



***MAY 2025***



# ***CAFFEINE & CHROME***

MACC First Friday, Loafer's Car Show, Pete & Jakes Hot Rod Shop Car Show, Michael Day Top Cars under the Stars, and much more!

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### **General Information**

The club is a not-for-profit Kansas corporation, dedicated to the preservation and enjoyment of all Chevelles and El Caminos. Ownership of a Chevelle or associated vehicle is not required. Club newsletters which include minutes of meetings, upcoming events, and technical articles are sent directly to members and can also be found on the club's website at <http://midamericachevelles.com>. Business meetings are convened on the last Thursday of each month, with the possible exceptions of November and December, for the purpose of discussing and planning future club events. The meetings begin at 7:00 p.m., at Minsky's Pizza at 7198 Renner Road in Shawnee, KS unless otherwise noted in the newsletter or on the club's website. **Please note that going forward the meeting location will be at Zarda's BBQ in Lenexa on 87<sup>th</sup> Street while Minsky's Pizza in Shawnee is being remodeled.** Members may advertise vehicles/parts for sale, trade, or wanted in the newsletter for no charge. Contact the editor (Kirby Demott) at 913/269-4351 or [khdemott@gmail.com](mailto:khdemott@gmail.com).

### **Board Information**

<b>Chair:</b>	Roger Verstraete
<b>Co-Chair:</b>	Brian Findley
<b>Secretary:</b>	Randy Cummins
<b>Treasurer:</b>	Eugene Hallouer
<b>At Large:</b>	John Gragg
<b>At Large:</b>	Mike Ashley

**Newsletter Editor:** Kirby Demott



## **Monthly Meeting Agenda**

Call to Order  
Introductions  
Reports/Discussion  
Upcoming Events  
Report of Treasurer  
Additional Items  
Adjournment

## **Dues**

**Annual club dues (\$35) are to be submitted by April 30<sup>th</sup>.** If you have not renewed your membership by this date, there is a three-month grace period. You can mail your dues to:

Mid America Chevelle Club  
c/o Eugene Hallouer  
12318 W. 61<sup>st</sup> Street  
Shawnee, KS 66216

You can also renew your dues by Credit / Debit card on the club website at [http://www.midamericachevelles.com/members/join\\_form.html](http://www.midamericachevelles.com/members/join_form.html). When you renew online you can also use the form to make any updates or changes to your Membership info (if you don't know your membership number that's OK). Please note that a \$2.00 convenience fee will apply when using this option.

Lastly, you can of course still join or renew by Cash or Check by simply getting with Eugene at the monthly meeting.

If anyone has any question about when their dues expire or have any trouble paying online contact Eugene at [locoman@everestkc.net](mailto:locoman@everestkc.net)

## **A Note from the Treasurer**

### **Advance Purchase of 2025 Regional Show Shirts Available.**

Fellow club members:

There will be a limited supply of shirts for sale at the show. To ensure you get your type and size, we are offering MACC members the opportunity to purchase this year's show shirts before the show date. The price for each shirt, both Men's and Women's are **\$25.00** each and must be paid for in advance.

### **Below are the sizes available:**

Men's: Small, Medium, Large, X-Large, 2X and 3X  
Women's: Small, Medium, Large, X-Large, 2X



Payment will be upfront (cash or check). You can get with me at the club meeting, or you can send me a check to my home address below.

The last day that shirts can be pre-ordered is June 30<sup>th</sup>

I plan to start handing out the shirts at the July and August club meetings, and possibly some club events. My goal is to give out all the pre-ordered shirts before the day of the show.

To order by mail send Number, Type and Size of shirt(s) along with payment to:

Mid America Chevelle Club  
12318 W 61<sup>st</sup> Street  
Shawnee, Kansas 66216

I urge you to take advantage of this opportunity since there is no guarantee your type and size of shirt will be available on show day.

\*\*\*NOTE\*\*\* I have heard from a reliable source that the Women's shirt sizes run small.

Eugene

Here are what the shirts will look like.

Mens



Womens



## Meeting Minutes

### MID-AMERICA CHEVELLE CLUB

Location: MINSKY'S PIZZA 10540 S RIDGEVIEW RD., OLATHE, KS 66061

APRIL 24, 2025

### MINUTES

The meeting was called to order by President Verstraete and all were welcomed. There were no visitors or new members, so no introductions were made. There were 30 members in attendance, including 2 previous members who have come back.

The Minutes, as published in the newsletter, were accepted.

Elections were discussed. All current Board members were re-elected, and Mike Ashley was elected to the Member at Large position which has been vacant for the previous 2 years.

Roger also noted that additional memorials have been received for Russ Peters bringing the total to \$575. These funds will be used for special awards at our shows for years to come.

Brian noted again that registration for this year's Midwest Regional is live online, including purchasing meal tickets. Paper registrations can be sent with a check to Eugene at any time. Volunteer judges are needed. There will be some coaching for the volunteers. This will NOT be a participant judged event. Also, additional volunteers will be needed for the usual set-up, parking, registration and tear-down as always. There will be a training session held, probably in May, for those who wish to judge. Experts are not required, and guidelines will be explained.



This year the club will be allowing members to pre-order t-shirts by sending a check to Eugene at any time prior to July 1. This will assure all members can get the sizes they request (both Men's and Women's) and will help to limit the amount of unsold t-shirts remaining after the show. Send the check and requested shirt sizes to Eugene at 12318 W. 61<sup>st</sup> Street, Shawnee, KS 66216.

Shannon reviewed past and coming events.

The club has been requested to show our cars at Colonial Senior Living in Leawood on May 27. Time to be announced when finalized.

Eugene presented the Treasurer's report. We have 118 current members. He also noted that we have received our \$400 club sponsorship from Hendrick Chevrolet.

Roger announced that he will be stepping down as the club's President at the end of 2025. Also, Eugene announced that he will be stepping down as Treasurer after 2026. Both have served for many years and believe it's time for some new leadership. They were congratulated and thanked for all their dedicated service to the club. They will be working with whoever steps forward to ensure a smooth transition.

Jason Buell won the drawing.

There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by:

Randy Cummins, Secretary

## **MACC Committees**

MACC has several committees in place to help with planning all the activities that take place during the year. The committees and their members are listed below. Committees are always seeking help from the MACC membership. If you see a committee you would like to support, feel free to reach out to any of the committee members, letting them know.

### **Car Show Committee:**

Brian Findley, Chairman

Ed Smoot

Eugene Hallouer

Jeff Long

Kent Scott

John Gragg

Jon Clark

Tim Cunningham

### **Car Show Graphics Designer:**

Lynn Clark



**Events Committee:**

Shannon Pickworth chairman  
Roger Verstraete  
Steve Calder  
John Prouty  
Brian Findley  
Ray Harper

**Christmas Party Staff:**

Tim Cunningham  
Jeff Long

**Charitable Organization Committee:**

John & Debra Gragg  
John Freeman

**Facebook Administrators:**

Roger Verstraete  
Ed Smoot

**Chevelle Mechanical Advisory Committee:**

John Freeman  
Jeff Long

**Chevelle Appraisal Committee:**

Brian Findley  
Roger Verstraete  
Jeff Long



## Events attended recently by MACC

### **April 26: Caffeine and Chrome, Gateway Classic Cars, Olathe, KS**



The MACC was once again the feature club of this event. Although the weather was a bit cool and breezy, over twenty MACC members participated. By doing so, the club was presented with a check for \$200. This was another great show of participation and enthusiasm for the club.









## May 2: MACC First Friday Cruise-In, The Verstraete Homestead, Shawnee, KS

Despite some cool and damp conditions, the May First Friday event held at Roger and Janet's went forward and was deemed a good time by all those who attended. Getting enough of the Cinco de Mayo fare was not a problem!







### May 3: Olathe West Public Safety Car and Bike Show, Olathe, KS

Byron Hurley represented the MACC at this show with his '72 Elky and took home the gold, winning the award for the best classic car in attendance. Good job Byron!



### May 3: Kansas Whiteway Car Run, Olathe, KS

This event involves a cruise from Atchison to Frankfort, KS, with a car show at the end. Five MACC members participated. It was a beautiful day to get their cars out for a drive. Over 250 vehicles participated in total!











### May 9: Olathe Culture Fest, Olathe, KS

This event was promoted by the Olathe Leadership Lowrider Bike Club and was held off the square in downtown Olathe. With ideal convertible weather, Shannon Pickworth showed his beautiful red '72 Super Sport "top down".



### May 9-10: Loafer's Car Show, Hannibal, MO

A record 370+ vehicles participated this year in what has become one of the favorite events for the MACC. Seven MACC members made the trek to Hannibal on a near perfect spring weekend. Our own Steve Calder took home third place in his class with his '72 GMC Sprint.







### May 10: Fuel House Cars and Coffee, Bonner Springs, KS

This was the first Cars & Coffee event at the Fuel House this year. An overflow crowd filled the parking lots and more. Shannon Pickworth, a member of the Fuel House, represented the MACC.







### May 10: Pete & Jakes Hot Rod Shop Car Show, Peculiar, MO

Pete & Jakes always put on a first class event, which is evident from the number of participants they have turn up each year. John Prouty, Ray Harper, and Brian Peters all showed their cars. This show was always a favorite of Russ Peters, where he typically would not only show his '70 SS, but also volunteered to help. To honor Russ this year, Pete & Jakes sponsored the Russ Peters Memorial Award. Brian and Vickie Peters were given the responsibility of both selecting the winner and presenting the trophy.



### May 16: Michael Day Top Cars under the Stars, Olathe, KS

 Great Music

 50/50 Raffle to Benefit the Legion

**Michael Day Cruise In Presents**  
Top Cars under the stars  
American Legion, 410 E. Donna Ave, Olathe KS  
Friday May 16 & Sept 12 at 4 PM

\$20 per Show Car

1st and Second Place Awards	Spectators Free
1940 - Older	1982-1999
1941-1960	2000-Newer
1961-1972	Trucks
1973-1981	Best in Show





The American Legion puts this event on once a year in lieu of their normal weekly cruise-in. Seven MACC members participated, with several of them showing their non-Chevelle speciality vehicles. Joedy Terrill took home second place in his category with his family's '55 Bel Air convertible, and Jim Stack took home first in his category with his '40 Ford coupe.



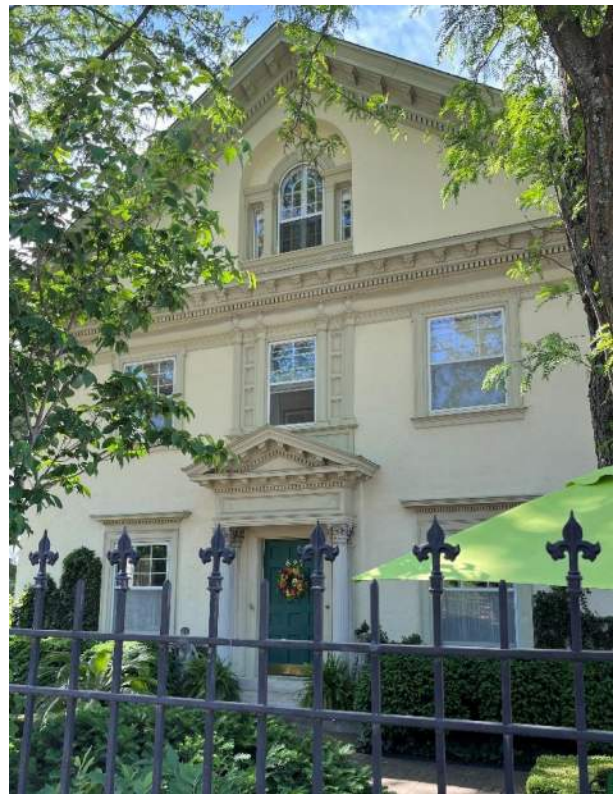
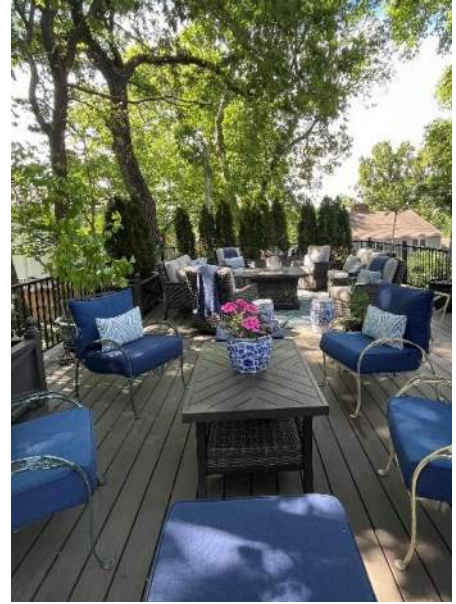


### **May 17: Tour of the Gardens and Architecture of Historic Rockhill, Kansas City, MO**

On a perfect spring morning, the MACC Ladies Group put on their walking shoes and attended the Rockhill Garden & Architecture Tour. Celebrating 50 years as a designated national historic neighborhood, there were 32 homes to walk past, admiring their incredible architecture. One was open for an inside tour, its dining room displaying hand-painted murals, the perfect backdrop to the table setting done by Mary Carol Garrity, previous owner of Nell Hills. Eight gardens filled with lush greenery, fragrant blooms, and decor offered so many ideas to members Julie Daicoff and Renee Demott. The ladies decided that for every car related purchase made by Jim and Kirby, they would reciprocate with a garden purchase!











## **Calendar of Upcoming Events 2025**

Hello MACC members,

Car show season is in full swing! We have a lot of great shows and events lined up for May and June that you won't want to miss. A big thank you to Roger and Janet for hosting this month's First Friday Cruise-In. The tacos were a fantastic way to kick off the Cinco de Mayo weekend, and we appreciate everyone who attended.

We still have an opening for anyone interested in hosting our FFCI event in August.

In June, Jason Buell and his family will be our hosts for the next FFCI event on June 6th. They will be welcoming us at their neighborhood clubhouse. The event will be from 5:30 to 7:30pm. Jason will be grilling hamburgers and hotdogs. The Buell's will supply the meat, buns, ketchup, mustard. The clubhouse has restrooms, and a kitchen area with a refrigerator. Members will need to bring a chair, sides and drinks. If anyone wants to use the pool, feel free. There is also a pickleball court available. Thank you, Jason and family, for hosting.

On June 8th, our Club Summer Picnic will take place at Longview Lake in Jackson County, MO, at Shelter House #12. More details to follow.





Don't forget to mark your calendars for the Paola Car Show on June 14th. Early registration is open now and will remain available until May 23rd. You can find more details at <https://paolacarshow.com/> On June 15th, Wine and Wheels will be held at the New Hometown Olathe Family Farm, formerly known as Stone Pillar Winery. You can preregister at <https://carshowpro.com/events/view/1937> .

Looking ahead to July, "The Great Car Show" has been added to our list of events. This is a pricier event, so I suggest taking advantage of early registration, which ends on June 1st and will save you \$10. The price will be \$55 on the day of the event. More details can be found at <https://kansascityautomuseum.com/events/the-great-car-show-374-266/> .

It's always wonderful to see the photos you take at these events, so please post them on Facebook and send them to Kirby for the newsletter.

Thank you, and if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me on my cell phone at 402-452-6761.

Shannon

Date	Event	Location	Host	Entry Fee
June				
6	First Friday	TBD	Jason Buell	
8	Sunday Club Picnic	Longview Lake Jackson County Missouri Shelter House #12		
14	Paola Car Show	Paola, KS – Downtown Square 10am to 4:30 (opens at 8:30)	Preregister by May 23 <sup>rd</sup> to get a T-Shirt More details at PaolaCarShow.com	\$25 day of show
15	Fathers Day – Wine and Wheels at the new “Hometown Olathe Family Farm”	Winery @ 11000 S Woodland St. Olathe, KS 66061	Preregister @ CarshowPro.com	\$20 until 6/14, \$30 day of the event

July				
4-6	Goodguys Show	Des Moines, IA		
27 <sup>th</sup>	2025 The Great Car Show	National WWI Museum and Memorial	2 Memorial Dr, Kansas City MO 10am to 3pm	Early Bird Reg is \$45 after June 1 <sup>st</sup> , reg is \$55



August				
1	First Friday	TBD	OPEN	
9	Leavenworth Car Show	Leavenworth, KS		
16	Hot Alma Nights	Alma, KS		
16	Midwest Show and Shine	KC, MO		
23	Magic Touch Car Show	Louisburg, KS		
29	Wellsville Car Show	Wellsville, KS		

September				
5 and 6	Midwest Regionals	NFM Kansas City, KS		
13	Turkey Creek Car Show	Merriam, KS		
14	Shawnee Car Show	Shawnee, KS		
20	Ol Marais River Run Car Show	Ottawa, KS		
27	Rev It Up Car Show	Lawrence, KS		
27 *NEW EVENT	Behind the Walls	State Penitentiary 115 E Kansas Ave Lansing		\$25 Fee per car

October				
3	First Friday		John Prouty	
11	Warrensburg Wheels Car Show	Warrensburg, MO		
TBD	Combat Air Museum Car Show	Topeka, KS?		

November				
22&23	Muscle Car and Corvette Nationals	Rosemont, IL		

December				
6	MACC Christmas Party	Thompson Barn Lenexa, KS		

We will add and update the events list each month as we go through the year.

If you have an idea for an activity, please contact Shannon or any of the committee members.



Event Planning Committee  
Shannon Pickworth-Coordinator  
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Committee members include:

Roger Verstraete  
Steve Calder  
Brian Findley  
Ray Harper  
John Prouty

### **A Note from our Events Planning Coordinator**

Dear MACC members,

We all joined the MACC because we share a passion for classic cars, especially Chevelle's. Some of us are lucky enough to have our rides on the road, enjoying car shows, sipping coffee at Cars and Coffee, and participating in cruise-ins. But for those of you who are still working on a project or looking to buy your ride and haven't pulled the trigger yet, I have some exciting news for you.

MACC is thrilled to introduce our new Ride Share Program! I often see members on the sidelines, missing out on car shows because they don't have a car or are busy working on theirs. It took me 20 years to complete mine, and I wish I had connected with the group more during that time. The wealth of knowledge shared by our members could have been invaluable during my restoration journey. Additionally, many members have parts or know where to find them to help finish your ride.

We regularly announce the shows and events the club will be attending on a weekly basis. If you see an event you'd like to attend, please don't hesitate to reach out to someone who is going. Most of us are more than willing to let you join us. Once you've connected with someone attending and picked a meetup point, it's as easy as executing the three "H" program:

Hop in

Hold on

Have fun!

It's that simple! Don't live on the sidelines waiting for your car to be ready. Join us and be part of the fun!

Warm regards, Shannon



## **MACC Ladies Club**

To all MACC Women,

Ginger Long will be hosting a tea at her home on Wednesday, May 28 at 1:00 PM. To RSVP call or text Ginger at 913-709-3769.

## **President's Column**

Dear Mid-America Chevelle Club Members,

I wanted to inform you of some important updates regarding our club meeting location and schedule.

As many of you heard at our March meeting, Minsky's Pizza on Renner Road, our usual meeting spot, will be closed for remodeling for the next three months. They graciously reserved another Minsky's location for us in April, but after holding our meeting there, we found that the room was too small, and the parking situation was not ideal or safe for our vehicles.

With that in mind, we've made the decision to move our meetings temporarily to Zarda's Bar-B-Q located at 87th Street and Quivira in Lenexa, Kansas. Zarda's offers a secure and spacious meeting room with plenty of parking, making it a much better fit for our group.

Please note the updated meeting schedule:

- May Meeting: Thursday, May 22 at 7:00 PM (Note: This is NOT the last Thursday of the month due to room availability)
- June Meeting: Thursday, June 26 at 7:00 PM
- July Meeting: Thursday, July 31 at 7:00 PM

While meetings begin at 7:00 PM, the room is reserved starting at 6:00 PM, so feel free to come early, grab some barbecue, and enjoy dinner before we get started.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause, but under the circumstances, this was the best option available. Thank you for your understanding and continued support.

Best regards,

Roger

President, Mid-America Chevelle Club





## **Vice-President's Column**

Hello MACC,

### **Replacing the TH350 with a 200R4 in a 1971 Chevelle: A DIY Guide**

Recently, I began a project to replace the TH350 transmission in my 1971 Chevelle with a newly rebuilt 200R4. I chose the 200R4 because it's a direct-fit option that doesn't require a new driveshaft and, in many cases, doesn't require a new rear crossmember either.

Like many car projects, I dove right in. While I'm comfortable working with manual transmissions, this was my first time replacing an automatic. The process went relatively smoothly, but I did learn a few lessons along the way that I'd like to share here. I've put together a refined step-by-step guide that includes what I did, what I should have done, and tips that will help make the process easier for anyone doing a similar swap.

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#### **Tools & Equipment Needed**

- Floor jack and jack stands
- Socket set and wrenches
- Transmission jack (recommended)
- Drain pan
- Screwdrivers
- Pry bar
- Replacement transmission
- New transmission fluid
- Transmission cooler lines (if damaged or worn)
- New transmission mount
- Possibly a new flexplate

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#### **Step-by-Step Process**

##### **1. Preparation**

- Disconnect the battery.
- Safely lift the vehicle using a floor jack and secure it on jack stands.
- Remove the driveshaft by disconnecting it from the rear differential and sliding it out of the transmission.
- **Drain the transmission fluid.** (*Note: I skipped this step initially and waited until the transmission was on the ground. It's much more difficult that way. Drain it beforehand.*)

##### **2. Disconnect Components**

- Disconnect the shift linkage, vacuum lines, speedometer cable, and transmission cooler lines.



- Unbolt the torque converter from the flexplate. This is usually done through the starter opening or the torque converter access cover.
- Remove the exhaust system for more working room.
- Disconnect the emergency brake cable if it's in the way.
- Remove the transmission crossmember and support the transmission with a transmission jack.

### 3. Remove the Transmission

- Unbolt the bellhousing from the engine.
- Carefully lower the transmission and slide it back away from the engine.

### 4. Prepare for Installation

- Inspect and consider replacing:
  - Flexplate
  - Rear main seal (recommended while the transmission is out)
  - Transmission mount
- Install the torque converter onto the new transmission. Ensure it's fully seated—you should feel it click into place multiple times.

### 5. Install the New Transmission

- Raise the new transmission and align it with the engine.
- Bolt the bellhousing to the engine block.
- Bolt the torque converter to the flexplate.
- Reinstall the crossmember, shift linkage, exhaust, emergency brake cable, cooler lines, dipstick tube, speedometer cable, and driveshaft.

### 6. Final Steps

- Fill the transmission with the correct type and amount of fluid.
- Reconnect the battery and start the engine.
- With the brake applied, shift through all gears to circulate the fluid.
- Check the fluid level again and inspect for leaks.

### Tips & Lessons Learned

- **Check compatibility.** Make sure your replacement transmission matches your car's specs and needs.
- **Drain the fluid early.** It's much cleaner and easier while the transmission is still in the car.
- **Consider the cooler.** Replace or thoroughly flush the transmission cooler if you're reusing it.
- **Torque specs matter.** Always verify torque specs from a service manual rather than guessing.

Your VP  
Brian Findley  
913.558.1453





## **New Members**

Kyle & Tracy Harbour  
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Spring Hill, KS 66083-8366  
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Member #544  
1970 El Camino - Black  
Phone No. 812-208-7221  
Interests: Cruising, Car Shows, Tech Info, Tours, Parties

## **Member's Corner**

*Tell the story about how you came to love Chevelles or even share some experience with your projects.*

## **MACC History**

*Eugene has been chronicling the history of the Mid-America Chevelle Club. Below is a continuation of what he began in the February newsletter.*

There are not many records from the early days of the club. I have most (but not all) of the club newsletters. I looked through them to get this information. There is much more in them than what is here.

Eugene

### **1994 Club History, from the archives of the Mid-America Chevelle Club**

January 15<sup>th</sup> Bowling Party at Mission Bowl. Thirty people attended. Russ, Dean and Jeff had high scores. Cruise to Pondarosa afterwards.

January 27<sup>th</sup> Club Meeting.

February 27<sup>th</sup> Club Meeting. Cruise to Pizza Hut afterwards.

March 18<sup>th</sup> thru 20<sup>th</sup> World of Wheels Show. Six Chevelles in show.

March 31<sup>st</sup> Club Meeting, Thirty-six members attended. Cruise to Winstead's afterwards.

#### **Election Nominations:**

President: Russ Peters

Vice President: John Gragg/Bob Calvert

Treasure: Dean Call/Eugene Hallouer

Secretary: Debra Gragg



April 9<sup>th</sup> Picnic at Bob Calverts and Cruise to Weston canceled on account of rain.

Congratulations to Jeff and Ginger Long on the birth of their son Jacob Allen.

April 28<sup>th</sup> Club Meeting, Thirty five members attended. Cruise to Steak and Shake.

Election Results:

President: Russ Peters

Vice President: John Gragg

Treasure: Eugene Hallouer

Secretary: Debra Gragg

May 14<sup>th</sup> Picnic at Bob Calverts and Cruise to Weston canceled on account of rain.

May 26<sup>th</sup> Club Meeting, Fifteen members attended. New t-shirts available. Cruise to Sonic afterwards.

June 11<sup>th</sup> Hot Dog and Ice Cream Get Together at Dean Calls.

June 18<sup>th</sup> Merriam Car Show

June 24<sup>th</sup>-June 25<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Chevelle Regionals at Wichita Kansas. MACC won the Club Participation Award. MACC volunteered to host 1995 Regionals.

Show Results (Club members):

70 Modified: 1<sup>st</sup> Place Ted Farley 70SS

68-69 Modified Original: 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Dean Call 69SS

64-72 Original Unrestored: 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Bob Calvert 67 Malibu

66-67 Modified: 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Eugene Hallouer 67 Malibu

70 Modified Original: 1<sup>st</sup> Place Russ Peters 70 SS

71-72 Modified Original: 1<sup>st</sup> Place John Gragg 71SS

71-72 Modified: 1<sup>st</sup> Place Phil Davidson 71SS

71-71 Modified Original: 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Jodi Davidson 71SS convert.

June 30<sup>th</sup> Club Meeting, Twenty members attended. Cruise to Steak and Shake afterwards.

July 29<sup>th</sup> Club Meeting, Twenty five members attended. Cruise to Sonic afterwards.

August 13<sup>th</sup> MACC Superior Chevrolet Car Show. No Judging, Participation Plaques.

August 21<sup>st</sup> Club Picnic at Shawnee Mission Park, Shelter 8.

August 25<sup>th</sup> Club Meeting, Sixteen members attended. Cruise to Winstead's afterwards.

September 24<sup>th</sup> Picnic at Bob Calverts and Cruise to Weston canceled on account of rain.

October 22<sup>nd</sup> Fall Party and Hayride at John & Debra Graggs





October 27th Club Meeting, Twenty members attended. Cruise to Wendy's afterwards.

November 17<sup>th</sup> Club Meeting.

December 9<sup>th</sup> Christmas Party at Smokehouse BBQ.

No December meeting.

More MACC history to come in upcoming newsletters.

### Sponsors



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### **Mid-America Chevelle Club Apparel for Sale**

Mid-America Chevelle Club Apparel, and prior Car Show Shirts, can be purchased at Club Meetings. Limited sizes and colors are available.

### **Mid-America Chevelle Club Parts for Sale**

*If you have any car parts you would like to sell, email your list and photos to [khdemott@gmail.com](mailto:khdemott@gmail.com)*

John Gragg has the following items for sale. If you are interested in them, contact John at 816-804-4771.

Numerous cans of R12 for sale. \$25.00 per can.





Richmond 12 bolt 3.08 ring and pinion. \$150.00



I have the following gas tank for a 1972 Chevelle. It is free to anyone who can use it. Pickup only.  
Email me at [khdemott@gmail.com](mailto:khdemott@gmail.com)



# 38<sup>TH</sup> MIDWEST REGIONAL CHEVELLE CAR SHOW

1964-87 Chevelles, El Caminos, GMC Sprints, Beaumonts and Wagons

## September 5-6, 2025

[www.MidAmericaChevelles.com](http://www.MidAmericaChevelles.com)



- Awards to top cars by class, best paint, best interior & best engine
- Friday poker cruise
- Friday dinner available
- See back for details

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For more information call Roger 913.207.3374 or Jon 816.516.9952



# 38<sup>th</sup> MIDWEST REGIONAL CHEVELLE CAR SHOW

**Sept. 5 - 6, 2025**

All Chevelles, El Caminos, Beaumonts, Sprints and Wagons are welcome!

Hosted by the Mid America Chevelle Club

[www.MidAmericaChevelles.com](http://www.MidAmericaChevelles.com)

At **Nebraska Furniture Mart** in the Village West Shopping Center at The Legends, Kansas City, KS

Hotels for your stay can be found [here](#).

## Event Schedule

### Friday September 5

Registration	9 am - 4 pm
Poker Cruise	4:30 pm
Friday evening cookout	5:30 pm

### Saturday September 6

Registration	8 am - noon
1,000 point judging starts	9 am
Judging	8 am – 1 pm
Awards Presentation	3:30 pm

## Highlights

- 🏆 \$100.00 Club Participation Prize
- 🏆 Door Prizes
- 🏆 Awards in Every Year
- 🏆 1,000 Point Judging by Professional Judges (*limited to the first 15 cars registered for it prior to September 1<sup>st</sup>*)
- 🏆 Awards for Best Interior, Best Paint, Best Engine & Best in Show
- 🏆 Souvenir T-Shirts available during the show – cash/check only
- 🏆 Poker Cruise & dinner Friday evening

Online registration opens April 1<sup>st</sup> at <https://carshowpro.com/event/2192>.

Or mail a check payable to "Mid America Chevelle Club" with this completed form to MACC, 12318 W. 61st, Shawnee, KS 66216

## Registration Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Club Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_

1<sup>st</sup> Car Information: Year \_\_\_\_\_ Model \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> Car Information: Year \_\_\_\_\_ Model \_\_\_\_\_

Registration (2 days, including Poker Cruise) \$40.00 per car = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

1,000 point judging (*limited to the first 15 cars registered for it before August 1<sup>st</sup>*) \$50.00 per car = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Friday evening cookout \_\_\_\_\_ person(s) @ \$10.00 per person = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

For more information contact \_\_\_\_\_ rain or shine, no refunds. Total Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Jon (816.516.9952) or Roger (913.207.3374)**

To the fullest extent permitted by law, I indemnify and hold harmless O'Reilly Auto Parts, Nebraska Furniture Mart, and the Mid America Chevelle Club from and against claims, damages, losses and expenses including, but not limited to, attorney's fees arising out of or resulting from my participation in this Event, provided that such claim, damage, loss or expense is attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease or death, or to injury to or destruction of tangible property, including loss of use resulting there from, but only to the extent caused in whole or in part by my negligent acts or omissions.

I have read, understand, and agree with the above statement. Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_