SHINE UP YOUR CAR - WE'LL SEE YOU THERE!

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#### Membership & Dues:

Cascade Pacific Plymouth Club, Inc. dues are \$25.00 per calendar year Membership runs January 1 through December 31.

Concurrent membership to the National Plymouth Owners Club is required. plymouthbulletin.com/members.htm

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CASCADE PACIFIC PLYMOUTH CLUB

DUES

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#### Minutes of the May 2024 membership meeting

By Robin Will

Members of Cascade Pacific Plymouth Club met on March 28, 2024 at the Clackamas Community Club, 15711 SE 90th Ave., Clackamas, OR. Twenty-six members were present.

President Mike Bade called the meeting to order at 6:35PM.

After the flag salute, Mike thanked Linda and Dave Surmon for bringing refreshments. Stephanie Willis will bring refreshments next month.

Mike reviewed June birthdays, and thanked Robin Will for taking the meeting minutes.

Minutes of the April 23 meeting were approved as published in the newsletter.

The month's financial report reveals lots of activity related to the upcoming cruise-in, and the club remains in solid financial condition. Any board member can answer questions.

Mike Bade summarized eBay sales: things have slowed down as spring picks up, and his last check to the club was for \$74.

Cruise-In committee: John Cooper is requesting that members arrive at 6:00-6:30AM to set up, asked members to bring pop-up canopies, and reminded everybody to bring their own chairs.

Donna Bade reported on Joanne Dixon's current situation (recovering from a fall, bossing the raffle/silent auction process from her bed in the care center). Cynthia and D.J. Freeman will stand in for Joanne to supervise the silent auction at the cruise-in. So far \$1700 has been raised that will go directly to the scholarship fund; the award sponsorship positions have been filled; and donations are still coming in for scholarships, raffles, and goodie bag items.

Randy Ealy provided a Cruise-In budget update: park rent went from \$922 to \$1625, with a \$500 returnable damage deposit. Tee-shirt expense went from \$900 to \$1714. However, by changing the style of the trophies for the event, we saved \$400.

There was general financial discussion: how much to give to the scholarship fund, how much to give to the track team for help parking cars, with-

out conclusions.

Randy said the Tech Committee is still getting calls from a gentleman in Hawaii who is chasing parts for a 1934 Plymouth, and he was pleased to report that somebody purchased all five big boxes of shop manuals for a total of \$125.

Mindy Benfield reminded members of the upcoming Mayflower tour to the Withycombe Military Museum in Clackamas on May 31.

Mike Bade's presentation was on dash pads, and the process involved in getting chrome onto plastic for bezels, escutcheons, etc. that need refreshing as part of a restoration process.

Activities: Ealys are hosting the July 13 visit to Donald Daze. Information is in newsletter and on website.

August 10 is the date chosen for CPPC's annual picnic at Clackamas Memory Care. Jim Wheat will provide info, maps, etc.

Cruise-In tee shirts are ready for members who pre-paid.

Door prizes were won by Bob Derbyshire, Jeanna Pemberton, and Judie Byrnes.

Phil Hall won the 50/50 jackpot.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:10PM.



# The Steering Column, A Message from the President

Well, we did it again! It was not pretty with all the rain showers throughout



the day, but there were enough brave soles who brought their classic rides to make the show a financial success.

So many CPPC members to thank for pitching in when we needed them to be there throughout the whole process. A big pat on the









back all the way around. I wish I could do more, but hopefully you benefited from being involved and know you are valued.

Thanks to our Cruise-In Chairman, John Cooper, for his leadership to pull off a wonderful show. I am sure he is exhausted from all the back and forth details leading up to and during the show. Well done John, only 360ish days until the 2025 Cruise-In.

The Cruise-In Committee members were responsible for; trophies, raffles, music, contacting sponsors, shirts, registration, parking, advertising, selling doughnuts, and keeping track of the money coming and going. There are so many details, but it all came together once again, thanks to all. The CCC track kids and CCC automotive students were fantastic helpers, helping wherever needed and lightened everyone's load.

Our people make the difference between our show and others. I think that is why we have so many that support our show. The personal connections we make with our clients, hopefully keeps them coming back, year after year.

Remember why we are doing this, the students at CCC who will benefit from the money raised, \$2,000.00 went to the Automotive Paint and Refinishing Program and \$500.00 went to the CCC Track Team. We are making a difference in their lives as they begin their careers. That is partly why we are doing this.

The Board has planned many activities for the rest of the Summer. Check the Newsletter and CPPC Website for dates and times for upcoming activities and I hope to see you on the road.

Be The Difference, Mike



# July

• 13 – Donald Daze, Donald, OR – An entire small-town festival: car show, parade, vendors. \$20 registration per car, and you get lunch. Ealys will host if CPPC wants to caravan to the show.

## August

- 4 Woodburn Drags MOPAR Nationals Weekend
- 8-11 –(Thursday-Sunday) Regional WPC (Walter P. Chrysler) Meet, Woodburn, OR. Info on CPPC website as it becomes available.
- 10 (Saturday) CPPC Annual Picnic Clackamas Memory Care Clackamas/Happy Valley, OR
- 17 Central Lion's Club Cruise-In Independence, OR
- 18 Summers Finally Got Here Aspen Meadows Colton, OR

## September

• Gresham Senior Center Car Show - Gresham, OR

#### October

- Oregon Gardens Silverton, OR
- Canby Swap Meet Clackamas County Fair Grounds

#### November, 2024

- Albany Indoor Swap Meet Linn Fair & Expo Center Albany, OR
- CPPC Annual Membership Meeting & Potluck Clackamas, OR







TOP LEFT: An amazing number of individuals and businesses step up each year to support our event and add to CPPC's scholarship fund at Clackamas Community College. RIGHT: John Cooper, chair of the event, surveys the awards table, with the Major Sponsors banner blowing in the wind above him.

LEFT: Susan, Judie and Terry lent a hand with the coffee-and-donut essentials.

BELOW, L-R: KISN deejays took our music to the next level; Mike Bade secures the Major Sponsors banner; and raffle prizes wait to be claimed.







# Cascade Pacific Plymouth Club Technical Committee 2024

The committee meets the 4th Wednesday of each month, and other times as they are needed, gladly making house calls where necessary.

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We will do all we can to help you with your car. NOTE: Keep this list handy for future use.







It didn't ALWAYS rain, and between the showers CPPC photographers got out to take some pictures.

TOP ROW: Jerry Klinger's 1962 Sports Fury, with Westphals' Barracuda behind it, and then looking the other way, Phil and Rose Ann Hall's "new" 1931 Plymouth Convertible, with Brad Groff's 1958 Belvedere Convertible in the background.

LEFT: Rose Ann and Phil Hall, Donna Bade, Pam Ealy.

THIRD ROW: The Taylors and the Derbyshires, and some Brand-X guest cars. FOURTH ROW: Randy Ealy deploys his judges, and two FoMoCo guest cars catching some sun.

BOTTOM ROW: Mindy Benfield at the Ticket Table; the Clackamas Community College booth; and one nice-looking P-15 that's not a club car.

















# BODY SHOP & REPAIRS

Pam Ealy has taken over the role of coordinator for CPPC's Member Care. Please keep her up to date about members who need cards, letters, e-mails or phone calls.

Contact Pam at 503-864-8111 or via email at prealy@gmail.com. You may also relay messages directly to your newsletter editor: robin@robinwill.com

We followed Joanne Dixon's situation closely as she dictated the last of her Cruise-In work from her bed at the care center.

But now Joanne is home!! She is very glad to be out of the care facility and back in her own home. She is using a walker, but doing so much better. On Tuesday, June 11, her daughter took her to the doctor and they drained the cyst behind her right knee. That alleviated much of her pain. She is still strengthening her left side, after her fall.

She doesn't feel confident to come to the Cruise In, due to uneven ground at the park. She will miss it terribly, especially after spending so much time this spring getting raffle prizes, trophy sponsors, etc for the club to make this Cruise In a success.

I am writing this letter to ask a favor of the club members.

JOANNE WOULD LOVE TO HEAR FROM ALL OF US. Please think about sending her a card. Her address is: Joanne Dixon, 3515 NE 97th Ave., Vancouver, WA 98662

(Donna Bade furnished this information.)

# NUTS & BOLTS: Board meeting highlights

By Robin Will

The Board of Directors of Cascade Pacific Plymouth Club met on June 11, 2024 at Elmer's Restaurant in Clackamas, Oregon. Present at the meeting were Jake Higginbotham, Jim Wheat, Mike Bade, Dolores Call, and Robin Will.

Robin Will took the minutes.

Jim Wheat called the meeting to order at 11:31AM.

Minutes of the May 12, 2024 board meeting were approved as published in the newsletter.

Treasurer Dolores Call's financial report shows a lot of activity related to the upcoming cruise-in, but shows the club's financial position is solid. We don't publish our bank balance; any board member can provide details. Re-

# A website for pot metal repair

Here is the link to the website for the company that does Pot Metal Repair.

https://potmetal.repair/repair-potmetal/

port was accepted as submitted.

Mike Bade handed Dolores a check for \$190 for eBay sales to date. The start item was a Mayflower hood ornament that sold for \$150.

There was general discussion about a Tech Committee/Swap Meet work day later in the summer to organize the trailer and refine Swap Meet inventory and strategies. We'll choose a date later in the season while the weather is still reliable.

Mike raised the subject of gift cards for the Cruise-In planning committee; approved by voice vote.

The club's donation to the Clackamas Community College scholarship fund from Cruise-In proceeds is an expenditure that requires board approval. Approved, amount to be determined.

Activities: Jim Wheat will organize a tour to Cedar Creek Gristmill on July 20. Jim will choose a restaurant nearby, and get the information out to members.

The meeting adjourned at 12:32PM.

# JULY BIRTHDAYS

Don Ryan	2
Robin Will	3
Jim Foreman	3
Arnold Landvoigt	9
Kena Petersen	11
Jeff Ingebrigtsen	13
Judie Byrnes	13
Karen Ming	16
Linda Surmon	18
Karen Mack	20
Cheryl Parker	23
Allen Tiffany	24
Carmen Ward	25
David Pollock	29
George Cook	29
Jeanette Dimick	29

# REFRESHMENTS

## <u>June</u>

Stephanie Willis

# <u>July</u>

Klingers

# <u>August</u>

Joanne Dixon

# September

John Cooper

## October

Mindy & Dave Benfield

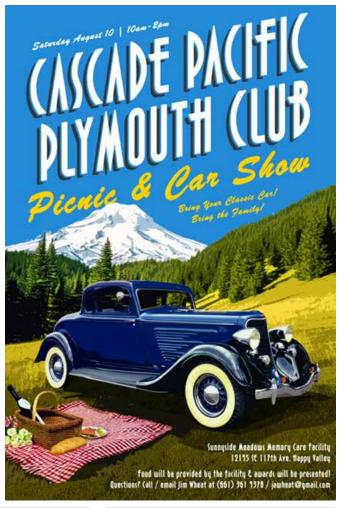
## **November**

**POTLUCK** 

**December: No meeting** 



Jim Wheat has access to a graphic designer who does extraordinarily nice work - the word "grandson" came up in the discussion – and the result of the personal connection is this excellent poster for the CPPC Picnic & Car Show, set for Saturday, August 10 at Sunnyside Meadows Care Facility. Food and drink are provided - we just need to polish our cars and show up. Jim will have more info as the date gets closer.



1946-1948 Plymouth/Dodge left rear fender \$100.00. It has been sand blasted and epoxy primered. It is a good solid fender that will require body work. I also have the right side rear (\$95.00) and a very good hood (\$200.00). I have one set of excellent hood hinges (85.00). If you are interested call Ray Suek 503-843-7989. I live near Sheridan, Oregon.



FOR SALE, 1932 Plymouth P B: I have rebuilt the engine. Also the brakes have been rebuilt. She runs great. All original. My price is \$ 11,000 cdn . With the American dollar being worth more than the Canadian dollar, this is something to consider. jbaileymed@hotmail.com

1934 Plymouth PE parts: I have complete front end, and steering column, and few other parts. If you know anyone that might be interested have then give me a call. Dan Gudaz, 360 701 0888, gudac1@msn.com Olympia WA





Wanted: "License Plate light lens for a 1937 Plymouth Coupe. Also, 3 15" plymouth wheels that have the center clips for the small hub caps." Thank you Jim King, 530-355-7510



Looking for an exhaust manifold for a 1948 Plymouth 218 CI..23" block. Bob Hanson, Chandler AZ, 602-809-8424 (See pic)

WANTED: 33/34 Plymouth coupe rear side window garnish, both sides for 5-window coupe, plus rear window garnish. Vaugn McCullum, vaughn.mccullum@gmail.com.

1949 Plymouth P-17 Car Parts for Sale (Note: all parts listed are used take-offs.)

Complete front bench seat (blk leather) \$200. °Gas tank with sending unit, holding staps (no rust) \$150.

Contact Jake Higginbotham. 503-678-1712

For Sale - (2) 1964-66 Barracuda Back Glasses. asking \$325 ea. 360-921-4636

I'm lookin for a set of running boards for a 1941 Plymouth sedan delivery. Allan Howard, a270bar@gmail.com

For sale – NOS Deck Lid, 1936, fits trunk back sedan, fits Chrysler, Plymouth, Dodge, DeSoto. \$400, you must pick it up, West Chester, PA. Carmen Dannunzio, 484-886-6115.





Selling late husband's car – 1993 DODGE DAYTONA IROC: 3 litre 6 valve, 5speed manual transmission. Car is located in Tualatin. To make arrangements to inspect and make an offer, email info@cascadepacificplymouth.org with your phone number and we'll put you in touch. Seller wants to see your offer.



For sale, 1939 Ply Road King 2dr Sedan. All stock. Work done on metal restoration. Fresh paint. All body work done. Orig power train, have correct headlights, spare radiator and a trunk-full of extra parts. More details on CascadePacificPlymouth.org. \$7,000 OBO. Jake, 503-678-1712.



For Sale - 1966 Plymouth Barracuda - full restoration. 1965 Slant 6 engine 170CI, A-833 4 speed transmission...Asking \$16,500 OBO. Please contact for full list of upgrades and new parts and additional pictures of restoration. Clark Taylor 360-921-4636 or Clarktaylor@msn.com



For Sale. 1948 Plymouth Deluxe P15 Club Coupe. Solid, straight body (Guards Red). Nice chrome and stainless. Black fabric interior. Approx. 2000 miles since professional rebuild of 340, 727 Torqueflite, 8 3/4" Sur Grip, and power front disc brakes. \$13,000 OBO. I'll consider interesting trades. Email at BEN1323@aol.com. Phone (503) 829-3434\*\*\*LEAVE MESSAGE\*\*\* Dave and Mindy Benfield

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1937 plymouth 2dr sedan parts rear axle complete \$100 front seat good condition \$150 heater\$30 6volt horn \$20 I'm located outside of Salt Lake City Utah call John or text 801 864 6479



To all my car collecting, junk yard cruising, needle in a haystack friends out there: looking for a trunk lid for a 1967-1969 Plymouth Barracuda Notchback or convertible Any help would be greatly appreciated. Randy Wells, randy@rasnw.com



1948 Plymouth P-15 Special Deluxe: 218 CI flathead 6 , dual exhaust, manual transmission/3 on the tree. Asking \$ 14,800. Located in Gearhart,Oregon Vern Roach 425-318-0464

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