

Greater Washington Area Blue & Gray Military Vehicle Trust
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Annual Event Schedule Posting
May 2017

MVPA Events - www.mvpa.org/home/mv-events/
Convention, Cleveland Ohio, 21-24 June, 2017

Car Shows - <http://www.capitalcruisin.com/shows.html>

[Our Event of the Year is Here](#)
[44th Annual East Coast Rally](#)

[Ripken Stadium Aberdeen Md. Get ready to go 11-12-13 May, 2017](#)
Flyers can be down loaded from our web site. www.washingtonbluegray.com

6 May Sat – Annual “Manassas Air Show” at Manassas Regional Airport. Asking for vehicle displays, Reenactors, equipment or encampments for display. Arrangements can be made to set up your gear on Friday between 0800-1600 if necessary. If you wish to spend the night with your gear, arrangements can be made. The event runs from 1000-1600 hours on Saturday. Set up Saturday morning can be done between 0600-0830. Those signed up must be on the field and set up by 0830 before the public arrives on Saturday. You are asked to stay till the show is over Saturday at approximately 1630, as you will be set up on grass right beside the operational portion of the airfield. Your lunch will be free. Various food vendors are on the field for the show as well. You will be close to restrooms. If you can participate this year please bring your operator’s license and proof of insurance when you arrive as this is a secure FAA facility. To finalize arrangements for access to the field you must contact Kevin Rychlik, ASAP @ krychlik@therychlikcompanies.com or if necessary his cell is 571-220-3086.

13 May Sat. – Police Week - Benefit for Fallen Officers Car Show. This event is sponsored by the Haymarket Va. Police Department, The QBE Foundation and State Farm Insurance. The car show is from 1400 – 1800 hours on the QBE property at 14600 Washington Street, Haymarket Va. There is a 10 dollar per vehicle entrance fee to display your vehicle. For additional information contact Officer Corie O’Neal @ coneal@townofhaymarket.org or see the attached flyer PDF file below.

20 May. Sat. – Aberdeen Proving Grounds, live fire and vehicle display opportunity. Details will be posted ASAP.

28 May Sun. - “Ride of the Patriots” committee is requesting one vintage jeep with driver to carry their keynote speaker from Fairfax Harley Davidson about a mile up the road to Memorial Day presentation speech. Contact Sue Gough sgoughffxhog@gmail.com or 301-788-8378 for specific times.

3 June Sat. – City of Alexandria D Day Program, this is sponsored by the Alex. Caen Sister Society. This static opportunity will be held from 1430 – 1700. Vintage military vehicles are requested to display on Market Square in Old Town. Reenactors are encouraged in uniform if you prefer. Jim Callear will play Lt. General Omar Bradley. Living history reenactors from “La France Libre” and Freedom Historical Squad are invited as well. Further information contact Kerem Bilge kerem_bilge@hotmail.com

4 June Sun. – “Some Gave All” - 11th Annual Frazier – Mason Motorcycle Ride. They are looking for vintage military vehicles for a static event from 1000 – 1600, to be held at King George High School in Fredericksburg Va. It is rain or shine. Further information go to www.somegaveall.org

10 June Sat. “Quantico Mud Run” – “Run Amuck”, this is an annual static event open to all vintage military vehicles and is held on U.S Marine Corp Base Quantico. The foot race will begin and end at the Butler Stadium on post. They would like you there at 0630 hours as the foot race begins at 0700. Generally, the last runners come back by 1200 hours when this event ends. Please remember absolutely no weapons can be brought on to a military base or federal property in general. This year is Base Quantico’s 100th birthday. Mark would really like to have us back this year. Please try to support this event. Further information contact Mark Williams at mark.williams@usmc-mccs.org

20 - 21 June Weds & Thurs - “Baltimore Shootout for Soldiers” veterans benefit. They are looking for military vehicles and equipment for display either or both days. This is a 24-hour lacrosse event for veteran charities. Last year drew an estimated 10,000 people and raised funds for many national and local veteran charities. For information contact Planning Committee member Paul Cisar. <http://shootoutforsoliders.com>

24 June Sat – Car Show, Fraternal Order of Police, Lodge 70, and hosted by the Anne Arundel County Police Department. For further details see the attached flyer at the bottom of this schedule, or contact Jan Richard Veeder @ jrveeder@comcast.net

4 July Tues. – Annual Dale City 4th of July Parade, Line up promptly at 0900 hours. Parade starts at 1000 hours. I will be contacted by phone 48 hours prior to the event as to our exact position in the lineup. No worries however. I’ll be there early, and the east bound side of Dale Blvd. will be shut down by the County Police for the parade. As you enter the parade route area look for our vehicles staged east bound on Dale Blvd. somewhere west of Kirkdale Dr. where the parade will start. I’ll be on my cell phone that morning @ 703-402-8972. Wayne Miller bristowranger@msn.com

8 – 9 July Sat & Sun. - Annual “World War II Days” event at Prince William County Park Authority’s historic Rippon Lodge. This event is open to the public both days from 1100 – 1600 hours. Static military vehicle displays and reenactors from both Allied and Axis, European and Pacific theaters are welcome. Living history and military vehicles are welcome to camp on the grounds overnight. Snacks, sodas and water concessions are available. Please see the registration form and event flyer attached below under PDF

files. For any further information contact the Rippon Lodge Historic Site manager, Jessica Maria Alicea at jalicea@pwc.org

15-16 July – 2nd Annual WW 2 Living History Event at Oatlands Plantation, The National Trust for Historic Preservation. 20850 Oatlands Plantation Lane, Leesburg Va. Looking for military vehicles for static display both days from WW 2, Korea and Viet Nam on their 400-acre plantation. Again, this year will be jeep rides provided by the VFW, and us, should you chose to participate, Vintage Ford Club with pre-1945 vehicles, Sat. night USO 1940's themed dance with a live orchestra in their covered pavilion, The American's in War Time will have their mobile recording studio set up on Sunday. Given last year was the first year for this event, it was very well attended and an enormous success. Contact Doug Ahlert for further information – ahlertdoug@hotmail.com

22-23 July Sat. – Sun. – WW II Weekend, River Front Park, Berwick Md. For details and flyers see PDF files below.

16 Sept. Sat - National Park Service, Prince William Forest Park, 2017 Heritage Festival, WW2 Military Vehicle Displays welcome. The Park requests people to participate and share knowledge and skills for the public. Our expertise helps visitors connect with the vast resources of the Park as well as the parks military history from the second World war. Additional information will be posted as I receive it. For more information or questions please contact Ranger Kerri Syrus at kerri_syrus@nps.gov or 703-221-7181.

PDF file below includes details and flyers reference the following:

13 May – Haymarket Police Benefit
24 June – Car Show, Anne Arundel County P.D.
8-9 July – Rippon Lodge Living History
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Please email me with any club event information as early as possible for monthly distribution. I'll set up all events that I'm made aware of on our monthly released schedule. My detailed draft then goes to Tom B. for distribution very close to the end of each month. To that end, timing is important.

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