



NEWS RELEASE
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**WOODRIDGE TO HOST FIRST ANNUAL SHOW & SHINE CAR SHOW
TO RAISE FUNDS FOR AN AED**

The Woodridge Community Club, together with the Woodridge Firefighters Association, is hosting its **1st Annual Show & Shine Car Show on Saturday, May 28, 2022 (11a.m. – 6p.m.) at the M.A. Querel Community Park, Woodridge, Manitoba.** In addition to auto enthusiasts from across Manitoba and NW Ontario showcasing rare, unique, vintage automobiles of all makes and models, this event is also a fundraiser in support of a couple of community initiatives. One of those initiatives is to purchase and install a community accessible AED also known as an Automated External Defibrillator. An AED is used to help those experiencing sudden cardiac arrest. It's a sophisticated, yet easy-to-use, medical device that can analyze the heart's rhythm and, if necessary, deliver an electrical shock or defibrillation, to help the heart re-establish an effective rhythm. An AED could save a life.

The Woodridge Show & Shine Car Show was an idea that Woodridge residents, Larry and Delores Clavelle presented to the community club back at its February board meeting. They saw it as an opportunity to reconnect with friends and neighbours, following almost two years of COVID public health orders that prohibited or restricted folks from gathering. Larry is an avid and passionate collector and restorer of all things vintage and unique when it comes to four wheel motor vehicles. Having attended and participated in many car shows over the years, Larry and Delores saw this event as an opportunity to bring 'car people' of all stripes together to share their passion for automobiles and a place to show off their pride and joy. And just as important, raise funds for a community accessible AED. It was a win-win!

The owners of classic and vintage cars want their cars to be seen . . . looking their best, freshly detailed and buffed to the nines . . . and the organizing committee wants a good crowd of people, be they die-hard car enthusiasts or casual observers. In addition to the car show, the Woodridge Show & Shine Car Show has other planned activities including a BBQ Lunch and Pulled Pork Supper, Beer Garden, DJ and music, 50/50 draw and Silent Auction. It will be a fun-filled day among cool and collectable cars, interesting people and a worthwhile fundraising endeavor. . . so make the trek to Woodridge on Saturday, May 28th.



Photo attached to this email: LARRY CLAVELLE WITH HIS 1930 ESSEX TWO DOOR COACH, RAT ROD DRAG CAR AND A 1934 DIAMOND T TRUCK.

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