

OLD FASHIONED DAY IN THE PARK

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The reflection of the sun off the water at Marina del Rey was only surpassed by the glistening shine of the beautiful array of automobiles on display at the Annual Old Fashioned Day at the Park. This event is held in conjunction with the Classic Yacht Association featuring their amazing wood yachts of the 1920's and 1930's and the always popular "Hit and Miss" engines. Burton Chase Park is discretely tucked away at the end of a cul-de-sac off Mindanao Way offering an ideal setting for this event.



For many of the owners it was the first event since the pandemic began and the preparation to get their collector cars in tip-top driving condition has been a priority the last couple of months. Even the yachts require constant attention especially as they travel up the coast from Long Beach and/or San Pedro. An electrical problem hassled one yacht owner. Dead batteries caused two car owners to change cars at the last minute. But we still had 100% participation fillings all the spaces allotted for our collector cars.





Once the cars were arranged around the perimeter of the park, we were invited to a continental breakfast hosted by the Classic Yacht Association. In addition, we were welcomed to board each yacht, as well as the steam boat, to admire their glistening wood interiors and abundance of space.



The horns sounded and the “hit and miss” engines started at ten o’clock welcoming the public to view the collection. A constant stream of visitors ogled over the cars and yachts. Lots of questions were asked and many youngsters were introduced to our hobby.





It was a wonderful day and we welcome your participation next year – either as an exhibitor or as a fan.