



13th annual DEVILS TOWER SHOW hosted by the Texas Trail Cruisers

This years Devils Tower Show hosted by the Texas Trail Cruisers from Moorcroft Wyoming was once again a success. It was down a little in numbers but they were able to pull off a great temperature and their raffles and auctions netted them some good money for their sponsored scholarships that the club gives to auto enthusiast high school kids each year.

This years highlight cars and trucks featured a WILD blown 1957 FORD sedan delivery from somewhere in Wyoming. It had the wildest engine and mural paint job at the show. It picked up best truck.

Best car went to a restored 1947 Chevrolet convertible. It was cool to see such a nice restored car on display! This show is well worth the trip to Wyoming to see. JN



This '57 Ford Sedan Delivery was one of the big winners and you can see why.

Nice group of cars



'Cool '34 Ford coupe

Nice '56 Chevy Nomad

Sharp '70 SS Impala

Wild '68 427 Camaro from RC



Top Car '47 Chevy conv.



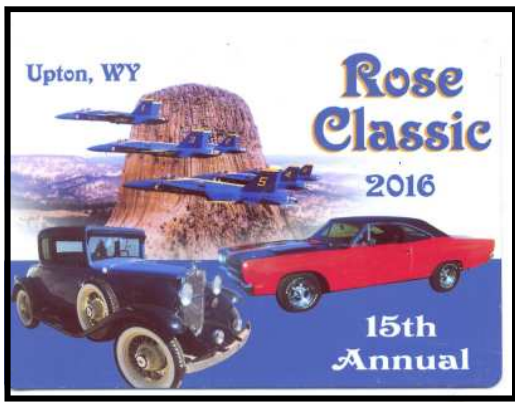
Carson Rose's '56 Olds



Johnson's '42 Chevy



Nice "A" sedan



15th. Annual Rose Classic car show and Fair

Once again, September 10th. Was a beautiful day in Upton Wyoming. Our friend Carson Rose has been working with the Upton Chamber to tie his 'Rose Classic' car show in with a vendor fair in Upton's city park.

This year over 100 cars came to show off their favorite cars, pickups, classics, antiques, hot rods and even a few tractors. What's so neat about this show is the lay back camaraderie that is spent among the people coming from up to 200 miles away to display their vehicles. This is a no award show with a \$5 entry fee to pay for the band and dash plaque.

This year the Counts had 5 cars and families on hand, down a little but we were represented. The quality of cars is always changing so it's neat to see something that you don't see every week. I was impressed by a 1941 Plymouth 3 window coupe that was set up with big wheels and tires on the rear and a rumpy motor! I don't think there are many of them! JN



Nice Wyo. 1970 Chevelle SS 55 Chev. PU from Cus-



The Johnsons '42 Chevy



Nice stock '38 Chev coupe



Carson's '31 Chev cpe.



Nice Mopar coupe



Pair of antiques inc. Chev



This is a wild Cadillac sports cpe.



Wild drag Camaro



Jim Walker's '55 Poncho



Rare 2 door 50's Hudson



Nice '66 Chevelle



Rare '41 Ply. 3 wdo. Coupe



Counts cars all in a row



Nice Pontiac GTO



Oldsmobile Cutlass cpe.



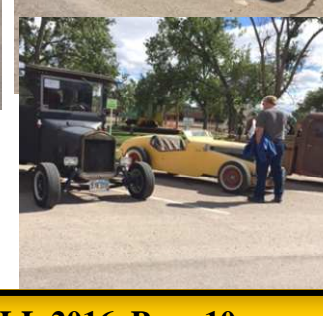
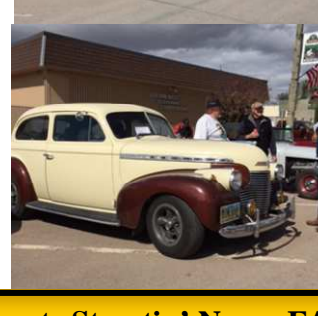
Another view



EDGEMONT'S 13th Fall Festival CAR SHOW



It was a cool and windy September 24th. When Ann and I headed to Edgemont SD for their annual Fall Festival car show. We saw 2 other Counts there. The Mahan's had their Mustang there and Ken Yates was on hand too. As usual we saw lots of friends and fellow rodders there also! All in all there were at least 60 vehicles lining the street in front of the park. There were LOTS of 'Rat Rods' and unfinished project cars on display. It takes all kinds to make a show and at least building cars is alive and well in the Southern Black Hills. JN
' Let the pictures tell the story!





On a beautiful Saturday, September 17th. The Newcastle, Wyoming Chamber held their 10th. Annual Shine and Show in conjunction with their FALL FESTIVAL in Dow Park. For some reason this is one of the biggest outdoor car shows in eastern Wyoming. This year nearly 200 cars and trucks were on hand for all the spectators to ogle over and pick their favorites. They even raffled off a cute Model T pedal car . They also have a “Glamper” old camper show with several 50’s and 60’s restored campers on display.

I was most impressed by a 1941 Buick 4 door convertible sedan. This car was just like it came off the dealers showroom in 1941 Lots of high quality customs and street rods along with lots of Mustangs and Camaros. The top winner was a Hemi powered John Deere custom combine cabbed truck. It was impressive and drew lot’s of attention. Even XXX had his factory race car on display. Cool show! JN



This is a rare 1941 Buick 4 door sedan convertible



Cool “54 Ford PU



Lenny Olsen’s ‘40 Ford



wild ‘50 Chev custom



“Deere God “ John Deere



Radical early ‘50s PU Nice 50’s Chev PU



Cool Pontiac GTO



Lynn Day’s ‘56 Ford



Belle Fourche custom ‘55 Buick

HOT ROD INSTITUTE

Car Show and Swap Meet

After a year or two break due to weather conditions The HOT ROD INSTITUTE had their Swap Meet and Car Show on Saturday morning October 1st. The weather was beautiful, making up for past years, and the turnout was quite impressive. I would say through out the show over 100 cars and pickups stopped to show off for a while.

The swap meet was pretty good too, with at least 20 vendors selling and a pin striper was on hand.

Doug had all the employees and students on hand doing parking, showing off projects inside, and answering questions that were asked of them. They all were in HRI shirts so easily spotted. They even had a hot dog and chips and drink lunch menu available

I was impressed at so many of the cars that were built at HRI were brought back to show off the quality of work that is done there!

I think that the season is winding down and this beautiful upper 70 degree days could be coming to an end so every body wanted to show off their vehicle one more time.

Many thanks to Doug LaRue for hosting this fun event!!!! JN



Very nice Rambler



Tom Cozad's '57 Ford



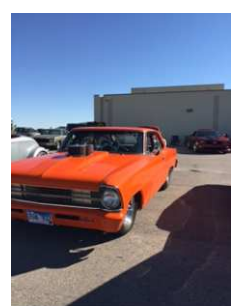
new '41 Ford RC PU



Denny Volmer's '48 all Ford pickup



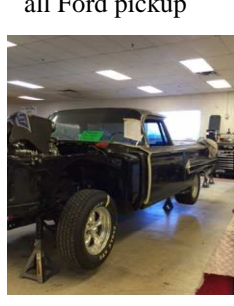
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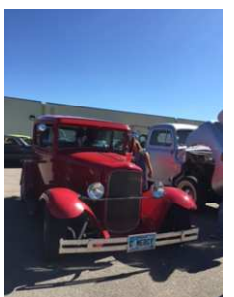
Radical, '60's Nova



nice mid '40's pickup



HRI project '60 El Camino



Van Houten's 'A'



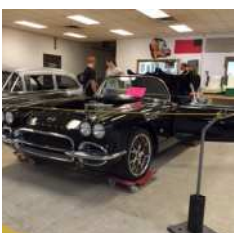
The Mahan's cars



Nice '65 Mustang



Rod Kruger's Chevelle



HRI project '61 Vette



Charger project



Very nice '50's Chev PU



'34 Mopar cpe/



Doug LaRue's '48 Ford custom PU



Motorcycle shop custom cycle project



Denny Henrickson's '34 roadster



pair of Deuce roadsters



nice '33 Ford PU



4 Sale '39 Ford cpe.

Culvers FALL Cruise In CAR SHOW

OCTOBER 1st. 2016 was a very busy day with fantastic weather and **TWO CAR SHOWS** in Rapid City. The Culvers restaurant show takes place at 4 pm to 7 pm and is hosted by the Dakota Rods and Classics car club in Rapid City. This is a free show with a 50/ 25/ 25 raffle funding the event and also Immune Deficiency Disease charity that Culvers also chips in 10% of sales at that time too!

The neat thing about these free car shows is that you see cars that aren't at a lot of other shows during the show season. I think that seeing some pictures will give you an idea of what was on hand this Saturday in October. JN



Cool Chevy panel



wild '50's Cab Over truck



late 20's Dodge coupe



**Now the Bob Meyers
'37 Chev . Pickup**



Cool T bucket



Mac Coldwell's '57



Nice '55 Chev pickup



Mike Shoener's '34



Variety of cars



Nice mid 40's Ford cpe



This Model A is familiar



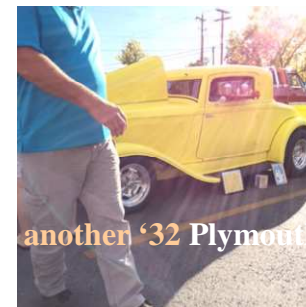
4 sale '40 Ford sedan



Wild purple Vette



rare '26 Studebaker cpe



another '32 Plymouth



1957 Olds 4 dr sdn