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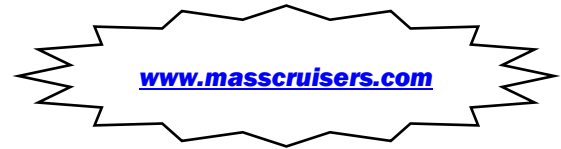


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2022 Monthly Business meetings are usually held in the Bass Pro Shops Conservation Room on the third Tuesday of the month at 6:00 PM. There are no COVID restrictions and visitors, guests and those interested in joining the Mass Cruisers Auto Club are welcome to attend one of these monthly meetings.

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## Board Musings

By Rich Armando



As our first cruise night of 2022 fast approaches we will be starting off without our director Steve Huntington. Due to some family issues he is stepping down from this position after many years of service. I have been a member almost 25 years and Steve is the only cruise night director that I've known. His dedication, passion and love of the club are second to none. I'm positive this was a tough but necessary decision for him to make. Steve did say he would attend when time permits and his presence will always be welcomed. The cruise night has been left in good hands. Bob Hines has volunteered to come in early to do the setting up and I will also take a more active part in running the cruise night. As we have always preached everyone's help is needed and appreciated. If any of our newer members have not yet signed up for a specific cruise assignment or establish where they can best help at our cruises, either Bob or I will be able you find a spot. The enthusiasm of Mass Cruisers members is what makes this the largest and most successful cruise night in the area and beyond. I thank everyone for their commitment in advance.

At our last membership meeting we discussed some ideas that would make us a more active club. Many members would like to see the club do more events with our cars. I would like to see this happen also but we need members to step up and organize an event. There were several ideas thrown out at the meeting that seemed promising. Those members with suggestions were willing to get involved with the planning. I look forward to seeing what they come up with. As dates and information about the events become available you will be notified. If you were not at the meeting but have an idea of something that the rest of the club would enjoy doing please come forward with it.

April is a busy month for the Cruisers. It all starts off with our first cruise night on April 7<sup>th</sup>, followed by a members meeting on the 19<sup>th</sup>, our second cruise on the 21<sup>st</sup> and finishing up the month with the clubs anniversary party on April 23<sup>rd</sup>. A pretty busy schedule to say the least. Hopefully you will be able to make at least one if not all of these dates. See you soon.

## Editor's Musing

By John Buchanan EDITORIAL



The reward being the editor of our Mass Cruisers Newsletter is that it provides the incentive to attend enough events throughout the year where I can bring my camera, take some pictures and write about my experience to share with everyone. In some ways it is like keeping a diary, one that I can go back to use as a memory check or reference which I have done many times.

It is wonderful that the Old Cars Weekly editors take the time to go through the hundreds of club newsletters and magazines that are dedicated to our hobby then judge them just as we would do at a car show. Old Cars editor, Angelo Van Bogart noted: *"when judging club publications, the Old Cars staff looks for a balance of historical articles with stories about members and their vehicles, technical articles and club communication. There should be a good balance of images showing members and their vehicles – but not too much of one over the other – plus helpful information and leads to resources that strengthen the club, its members and the hobby,"*

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## 2022 MARCOM Flea Market

By John Buchanan



When the first weekend of March rolls around we look for signs of spring, melted piles of snow, crocuses poking their heads from underground and the start of the early spring swap meets. Locally, the Model A Club of Massachusetts, a.k.a. MARCOM, indoor/outdoor swap is the one we always look forward to see pop up. Not so much for hunting down those needed parts, but more to reconnect with fellow hobbyists we probably hadn't seen since last November at last winter solstice's Wright's Chicken Farm Restaurant annual gathering of clubs. The Holmes Transportation building in Norfolk, where the MARCOM swap is held the first Sunday in March, also houses Richard Holmes personal collection, some of which is on display in the front office area of the building. As you work your way through the three flea market areas, you finally pass through the front of the building where you'll usually find Richard Holmes in the midst of

his private collection which includes showcasing his 1932 International School Bus which makes regular trips to our Bass Pro Shops cruises to the delight of the school kids who are allowed to climb aboard and compare them to the new Holmes Transportation buses they ride to school today. There is an 1867 Ford GT and a midget race car among 50's era automobilia and a collection child-sized John Deere farm equipment. Richard is happy to share information



about any and all the toys and auto memorabilia he's collected over the years.

I struck GOLD at this year's flea market rummaging through the massive amount of odd parts and pieces that Carl Weber (pictured above in the white cowboy hat) displays each year at his vendor space. It's an original bronze collared wing nut for the tire hold-down clamp on the sidemount tire for my 1931 Dodge. It fits—EUREKA! I'll spend more time next year sifting through Carl's treasure trove of parts. You never know what needed part you'll find there.





# 2022 Gathering of the Clubs

By John Buchanan



Neither rain, nor snow, nor sleet, nor the dark of night on Saturday March 12 shall stay these GOONZ Car Club members, who came all the way from Ireland, from their hosting responsibilities for the 2022 Annual Gathering of the Clubs at the Doubletree Hilton in Andover. The Canada-U.S. COVID travel restrictions, however, did play a role keeping the Torquer's of Montreal from making the trip this year. Saturday's weather could have also played havoc with attendance for the evening Gathering which got its start back in 2015 and has grown into a pre-spring ritual for New England street rodder car clubs.



The much larger meeting room at the Doubletree provided ample space for the meeting this year and while clubs were able to take their turns at the podium going over their plans for 2022 events, some clubs have not yet been able get back on track due to COVID. Of course everyone brought their show flyers to pass out to all that were in attendance.

Before everyone settled down for live music by Queen Wasp, the host GOONZ club was presented with a custom hand crafted clutchplate clock before the annual passing of the gavel to the 2023 Gathering host club, The Roadmen Car Club Massachusetts. Then there was the traditional group photo of the 23 clubs attending at Gathering is shown in the picture below.



**LEFT:** Custom piston GAVEL passed each year to next year's Host Car Club



**RIGHT:** Custom Flexplate clock presented to the 2022 Gathering Host Club "GOONZ"







## IMPA TEST DAYS 2021

By Bob Walton



On September 28<sup>th</sup> of this past year 2021, I experienced a driving enthusiast's dream: To drive my choice of dozens of brand-new cars on the open road, unescorted. This event was hosted by the International Motor Press Association (IMPA). The leadership of this group of professional automotive writers arranged to have both foreign and domestic manufacturers provide their newest models for us to test, often the "Halo car" of the company.

Upon arrival at Bear Mountain State Park in Bear Mountain, New York, registered members credentials were examined, and we were issued a wrist band indicating our membership in the association. As this was my first Test Day I inquired as to what was expected of us. The reply was that we could drive any of the forty something vehicles with the only guideline being that we were asked to return the vehicle after approximately fifteen minutes. Since a list of vehicles had been sent to each member prior to the event, most of us knew which vehicles we wanted to drive before we arrived. On and off rain showers did little to deter our enthusiastic road testing.

After a tasty breakfast, we headed to the parking lot to begin the test drives. I headed straight to the Cadillac CT4-V Blackwing and chose the 6-speed manual over the automatic, as one of each was present. WOW! Does that machine move! What an exciting way to begin the day, blasting along the twisting, undulating roads of the state park. I selected a road upon which there were no places for spoilsports to hide and I may have taken advantage of that. This car is so fast I needed only the first three of the six gears! If you haven't driven a Cadillac lately you might want to try this one.



2022 Cadillac CT4-V Blackwing



2022 Mini Cooper S convertible



The new for 2022 Hyundai Santa Cruz Truck

One unusual ride I enjoyed was the Mustang Mach E. It was the first electric car I had ever driven. The gentleman representing Ford told me he programmed the car to run in "one pedal mode." Step on the accelerator and you go faster. Take your foot off the accelerator and the vehicle slows due to the regenerative feature which turns your momentum into electricity, slowing down the vehicle. It was much easier to get used to than I had expected. However, charging downhill into a turn is an act of faith. I think many of us would prefer to apply the brake ourselves than trust a computer to decide the degree of braking applied. I also didn't care to be the only automotive journalist that day to demolish a brand-new car.

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# IMPA TEST DAYS 2021

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Among the many vehicles I drove were the latest C8 Corvette, a Lexus LS500, a Mini Cooper S Convertible, a Hyundai Santa Cruz pickup, and a Subaru Outback Wilderness Edition.

But the ride which really made it worth the 400-mile round-trip to Bear Mountain was the MAYBACH! Never did I believe I would have the privilege of piloting this Mercedes Benz produced, ultra-luxury, \$250K car up and down a country road seeing what it could do. This was a real, "pinch me, I think I'm dreaming," experience. Glove-soft leather, every amenity you could imagine and POWER! This car was intended to be sold to world leaders, professional athletes, and Hollywood A-listers, and here I was, a retired schoolteacher/charter coach driver, the son of a factory worker, basking in a level of luxury very few ever experience. Life is GOOD!

RIGHT: Me at the controls of the 2021 Corvette C-8 convertible, America's Super Car, arguably the most performance for the buck. BELOW: An even bigger smile behind the wheel of the 2021 Maybach says it all



Driver's seat view of the luxurious Maybach



In conclusion, my observation is that Today's new cars are universally excellent. I could be happy with almost any of these cars, trucks, or SUVs. Years ago, we worried that we might select a car which was a "lemon." Since today's vehicles are consistently so much more reliable than those of the 50's and 60's that is no longer a consideration. Style, features, and how you intend to use your vehicle now play a much larger role in selection of which car to purchase.



IMPA Test Day Participants that brought their collector cars put on a mini-show in the rain

The organizers of this IMPA Test Day event had encouraged participants to arrive in one of their collector cars to put on a mini show. The weather discouraged many from doing so, but a small intrepid group braved the elements and displayed their cars. As if this wasn't already a red-letter day for me, late in the afternoon I was informed my '68 De Ville convertible won the Judge's Choice award! I eagerly look forward to the 2022 version of IMPA Test Day.





# Mark's Motorsports EXPO

by John Buchanan



I find that every year Mark's Northeast Motorsports EXPO at the Eastern States Exposition center in Springfield, MA is worth the trip. It has a great mix of vehicles covering a wide spectrum of the auto enthusiast hobby. For us in the eastern part of Massachusetts, who never quite make it to, let alone over the Connecticut River, it is a treat to see the vehicles and owners from the valley region display their cars.

Every year there is one craftsman displaying at the show amazing me with their handiwork. One such gentleman was William Eggers from Goshen, CT, a retired builder of Private Collection Vehicles, who displayed two of his replica motorcycles; the first successful steam motorized motorcycle, an 1867 Roper Velocipede (original is locked away in the Smithsonian), and the first gas powered motorcycle, an 1885 Daimler Reitwagen, which he had to scale off photographs. In addition to the two replica motorcycles displayed at the show, he also built five additional replicas of each which he sells to collectors. Bill is one interesting guy to know. He says, "I build limited edition and one-of-a-kind works of art; I don't do restorations." You can see the extent of Bill's craftsmanship by visiting his website at:



Bill Eggers is shown here with his two replica motorcycles, an 1885 Daimler Reitwagen and 1867 Roper Velocipede (background)

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Kids were encouraged to sit in these Kart racecars and have their pictures taken by Dad.







# Mark's Motorsports EXPO

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Many of the vehicle owners were on at their displays to answer questions and the area racetracks had their 2022 schedules along with race cars, which explains the show timing with racing beginning in April. I originally planned attending the EXPO on Saturday or Sunday, but with the bad weather forecast, I went Friday afternoon which turned out to be great weather and fewer spectators to slow taking pictures and talking to the owners. That'll be my plan again for 2023, Friday.







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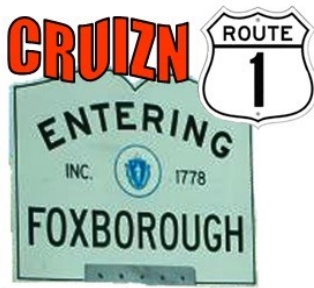
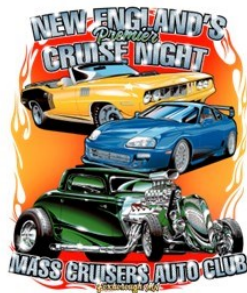
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- Acushnet: Legendary Street Rods @ Tuttle VFW, 28 Roosevelt St., 4 pm
- Athol: N. Quabbin Cruisers @ Market Basket, 147 Tower Rd. (Rte. 2A), 4-8 PM
- Attleboro: Sandcastle Mnthly Cruiz, 11 Drawbridge Ln.:5pm 3rd Mon, r.d 4th
- √ 4/11 **Bridgewater**: PCMC Cruise @ Mass Motor Vault, 1221 Bedford St. 5-7 PM
- √ 4/11 **Burlington**: Car Cruisin at Dunkins: 240 Middlesex Tpke & Rte.62, 5 PM
- √ 5/23 **Framingham**: LaCantina Parking Lot at 920 Waverly St., 5 PM -Dusk
- Lowell: Heritage Farm Ice Cream, 163 Pawtucket Ave. (Rte. 113) ?? pm
- √ 5/7 **Mattapoiset**: Ying Dynasty & Jack's, 24 County Rd. (US Rte. 6) ? pm
- √ 5/2 **Millbury**: Wheelock Inn, 82 Wheelock Ave 4 pm till whenever DOM
- Chepachet, RI: Harmony Country Store, 365 Snake Hill Rd.(off Rte.44), 3:30 pm
- Exeter, RI: Oak Harbor Village, 567 South County Trail (Rte. 2): 4-8 pm
- W. Warwick, RI: Boomerangs Roadhouse, 293 Prov. St., (Rte.33), 4 pm-DARK

**Tuesday:**

- √ 5/3 **Billerica**: Road Rebels Cruise at Billerica Elks Pavilion; 14 Webb Rd. 5-8 PM
- Canton: Canton Classic Car Club Cruise Rite Aid Plaza, 4 Washington St; 5-8
- √ 6/7 **Devens**: Clear Path for Veterans Cars & Coffee, 84 Antietam St., 8-10:30 AM
- Groveland: Jeff & Maria's Ice Cream, 918 Salem St. (Rte. 97); 4-close
- Peabody: North Shore **Corvettes only** @ 12 Sylvan St. Grille, 4PM-dusk
- Sandwich: Sham Rods @ Canterbury Plaza, 331 Cotuit Rd. 5:00 PM
- √ 4/26 **Saugus**: Fuddrucker's parking lot, 900 Broadway (US Rte. 1N) 5-8 PM
- Upton: Cruisin' at the V.F.W. 15 Milford St. (Rte. 140): 5-8 PM
- √ 5/7 **Westport**: Bristol County C. C. @ White's, 66 State Rd.(US Rte. 6) 4-8 PM
- √ 5/3 **Weymouth**: SCCC at Auto Zone, 555 Washington St. (Rte. 53) 4 PM-Dark
- Woburn: Lord Hobo Brewery, Draper St. 6 PM-Whenever
- Greenville/Smithfield, RI: A&W Rte.44 (I-295 Exit 7): 4-9PM (Bruce P.)
- √ 5/10 **Pawtucket, RI: Slater Park, Armistice Blvd. or Rte. 1A 5-Dusk**
- Warwick, RI: Oakland Beach Cruise Night, Rte. 1A, 4-8pm
- Westerly, RI: Misquamicut Beach, 257 Atlantic Ave. 5:30 pm-dusk (Doc)

**Wednesday:**

- √ 6/1 **Chelmsford**: Drum Hill Burger King, Rte. 3 Exit 32, 5:30 PM til dusk
- √ 6/1 **Danvers**: Liberty Tree Mall, Commonwealth Ave. (Rte. 128 Exit 24), 5 pm
- Dennis Port: Municipal Lot Mini Pizza Cruise, 626 Main St. (Rte. 28) 6 PM
- √ 5/7 **E. Freetown**: Downshifters @ VFW, 89 Middleboro Rd.; (Rte.140 x 10) 4-8 PM
- √ 5/25 **E. Taunton**: Star Drive-In, 205 Myricks St. (Rte. 79-Rte.140 x 16) ; 4-9 PM
- Grafton: Peperoni Express (Rte. 140 /122) 2nd & 4th Wednesdays til August
- √ 5/4 **Hanover**: Silver Lake C.C. @ Shaw's Market, 35 Columbia Rd. (Rte.53) 2-7 PM
- Millford: Caps Auto Parts, 75 Fortune Blvd, off Rte. 85 6PM
- √ **Millford**: PINZ Bowling, 1st WED. Mo. JeepUp 110 s. Main St, off Rte. 140 5-8PM
- N. Attleboro: N.A. Elks, 52 Bulfinch St. 5 pm-Dusk: held every other Wed.
- S. Attleboro: East Coast's Finest @ Town Fair Tire, 287 Wash, St.6:30-9:30 pm
- Swansea: Harvest Market, 2685 GAR Hwy. (U.S. Rte. 6) . 4-7pm
- Webster: Community Policing Cruise; 357 Main St. (Rte. 12) 5-8 PM
- √ 5/25 **Westborough**: Cruisin at Chick-fil-A; 286 Tumpike Rd. (Rte. 9) 3:30 PM-??
- Whitman: Lug Nuts Rides & Rides, Whitman VFW 95 Essex St. 6PM
- Bristol, RI: Dip N Sip Cruise, 775 Hope St. (Rte. 114) 4 pm
- Cranston, RI: Saugy Hot Dogs Cruise, 60 Rolfe Sq. 3:30-dark (DJ Nardo)
- Kingston, RI: Carriage Inn Cruise, 1065 Tower Hill Rd. 3:30-dark
- √ 4/27 **N. Scituate, RI**: Fredrickson Farms, 985 Chopmist Rd. (Rte. 102) (Bruce P.)
- W. Warwick, RI: Lil Rhody Storage, 100 Pulaski St., 3:30-dusk (DJ Ball)

For more cruise listings, check out these websites:

- <https://massautoclubs.org/maynard-area-event-listing>
- [Home | CruisinBruce.com](https://www.cruisinbruce.com)
- <https://www.newenglandautoshow.com/>
- [Cruise Nights \(djcarguy.com\)](https://www.cruisenights.com/)



**2022 APRIL CRUIZN season**

April is when early New England Cruise venues start including at Patriot Place  
Be sure to confirm these posted cruise venues are still starting their season  
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**Thursday:**

- Chelmsford: Chelmsford Elks, 300 Littleton Rd. (Rte. 110). 5/21; 6/18, 7/16, 9/17
- Essex: Riversbend Rest., 35 Dodge St. 4 pm -Dusk
- √ 4/7 **Foxboro**: Bass Pro Shops, 1 Bass Pro Pl. (U.S. Rte. 1) (Bruce P) 4:30 PM



- 4/7, 4/21, 5/5, 5/19, 6/2/, 6/16, 6/30, 7/14, 7/28, 8/11, 8/25\*, 9/8\*, 9/22\*, 10/6, 10/20

- North Reading: Kitty's Restaurant, 123 Main St.(Rte. 28);4 pm -Dusk
- √ 4/14 **Raynham**: W.O.T. Raynham Flea Market, 480 S. St. W. (off US Rte.44); 5-Dusk
- Shrewsbury**: Hebert Candy Mansion, 575 Hartford Pike/Rte. 20 5 PM
- 4/14, 4/28, 5/12., 5/26, 6/9, 6/23, 7/7, 7/21, 8/4, 8/18, 9/1, 9/15, 9/29, 10/13

- √ 5/5 **Sturbridge**: Cruise Burger King, 374 Main St. (US Rte. 20) 4 PM-?
- Cranston, RI: Frenchy's Creamery, 1105 Sctuate Ave 3:30-8 pm (DJ Nardo)
- Portsmouth, RI: Flo's Clamcakes & Cars, 324 Park Ave. Island Park; 3 pm

**Friday:**

- Auburn: Auburn/Webster Elks, 754 Southbridge St. (Rte. 12) 5 PM
- √ 5/6 **Brimfield**: Brimfield Winery & Cidery Cruise 35 Main St. (US Rte. 20) 5-8:30 PM
- √ 4/22 **Canton\***: Trinity Episcopal Church, 1 Blue Hill River Rd. 5 PM
- \*NOTE: 5/20, 5/27 & 6/3 cruise moves to Stoughton Trinity Parish Church on 414 Summer St.
- Gardner: Polish/Amer. Club, 171 Kendall Pond Rd. (off Rte. 2A), 7-11:30pm
- Halifax: Walmart, 295 Plymouth St. (Rte. 106 at Rte. 58). 5-Dark
- √ 6/3 **Lancaster**: Kimball Farm, 1543 Lunenburg Rd. (Rte. 70) 5-9 PM
- √ ?? **Mattapoiset**: Mattapoiset Wharf, 12 Water St., 5 PM till Dusk
- Weymouth Weymouth H.S.: Papa Gino's, 553 Main St., 5 PM till Dusk
- Ashway, RI: Little Rhody Lobsta & Chowda 15 Frontier Rd. 4 PM-dusk (DJ Nardo-\$2 )
- √ 5/6 **Cumberland, RI**: MacDonald's; 100 Mendon Rd. Rte. 122, 6 PM (Bruce P.)
- Warwick, RI: Rocky Point Clam Shack, 1689 Post Rd. (Rte.1), 4-8 PM (DJ Ball)

**Saturday:**

- Abington: SpeeDee (Wal Mart), 740 Brockton Ave. (Rte. 123) 5 PM-8 PM
- Ashburnham: Turnpike Rod & Gun Club, 94 Corey Rd. 1st & 3rd Sat.
- Dover: Dover Town Hall Green Cruise, 5 Springdale Ave. 4:30-7 PM
- √ 5/14 **Brookline**: Larz Anderson Cars & Coffee, 15 Newton St, 8:30-11:30 AM
- 5/14, 6/11, 7/23, 8/27, 9/17, 10/08
- Framingham: Neiko's of New York 969 Concord St., 4-9 PM
- √ **Falmouth**: Falmouth Plaza, 11 Davis Straights.(Rte. 28) Not2Spec A.C. 8-9 PM
- Merrimac: Skip's Snack Bar, Rte. 110, 4-9 PM
- Millbury: MYKONOS Café & Bakery Cars & Coffee, 49 Elm St. 7:30-11:30 AM 1st Sat
- √ **Millis**: Clicquot Cruise (Gold's Gym), 27 Milliston Rd. (Rte.109); 5 PM **any warm Sat.**
- Newburyport**: Cars & Coffee, McD's @ Port Plaza, 45 Story Ave. (Rte.113);7-10 AM
- √ 5/29 **S. Dennis**: Patriot Square, upper Lot, Rte. 6-Exit 9 (Rte. 134) 4:30 - Dusk
- Sudbury**: Casual Car Meet @ Mill Village, 389 Boston Post Rd.(US Rte.20)1-4 pm
- Waltham: Pizzi Fam, 549 Lincoln St. (off Rte. 2), 4PM-dark
- Riverside RI: Crescent Park Carousel, 700 Bullocks Point Ave.4-8 pm
- Slaterville, RI: Xtreme Restorations, 35 RR St., 1st Sat. Monthly; 9am-Noon on

**Sunday:**

- √ 5/2 **Andover**: Mnthly Cars+Coffee, 79 Main St., 9 AM 5/2, 6/6, 7/11, 8/1, 9/5, 10/3
- Ashburnham: Tpke. Rod & Gun Club, 93 Cory Hill Rd., last Sundays 1-2 PM
- √ 6/19 **Devens**: Clear Path for Veterans Cars & Coffee, 84 Antietam St., 3rd Sun. 8-11AM
- √ 6/12 **Fall River**: McGovern's Family Rest. Cruise, 310 Shore St., 4-7 PM
- Falmouth: F.C.C.C. Car Shows @ Marine Park, 180 Scranton Ave, 9 AM-2 PM
- New Bedford: N.B. Airport Cruise Nights, 1569 Airport Rd. 3 PM
- Pembroke: Lil Duke's Ice Cream Shoppe, 254 Church St. (Rte.139) 2 - 8PM
- √ 4/3 **Plymouth**: East Bay Grill, 173 Water St. (Plymouth Waterfront) 7 - 10 AM
- √ 5/1 **Seekonk**: Pep Boys, 217 Highland Ave. (US Rte. 6) White Wing C.C.; 4 PM
- Taunton: The Pines @ The Lafayette Club, 18 Lakeview Ave.: 3-7 PM
- √ 5/1 **Wilmington**: Kars N Koffee, As Good As It Gets, 25 Lowell St. 9 am-Noon
- Newport RI: Audrain Museum Car & Coffee 8-10 AM register your car online
- √ 4/24 **Warren**: Lauren's Restaurant, 601A Metacom Ave. (Rte. 136);4-Dusk
- 4/24, 5/8, 5/22, 6/5, 6/19, 7/10, 7/24, 8/7, 8/21 (Toys for Tots), 9/4, 9/18



## APRIL/MAY 2022 and beyond Area Auto Shows &amp; Events Page

Events of interest that MASS CRUISERS Club members regularly support and attend are **asterisked \***

NOTE: HEMMING'S ENDED HOSTING The M.A.A.C. EVENTS WEBSITE PAGE IT IS NOW ON THE MASS ASSOC. OF AUTO CLUBS

USE <https://massautoclubs.org/maynard-area-event-listing>**NOTE:** This APRIL & BEYOND list is our best effort to keep you informed so, check with event organizers to be sure they are still a GO.

APR 2,, THOMPSON CT,, SPEEDWAY ICEBREAKER RACES,, NASCAR & MORE,, <http://www.thompsons Speedway.com>, 860 923-2280  
 APR 3,, STAFFORD SPRINGS, CT,, TY-RODS,, ALL AUTO SPRING SWAP MEET,, MOTOR SPEEDWAY,, 55 WEST ST.,, 7 AM rain or shine  
 APR 18,, 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday in April,, LEXINGTON,, MILITARY VEHICLES/ANNUAL PATRIOTS DAY/CELEBRATION PARADE,,  
 APR 20-24,, CARLISLE PA,, SPRING CARLISLE MEET & CORAL,, 88 ACRES PARTS/CARS,, <http://www.carlisleevents.com>, 717 243-7855  
 APR 22-24,, NANTUCKET,, DAFFODIL FESTIVAL & ANTIQUE CAR PARADE,, <http://www.daffodilfestival.com>, 508 228-1700  
 APR 23,, BRIDGEWATER,, SQUAD-DRIVEN CHARITY DYNO DAY,, LARKIN MTRSPRTS,, 25 FIREWORKS CIR,, 2010+ 2WD,, RESERVE SPOT  
 \*APR 24,, FITCHBURG,, FORD V-8 CLUB-50TH ANN FLEA MKT/CAR SHOW,, FITCHBURG AIRPORT,, 8-1,, BRIAN,, 978 263-7256  
 APR 24,, NEWPORT,, AUDRAIN'S 8TH ANNUAL "DRIVING MISS DAFFODIL" PARADE ENDS AT AUDRAIN MUSEUM,, 8-10AM  
 \*APR 30,, SEEKONK,, ANNUAL SHOW & GO CRUISE IN, CHECK IT OUT AT,, <http://www.seekonkspeedway.com>, 508 336-9959

MAY 1,, SEEKONK,, SEASON OPENER AT THE SPEEDWAY, CHECK IT OUT AT,, <http://www.seekonkspeedway.com>, 508 336-9959  
 MAY 1,, BREWSTER,, BREWSTER IN BLOOM FESTIVAL PARADE SUNDAY,, 1PM,, SET UP NOON ON SWAMP RD,, MIKE,, 800 399-2967  
 MAY 8,, IN THE USA,, IT'S MOTHER'S DAY,, AND YOU KNOW WHAT THAT MEANS,, SPEND TIME WITH HER  
 MAY 13-15,, WESTERLY RI,, MISQUAMICUT SPRINGFEST CAR SHOW,, 2DAYS 11-3PM,, 257 ATLANTIC AVE,, AMANDA 401-743-9561  
 MAY 14,, BLACKSTONE,, CRUISE NIGHT EVENT AT WOJCK'S FARM,, ENTER AT 222 MENDON ST.,, 4-8 PM (508) 883-9220  
 MAY 14..SAT,, MILLBURY,, CRAFT FAIR/CAR SHOW,, WHEELOCK INN 83 WHEELOCK AVE,, 8-3PM,, 508 410-9631  
 MAY 15,, BELLINGHAM,, ASPHALT ENGINEERING CARS AND COFFEE,, 19 FARM ST,, 7AM,, BRING 2 NON PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS  
 MAY 15,, HOPKINTON,, HOPKINTON CONCOURS SUPERCAR EXPOSITION,, HOPKINTON HIGH SCHOOL 90 HAYDEN ROWE ST.,, 10-2PM  
 MAY 15,, N SMITHFIELD RI,, BOMBSHELL BETTIES SUNDAY FUDAY FOR VETS,, PRE 1980 ONLY,, 11-4PM,, 229 QUAKER HWY  
 MAY 15,, LANCASTER,, GMO CHAPTER OLDS CLUB-AMERICA ANN SHOW,, KIMBALL FARM/RT 70,, 8-3,TED,, 508 561-7613  
 MAY 21,, FALL RIVER,, AIR-COOLED AUTO SHOW,, KENNEDY PARK,, BROADWAY (RTE.138),, 508-493-2340  
 MAY 21-22,, STOW,, TANK DEMONSTRATION WKEND (TANKS, MILITARY ETC),, COLLINGS FOUNDATION/ BARTON RD,, 978 562-9182  
 MAY 21,, BARRINGTON RI,, ATRIA BAY SPRING CAR SHOW,, BRUCE,, 401 862-2719  
 MAY 22,, BRIMFIELD,, NEW AUTO SWAP MEET,, BRIMFIELD AUCTION ACRES,, 35 MAIN ST.,, 8 AM—4 PM 413 245-336 also 7/24 & 9/25  
 MAY 22,, MARLBORO,, A & M CAR SHOW REUNION,, MARLBORO FISH N GAME MUDDY LANE 9-5,, STEVE,, 774 287-7791  
 MAY 22,, REVERE,, BOSTON WOUNDED VET RUN,, THEY FOUGHT-WE RIDE,, 8:30 HARLEY DIVIDSON 650 SQUIRE RD,, 903 340-9402  
 MAY 22,, WELLESLEY,, 10<sup>TH</sup> ANN MODIFIERS CAR CLUB AUTO SHOW,, COMM CTR 219 WASHINGTON ST 10-2,STEPHEN,, 781-254-6634  
 MAY 29,, E FREETOWN,, LAKESIDE FESTIVAL CAR SHOW,, CATHEDRAL CAMP 157 MIDDLEBORO RD(RT 18) 10-2,, JOHN,, 508-763-0576  
 \*MAY 30,, JOHNSTON RI,, WAR MEMORIAL PARK,, RISRA ANNUAL AUTO EXTRAVAGANZA,, 9 AM—12 PM

## LOOKING DOWN THE ROAD AT SOME SHOWS &amp; EVENTS OF INTEREST IN 2022

JUN 3-5,, YORK PA,, ANNUAL NSRA STREET ROD NATIONALS EAST,, YORK EXPO CENTER,, [nsra-usa.com](http://nsra-usa.com), 901 452-4030  
 JUN 7-11,, LAKE GEORGE NY,, AMERICADE 2022,, BIKES, BIKES AND MORE BIKES,, CHECK THEIR WEBSITE,, [www.americade.com](http://www.americade.com)  
 JUN 18-19,, STOW,, COLLINGS MUSEUM OPEN HOUSE-TANK/ARM BLDG-OLD CARS/PLANES,, [collingsfoundation.org](http://collingsfoundation.org), 978 562-9182  
 JUN 18-26,, HEMMING'S GREAT RACE,, WARWICK RI TO FARGO ND,, PRE 74 AND OLDER,, <http://www.greatrace.com>, 800 989-7223  
 JUN 19,, HOLLISTON,, HISTORICAL SOCIETY CAR SHOW,, MAIN ST HISTORICAL SOCIETY,, 8AM-10:30,, PAUL,, 508 429-7192  
 JUN 24-27,, UNCASVILLE CT,, BARRETT JACKSON AUCTION AT MOHEGAN SUN,, <http://www.barrett-jackson.com>, 480 421-6694  
 JUN 26,, MEDFIELD,, 18th ANN CLASSIC/ANTIQUE CAR SHO 45 HOSPITAL RD 9-4,, [elmbankautoshow.net](http://elmbankautoshow.net), CHARLY,, 781 400-0744  
 JUL 10,, DEDHAM,, ENDICOTT ESTATE,, 50TH ANNUAL SHOW/FLEA MKT,, DON'T MISS THIS ONE,, [bsaac.com](http://bsaac.com), DREW,, 781-459-8800  
 JUL 15-17,, SYRACUSE NY,, RIGHT COAST NATS,, NY ST FAIRGROUND-RODS/CUSTOMS 2 1972,, [rightcoastcars.com](http://rightcoastcars.com), 800 753-3978  
 AUG 7,, ATTLEBORO,, 2<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL MASS CAR CLUBS SHOW,, LASALETTE SHRINE 947 PARK ST,, 8AM,, MIKE,, 978 509-8564  
 AUG 7,, JOHNSTON RI,, 41<sup>ST</sup> MCCNE RI ALL WHEELS SHOW,, WAR MEMORIAL PARK 1583 HARTFORD AV,, 9AM,, BOB,, 617 799-3072  
 AUG 14,, CUMBERLAND RI,, CHEVY OWNERS ALL MAKES SHOW-MCDONALDS-S&S, 100 MENDON RD/RT 122,, BRUCE,, 401 862-2719  
 AUG 21,, EPPING NH,, NSRA "DRAGGIN IN THE 50'S" CLASSIC DRAGS/SHO 69-OLDER/N ENGLAND DRAGWAY,, 603 440-9102  
 SEP 3,, CUMBERLAND RI,, PRE 70S CAR SHO,, DIAMOND HILL PARK 407 DIAMOND HILL RD,, BANDS/VENDORS 11-4PM,, [Creepscc.com](http://Creepscc.com)  
 SEP 4,, MARSHFIELD,, SPINDLES CC CAR SHOW & SWAP MEET,, MARSHFIELD FAIRGROUNDS,, RTS 139/3A,, JEN,, 781 335-9754  
 SEP 16-17,, OLD ORCHARD BEACH ME,, WEEKEND/ FRI CRUISE/SAT. SHOW,, [oldorchardbeachmaine.com](http://oldorchardbeachmaine.com), 207 934-2500  
 SEP 17,, WRENTHAM,, RED DEVILS CAR CLB FALL THROW DOWN CAR/CYCLE SHO-AMERICAN LEGION,, PRE 72,, DAN,, 508 341-7095  
 SEP 23-25,, BURLINGTON,, VT. NSRA N.EAST STREET ROD NATS,, CHAMPLAIN VALLY EXPO,, <http://www.nsra-usa.com>, 901 452-4030  
 SEP 25,, BOSTON COMMON/PARKMN BANDSTD/BOSTON CUP,, 100 SELECT CARS,, 9-2,, [thebostoncup.com](http://thebostoncup.com), MICHAEL,, 781 405-1856  
 SEP 29—OCT 2,, NEWPORT RI,, AUDRAIN CONCOURS: APPLY — [AudrainNewportConcoursandMotorWeek.com](http://AudrainNewportConcoursandMotorWeek.com)  
 OCT 2,, BRISTOL RI,, WAR VETERANS TRIBUTE CRUISE-IN,, RI VETERANS HOME,, RT. 136,, 9 AM—3PM,, JOE,, 401 474-0875

## UPCOMING MASS CRUISERS CLUB EVENTS TO MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR:

APR 7 & 21 FOXBORO,, BASS PRO SHOPS CRUISE SEASON BEGINS,, 3:30 PM; EARLIER IF YOU CAN HELP WITH SETTING UP.  
 APR 23: NORWOOD; 31<sup>ST</sup> ANNIVERSARY BUFFET PARTY AT THE OLD COLONIAL CAFÉ 5 PM & NORWOOD THEATER 7:30 PM  
 SOLD-OUT THEATER TICKETS HAVE BEEN RESERVED FOR MEMBERS. LET FRED TIERNY KNOW IF YOU CANNOT MAKE IT  
 APR 30: SEEKONK; 8<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL SHOW & GO,, SET UP FOR 8 AM—1 PM SHOW & GO  
 MEET at 6:30 AM to CRUISE from the I-95 S Parking Area after mile marker 9.6 or meet us at the track on U.S. Route 6  
 MAY 5 & 19 FOXBORO,, BASS PRO SHOPS CRUISE SEASON CONTINUES,, 3:30 PM; EARLIER IF YOU CAN HELP WITH SETTING UP.  
 JUN 4 MANSFIELD,, NEW ENGLAND HELICOPTER MEET; 410 ELM ST. (EMAIL DETAILS TO FOLLOW)