

# All American Cruise set for Wayne Road July 9

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(Photo: Submitted)

The fourth annual All American Wayne Road Cruise approaches quickly, set for Saturday, July 9.

This year, organizer Don Nicholson said, "We are happy to not only be a Pure Michigan event, but also part of Autopalooza. In order to be part of either event we have to have reached a level of attendance, event insurance, community involvement and tourism advertising."

Being part of Autopalooza puts this event in partnership with events like the Detroit Belle Isle Grand Prix, Conquers D'elegance, Woodward Dream Cruise and other events in southeast Michigan.

Don Nicholson Enterprises, LLC, organizes the All American Wayne Road Cruise, as well as the Hines Cruise, and is the Director of Cruisin' Downriver, working for the Southern Wayne County Regional Chamber of Commerce. These events are all organized in a manner to give the community a fun, free family event and to bring business to the business community, Nicholson said.

"We are open to consulting with any business in the area of our cruises to help them gain the most from our events," Nicholson said. "Some businesses set up shop outside their business to great potential new customers, others host a vip area to have their customers join them for a day of BBQing and conversation while watching the classics drive by."

Ernie Gazdag of Mancave Accessories is the official T-shirt vendor and will be set up at Westland Bowl, Wayne Ford Civic League and the Historic Westland Village. Event shirts are top of the line, quality event shirts. The John Glenn Music Boosters will sell water at the Wayne Ford Civic League.

The Historic Westland Village will be hosting an open house and giving away limited edition dash plaques to the first 100 vehicles that stop at the village and take a tour or just visit with the other car owners.

Howe Collision will be giving out 300 hot dogs, drinks and chips, My Lady's Florist will be passing out water and a special discount on roses for the Cruisers sweetheart.

As always, the event will feature plenty of classic cars, hot rods and TV and movie cars — watch for the Munsters Koach, Speed Racer's car, The Batmobile or even the Monkeemobile may make an appearance. The Ghostbusters car or Herbie may even cruise into Westland for the 50th anniversary celebration.

This year's All American Wayne Road Cruise goes right into the night with a free drive-in movie. Organizers have rented a 55-foot blow up movie screen and rented the 2008 movie "Speed Racer" featuring Emile Hirsch, Matthew Fox and Christina Ricci. Before the movie plays, organizers will show the cartoon Speed Racer. Popcorn will be available from the John Glenn Music Boosters and food and Ice cream will also be available.

For more information call Don Nicholson at 734-658-5296 or check out the website at [www.AllAmericanCruise.com](http://www.AllAmericanCruise.com)

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