

Turning Back Time Car Show FAQ

Maybe these can help you all with information before calling someone to find out the answers!

Q. Can I Pre-Enter the show this year?

A. Mail in Early Bird Pre-Entry closes July 18th. However, you can enter at the Sycamore Chamber of Commerce Cruise Night. Our people will have a table at Elm and Somonauk for your convenience. Fee is \$15 and correct change is always appreciated!

Q. What time does the gate open?

A. 6:00 am for cars and 9:00 am for Motorcycles on Sunday.

Q. Can I come early to get a good parking spot?

A. It is true, everyone wants that prime spot! However there have been many winners from all over the show. Entry to the show area begins when the gate opens at 6:00.

Q. Do cars and motorcycles come through the same gate?

A. No! Hink's has set up a separate entrance for the bikes at Elm and California Streets from the west. All Bikes should enter there. This gate opens at 9:00 AM. Also Special Note: Please keep the entrance/exits to Soft Water City clear!

Q. If I come before 6:00 can I get in before the gate opens?

A. Those coming in prior to opening need to stage in the holding lots off Rt. 64 at N. Locust and Exchange. A show volunteer will direct you when to exit the holding lot for the gate when it opens.

Q. Is there a place for trailer parking?

A. Those pulling trailers can park them in the Blackhawk Moving and Storage lot just west of Sacramento St. off Elm on the left. Thanks especially to the folks at Blackhawk for allowing us to use the lot!

Q. Do I have to wait in line if I'm pre paid?

A. Yes but when you approach the gate follow the signs for the pre-paid entry lane. We'll make it as easy as possible for you to quickly enter *with your pre paid stub*. We will also have a checklist of pre paid entries to verify your status.

Q. What if I'm staying at the hotel or with friends in town? Where can I park my show car?

A. A secure, guarded parking lot for overnight storage of show cars is located next to the Sycamore Theater at State and Sacramento Streets. Many use this lot and then just leave the car there for the show. Our people will come out to the lot at the opening of the show to collect entry fees and place the "Paid Entry" sticker on your windshield. If you're late, you can come over to the Souvenir and Trophy Tent at State and Somonauk to get what you'll need for registration. Better yet, prepay at the cruise Saturday night!

Q. What if I 'forget' and park on the street overnight.

A. You will have a great opportunity to meet the wonderfully courteous and knowledgeable team of Tri-State Towing, our longtime supporter and 2013 Presented By sponsor! The show area streets are closed to parking at 2 AM. Don't forget!

Q. How is the show judged?

A. Participant voting. Top 100 and other special awards are given based on vote tally with a couple of special awards determined by the TBTCC and others based on sponsorship. Everyone has a shot at something!

Q. Can I reserve a parking spot?

A. All spaces are first come, first serve. The size of the show and the limitations on space prohibits individual reservation of parking spaces. The exception is, we do set aside 5 spots for the Old Timers and the Car Club parks their cars in the vendor lot.

Q. What is the date of the show this year?

A. July 29, 2018

Q. What is the date for the show next year?

A. July 28, 2019