

T-Town Wheelers NEWS

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FRONT PAGE NEWS

T-Town Wheelers Hot Wheel® Show on 8/12/06

For the first time we had our show at the Saturday Flea Market, and from what I have heard from others, they feel this show seemed to have worked out pretty well. There was a lot of traffic that went through whether they came for the show or just showed up for the flea market to check everything out . There were almost 50 tables of cars for sale and display. All and all it seems to have been very successful. A special thanks to those that helped out and the "Dakes" for passing out cars to the kids. Good job guys!!!

September 12, 2006 RLC Event The HWC™ '57 Chevy® & TNT Bird!

Numbers 4 and 5 in the Neo-Classics™ Series, this **Clutch Kit™** is the ultimate package deal Starting at **9AM PDT Tuesday, September 12**, both cars can be yours for **\$14.99 each** (plus shipping) or you can buy one or the other car by itself. The **limit is 1 of each car.**

The '57 Chevy® has features to die for:

- **Spectraflame® purple finish!**
- **Purple and gold flames on the sides!**
- **Red Line™ wheels with torsion bar suspension!**
- **Full-metal chrome-plated chassis!**

The TNT Bird's casting will render you speechless:

- **Spectraflame® dark green finish!**
- **Black top!**
- **Black stripes on the sides and top!**
- **Red Line™ wheels with torsion bar suspension-just like the original!**

Full-metal chrome-plated chassis!



Remember:

- The next TTW Club meeting will be at the NEW Hardesty Library just east of 93rd and Memorial. From 1:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m., Saturday, **September 2, 2006.** Our meetings are on the 1st Saturday of each month through the rest of 2006.
- We need your Hot Wheel related articles for the Newsletter or a story about how you started collecting.
- Update your contact info with Paul Bales.
- Check us out on the web www.microcollector.com

There will also be a RLC event day on 9/19/06 – car TBA later.

Greetings! Has anyone seen the new Hot Wheels goodies that are hitting the shelves at Target these days?

They have brought back Flying Customs, Super Chromes and Lowriders all with special graphics and packaging giving them the look of the good old days. They picked some of the better castings as well with the VW bug, Corvette Stingray and Rodger Dodger among the group they selected. The only heartburn with this latest idea is the price point, which is \$3 a car and the fact that it is only available at Target which may make it somewhat of a challenge for those who are trying to collect them all.

Even cooler is the return to the Sizzlers cars and race sets. When you look at these new cars in their retro style packaging you would swear these products are straight from the good old days. They even made the Juice machine look nearly identical to the one we used 30+ years ago. While I have not yet had a chance to try out the new Sizzlers cars, I am going to do so before too long. You can also bet that I am going to make sure that the Sizzlers track set is under the Christmas tree for my nephews this year!

I for one am glad that Hot Wheels is making a strong effort to bring back the beloved toys that collectors remember from their youth. Hopefully many collectors out there feel the same way. If so, we can possibly see Mattel continue with these product line and perhaps expanding the distribution making it easier for collectors to get the product. They might even do the same for other products. I for one would also like to see a return of the Chopcycles! For today, lets pat the Hot Wheels folks on the back for this effort. Other than the pricing issues and the Target limited status, I would say that they hit a home run with this product. Thanks to Mattel for bringing back some ford memories!

A tip of the hat to everyone involved with the Flea Market show we just completed. A great time was had by all. Special thanks go to Joe and Sherry Dake who manned a booth for the club and gave away numerous cars to kids and told the club story to all who would listen throughout the day. They did a great job for the club!

Thanks to all and good luck hunting!

Kaz

T-TOWN WHEELERS CORNER

Period #3 Update: Customized VW Drag Bus 10th Anniversary Promotion!

Period #3 (July 1, 2006 – September 30, 2006):

By the end of the month you will need to mail out your 20 cards with your receipt and \$3.00 for the **Mystery car #3**. Forms can be found on www.hotwheelscollectors.com.

The vehicle is an olive green "Airy 8" motorcycle.

Period #4 (10/1/2006 – 11/30/2006)



K-Mart Days

It has not positively been posted when this will be, but is rumored to be anywhere from September 23rd to the middle of October. Keep looking for information about when this will happen next.

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T-Town Wheelers' Club Cars**Current Club Cars for 2006**

On our August meeting we voted for the Boss Hoss Mustang, Mustang Fastback GT, and the '70 Chevelle. We need to get the club car committee together so we can vote on which of these 3 cars we want to use for our 2006 Club car and what color we are going to paint it. Once we figure out what car we are going to use, we can start getting these cars together and start preparing them to be painted. Please contact Jeannette Peterson (918) 636-9822 if you are interested in helping with this years' cars or want to be on the Club Car Committee.

T-Town Wheelers August 2006 Show

The Flea Market proved to be a new and exciting territory for the T-Town Wheelers to invade as we tried the long time Fairgrounds location for our latest show. While they did not set us up in exactly the fashion that we desired it did not detract too much from the fun that was had. We had a good table count as several vendors had multiple tables of goodies and many new collectors were introduced to the hobby.

Many new cars were on tables and we even had the pleasure and meeting and seeing some of Cookie Linds fine cars that he brought from California. Trading was rampant as I saw several cars changing hands among the club members. The other flea market vendors seemed to get into it as well as they frequently stopped by our area to see what was going on. All in all it was a fun day and a neat change of pace for a show location. Thanks to all who helped put it on and thanks again to the Dakes who manned the Club table and told the club story numerous times during the day. Hope to see you at the next show! The Prez!

20th Annual Hot Wheels® Collectors Convention

Orange County, CA October 11-15, 2006

Here are some of the featured cars:

Here is the Charity Event Car for the
Make-A-Wish Foundation:



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AD LISTINGS

All members are allowed a free advertisement in this newsletter pertaining to your search or trade for items for your collection. Monthly commercial ads are \$25 per year. The T-Town Wheelers officers do not endorse and will be held responsible for your interaction with any advertising party.

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Please contact : Steve Haney Cell: 527-3792. Home: 592-6897 Email: endymion2@yahoo.com Would like to have the RLC 2006 Boss Hoss (which followed the VW Bus)!!

Jeff and Jeannette are still looking for those black picture frame holders for the regular sized Hot Wheels (holds around 45 cars).

CLASSICS SERIES 1 NEEDED 5/28/06 Looking to trade/buy. Email: pcb3000gt@hotmail.com - Paul Bales

1. '57 Chevy Purple (Walgreens Exclusive) **Variations:** 2. 65 GTO Gold w/White Interior, 5. 67 Dodge Charger Orange w/Printed Thailand, 5. 67 Dodge Charger Blue w/Casted Thailand, 8. 1970 Chevelle Light Green w/Casted Thailand, 11. 1940 Woodie Orange w/Blue Tampo, 13. 63 T-Bird Purple w/5 spoke, 13. 63 T-Bird Magenta w/5 spoke, 14. 67 Camaro Red Chrome Grill, 16. Chevy Nomad Black w/Printed Thailand, 16. Chevy Nomad Dark Blue w/Printed Thailand, 16. Chevy Nomad Pink w/White Interior, 17. Corvette Stingray Light Orange, 18. Funny Car Antifreeze w/Eagle on Rear tire Only, 19. 1968 Mustang Olive Old HW Logo on base, 24. T-Bucket Purple w/5 spoke, 25. VW Bug Dark Blue w/Silver logo White Interior, 25. VW Bug Green w/White Interior, 25. VW Bug Green w/Black Interior, Toy Fair '04 Olds 442 Blue.

If you have any interesting news or stories that you would like to share with the T-Town Wheelers please email your article to Steve Haney at: endymion2@yahoo.com Thanks, from the editors, Jeannette & Steve.