

Visitors attend in spite of weather . . .

Show of Wheels braves the elements

Rains over the weekend cut down the numbers at the annual Fairfield Show of Wheels custom and antique car show, but owners braved the weather to show off 41 entries Saturday.

The Show of Wheels is sponsored by the chamber of commerce.

Prizes and awards were presented the top entries in 19 classes, along with best in show, people's choice, best club participation, and best paint, interior and engine.

Voted the Best in Show and also the People's Choice was a customized 1929 Packard owned by Buddy Wood.

Turning out in the greatest numbers to win the Club Participation was the Shakers and Scrapers club of Corsicana.

Best paint job was on a 1968 Chevrolet Camaro owned by Pat Hearne, best interior was in a 2008 Ford Shelby Mustang owned by Lori Hearn and best engine was in a 1955 Chevrolet sedan owned by Hosea Henderson.

Winners of individual classes in the show were:

Pre-1935 original car—1, Bert and Pauline Lambert, 1928 Dodge Victory; and 2, Bob Gerhard and Albert Lehman, 1931 Ford Model A.

1936-50 original car—1,



ANTIQUE AND CLASSIC CARS parked around the courthouse square in Fairfield to participate in the annual Show of Wheels sponsored by the chamber of commerce. Entries were down Saturday because of rainy weather.

John Gordon Small, 1938 Buick Special.

1951-64 original car—1, James Reed; and 2, David Cobb, 1963 Ford Thunderbird.

1965-89 original car—1, Wayne Start, 1968 Pontiac Bonneville convertible; and 2, Ryan Bond, 1969 Chevrolet Camaro RS/SS.

1935-50 modified car—1, Mildred Cantrell, 1940 Chevrolet 2-door coupe.

1951-64 modified car—1, Hosea Henderson, 1955 Chevrolet sedan.

1965-89 modified car—1, Pat Hearne, 1968 Chevrolet Camaro; and 2, Ray Stuart, 1979 Chevrolet Corvette.

1990-forward original or modified car—1, Lori Hearn, 2008 Ford Shelby Mustang; and 2, Johnny Cockerell and Olivia Hughes, 2007 Ford GT 500.

1951-69 modified truck—1, Kenneth Book, 1958 Chevrolet. 1970-89 modified

truck—1, Johnny Dickenson; 2, Lucas Chavers, 1966 Chevrolet 4x4.

1930-50 original truck—1, Chuck Sterns, 1939 Plymouth.

1951-69 original truck—1, John Gordon Small, 1969 Ford F100.

1970-89 original truck—1, Brenda Eudy, 1981 Chevrolet El Camino.

1990-forward original or modified truck—1, Neil Scruggs, 1994 Ford F150.

Street rod coupe—1, Buddy Wood, 1929 Packard; and 2, David Ray

Eudy, 1923 Ford T-bucket. Street rod open top—1, Ray and Brenda Hamblin, 1932 Ford.

Under construction—1, John Ferguson, 1968 Plymouth Valiant; and Logan Reeves, 1963 Ford Ranchero.

Custom motorcycle—1, Kenneth Hughes, custom cooler.

Stock motorcycle—1, Wallace Kemp.

About 40 people showed up for a car show hamburger supper Friday night at W.L. Moody Reunion Grounds.



WILLY NILLY THE CLOWN, also known as Tommy Lynch, performed Saturday during the Show of Wheels in downtown Fairfield.

Before I Get "Seniler" by Bill Whitson

I said, "I go to work and you stay at home and cook."

She said, "I am not going to live this way."

Now the kids eat peanut butter and jelly sandwiches and I eat frozen dinners three times a day.

A Letter from Leavenworth

Come hail or high water, the revenuers would show up at any time and bust up my still and pour out my shine.

Subsidized Free Enterprise

It is no secret. Insurance companies are over charging the American public. Everyone but our congressman knows it.

As he continues to praise the American way, we still continue to pay.

Grandpa Bill's Wisdom

If they ask for feedback, be ready for a counterattack.

My Sunday School Shoes

I wore my first pair of shoes to church with pride. They were real cowhide. But my feet were so tough, my new shoes wore out from the inside.

Just for Laughs

Sometimes I may use

other folks' jokes. But I can explain. A funny story is public domain.

Elvis returns to Teague next month

Elvis Presley is returning to Teague next month for an engagement at the Teague Community Center.

Sponsored by the Teague Historical Preservation Society, the concert will be held Oct. 17 beginning at 6 p.m.

The fundraiser will also include dinner, with roast chicken, new potatoes, pinto beans, French bread and dessert.

A 2-hour event, the concert features Elvis impersonator Terry Edwards.

Tickets are \$25 each and proceeds benefit the efforts of the Teague Historical Preservation Society, Inc., which has been involved in the Teague Hotel renovation since 2002. The Teague Chronicle, Citizens National Bank, Freestone Credit Union and the Economic Development Corporation of Teague have tickets on sale.

Art League plans meet Saturday

Freestone County Art League will meet Saturday in the Church of Christ fellowship hall at 1001 N. 8th Street in Teague, starting at 10:00 a.m. Artist

Rhonda Lawson of Midlothian will present a watercolor workshop paint-along. All members have been sent a list of supplies and information on how to prepare the canvas prior to the meeting.

The meeting is open to the public and anyone wishing to observe or paint along should contact Barbara Vest at 254-562-5581 to obtain a list of supplies and information on how to prepare the canvas before the meeting. All members are encouraged to attend and bring guests, and refreshments will be served. Hostesses for the meeting will be Edna McCauley and Margaret Tolar.

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