

Home Depot Safety Event Car Display – Oct 2019

Home Depot has been a strong supporter of our car show for many years. The Cruisers also support Home Depot by turning out for their Home Depot Safety Event every fall. This year a total of 13 club cars were on display on Sat. Oct 6th. The sun was shining and the temperature was a delightful 96 degrees, which everyone knows is typical Texas fall weather. Along with the Bastrop Area Cruisers display, the VFW sold raffle tickets and several small vendors had activities for the kids. The Bastrop Fire Department displayed some of its equipment and the rescue helicopter made another visit this year. The helicopter's arrival stirred up a giant cloud of dust, as it does every time it lands. We were again parked far enough away from the landing zone so no flying debris could damage anything, but as usual the cloud of dust was a bit annoying. However this year our club President was prepared. Without the benefit of a phone booth he ripped open his shirt exposing a large "S" and immediately sprang into action with a borrowed leaf blower to expertly and gently remove every speck of dust from all the club vehicles. Way to go, Bill.

During the event, Jose, the Home Depot store manager joined us to enjoy the cars. He has agreed to have the Kids Workshop and Face Painters come to the Car Show again this year. The safety event ran from 9 am to 1 pm but most started leaving around noon. Jose was happy with the turnout and once again donated two Home Depot canopies which are greatly appreciated. The store also donated another \$300 work bench for the car show silent auction again this year. Thanks Jose, the club very much appreciates the support!

Article contributed by Bill and Pam Whittaker, thanks!!

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