



## **America's Automotive Trust Hosts Fifth Annual 'Cars & Cigars' Signature Event**

Tacoma, Washington jamboree will feature Montecristo Cigars, signature appetizers, live music along with spirit and wine tastings

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TACOMA, Wash. (July 25, 2017) – America's Automotive Trust (AAT) – a nonprofit organization dedicated to securing America's automotive heritage – will be holding its fifth annual "Cars & Cigars" Signature Event at America's Car Museum in Tacoma, Washington on July 28.

Cars & Cigars will feature Montecristo cigars as well as spirit, wine and beer tastings from distilleries including The Balvenie, Elysian Brewing, Gig Harbor Brewing, Kerloo Cellars, Montinore Estate and Schooner Exact Brewing Co. Signature appetizers from Seatown Seabar, Dahlia Lounge and Dahlia Bakery will also be served.

This year's event will also feature chocolate tasting, compliments of Seattle local Seleuš Chocolates.

"Nothing ages better than fine wine, quality cigars and vintage cars," said AAT President & CEO David Madeira. "Guests at Cars & Cigars will be able to enjoy all three, thanks to the generous support of State Farm, Montecristo and Neil Walter Company."

Cars & Cigars is one of AAT's annual Signature Events, which provide funding to support initiatives that ensure a vibrant future for the collector car industry. The Trust is currently comprised of four member-entities: LeMay – America's Car Museum, the RPM Foundation, Club Auto and Concours Club.

"Our annual Signature Events are a big draw for guests in the community as well as our donors – who are the driving force behind the movement to safeguard the future for collectible cars," added Madeira.

To purchase tickets or learn more about Cars & Cigars, visit [americascarmuseum.org](http://americascarmuseum.org).

### **About America's Automotive Trust ([americasautomotivetrust.org](http://americasautomotivetrust.org))**

America's Automotive Trust (AAT), headquartered in Tacoma, Washington, is a not-for-profit corporation that seeks to secure America's automotive heritage and to transfer the skills and knowledge necessary for the future of collector vehicles and the enthusiast community for generations to come. AAT is made up of four founding entities: LeMay – America's Car Museum, the RPM Foundation, Club Auto and the Concours Club. For more information on AAT, visit [americasautomotivetrust.org](http://americasautomotivetrust.org).

### **About LeMay – America's Car Museum ([americascarmuseum.org](http://americascarmuseum.org))**

America's Car Museum (ACM), an entity of [America's Automotive Trust](http://AmericasAutomotiveTrust), is an international destination for families and auto enthusiasts to celebrate America's love affair with the automobile and learn how it shaped our society. Based in Tacoma, Wash., the stunning 165,000-sq.-ft. facility

has been recognized as one of *MSN's* 10 Best Automotive Museums worldwide, *USA Today's* 10 Best Museums in Seattle and *KING5's* Best Museum in Western Washington. ACM serves as an educational center for students of all ages, features 12 rotating exhibits and hosts four annual Signature Events. For more information, visit [americascarmuseum.org](http://americascarmuseum.org).

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