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America's Car Museum Visitors Floored at American Muscle Exhibit

Fans of '60s- and '70s-era muscle cars speed in on opening day

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TACOMA, Wash. (July 30, 2015) – America's Car Museum (ACM) recently fired up its newest exhibit, 'American Muscle – Rivals to the End' to a record 550 attendees. The Tacoma-based museum details the history of America throughout the '60s- and early '70s as told by muscle cars such as the 1969 427 Yenko Camaro, 1970 Dodge Super Bee and 1970 Buick GSX.

Before the oil embargo of 1973, automakers raced to get out affordable vehicles that were faster and more capable than their competitors. A strong economy and inexpensive gasoline fueled an era that created long lasting brand loyalists.

“While the U.S. and the Soviet Union were racing to the moon, the Detroit manufactures were in a space race of their own—only for astronomical horsepower numbers,” said ACM CEO David Madeira. “Fans that grew up in those years found themselves drawn to one of these manufacturers, now they can relive those days with their own children.”

The full list of vehicles highlighted in 'American Muscle – Rivals to the End' include:

- 1963 Ford Galaxie 500XL Sedan
- 1964 Buick Wildcat Mitchell-Bentley Prototype Series 4600
- 1964 Chevrolet Chevelle Malibu
- 1964 Pontiac Tempest LeMans GTO Convertible
- 1964 Ford Fairlane Thunderbolt
- 1966 Buick Skylark Gran Sport
- 1966 Ford 7-Litre Convertible
- 1967 Chevrolet Camaro SS
- 1967 Pontiac GTO 2-Door Hardtop
- 1969 ACM AMX Sports Coupe
- 1969 Chevrolet Camaro Yenko 427
- 1969 Plymouth Road Runner
- 1969 Dodge Coronet Super Bee
- 1969 Chevrolet Camaro Rally Sport Z-28
- 1970 Buick Gran Sport GSX
- 1970 Dodge Challenger T/A
- 1970 Plymouth AAR 'Cuda
- 1970 Ford Torino Fastback
- 1971 American Motors Javelin SST
- 1972 Oldsmobile Cutlass Hurst

‘American Muscle – Rivals to the End’ will be on display at ACM through the end of the year, for more information visit americascarmuseum.org.

About LeMay – America’s Car Museum (americascarmuseum.org)

America’s Car Museum (ACM), named one of *USA Today’s* 10 Best Museums in Seattle and KING 5’s 2014 Best Museum in Western Washington, is an international destination where families and enthusiasts gather to celebrate America’s love affair with the automobile and how it shaped our society. The stunning, four-level, 165,000-sq.-ft. Tacoma, Wash., facility features 12 rotating exhibits, five annual Signature Events and serves as an educational center, hosting students of all ages. For more information on ACM, visit americascarmuseum.org.

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