

## **MVCC NEWS** "KEEPING EM ROLLING, FLOATING AND FLYING FOR 39 YEARS"

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92 year old Pearl Harbor Survivor Earl Kohler (wearing white) at Vacaville Cemetery on Memorial Day 2016. Mr. Kohler gave a 20 minute speech about that day of Infamy. "His mind was sharper than a 17 year old which he was on that day!" That's Jeff Intemann alongside Mr. Kohler and Jeff's Willys! Thanks for the picture Jeff! Ed

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### **THE 21-DAY SALUTE TO AMERICA**

There is a little-known law that sets aside a period to honor the United States. This law was passed in 1975 and states " ...that Congress declares the 21 days from Flag Day, June 14th, through Independence Day, a period to honor America, that there be public gatherings and activities at which people can celebrate and honor their country in an appropriate manner".

- #1. Display our flag every day during the 21-day period
- #2. Pledge allegiance to our flag each day.
- #3. Urge various organizations to promote America, and unity among all Americans
- #4. Stimulate love and admiration for our National History and traditions during public ceremonies.

Every community, group, and individual may participate in the nation-wide effort by helping the handicapped and the aged, and by encouraging the young to understand the opportunities and responsibilities inherent in our constitutional system. - Contributed by Matt Siragusa



# AT THE FRONT



Dave Ball, MVCC President (408) 805-0065 vought@msn.com

### Hi Everyone...

In this issue of MVCC News, you will find a list of committees and volunteers for the convention. Clubs like ours exist because of volunteers and the work they do.

As we approach the convention, my thoughts turn to volunteers and those who will display a vehicle at the convention. This is an incredible contribution to our club and hobby. If you don't see your name on the list and would like to help out on any of the committees, please free to contact either John Neuenburg or myself.

The hotel rooms and tours are selling out quickly. If you are sitting on the fence waiting until the last minute, please don't wait until its too late.

I am hearing about some really nice displays being planned and many vehicle owners have been calling me. The MVPA packets will go out soon to those that have registered themselves and guests. Jays WW2 Jeeps has made some really nice bags, pictures are on the MVCC and convention Facebook pages.

Also in this issue is an ad from Wallace Wade. If you have been to past conventions, you will have seen the huge stack of MV tires that is usually up against a wall. Those tires are usually preorders taken by Wallace before the convention. If you need tires and want to get them without paying shipping and would like to take advantage of this, call Wallace.

I hope those of you with Jeeps plan to display them at the convention. This year is the 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Jeep. It is very obvious walking around Tower Park that we have a few Jeep owners in our club. I think if we were to try hard, we could get 75 Jeeps of all types to the convention. Maybe a display of one of every type of Military Jeep could be possible. Any prototypes out there? I have heard the Willys Tug will make a showing. To all the Dodge owners, Ernie Ongaro needs to hear what you plan on bringing. There is a flyer in this issue of MVCC News.

Lots of work left and only 57 days left to get stuff ready. Remember we have lots of room, and we want everyone to bring their vehicles whether in progress or fully restored, come on out to the convention. There are still camping sites available, as well as some nights at the host hotel. Bring your Military vehicle and have some fun. Dave Ball



# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

April 18-24 2016 Spring Meet Camp Delta Camp Delta at Tower Park Resort. Six miles west of Lodi, on Hwy 12. No vendor fee except camping fee. Contact Jo-Ann; (408) 238- 8277, <u>mamalesser@yahoo.com</u> John; (415) 491-1601, <u>in_garage@hotmail.com_www.mvccnewsews.net</u> .	July 4, 2016 San Jose on the Alameda, Rose White and Blue Parade, starts at 10am, with Live Music and good things to eat at the Festival after the Parade! Group Name: Military Vehicles Group http://www.rosewhiteblueparade.com/index.htm POC email to pskwong2000@yahoo.com
June 24-26 2016 Annual Hollister Hills California Dodge Power Wagon Rally. http://www.dodgepowerwagonrally.com/ Camping for registered attendees.	July 9, 2016 10am - 4pm 8th Annual Hot San Jose Nights! presents Airport Day & S.T.E.A.M.! at Reid-Hillview Airport! POC: Ken Betts Work: 408-918-7706 Cell : 408-592-1024 ken@CountyAirports.org
July 2, 2016 Veteran's Car Show in Coarsegold www.coarsegoldcarshow.com	July 9, 2016 Military Appreciation Day
July 2, 2016 Galt Historical Forces Assn Parade 9am Galt Call. Don Gomes 209-765-1273	Castle Air Base. POC: Don Gomes 209-765-1273 Or Email: caddymanwestside@yahoo.com
<b>July 3, 2016</b> Olive Drab Drivers hosting 75 year Jeep Show at Bakersfield Chrysler Jeep Al Goines 661-203-9911	<b>July 10, 2016</b> Westside Auto Club car and historic military vehicle show. It's the 38th annual Linguica Run at Henry Miller Park in Gustine Ca. For info please call Don Gomes at 209-765-1273.
<b>July 4th, 2016</b> Danville parade, AL Post 246 The theme for this parade is to honor our Vietnam Vets. POC Mike Rinehart 510-522-6440 michaelwrinehart@sbcglobal.net	<b>July 14, 2016</b> Danville Hot Summer nights. This is in front of the Veterans Hall on Hartz Avenue. This is a very important show for us to promote the Convention as well. We meet on West Prospect at
<b>July 4th, 2016</b> Morgan Hill 4th of July Parade. For more info see Kim Sieverts South Bay VP Column. Or email: vaudevillian@msn.com Call: (408) 253-9469	2:00pm and slide in front of the Vet's hall. I spoke with the David who is in charge of the event and the Vet's may be selling hot dogs in their parking lost so we will have to bunch up in front. Let me know if you plan on attending. We have a couple
July 4, 2016 4th of July Ripon, California. American Legion Post 190 will co-host with the local Chamber of Commerce. large fireworks display, would like to feature a military vehicle/ equipment display Contact: Ernie Tyhurst, (209) 275-5264	of guys from the Veteran's Hall wanting to park their civvies there as well. If we have a good turn out, I want to make sure there is plenty of room. This will be a great venue to get people to the Na- tional Convention Mike Rinehart 510-522-6440 michaelwrinehart@sbcglobal.net
<b>July 4, 2016</b> Alameda Naval Air Museum, July 4th Parade Staging at the Museum starts at 8:00 a.m. Please contact Larry at 510-522-6440 or 510-612-8955 for information or entry, there is no charge.	July 16, 2016 2nd Annual Oceana Military vehi- cle Show. Held at Nipomo High School. Setup noon on Friday. No fees. Dry camping available. Cool off at the coast. info: Gary Hanes 805 931-0291 margandgary@charter.net

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. **MVCC News Editor Dave Ball vought@msn.com** www.mvccnews.net

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

October 1, 2016 The North Bay Air Museum is July 16, 2016 Good Morning Vietnam Veterans proud to announce the 2nd annual Pistons, Pin Ups Cruise aboard SS Jeremiah O'Brien Liberty Ship. Arrive 0800. Cruise 0900-1300. VN vets get a & Pinot on the Runway classic car and aircraft show. PPPR 2016 will be held on October 1st at the half- price ticket. All welcome. Sonoma Valley Airport. Driver arrival begins at POC is John Neuenburg at in garage@hotmail.com or 415-847-2801. www.ssjeremiahobrien.org 6am. Spectators are welcome to come enjoy the show beginning at 10am. More details coming soon! POC is John Neuenburg at Aug. 11-13, 2016 MVPA National Convention. in garage@hotmail.com or 415-847-2801 Hosted by the Military Vehicle Collectors of California at the Alameda County Fairgrounds, Pleasanton, CA. Indoor/outdoor show, host hotel October 12th-16th 2016: CAMP GRIDLEY at and onsite camping. MVCC Co-chairmen; John the Butte County Fairgrounds, 199 E. Hazel St. Neuenburg, in garage@hotmail.com and Dave Ball, Gridley, California. Hosted by the NORTHERN vought@msn.com. Details www.mvccnews.net and RECON GROUP .: www.northernrecongroup.org or in Supply Line. contact: Bill Campbell (530) 518-1353, nrg-news@comcast.net September 20-25, 2016 Camp Delta Fall Meet Second largest annual MV gathering and swap meet November 11, 2016 Petaluma Veterans Day Pain the West. If you have not done it yet please rade and Fly Over Petaluma POC: Scott Rohrs contact Stockton Delta KOA direct for reservations recon3rdid@yahoo.com 209-369-1041. Please request Campground 4. This is where the action is. November 11, 2016 South Bay Veterans Day Parade San Jose. line up at 9am next to the shark Tank as usual. POC Kim Sievert 408-253-9469 vaudevillian@msn.com



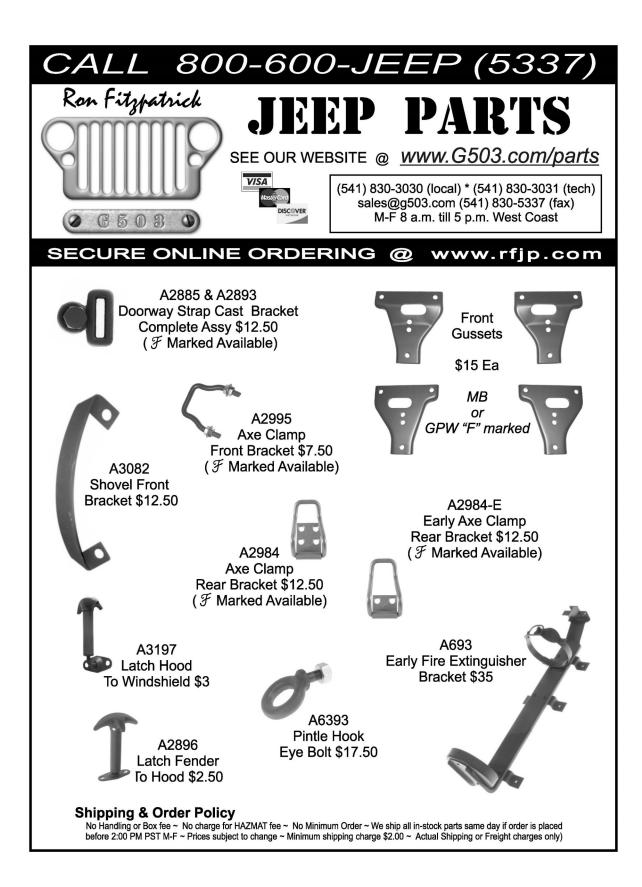
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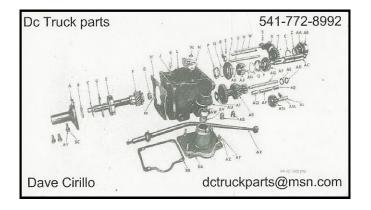
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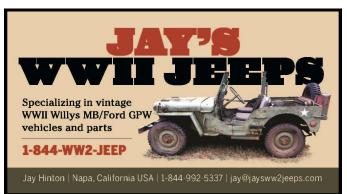












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July 4th Morgan Hill 4th July Parade. Once again, the MVCC will make a showing in this parade. It has the small town parade flavor with a huge amount of spectators viewing it. This year's theme for their parade is "America, My Home Sweet Home" For MVCC folks, the wearing of "Hawaiian" shirts over OD or without OD shirts is encouraged. Staging for our group is usually in the parking lot, just off of Depot Street. WE NEED TO BE ONSITE BEFORE 9 AM. If you get their later than 9 AM, the road closure folks, may not let you get to our staging area. (They still may, so it pays to try) Weather is usually HOT, so plan accordingly. The parade route map from their website, does show the parking lot, we normally stage in , just off Depot Street. The website for parade is http://mhfreedomfest.com/site/parade/ POC is Jo-Ann Lesser, mamalesser@yahoo.com or on site look for Kim Sievert. We also head over to a "In and Out Burger" for fine food and cold beverages after the parade.



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Well the Convention should now only be a month or two away. I would like to take this time to thank Ralph Roberts a member from the Livermore area for obtaining the eight 55 gallon drums that I plan to use in the "Desert Display". Also I would like to thank Larry Pirack for acquiring a period fuel pump to be used in the same display.

My search for more LRDG; S.A.S. & P.P.A. jeeps has not worked out as I have planned. The one from Washington, the PPA jeep that displayed with us at Portland, was planning to attend, until he blew his engine. Can't get it rebuilt in time to make the convention.

There are three appropriate jeeps from the L.A. area along with a Bren Carrier that I'm trying to recruit along with some LRDG troopers to "hang around the display" during the convention. I have also accessed the use of a captured "Kubelwagen" for the display. Working on the logistic, as the owner has other commitments for that week, but said that we could use it, all we have to do is get it to the convention and returned it to Morgan Hill. So I may be making several trips that week.

If anyone else has any ideas that would be appropriate for the Desert Oasis Display, please contact me with your ideas (and or vehicles). I am also trying to scare up some more local "re-enactors" to be in and around the display for the weekend.

I have had one response for "staging" a vehicle before the convention at my Brother-in Law's place at this time. Dan McCluskey will be staging his Ambulance and trailer sometime before the convention. There is still time if you have more than one vehicle that you are planning to bring to the convention; just contact me and we will work out the details.

#### Thanks

Jack Valenti VP Central Coast

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Here we go! June is here. As well as the heat. Hope you all had a great Memorial Day Weekend. I also hope that whatever event you had going that weekend was a success. We are embarking on the next couple of months that entail a lot of things to participate in. There are many events in the event section of this newsletter. Please feel free to contact me if you know of an event that is not listed. Especially if they are not on my radar. please contact me or you can send them direct to Dave and Sean direct for the newsletter and Website. All of our contact info is in this newsletter.

Thanks see you soon! Mike





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Hello MVCC members,

In March there was the Romero School asking us to take our Military Vehicles to display and educate. In April we got our military vehicles ready for the MVCC Tower Park Meet, we also got the shirts made for the Convention and sold them at the Tower Park meet. In May there was Castle Air Museum Dinner and Dance fundraiser where we displayed our military vehicles on the tarmac, we were able to watch a Bob Hope and Andrew Sisters impersonators who did a pretty good job. Also in May there was our trip to Castle Open Cockpit where we displayed our military vehicles, this was a massive event with thousands of people attending. In June there was Patterson Apricot Festival and Parade, we displayed our military vehicles in the parade. Also in June we took our military vehicles to Eagle Field in Dos Palos for the Annual Dinner Dance and Fly In. At Eagle Field we had over 20 military vehicles attending that doesn't include the military vehicles that are stationed there. The weather was in the upper 80's which was the best weather there in years.

We are working HARD to get the GTBS ready for the Convention. As of today we have 59 days to get her done. At the moment it's stripped down to the frame.

Upcoming events for us in our area include the Gustine 4th of July Parade. Line up starts at 9AM. There is also the MVPA Convention on August 11th to 13th. MVCC member Chris Thomas has set up a beautiful World War 2 Train for a train ride in period attire and loaded with Military Vehicles. You can get your tickets via the MVPA website.

Don't forget the September Tower Park Meet. And don't forget to participate in a November 11th Veterans Day Parade. We will be in the Gustine Veterans Day Parade; line up starts at 9AM. For more information call me.

Keeping History Alive

Don Gomes

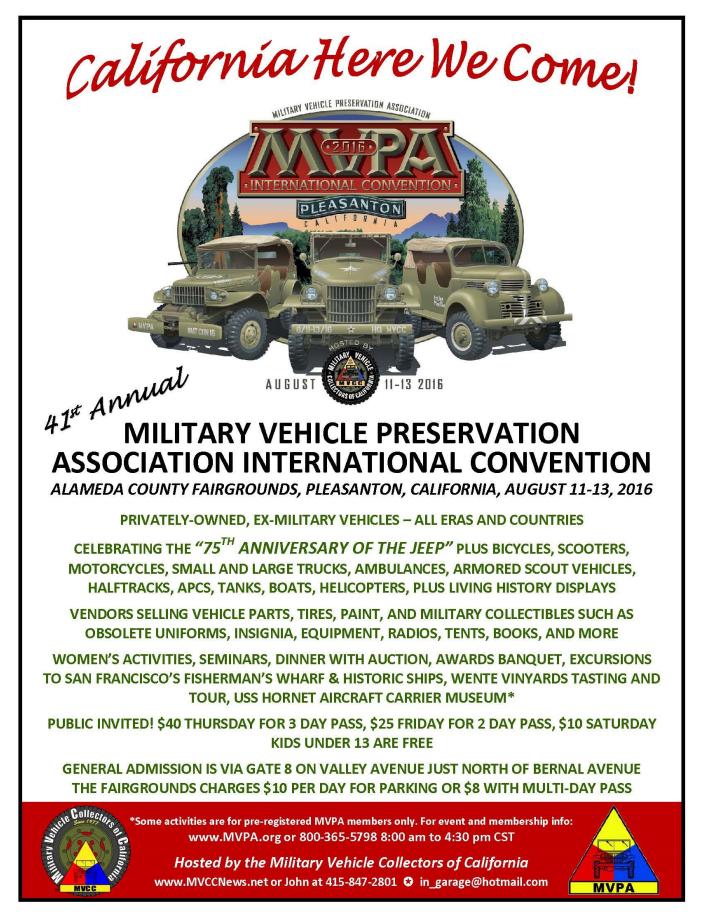
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Chris Hughes



Joe Cavallaro's 43 GPW Pictured with Collings Foundation B24-J Witchcraft in Monterey

Joe Cavallaro



2016 MVPA Convention Flyer to Print and Share.

# AFTER ACTION REPORT



Spent the day with our friends at Niles Canyon. They had homemade lunch for Paul and I, great eats! Lots of talk about the Troop Train. Took photos of Paul's staff car and Lillie's Filly for the promo stuff for the Troop Train during convention. Chris Thomas





# **MVPA CONVENTION NEWS**

#### **Convention Hotel Room Block, Excursions, and Dinners Are Filling Up** By John Neuenburg

As of June 6, all of these things are on a pace to sell-out. If you have not purchased your excursion tickets to Wente Vineyards, the USS Hornet Museum, or Fisherman's Wharf to see the sub and Liberty ship and/or take a Bay Cruise, go right now to <u>www.mvpa.org</u> to download the registration form or copy it from Supply Line magazine, and send it in. Or call the MVPA office in Missouri at 800-365-5798. Ditto the Friday dinner before the Auction at the fairgrounds, and the Awards Banquet at the Doubletree Hotel. If you have already registered, just send in a second form to purchase these things.

If you are not a MVPA member but want to attend one of the dinners or tours, either join or find a MVPA member and get onto his form. Dave Ball and I know members. MVPA membership is only \$35 for the E-membership where you receive the nice magazines electronically, or \$50 to get the hard copies.

Book Doubletree hotel rooms via the link on the convention page at <u>www.mvpa.org</u> that takes you to our convention room reservation page. Or call 866-288-3305 and use Group Code MVC to get the \$119.00 rate. As mentioned last month, Tuesday and Wednesday are not available at that rate, so don't ask for those dates or they will say, "No rate available." There is important info about room rates before and after our event Issue #5

### **IT'S TIME TO REGISTER YOUR CONVENTION VEHICLES!**

We know from talking to people that many of you have not gotten around to registering your MVs for showing at the MVPA event this August 11-13. This makes the MVPA nervous. If you know you will be bringing a MV to the event, please register it soon. If you are not sure if you will bring more than one, just register one and send another form in later for the second if you want. The more we know early, the better we can plan for what goes where. Now is not early! We hope the people who bring an MV to Tower Park will bring it to the convention.

Reminder that it costs about the same to attend this show as it does to go to Tower Park. The Display Only MV category has no fee. The main difference is the convention requires a personal registration fee of \$30 for a MVPA member or his guest. That's for a three-day name badge pass (plus set up Wednesday). Adding a spouse makes it only \$35 total, and a family with children under 18 is \$40. Elsewhere we'll talk about getting in as a non-MVPA member.

Your vehicle is welcome in any condition. This is not a concours d'Elegance, although some MVs entered into the Restored judging category will be very nice. That's a vehicle that is supposed to look like it was just accepted by the government or its first duty station (unit markings are OK). There is also the Motor Pool category which is the place for something with dents, scratches, and more. There is a \$40 fee for either Judged category. Then we have the For Sale category and these vehicles will be in a special place for a \$50 fee. Keep in mind our budget is tight and if you are on the fence about having your vehicle judged or put in the For Sale area, your fees will be welcome!

#### Not a MVPA Member? There is a Way to Show Your MV

This is a MVPA International Convention and it is focused on members and their guests. It is also open to the public all days. But <u>only</u> MVPA members may show a MV. Being a MVCC member does not get you or your MV in. Elsewhere we talked about what a MVPA membership costs. Please join the MVPA if you can.

There is another way to get your MV into the show. Just find a MVPA member and pre-register as a <u>guest</u> on his/her form. Your MV is entered as if it is the members MV. The pre-printed window sign will carry the members name but you are welcome to hang out with it and say, "It's mine!"

#### 2016 MVPA CONVENTION COMMITTEE MEMBERS & PROSPECTS

Convention's a 'Comin! Please look for your name and respond if necessary. We need to know if this list is correct. Names in regular text are those who have volunteered to help with the convention. Names in **BOLD** *ITALIC* are people who we are not sure of. This might just be our "wishful thinking" but you folks please tell Dave or John your status ASAP. No worries if you don't want to be involved. We all want to have fun and everybody has their own way of doing it. If nothing else, bring your MV! We want it!!! If you don't see your name but volunteered, we screwed up. SOUND OFF! If you have been lurking but want to help, please give us a call.

Chairpersons and members should be in contact this month about the days and hours you will be available. Organized staffing will make things run as smoothly as possible. Even a few hours will help. MORE HANDS = LESS WORK! If you know your correct phone and email address is on file with the MVCC, John, Dave, OR your committee chairperson, you do not have to contact us.

Committee members will receive a <u>unique</u> event T-shirt, special parking to the extent we have it, and our thanks! <u>All members must</u> register with MVPA to get their event name badge which is their pass, either as a MVPA member or a guest on a members form. No <u>discounts for committee members</u>. MVCC membership does not get you into this show - it's an MVPA convention. It is possible to buy a general admission wristband at the door but it's expensive on Thursday. Committee people should register to get a badge.

A list of committees with members is on the Members Only side of www.MVCCNews.net, so you can go there and find your name, maybe on more than one committee. Feel free to request a change. If you don't have your login name and password to see that section, which by the way is where you can view the latest MVCC News in color and other classified, super-secret, insider club info, contact Webmaster Sean Nichols. If you don't go on the internet and want a hard copy of the chart, ask John Neuenburg. You may volunteer to be in multiple committees for variety. For example, you could help Mitch Haik's group place signs on Tuesday afternoon or Wednesday morning, and then help check-in late-arriving MVs for an hour on Thursday morning.

ALPHABETICAL BY 1<sup>ST</sup> NAME – See above note about what **bold**, *italic* text means:

Aaron Horrocks	Dan McCluskey	Jim Bundgaard	Mac McCluskey	Randy Parent
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Brad Price	Ed Roberts	Karl, Louise Strom	Nancy Porter	Steve Kavanaugh
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Carl Thompson	Ernie Ongaro	Carrigg	Nikole Nichols	Tirzah Haik
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Cathleen Cooper	Greg Lalonde	Larry Pirack	Paul Settle	Tom Lamar
Chris Thomas	Howard Cunha	Lee Hoskins	Paul Thekan	William "Steve"
Christina Verissimo	Janine McCluskey	Leroy Cunha	Peter Fraser	Mathews
Claire Werner	Jeff Intemann	Linda DiDonato	Phil Tracy	с. — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —
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MVCC HQ – available (scheduling info-givers at the booth, not responsible for MVCC business, Quartermaster, Auction/Raffle)
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### 75th Anniversary Jeep Display Brewing – One of Each?

We want to pay tribute to this special anniversary of the production jeep vehicle at the convention. 1941 - 2016.

One way is to create a line-up of "one of each" military model and significant sub-model recognized as being "different." Prototype to MUTT. Like a Willys MA or Ford GP. A script '42 and several WWII variations, Ford and Willys. Lend-Lease versions. MZ radio jeeps. M38, M38A1, ambulance, recoilless rifle jeeps. Variations of the M151. Remember the "Jeep Evolution – One of Each" Display we did at Tower Park? How complete can we make this one? Nearly all of the 20+ examples are in the MVCC area. If you have a good example of one of these and want to be the only one in the display, please contact John Neuenburg at in\_garage@hotmail.com or 415-847-2801. You have to register your vehicle of course. We also need folks to join this display committee. Help review the applicants and encourage certain owners to take part. Some of you know who owns the best examples, right? Will you help?

### Camp Grizzly and Other Display Areas at the Convention

#### By John Neuenburg

We are reviewing proposals for what people want to do in this lawn area just south of Building D. It is the only area suitable for tent pins within our show area where overnight camping is authorized. And unlike the Walnut Grove and Main Lot RV areas across the parking lot, Camp Grizzly is free! But only approved displays and camping using military equipment qualifies.

VP Scott Rohrs is the POC for this area and he wants to hear from you if you want to display something. Grizzly is for living historians, museum-type displays, and military tents or nets that can't go on pavement. We favor displays that are more than a simple military tent, although we want to know if you want to set up only a military tent for show, or want to sleep in it. Maybe we can make that happen. Get on our radar ASAP. If you want to do a display with a MV using no more space than the MV and maybe an easel sign and tool roll on the ground takes up, and pavement is OK, just register your MV and show up. If you request more space than that, or want to do something without a MV, contact either event co-chairman ASAP.

#### Walnut Grove and Main Lot RV Camping Areas at the Convention – Not Display Areas

Someone asked if these paid camping areas across the parking lot from our show can be visited by general spectators, and so could be an additional display or vendor area at our show. The Walnut Grove dry camping area will be off limits to the general public and not convenient to show attendees during the daytime. It is not part of our grounds rental for the show. We chose to do this so MVPA and MVCC do not have to run our own camping program as a profit (or loss) center. The Alameda County Fairgrounds Camp Host is running it. If it is an attraction that our attendees can visit, ACF will charge the MVPA rent.

Same goes for the Main Lot RV area. It's not for displays or vendors. If management sees this going on it will cost us money via ACF keeping our deposit.



SAS Jeep at American Armory Museum Opening Day

Chris Hughes



Top: LARC-V (Lighter, Amphibious Resupply, Cargo, 5 ton), Bottom: M170 Ambulance, Sonny Hanson and Jim Porterfield hanging out in the Deuce.

Chris Hughes



American Armory Museum opening day pictures.. Page 16 and 17 . Chris Hughes. http://www.toadmanstankpictures.com/

# **CLASSIFIEDS**

### FOR SALE

**FOR SALE:** Burma GTBS with Boom, 2 hoist winches, tool box and a lot more parts. \$3200 OBO Don at (209)765-1273 Or Email: caddymanwestside@yahoo.com 8-16

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If you have any questions please contact me by email...... hp2@west.net Thank you very much.... Herman Pfauter 8-16

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