

# Celebration of Brass II @ The Gilmore July 14 – 19, 2022

## **GREETINGS** from the Museum of the Horseless Carriage!

Time is fast approaching for the "Celebration of Brass II" festivities! As many of you experienced at last year's inaugural, we are again planning a fun-filled, five-day gathering featuring a car show, swap meet, numerous on-site activities, and three days of touring scenic country roads to West Michigan's shoreline. Included within you will find information to plan your trip and registration forms. What's important for you to know is that our team and vendors will continue to ensure all venues meet health and safety standards according to Covid-19 guidelines. Again, most locations and planned activities will be large open outdoor venues. There will be safe and ample space to park your transporters for the duration of your trip. Car tour participation is capped at 80 cars but, if you cannot bring your brass era car, there is sure to be back seat availability!

#### Eligibility

All automobiles (any number of cylinders, steam or electric), motorcycles, and bicycles made before 1916 are welcome. If you have any questions about eligibility or registration, refer to contact "inquiries" below; we are glad to help.  $\rightarrow$  For the Car Show and Swap Meet, you DO NOT need to be a member of the HCCA to participate.

 $\rightarrow$  For the Car Tour, you DO need to be a current member of the HCCA.

#### Accommodations & Logistics

**Delta Hotel Marriott** (2747 S. 11<sup>th</sup> St., Kalamazoo); call (888) 890-3222; local (269) 375-6000 or reservation link: https://www.marriott.com/events/start.mi?id=1639507454529&key=GRP

Mention "Museum of the Horseless Carriage Celebration of Brass 2022". Contract is 50-room block with cut-off date of June 23. The group rate is \$124/night or \$30/night for RV w/no hook-ups. Host hotel is located approximately 25 miles southwest of the Gilmore Car Museum; about a 40-minute drive.

**RV sites**: Contact the Gilmore Car Museum direct (269) 671-5089 to secure campsite reservation on museum grounds. Their museum closes at 5PM weekdays so you must arrive prior in order to check in. Contact the Delta Hotel direct for RV parking during car tour dates (Saturday night-Tuesday). Note, the Gilmore Car Museum is a Harvest Host Member.

**Rig Parking**: Thursday/Friday/Saturday - Parking at the Gilmore Car Museum is available inside the fenced area on the east side of the grounds. You are welcome to keep your rig parked at the museum for the duration of all museum events. Plan to **move rigs on Saturday night** to the hotel if you are participating in the car tour Sunday-Tuesday.

Event Location – Thursday-Saturday (Google maps link) Museum of the Horseless Carriage, Gilmore Car Museum, 6865 West Hickory Road, Hickory Corners, MI 49060

<u>Inquiries</u> <u>HCCAMuseum@outlook.com</u> or Kevin Fleck 269-830-6174 <u>Registration and payment questions</u> <u>kimbrodhagen@gmail.com</u> or Kim at 269-366-7360 Completed registrations due no later than May 15. No refunds after May 15 but can provide a tax deduction form.

Thank you for supporting the Museum of the Horseless Carriage. We look forward to celebrating with you!

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One form per car entry – Swap meet vendors fill in "personal information"

PERSONAL INFORMATION (HCCA m	embers and non-me	embers – required for all	registrants any event)	
Name(s)	HCCA member # (tour only)			
Address	City	State	Zip code	
Cell #	Email Address			
REGISTERING FOR CAR TOUR:				
Driver, Navigator, Passenger Names: _				
Room for passenger(s) Yes	No	Need a navigator	Yes No	
VEHICLE INFORMATION (HCCA men	nbers and non-mem	bers – required for all re	gistrants)	
YearMake		Model		
No. of Cylinders Body Style _				
Insurance Co*State of Michigan requi		Policy No on & proof of insurance be		

#### **OWNER / DRIVER COMMITMENT / RELEASE STATEMENT (Required for all registrants)**

I hereby agree to enter the vehicle described in the HCCA / Museum of the Horseless Carriage Celebration of Brass II event. In consideration of the right to enter this event and for other valuable considerations, I (we) do hereby agree to indemnify, protect, defend and hold harmless the Museum of the Horseless Carriage, The Gilmore Car Museum, and HCCA-designated National Tour, their Chapters and / or Regions, Officers, and Representatives from and against any and all claims, costs, liabilities and attorneys' fees arising from damage or injury, actual or claimed, of any kind or nature, to property or persons, resulting from my (our) participation in any of the Celebration of Brass events. The owner / driver has proof of bodily injury liability and \$100,000 property damage liability, or \$300,000 combined single limit liability insurance. The owner / driver certifies that the described vehicle(s) or substituted vehicle(s) entered in this event has duly passed the requirements of the motor vehicle authorities, or other governing bodies of the state in which the vehicle is registered, and the vehicle is legally registered and / or licensed. These entities and their representatives will not, and cannot, be held responsible for the "safety certification" of any participating vehicle.

Signature of Owner

Date Signed

Signature of Driver (if other than owner)

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VENUE - INFORMATION	SELECTIONS	\$ FEE	
SPECTATOR ONLY ADMISSION – Two-day Pass – One-day Pass Includes car show, swap meet, and Gilmore Car Museum experience. Only applies to guests not registering for car show/swap meet and more than 2 people per car entry	<ul> <li>\$28</li> <li>\$16 adult; \$11 youth ages 11-17 military &amp; 10 &amp; under free</li> <li>Gilmore Car Museum memberships are also available</li> </ul>	Pay at Museum Entrance or Gate	
WELCOME RECEPTION Thursday, July 14; 5PM-8PM Enjoy food & drinks, mingle, tour the museum & obtain registration packet	No pre-registration required Estimated people planning to attend:	Free	
CAR SHOW/MEET Friday & Saturday, July 15-16; 9AM-4PM Includes 2 days museum admission for 2 people per car, pre-1916 vehicle display, swap meet, driving campus grounds, activities, demos and more Additional passengers must pay spectator admission*	Number of cars for show x \$ 30.00 = Swap meet space registration separate I will need rig parking Yes or No I will be bringing an RV Yes or No Must register RV in advance with GCM		
VENDOR SPACE FOR SWAP MEET Friday & Saturday, July 15-16; 9AM-4PM Vendor registration for 12' X 25' space	Number of spacesx \$ 30.00 =I will need rig parkingYes or NoI will be bringing an RVYes or No		
ICE CREAM SOCIAL & THOMAS FLYER NEW YORK TO PARIS PRESENTATION BY JEFF MAHL Fundraiser for MHC held @ Gilmore Car Museum Friday, July 15; 6:30PM-8:30PM; presentation 7:30PM Food available @ GCM for dinner on own (optional)	Number of people x \$ 15.00 = Cannot attend but wish to contribute =		
KALAMAZOO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA (optional) Saturday, July 16; 7:00PM On-site event held on museum grounds (tentative) Bring lawn chairs and enjoy the art of music!	Tickets sold by KSO direct @ \$25/person www.kalamazoosymphony.com	Pay KSO	
BANQUET @ DELTA HOTEL Sunday, July 17; 6:30PM-9:00PM	Number of people x \$ 50.00 = Number of people 12 & under(free)		
CAR TOUR (HCCA MEMBER ONLY) Sunday-Tuesday, July 17-19 <i>Tuesday is half day tour</i>	Number of vehicles x \$150.00 =Per car; driver only entryAdditional passengers x \$100.00 =Number of people 12 & under (free)		
Make check payable to: Museum of the Horseless Carriage, and save a copy (check #) Include BOTH forms with check: Kim Brodhagen, Events Registrar, 10437 "S" Avenue, Mattawan, MI 49071 THANK YOU! All proceeds are directed toward supporting the new Museum of the Horseless Carriage.			