



**Red Hook Car Club
Meeting Notes – June 21, 2007**

Question asked – “What can a library do for us that we can’t do for ourselves?”

Challenges for car enthusiasts & car clubs:

- Aging membership – need to get more young people interested & involved.
- Finding resources for restoring a car.

An online resource for car enthusiasts should include:

- Information on local events about cars
- Local club listings
- Resources available at library’s locally

Programs/Events RHCC might be interested in offering at area libraries:

- Membership drive
- Big Poster – “Take a Kid to a Car Show”
- Some of us have our own libraries and collections of literature etc., and can be a resource for others.

Car Resources that Libraries Should Have:

- *Hemmings Motor News* – “the best”; bible of old car hobby; comes out monthly; should have copies in all libraries
- *Special Interest Vehicles* – a newspaper that comes out weekly.

Subject areas of interest to car enthusiasts

[Libraries should consider purchasing books/magazines in some of these subject areas.]

- Antique Cars
- Cruises (places to go to Cruise)
- Tour Books for car owners

Other ideas:

- Car Show at the Library
- Story time that involves story of old cars & some cars parked outside the library for kids to see.