

MEETING DELAYS/CANCELLATIONS

As you all know, our January meeting had to be cancelled due to inclement weather. Therefore, we want to point out the club policy for postponing or rescheduling meetings. According to the club's Constitution: *Any regular monthly RVMC meeting canceled for weather related reasons will be held on the following Tuesday. RVMC meetings will be canceled if Virginia Western Community College night classes are canceled on meeting night.* Unfortunately, since the following Tuesday was also hit by bad weather, it was decided to cancel the January meeting entirely, and move on to the February meeting. Hopefully, Mother Nature will cooperate with us this month. We have lots to discuss, plans to make, and some great announcements to make. Hope everyone will try to attend.



NEXT MEETING!

Tuesday, February 18, 2014

Dinner at 6:30 p.m.

Meeting at 7:30 p.m.

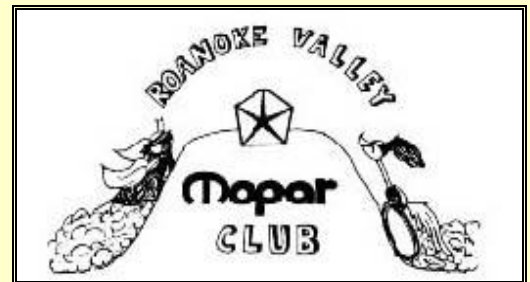
NEW Meeting Location:

Famous Anthony's - Brookside

6499 Williamson Road

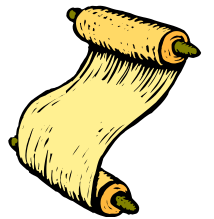
Roanoke, VA

February 2014



RVMC Constitution

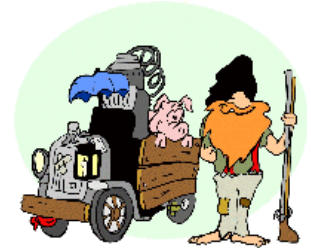
As our January meeting had to be cancelled due to inclement weather, our constitution review by the membership for any changes, deletions, or additions will take place at the February meeting. Below is the portion of the Constitution dealing with this subject. A copy of the full Constitution is once again included in this newsletter. Please read over it and make any suggestions known to the Executive Committee or bring them up at the February meeting.



Any proposed substantive revisions/changes must be brought before the Executive Committee and /or the RVMC membership before or at their respective regular meetings in January.

The changes, if any, will then be brought before the Full Members at the regular monthly RVMC meeting in January to be voted on for approval or denial before changes go into effect.

STUFF FER SALE.... and sech



WANTED: Oil filter for 1951 Plymouth.

Call: Seattle at (540) 765-8555

FOR SALE: 1975 Dart Sport (no engine or trans); **1973 Duster**, 6 cyl with A/C; **1973 H-code 340 4-speed car** (no engine); **1973 Duster parts car**; **340 engine and 727 transmission** (both rebuilt); **several 4-speeds and other miscellaneous parts.** Most parts etc. listed on Craig's List.

Call: Austin Dowling (540) 362-1112 or email austie74@cox.net

FOR SALE: 28' Pace Shadow GT enclosed trailer, tires are only 2 years old; has winch & battery installed, 2007 or 2008, low mileage.

Call: Bob Kinker at (757) 574-5029 or email robertkinker@cox.net (Tidewater Area)

FOR SALE: Pair of bare 318 heads for early 70's to around '76, NOS in original Mopar cartons – never used. \$100.00

Call: J. Luhrs at (540) 587-0133

FOR SALE: 1984 Dodge Rampage pickup truck. Rally wheels, factory bed cover, chrome bed rails, grey in color with red interior, red decals on body (RAMPAGE 2.2); 25,449 miles (title says + 100K). New tires, new paint by Monty King, 2.2 engine w/ AT, power steering, power brakes. Asking \$6,500.

Call: Don Robertson at (540) 268-2837 (Elliston, VA)

FOR SALE: 1989 Chrysler TC by Maserati; 10,500 original miles, 2.2 engine w/turbo. Both tops are included as well as the rack to hold the hard top when not in use. Color is Black Cherry. All accessories, including umbrella and tool kit, all books and manuals. Also included are four showroom posters, car cover, and other miscellaneous items. Car has been stored and covered since 1999. Everything is original except the battery. Car is located in Elliston, Virginia.

Call: Don Robertson at (540) 268-2837 (Elliston, VA)

FOR SALE: 1977 Chrysler Cordoba; 400 ci engine, 80,548 miles, Spanish Gold color w/ beige interior and leather seats. Big car ride, runs great. Asking \$4,000.

Call: Don Robertson at (540) 268-2837 (Elliston, VA)

FOR SALE: 1984 Chrysler LaBaron; 2.2 engine w/ 119,239 miles; silver w/ blue interior, new vinyl roof installed before car was placed in inside storage in 1993; wire wheel hubcaps; looks like new. Asking \$3,500.

Call: Don Robertson at (540) 268-2837 (Elliston, VA)

WANTED: Exhaust manifold for 340 or 360 engine.

Call: Richard Scott at (540) 721-3278 or email MrCuda@lycos.com

WANTED: 1996-98 2.0 DOHC engine (Y vin code) for 1998 Dodge Neon R/T. Must be in good running condition.

Call: Richard Scott at (540) 721-3278 or email MrCuda@lycos.com

WANTED: 318 heads for a 1973 engine.

Call: Henry Schneider at (540) 761-2411 (cell) or (540) 904-7454 (home), or email henryschneider1947@hotmail.com

FOR SALE: Set of big block A-body manifolds, asking \$675.00; 1970 Six Pack set up for \$2,300.00;

Call: Donnie Sweet at (540) 337-4310 or email mosweethemi@yahoo.com .

WANTED: 1956 Plymouth Fury

Call: Tommy Frantz at (540) 467-0272 or email tommy.frantz@comcast.net

If you would like to list items or vehicles for sale, or if you're looking for parts or vehicles, you may list them in this newsletter for FREE! Please make sure that they are Mopars or Mopar-related though. All you need to do is send the information to Louise Scott, Editor, via email at MizMopar@Lycos.com or you may call (540) 721-3278.

FREE RVMC MEMBERSHIP!

Would you like to have your 2014 RVMC membership for free? It's possible. This year, any member, full or associate, will have their membership paid for if they sign up **four NEW members by March 31, 2014**. You will receive credit for any NEW members, not for former members who rejoin. There is a place on every club application form inquiring where the prospective member heard about the club. Put your name on this line to receive credit for the new applicant. There is a golden opportunity to sign up new members by volunteering at the upcoming MDA Car Show (see article below). Club applications will be made available at the February meeting and at the RVMC booth at the MDA Show. Sign 'em up and receive a free membership! Good luck!



MDA SHOW NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

The RVMC is in need for volunteers to set up, man, and tear down our booth on Car Club Alley at this year's MDA Car Show at the Roanoke Civic Center. The show will run March 7, 8 & 9th and members who volunteer will get a pass for the day or days they volunteer to help. We need members to help set up our booth, and they will need to be there around noon on the 7th. During the show we will need volunteers to help man our booth. It's a simple assignment: distribute club information, sign up members, talk about Mopars, and have fun! Plus you have the added bonus of getting credit for signing up any new members and possibly having your 2014 membership paid! Hours for manning the booth are as follows:

March 7, 2014

5:00 –7:00 p.m.

7:00 –9:00 p.m.

March 8, 2014

9:00 –11:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

3:00 – 5:00 p.m.

5:00 – 7:00 p.m.

7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

March 9, 2014

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon

12:00noon – 2:00 p.m.

2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

4:00 – 5:00 p.m. and Tear Down

We will also need members to help take down our display. Those who do this are treated to the spectacle of seeing the vehicles exit the Civic Center....always a fun event. You may volunteer by contacting one of our officers (contact information listed in this newsletter), or you may sign up at the February meeting. Hope to see everyone there, even if you don't volunteer, please come by to supports the efforts of the MDA Committee and the RVMC, and to see Dave Simmons' beautiful car on display, representing our club this year.

AROUND THE RVMC

Our first show registration has been received and this year our first registrant is **Mark Novak!** We always love seeing Mark and Kim with their beautiful baby blue Chrysler convertible.




WELCOME NEW MEMBER



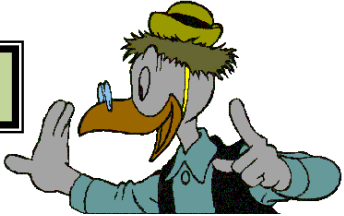
A hearty RVMC welcome to our newest member, **David Duus**. David is joining as a full member and has a big Dodge 2500 truck. David was recommended by **Dave Simmons**, so Dave has one new member to his credit. We all look forward to seeing David at our next meeting.

FREE \$50 ADVANCE CARD!

Jim Fannin is offering a \$50.00 Advance Auto Parts gift card to the member who gets the most sponsors for our 2014 RVMC Show. This does not mean the most in dollar amount, but the most actual sponsors. Can anyone out there defeat Leo Taylor in this department? Let's find out. The chase is on. Sponsorship forms will be made available at the February meeting. Go get 'em!

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2014 DUES ARE NOW DUE!



It's that time of year, fellow RVMC members...the 2014 club dues are now due. As a reminder, **Full Membership is \$25.00** per year, and **Associate Membership is \$15.00** per year. Associate membership is only open to those who are unable to attend the meetings due to distance, work or school scheduling, or other impediments to attending the regular meetings. In addition, we are updating our records, and ask that you complete the Membership Update Form enclosed in this newsletter and return it with your payment. You may mail your dues or pay them at the next few meetings, but please remember to bring the update form as well. As noted in the club's Constitution, you must pay your dues **no later than March 31st**, or you will be dropped from the membership roster. Please don't let this happen to you!

UPDATE ON DAVID BROOKS!



Great news! David is out of the hospital and in rehab. He is currently recuperating and rehabilitating at Friendship Health and Rehab, 327 Hershberger Road, Roanoke, VA 24012. David is in Room 2023-B and his phone number is (540) 265-2064. Visits, cards, and phone calls will surely help him on the road to recovery. We're all here for you, David. Continue to get well and hope to see you at a meeting really soon. You just can't keep a good man down!

RVMC Apparel

We'd like every member to at least have one of our orange club t-shirts. When we wear these shirts to events, we really stand out as a club. If you don't have a club shirt and are interested in buying one, please contact Debbie Creasy at (540) 309-3506 or email her at volley.deb@gmail.com to place your order.

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| T-shirts - \$10.00 | Hoodies - \$22.00 | Hats - \$12.00 |
| Long Sleeve Shirts - \$14.00 | Zip Up Hoodies - \$25.00 | Jackets - \$40.00 to \$65.00 |



(NOTE: Please add \$2.00 per item for sizes 2X and larger)

ROANOKE VALLEY MOPAR CLUB CONSTITUTION

As of January 15, 2013

A. PURPOSE

The purpose of the Roanoke Valley MOPAR Club (RVMC) is to promote MOPARS, create good fellowship and sportsmanship among drivers, and promote safety in automobile maintenance and operation.

B. MEMBERSHIP

1. A minimum age of sixteen (16) years old is required for membership (Full or Associate). This requirement may be overridden by a majority vote of the Full members.
2. Membership in the RVMC is open to anyone expressing an interest in Chrysler Corporation (MOPAR) automobiles, trucks, 4X4s, vans etc.
3. Full members must pay their first years dues in full before they receive voting privileges or are put on the mailing list.
4. Each full member will have one (1) vote on all RVMC business.
5. All members will be welcome to participate in RVMC activities and projects. All members are expected to participate in at least two (2) RVMC activities yearly.
6. Wives, husbands, girlfriends, or boyfriends of all RVMC members are invited to participate in all RVMC activities. Wives, husbands, girlfriends, or boyfriends of Full members will also have a vote as a dues paying RVMC member.
7. Girlfriends and boyfriends of full members must actively and consistently participate in RVMC activities to receive full membership privileges.
8. The Executive Committee has the authority to withdraw membership from any member at any time by majority vote. This may be reversed by 2/3 vote from, RVMC Full Members at the next regular monthly RVMC meeting.
9. Associate Membership is open to all interested persons who, because of their work schedule, geographic location, school, etc., are unable to attend the regular monthly RVMC meetings.
10. To apply as an Associate Member, an individual must complete the normal RVMC application form and submit it with the first year's dues of the appropriate amount to the RVMC.
11. Associate Members do not have voting privileges, but will otherwise be treated as Full members of the RVMC.
12. Lifetime membership is granted to those Charter Members still maintaining active membership as of January 2000 and will afford such members all rights and privileges as Full Members without having to pay annual club dues.

C. DUES

1. Dues shall be \$25.00 annually for Full Members, \$15.00 for Associate Members and the fiscal year shall be January through December.
2. All dues for the calendar year must be paid in full by March 31 of that calendar year.
3. All members who have not paid their dues in full by March 31 will be dropped from the RVMC membership roster and mailing list. Full Members will also be ineligible to vote in the elections that year.
4. New Member dues paid after September 30th and before January 1st will be considered good for the balance of the year paid and the next calendar year.
5. Any member dropped for nonpayment of dues must go through the same application procedures as a new member to apply for reinstatement
6. Any member delinquent in dues will be sent a written notice from the Treasurer that he/she will be dropped from the RVMC's membership roster if said dues are not paid at or before the next regular meeting.
7. If any member is unable financially to pay his/her dues before March 31 deadline, he/she must notify the Treasurer in writing of the circumstances. The matter then comes before the Executive Committee for consideration as to whether his/her membership should continue.

D. CONDUCT

1. Any conduct unbecoming any member of the RVMC can be subject to the dismissal by the Executive Committee.
2. The RVMC will not tolerate reckless driving or drag racing where it ENDANGERS PUBLIC LIVES AND/OR PROPERTY. The Executive Committee will investigate any report of misconduct in these areas.

E. MEETINGS

1. A regularly scheduled monthly RVMC meeting will be held on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. All business transacted will be deemed official by 2/3 vote of all Full Members present.
2. Any regular monthly RVMC meeting canceled for weather related reasons will be held on the following Tuesday. RVMC meetings will be canceled if Virginia Western Community College night classes are canceled on meeting night.
3. Measures to be voted upon must originate with a motion and a second to that motion from a full member and to be passed/denied by a majority favor vote from full member body.
4. Voting may be in various forms (show of hands, secret ballot, etc.) depending on the subject matter by full members.

F. ELECTION OF OFFICERS

1. Officers will serve a one (1) year term beginning at the first regular monthly RVMC meeting in January. There is no limitation on the number of consecutive terms that an officer may serve.
2. All elected officers will be nominated at the October RVMC meeting. Elections will be held at the November RVMC meeting and the newly elected officers will assume their duties the following January.
3. The elected RVMC officers shall be:
 - i. President
 - ii. Vice President
 - iii. Assistant Vice President
 - iv. Secretary
 - v. Treasurer
4. Removal of any RVMC officer may be made by a majority vote of all Full Members by secret ballot.
5. Only full members of the RVMC shall make nominations for RVMC office
6. Nominees must be Full Members in good standing.
7. Nominees must be asked in advance or at the meeting of the nomination about their ability and willingness to serve in the respective office.
8. Ballots will have space for write-in standing.
9. The Treasurer will be responsible for handing out ballots at the election meeting to only Full Members in good standing.
10. Absentee ballots must be requested from the Treasurer in writing, including email or text, a minimum of seven (7) days prior to the election. The Treasurer must verify that the sender is a Full Member in good standing with voting privileges. The absentee ballot must then be returned in the envelopes provided unchanged.

11. Absentee ballots must be received prior to or at the meeting and must be given unopened to the Tally Committee. Ballots received by the Tally Committee after the election results are announced will be considered invalid.
12. The Tally Committee must be made up of neutral parties. No candidate, spouse, boyfriend, girlfriend, family member, etc. of a candidate shall be on the Tally Committee.
13. All ballots will be held for a period of 48 hours following the election for verification by a full member. A selected member of the Tally Committee will hold the ballots.
14. In case of a tie vote and a revote is necessary, only votes by full members present at the meeting will be counted.

G. RESIGNATION OF MEMBERS

1. Any member who has left the RVMC for any reason, and who wishes to rejoin, must reapply.
2. Any resignation must be made in writing to a club officer, or may be made verbally at a regular monthly RVMC meeting.

H. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

1. The Executive Committee will make decisions and set policies governing and in the best interest of the RVMC. Any decisions of a majority of the Executive Committee shall be binding until next regular monthly RVMC meeting, when a majority present may approve or disapprove a decision. In cases disapproved decisions, the Executive Committee must make such amendments as necessary and present new decisions for approval of the members at the following monthly RVMC meeting.
2. The Executive Committee shall consist of the RVMC President, Vice President, Assistant Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and two (2) Members at-large, elected from the remaining Full Members and who hold no other RVMC office.
3. The Executive Committee shall meet as needed and called for by the President.

I. DUTIES OF OFFICERS

1. **PRESIDENT**
Shall preside at all RVMC meetings and functions; will have the power to decide questions of equal division; and have all powers, duties, and responsibilities usually vested in the President of any organization.
2. **VICE-PRESIDENT**
Shall serve as aide to the President, and shall perform the duties of the President in the absence of the President
3. **ASSISTANT VICE-PRESIDENT**
Shall serve as the registered agent and maintain VA SCC Charters and Annual reports
4. **SECRETARY**
Shall keep in writing, minutes of regular monthly RVMC meetings and any meetings of the Executive Committee. Minutes of the previous regular monthly RVMC meeting and results of decisions made by the Executive Committee will be read and verified at the regular monthly RVMC meeting. The Secretary will, at the discretion of the RVMC President, handle correspondence pertaining to club matters, and will be responsible for keeping a record of attendance at all regular monthly RVMC meetings.
5. **TREASURER**
Shall be responsible for funds of the RVMC and be responsible for maintaining funds in the RVMC bank account; will collect all dues and keep a record of them; will dispense RVMC funds as needed or directed by membership vote or by the Executive Committee; will deliver an up-to-date financial report at all Executive Committee meetings, and at all regular monthly RVMC meetings.

J. MISCELLANEOUS

1. Flowers and gifts will be authorized by Executive Committee for special occasions only.
2. Cards may be sent to all family members of any RVMC member.
3. All members retain the right to examine RVMC books or property at any time that does not disrupt a regular monthly RVMC meeting.
4. All RVMC members may purchase T-shirts, jackets, or hats. Girlfriends, boyfriends, etc. may purchase the same items. These are the individual member's property, but may be sold to other RVMC members at the time of resignation or dismissal of the said individual member.
5. At any event sponsored by the RVMC, all members are expected to help other members, to help set up or work the event, and to help clean up *after the event*.
6. The RVMC will attend no event unless everyone has the opportunity to participate (parades etc.).
7. The RVMC will choose an organization each year and target the charity for a Christmas benefit.
8. As long as the RVMC participates in AAP Pit Stop Cruise Ins the RVMC will donate 50% of the proceeds from concessions to JDRCF.
9. Any RVMC property must have permission to use object at different events not provided or operated by RVMC. The President or the Executive Committee has the discretion to designate use of RVMC property.

K. RVMC CAR SHOW

1. The RVMC will sponsor at least one (1) judged MOPAR only car show annually
2. Only 50% of the proceeds from the annual RVMC MOPAR only car show will be donated to St. Jude Children's Hospital.
3. All members are asked to be present at an RVMC show and help with the set up prior to opening registration time.
4. Any RVMC sponsored car show will be organized by a Show Committee which will be appointed no later than four (4) month prior to the event, and which will be responsible for arranging the site, all advertising, and entrance/registration forms. This Show Committee shall complete its work no later than sixty (60) days prior to the scheduled event.

L. CONSTITUTION

1. Any proposed substantive revisions/changes must be brought before the Executive Committee and /or the RVMC membership before or at their respective regular meetings in January.
2. The changes, if any, will then be brought before the Full Members at the regular monthly RVMC meeting in January to be voted on for approval or denial before changes go into effect.
3. Grammatical and typographical changes (that in no way affect the substance of the constitution) may be made as deemed necessary by the Executive Committee and then be brought before the Full Members at the following regular monthly RVMC meeting to be voted on.
4. Roberts Rules of Order will govern if this constitution is otherwise silent.

ROANOKE VALLEY MOPAR CLUB

Please help us keep our files current by providing the following information. Bring this form with your dues to a meeting prior to March 31, 2014, or mail it with your 2014 RVMC dues to the address below. Dues are \$25 for Full Membership and \$15 for Associate Membership. Mail to:

Roanoke Valley Mopar Club
P. O. Box 20024
Roanoke, VA 24018

Make checks payable to: **Roanoke Valley Mopar Club**

MEMBERSHIP UPDATE FORM

(Please PRINT clearly!)

_____ Full Member **OR** _____ Associate Member

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ () _____ Phone: _____ () _____
Home Cell

Phone: _____ () _____ Birthday: _____ / _____
Business Month Day

Email Address: _____

I prefer to receive my RVMC newsletter via:

_____ Email address above _____ U.S. Postal Service

(Please note that receiving your newsletter via email will not only save money, but you will get your newsletter earlier!)

VEHICLE INFORMATION

Year: _____ Make: _____ Model: _____

Engine: _____ Transmission: _____ Stock or Modified? _____

Color (exterior): _____ Color (interior): _____

Special Features or Options: _____

(You may list additional vehicles on the reverse side or separate sheet)



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