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## DODGE HALF-TON COMMAND CARS DESCEND ON CAMP PETALUMA



John Verissimo

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# AT THE FRONT



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Hi Everyone:

Camp Petaluma 2017 is in the rear-view mirror now, or is it? At the Camp Petaluma General Membership Meeting on Saturday morning, we had one of the largest turnouts I can remember in recent years. Many spoke of what a great time they had while others spoke about some of the issues we had with the new venue for our 40th Annual Spring Swap Meet.

I would like to thank all who came out and supported the MVCC and its members, especially those that brought vehicles, green parts and go-withs to swap, trade or sell. Our roster, not counting the 86 or so associate members, hovers right at 495. All total, we are very near 600 members strong. As it has always been, there is a handful of us that volunteer our time and sweat to keep things running and to make the club's events happen. The board members and our committee chairs really appreciate all the help we get from the members.

At this event, we had many of the ladies, who now would like to be known as the MVCC Sparkplugs, providing much of the energy in the background. They helped with organizing the food trucks and the band as well as the desserts at the 40<sup>th</sup> Party. They also did the shopping and cooked two pancake breakfasts on Friday and Saturday morning. Claire Warner, Nancy Hoskins, Nancy Porter, Donna Mambretti, Marylyn Neuenburg, Kim Jorgenson, Kathy Guerrera and LaDonna Valenti to name a few of the MVCC Spark Plugs all helped with the pancake breakfasts and the 40<sup>th</sup> Party. Thank you, Ladies!

The board is negotiating with the Petaluma KOA to see if we can eliminate some of the issues that we had to deal with this year. I am sure like our events in the past, as this campground gets used to us, they will understand what we need. This is an election year, if you want to run for a position, throw your hat in the ring. All positions are open including Editor. We need someone to step up in the 510-925 Area Code Area as Mike has moved out of the area and is busy building his dream shop. Again, thank you to everyone who attended and don't forget to roll your site over ASAP for 2018. Joann will be assigning spots with no reservation on them to those on the waiting list.

Keep em rolling floating and flying,

Dave Ball

MVCC President

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Hello fellow members,

I hope everyone had just as lovely a time as I did in Petaluma! The location was beautiful and refreshing.

It was great seeing friends, as well as getting to meet so many of you and putting faces to names.

So many components went into making this meet come together and run the best it could. From The MVCC board to volunteer MVCC members to KOA management & employees.

I have only high praise for all, everyone worked hard and adapted to any changes needed as best they could. With all we learned at this meet, along with concerns and suggestions expressed by all parties at the MVCC member meeting, I look forward in helping improve next years April meet, and hope along with our repeat volunteers we get more members willing to step up and lend a helping hand.

I'll be seeing you, (one of my favorite songs)

Christina Verissimo

MVCC Treasurer

# UPCOMING EVENTS

## **April 24-29, 2018 Spring Meet Petaluma KOA.**

No vendor fee except camping fee.

Contact: MVCC Wagon Master

Jo-Ann Lesser; (408) 238- 8277

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**May 13, 2017** Wings & Wheels and huge swap meet in Paso Robles, CA at Estrella Warbird Museum. 4251 Dry Creek Road Paso Robles Ca. Home of the Red ball Museum. Contact for more info (805) 238-9317

**May 19 thru 27 2017** Wings of freedom tour Collings Foundation. Aircraft Display and ground tours plus training flights. B17,B24, B25 and TF51D Moffett Field, Moffett Blvd. Mountain View, CA 94035-0016  
Call 978-562-9182 for flight reservations  
Or (800)568-8924 for tour info.

**May 26-28, 2017** 3rd Annual "Best of the West" Antique Equipment Show at the historic Santa Margarita Ranch Memorial Day weekend. Here is the latest information on this show. The show is Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Setup will begin the Wednesday before. If someone has to bring equipment in earlier than that because of transport scheduling that is okay. All entrants must submit an entry form. [www.bestofthewestshow.com](http://www.bestofthewestshow.com). Whether you have one vehicle or six just one form. No entry fee and each entrant will receive two passes for the entire weekend. We will have plenty of extra badges so no one pays any admission. There will be dry camping for RVs \$50 for a week. Also, there will be a dinner Sat night. Both of these items have a form on that same website and must be paid in advance. . The "Ranch" is around 14,000 acres and there will be organized trail rides during the day. noon. Warbirds will fly in. B-25, C-47, T-28, BT-13, AT-6, P-51. There will be rides. Contact Gary Hanes Central Coast Convoy [margiandgary@charter.net](mailto:margiandgary@charter.net) or Frank Simon (805) 544-1154

**May 27, 2017** Semper Fi Foundation half marathon run and Military Vehicle display.  
For more info call Mark Becker 925.915.9252

## **May 28 12:00 pm - May 30 @ 5:00 pm**

Livermore, CA, Wings of freedom tour Collings Foundation. 680 Terminal Circle Livermore, CA 94551 Aircraft displays, tours and rides. For more info: Call 978-562-9182 for flight reservations Or (800)568-8924 for tour info.

**May 28, 2017** Castle Air Museum Open Cockpit Day in Atwater Ca . POC: Don Gomes (209)765-1273

**May 30 - June 1, 2017** Participate in the 2017 Bomber Camp sponsored by the Stockton Field Aviation Museum, .More Information at <http://www.stocktonfieldmuseum.org>

**June 3-4 2017** Goodguys 24th Annual Summer Get-Together Alameda County Fairgrounds 4501 Pleasanton Avenue, Pleasanton, Ca. Event hours are Saturday 8am-5pm Sunday 8am- 4pm  
For more info call(925)-838-9876 Ask about Pre-event ticket discounts and vehicle registration.

**June 10, 2017** Eagle Field Dinner Dance Fly  
**Cancelled**  
(209)765-1273 for details

**June 11, 2017** 9am-4pm at the Alameda Naval Air Station, on the lawns of the Parade Grounds. Great automobiles, historical exhibits such as the USS Hornet's F8 Cockpit, Special Exhibits from Moal Coachbuilders, Canepa and Brizio, the US Coast Guard, [www.alamedapointconcours.com](http://www.alamedapointconcours.com)

**June 23-25th 2017.** California Dodge Power Wagon Rally, Hollister Hills. The California Dodge Power Wagon Rally is a static vintage truck rally, held annually at the Hollister Hills SVRA. [www.alamedapointconcours.com](http://www.alamedapointconcours.com)

**July 4, 2017** Morgan Hill Independence Day parade Downtown Morgan Hill Entertainment begins at 9:00 am Parade starts at 10:00 am  
POC: Kim Sievert (408)253-9469  
Email: [vaudevillian@msn.com](mailto:vaudevillian@msn.com)

**July 4th 2017** Alameda Naval Air Museum, Parade. Meet at the Museum at 8:30 a.m. for Donuts, Coffee. Parade starts at 10:a.m. lasts about two hours. One of the largest Parade's in California, 25,000 estimated viewers Lunch on us after. Call Larry for details , 510-522-6440 or cell 510-612-8955.

**July 8, 2017** 10am to 4pm Willys America Open House and Jeep show.  
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**July 16, 2017** San Jose Militaria show and sale Napredak hall 770 Montague expwy, San Jose. Free Parking early bird admissions 7:30am regular admission 9:00am. For more info call the military annex (408) 275-9730 (Pete)  
email [militaryannex@yahoo.com](mailto:militaryannex@yahoo.com)

**September 9-10, 2017** California Capital Airshow Sacramento County's Mather Airport 10425 Norden Avenue Mather, CA 95655  
<http://CaliforniaCapitalAirshow.com>

**September 12-17. 2017:** Camp Gridley Butte County Fairgrounds, Hosted by the NRG  
[www.northernrecongrouop.org](http://www.northernrecongrouop.org)

**September 19-24, 2017 Fall Camp Delta**  
Second largest annual Military Vehicle gathering and swap meet in the West.  
Location Tower Park resort Jelly stone Park  
For reservations please call Joann lesser  
408-238-8277  
[www.mvccnews.net](http://www.mvccnews.net)

**November 11, 2017** Petaluma Veterans Day Parade. This Annual North Bay Parade, begins at 1 p.m., winds its way north from the starting point at Walnut Park at "D" Street, along 4th and Kentucky streets, around the corner at Washington Street and south along Petaluma Boulevard to finish back at Walnut Park. For info: Scott Rohrs 415-259-8177  
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**November 11, 2017 Saturday San Jose Veterans day parade** starts at noon. San Jose United Veterans Council of Santa Clara County.  
<http://www.uvscce.org/VetParadeInfo.htm>

If you have any questions or have information regarding a meet or activity in your area, contact your regional vice president or any of the officers to let them know. Be sure to visit our website for any last minute activities or changes to activities/events. Please submit information regarding upcoming activities to the newsletter editor at least two months before the scheduled event. All articles must be submitted to the newsletter editor by the 15th of each month.  
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Fellow MVers

It was great to see you all at Petaluma.  
Great stuff as always.

Let me know of anything coming up in your area.

Here are a couple of things coming up in the 925-510.

Also there are the two Fourth of July parades coming up as well.

To all I do not live here anymore and will not be able to perform my duties after this term. Please think about putting in your name for VP for the 925-510 I will help you get started.

Thanks for your time

Mike



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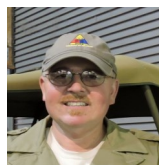
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Hello MVCC Members!

I hope everyone had a great time at Camp Petaluma. There was one night that rained pretty hard but other than that the weather was great.

Everyone seemed to be in good spirits, lots of stuff to buy from all kinds of vendors. You had Modern military stuff to Gulf War to Vietnam to WW2 to WW1 items to purchase. One neat thing to see at Camp Petaluma were the 4 World War 2 Half Tracks driving around camp in a convoy and they drove around Petaluma, that was a site to see. I believe there were 5 WW2 Half Tracks and one Scout Car at Camp Petaluma this year. There were also 5 World War 2 ½ Dodge Command Cars and two ¾ Ton Dodge Command Cars at Camp.

The New Camp Petaluma T shirts sold pretty good. The MVCC booth was a busy place. Got to meet people from all over the West Coast, Australia and Sweden. If anyone wants a Camp Petaluma T shirt just call me at (209)765-1273, cost is \$20 plus shipping (\$5.95 in the USA). There are also the 40th Anniversary 4 inch Patches available for \$8 each plus shipping. There is some other stuff I will try and list at a later time.

Thank you to Johnny, Christina, Phil Tracy, my wife Cheryl for volunteering at the MVCC Booth this year!

Thank you to the Ladies that did an Excellent job with the Pancake Breakfast and the 40th Anniversary Cakes! Thank you to Everyone who helped make Camp Petaluma the best it could be. Thank you to our President Dave Ball for the 3,500 miles he put on his jeep driving all over California looking for a place to host the MVCC's April Meet. Thank you to the members that set up the convoys, we loved our ride to the beach. Thank you to the Board for volunteering your time to our Club. Thank you to all the members and participants that drove many hours hauling their heavy vehicles to Camp Petaluma. Thank you to ALL the members that came to support the hobby by coming and joining in this event. Thank you to Chris and Kim Jorgensen for helping with the raffle. And thank you to all the Volunteers! You don't have to be a board member to volunteer; you just have to ask a Board member what you can do for your club.

Keeping History Alive!

Don Gomes  
Central Valley VP  
(209)765-1273

# MVCC WAGON MASTER

## Camp Petaluma Update

The feat of moving a camp out the size of this one was nothing but insane. I am happy to report the event went off with only a few snafu's. I will be meeting with the owner/manager of the Petaluma KOA to share our concerns going into the future. To put to bed the rumor that we will not be returning to Petaluma, *we will*. I would like to see this event continue at this venue for the next 10 years! The dates for 2018 are Sunday April 22 thru Saturday April 28. Please read the info below to familiarize yourself with the rules regarding reservations and deposits.

- KOA requires a 4-night minimum stay in all sites. Exception is the overflow dry tent area called, "The Grove."
- Attendees are responsible to keep a deposit on their sites from year to year. This should be done at time of check-in. All deposits on assigned sites for 2018 should be made by May 15, 2017.
- KOA Petaluma does not move deposits. If you cancel prior to March 23, 2018 you will be charged \$10.00 and the remainder of your deposit will be credited to the charge card used. Cancellations after March 23, 2018 will result in the loss of the full deposit.
- Please call me with cancellations. If you need to cancel for 1 year only your site will be "loaned" to someone on the wait list. It is your responsibility to remember to get a new deposit on your site for the following year. This should be done the week following the event. If you are "loaned" a site for 1 year, *do not* put a deposit on the site for the following year.
- As sites become available I will fill them from the wait list. Once you are notified that a site has become available, whether for 1 year or permanently, you will have 3 days to get a deposit on the site. If no deposit has been received by day 4 the site will go to the next person on the list. I will do my best to accommodate everyone's wants and wishes. Please be patient and kind. Your Wagon Master, Jo-Ann Lesser 408-238-8277 or [mmalesser@yahoo.com](mailto:mmalesser@yahoo.com)

## IMPORTANT MESSAGE FROM YOUR WAGONMASTER ABOUT THE 2017 FALL SWAPMEET

I recently, received in the mail the resort guide from Yogi Bear's Jellystone Park. For those members that have not received this guide or didn't take the time to read through it, I have some very important information to impart.

**Camp Reservations:** Deposits on sites are 50% of your stay as a deposit. The remaining 50% of your reservation will be paid 30 days prior to the event. **THIS MEANS YOUR STAY WILL BE COMPLETELY PAID FOR PRIOR TO YOU ATTENDING.** Cancellation Policy: +3 weeks Nonrefundable \$25 or full refund issued as camp credit. +2 weeks 50% of monies collected issued in camp credit & 50% forfeited. Less than 2 weeks FULL RESERVATION FORFEITED.

Dave and I are working with the park on these issues. Please hold off making any deposits on your selected site until further notice. I know that we all loved going to Tower Park but Tower Park has changed and sadly, I'm not sure if it's the best fit for us anymore. Please stay tuned for further announcements.







Page 8 and 9 Pictures from 2018 Camp Petaluma

Chris Hughes



## **YOUR CLUB NEEDS YOU TO VOLUNTEER. IT'S ELECTION TIME**

All positions are always open and nominations will remain open until June 11th. Two positions that need filling are the East Bay region Vice Presidents position that handles area codes 510 and 925.

This position was recently vacated when Mike Rinehart Moved out of the area. Also although not a nominated position we are looking for a person interested in taking over the editors position. (contact me) 408-805-0065

Make sure before nominating anyone you ask them if they want to be added to the ballot. Anyone that would like to know more about the duties that your board members perform just email or call any of us.

Please send all nominations to Randy Canova he is the Elections committee chair.


Here is Randy's contact info: [cydnar067@yahoo.com](mailto:cydnar067@yahoo.com) 916-212-6972  
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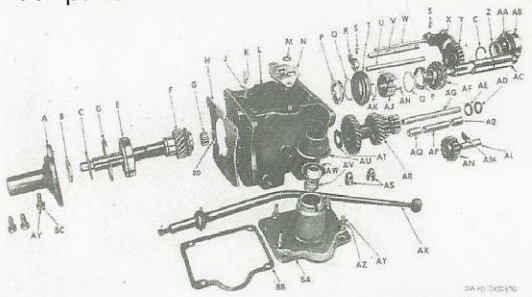
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Top: Johnny Verissimo kneeling, background left yours truly and on the right Don Gomes. Don and I (one finger) are holding a 500 pound bomb. Who needs a hoist.  
Bottom: Chris Thomas and the famous 3 day Jeep just getting started in the not so swampy swamp. Ed.

# CLASSIFIEDS

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Carter carburetor with governor, used, for GMC 2 ½ ton CCKW 6X6, \$100.  
For GMC CCKW 352 (Short wheel base) NOS gas tank, never used, \$600 OBO.  
For GMC CCKW 352/353 engine oil filter with mounting brackets, \$75.  
Herman Pfauter, 805-964-9449,  
Email HP2@WEST.NET 4-17

**For Sale:** DODGE 1 ½ TON WC63. 6x6 Parade ready Older restoration, original 230 ci 6-cylinder engine. Good breaks and tires, full canvas top and cargo covers. Fully functioning front PTO winch. Winner of multiple locale military shows. Includes correct WWII 1 ton Ben Hur trailer. Located in Gilbert. \$18000 Matt Walker 602-377-1043 or matthewj.walker@icloud.com 5-17

**For Sale:** International parts from M-2-4 Take out Bed and Cab. Misc. M-3-4 and M-5H-6.  
Call or email Dave with your needs 408-805-0065 vought@msn.com

**For Sale:** 1968 Kaiser M715 Has had a Chevy V8 installed using Novak's kit. Also duel pot Master Cylinder. Has hardtop. Original paint and markings from 725 25 MT group in Hawaii Truck is rot free, runs and stops. Registered and insured. \$5500 obo. Call Dave 408-805-0065 for more info

**For Sale:** Fiberglass Hardtop for Dodge M-37. \$450 Top came off Air Force M37 and is currently painted Blue. Has one piece non moving rear window in good condition. One 2" crack in a front corner that's easy to repair. Told this top will fit other M-Series vehicles. Top will need to be picked up in Napa. For more info call Peter Berendsen  
**Updated contact info below (editor goofed)**  
(707) 256-3894 or email peterber@sbcglobal.net

**For Sale:** 1951 Dodge M37. Runs, Drives Brakes need some TLC. Has round window hardtop and good tires. Clean truck no rust. Asking \$5700 OBO for more info contact Brian Tharp  
(408) 890-0412 6-17

**for Sale: M38A1 Stuff:** Grill with lights, no dents or rust \$50/ Newly re-cored radiator \$350/ Used radiator, good condition \$200/ Horn \$15/ Speedometer cable \$20/ Fuel tank strap \$10/ Grab bar \$15/ Spare tire carrier, complete \$75/ Master cylinder \$10/ Air cleaner with crossover tube \$50/ Gas pedal \$15/ Radiator support rod \$10

**CJ Stuff:** F-Head engine, good runner, 2600 miles since rebuild, includes most accessories, \$1800/ L-Head engine, long block, rebuilt and tested, plus core \$1600/ 50's frame, sandblasted and ready \$300/ Tail gate \$95/ T90 transfer case housing (1 1/8th inch shaft) \$50/ Axle shafts \$20 each/ 3 wheels, 15 x 4 1/2 \$35 each

**M.B. Stuff:** 2 W.O. transfer case housings (3/4" shaft) \$50 each/ Axle shafts \$20 each.

**M151 Stuff:** 2 carburetors, take-off \$40 each  
Contact Frank Simon, (805) 544-1154 or email fandfsimon@sbcglobal.net 4-17

For Sale 1945 Willys MB # 443328 a restoration project - title - complete frame and running gear - not running - salvage body tub or replace - original hood, fenders, grill, seats, windshield inner and outer frame and radiator. John @ (510) 821-0355 or email tidyacres@hotmail.com for more info... \$2800.00

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# CLASSIFIEDS

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**For Sale:** Tow Dodge M37's \$2000 each or \$3500 for both.

M37 Communications box. \$3000.

Ford GTB Cargo Truck. \$2500.

Ford GTB Bomb Truck \$3500.

MB CJ2A Sears Hardtop Kit \$300.

Jeep Rear PTO. \$75.

CJ2A Jeep no Engine or Transmission \$500.

WW2 14ft Cargo Bed \$1200.

All Located in Southern California

Angus Smith (831) 240-5311

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**FOR SALE:** 1942 Dodge WC-24 1/2 Command Car w/ winch Older restoration, parade ready

New NOS 1960's M601 "export" 230cid motor

Older Beachwood top & doors

5 new Firestone 7.50 x 16 ND Military tires

Calif. historical vehicle registration

Was featured vehicle at Pearl Harbor's 50th.

ceremonies in 1991 Attended 2003 MVPA convention, USS Hornet, Alameda. CA Attended 2016

MVPA convention, Pleasanton, CA Featured in

"Standard Catalog of U.S. Military Vehicles 1940-

1965" For more information, contact:

Gerald Bowen 650-355-8052

[gerald-bowen@comcast.net](mailto:gerald-bowen@comcast.net) Picture Below 6-17



**For sale:** 1942 GPW Script

Original Data Plates & Matching frame number.

Early 1937/ 4 Cylinder Willys Car Motor in it (motor turns).

Tailgate was cut. This is a very good candidate for a restoration.

Combat wheels, many early original parts!

I will have at Petaluma meet if it does not sell before.

Asking \$3,800.00 OBO

**For Sale:** 1944 Converto 1/2 Ton Dump Trailer

Very original! Original Data plate and Combat wheels.

I will have at the Petaluma meet if it does not sell before.

Asking \$1,200.00 OBO

Scott 415 259 8177

**FOR SALE:** US Army Signal Corps K-38 1/4 Ton Cable Splicer Trailer. Nice preservation and appears complete. \$1000

**FOR SALE:** 1943 Ford GTBS (Bomb Service) Completely restored and runs well. All winches work and five bombs are included \$25,000

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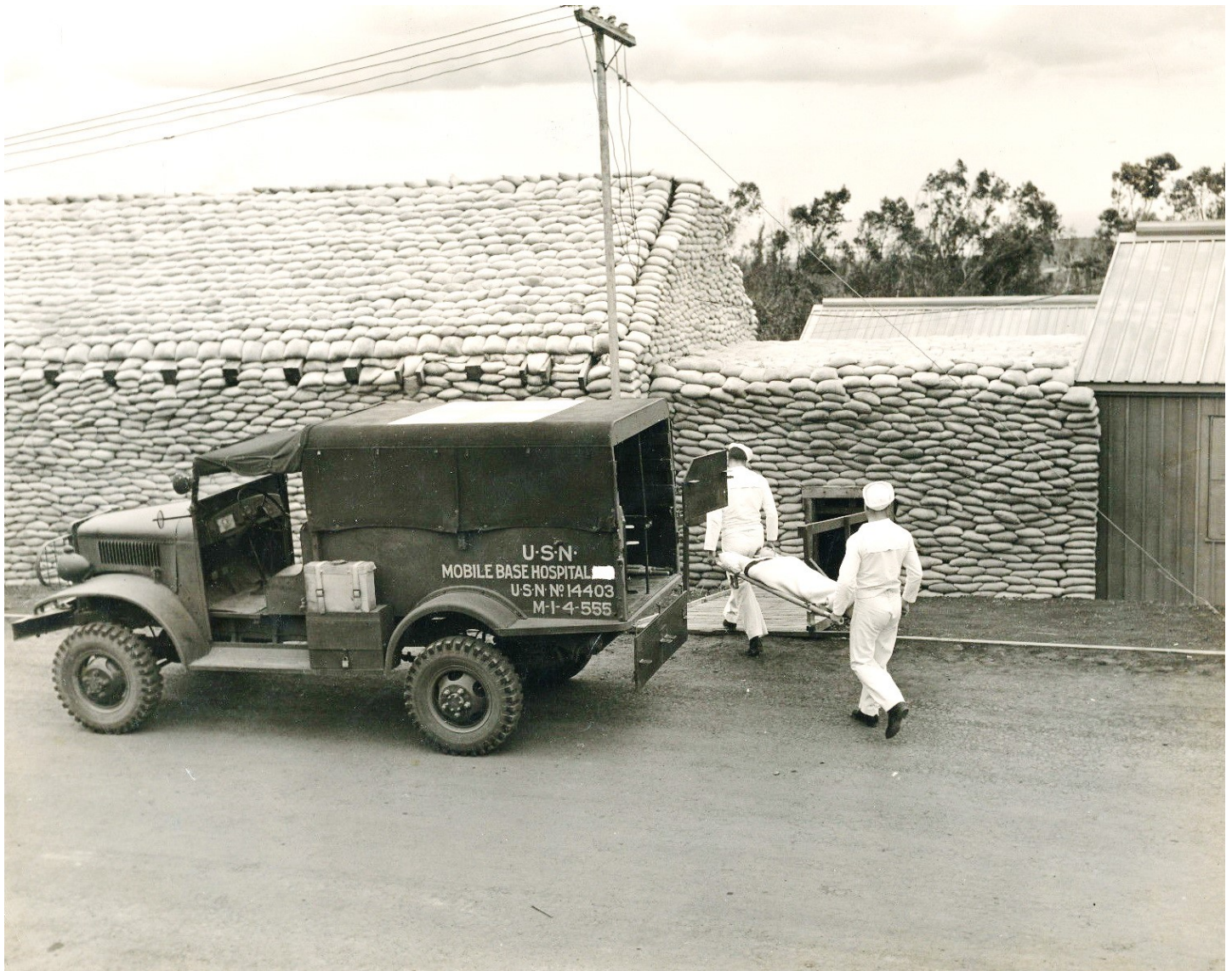
**Wanted:** Looking for a spare tire carrier for a Burma Jeep Cargo Truck. Please call Paul Lubker, (209)403-6261

**Wanted:** For WWII WC51/52, or vehicles that interchange. Need inner and/or outer Windshield Frames, Tailgate and hinges, one Hood Latch.

Also need the Bed Wood, one or two good pieces so I can make new ones. Or the Plans for making new ones if you happen to have them.

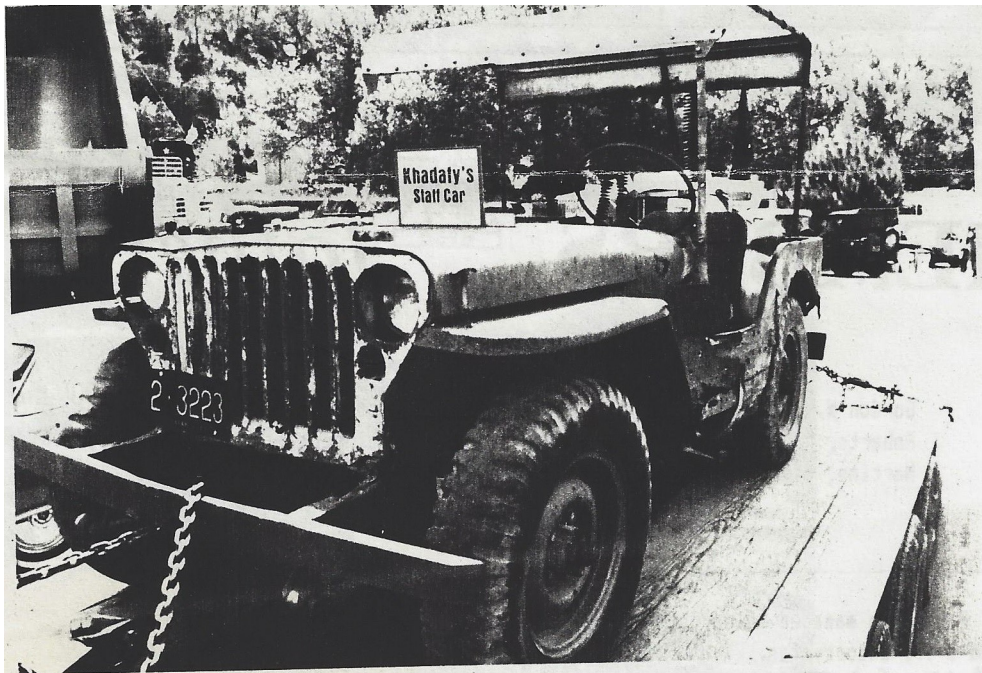
Also need the steel bed strips.

Matt (408) 398-0036 or [msira36@aol.com](mailto:msira36@aol.com)



Top: International M-1-4 half ton Ambulance USN Bottom: Very early International M-series 5 ton truck IHC





Our cover is dedicated to the least pristine vehicle at the Patterson meet. Mike Mattos brought in Khadafy's staff car complete with bullet holes and an almost flat tire. Amazing thing is that it runs!

As seen at the 2016 MVPA Convention at the Pleasanton Fairgrounds Khadafy's Staff Car. Member Paul Lubker drove it into the show and back out after. This picture ran on the cover of the May 1986 MVCC newsletter Jack Ferguson was our editor. Sadly both Jack and Mike have passed. Ed



Somewhere in the pacific during WW2 several light tanks rumble past a M-3-4 International cargo truck Ed.



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