

2024 DEMO DAYS AT THE SIMEONE MUSEUM

Join us for our world-famous Demo Days, where “The Spirit of Competition” comes alive!

Each event starts with a short presentation on the technical specifications, historic context, and provenance on each of the featured automobiles. Then we have spirited driving demonstration around our 3-acre tarmac, where you can see, hear, and smell what these incredible cars were like.

Kevin Kelly - Executive Director

Demo Days are held on the listed Saturdays and begin promptly at 11:15am with a technical explanation of the featured cars, followed by our Demo Day presentation at noon, with driving demonstrations shortly thereafter.

1/27/2024 - DEFINING THE SPORTS CAR

In the evolution of automotive design, the integration of raw performance with practical utility has given rise to the modern concept of the sports car, a vehicle that deftly balances speed and agility.

1928 Stutz BB Blackhawk Speedster, 1929 Alfa Romeo 6C 1750 SS, 1933 Squire Roadster, 1936 Aston Martin Le Mans

2/10/2024 - B.R.D.C. - BRITISH RACING DRIVERS' CLUB

How the rich legacy and formidable impact of the BRDC's influential members and personalities collectively sculpted the history and trajectory of British motorsports.

1928 Riley 9 Brooklands, 1927 Bentley 3 Litre Speed Model, 1934 MG K3, 1953 Jaguar XK120 FHC

3/23/2024 - SALON- GREAT AMERICAN STYLISTS; HARLEY EARL, GORDON BUEHRIG, RAYMOND LOEWY, BILL MITCHELL, VIRGIL EXNER, DICK TEAGUE

Before the days of Harley Earl and Company, car design was left in the hands of the engineers, who often had little regard for aesthetics.

1935 Auburn 851 Speedster, 1953 Studebaker Commander, 1966 Corvette 427 Stingray, 1949 Cadillac Series 61 Sedanette

4/06/2024 - HOMOLOGATION; STOCK CARS/RACE CARS

NASCAR produces great race cars, but try and buy one. How an ingenious interpretation of the rulebook in the late 1960's would forever change those rules.

1952 Jaguar C-Type, 1954 Ferrari 375 MM Spyder, 1970 Plymouth Superbird, 1970 Porsche 917 LH

4/27/2024 - THE CAR DETECTIVE; PRESERVATION STORIES - GUIDED BY THE PRINCIPLES OF DR. SIMEONE

Unveiling the processes, challenges, and dedication embedded in the efforts of one man to safeguard, restore, and ensure the survival of automotive history for future generations to enjoy.

1929 Stutz Supercharged Le Mans, 1937 Delahaye 135 M, 1956 Maserati 300S

5/25/2024 - BRASS ERA RACING AT FAIRMOUNT PARK

How the largest sporting event in the history of Philadelphia was banned due to safety, despite the fact no one was ever seriously injured.

1911 Mercer 35J Raceabout, 1912 National Speed Model 40, 1916 Stutz Bearcat

6/15/2024 - LITTLE LE MANS : THE SIMEONE 12 HEURES

A celebration of the world's greatest automotive race, with 12 hours of programming featuring the Simeone Museum's cars that were there!

Check our website for more details!

7/13/2024 - DIE DEUTCHEN INGENIEURE; FERDINAND PORSCHE, FRITZ FIEDLER, RUDOLF UHLENHAUT

A deep dive into the groundbreaking and innovative accomplishments of German engineers who brought victory to the track and established an era of racing dominance.

1927 Mercedes-Benz Sportwagen, 1937 BMW 328, 1955 Mercedes-Benz 300SL

7/27/2024 - BRITISH DESIGNERS; LAURENCE POMEROY, WILLIAM HEYNES, TED CUTTING

Pioneering designers who majorly influenced the direction of the British car market, advancing technology in a perpetual pursuit of mechanical excellence.

1921 Vauxhall 30/98E, 1938 Jaguar SS-100 3.5 Litre, 1958 Aston Martin DBR1

8/24/2024 - THE ADVENT OF AERODYNAMICS; GOING FASTER!

Examining the journey of engineers and designers through decades of research, experimentation, and ingenuity, and how and why they sculpted the curves and contours of racing machines.

1956 Jaguar D-Type, 1967 Ford Mk IV, 1963 Corvette Grand Sport

9/28/2024 - SPEED RECORDS; ORMOND BEACH, JABBEKE, BONNEVILLE

Tracing the thrilling quests for velocity that took place on the sands of Ormond Beach, the roads of Jabbeke, and the salt flats of Bonneville.

1936 Bugatti Type 57G Tank, 1953 Jaguar XK120 FHC, 1908 Stanley Model K, 1964 Shelby Daytona Coupe

10/26/2024 - ALFA ROMEO; 8C PILOTI

Exploring the inspired design, unmistakable beauty, and unprecedented engineering behind the Alfa Romeo 8C, the greatest sports cars of the 1930's.

1933 Alfa Romeo 8C 2300 MM Spyder, 1933 Alfa Romeo 8C 2300 Le Mans, 1937 Alfa Romeo 8C 2900A

11/23/2024 - TEAM SHELBY; REMINGTON, BROCK, OLSEN, MILES

Carroll Shelby often gets the credit, but behind the man was a team who relentlessly pursued innovation, broke speed barriers, and redefined motorsport.

This is their story.

1964 Shelby Daytona Coupe, 1964 Shelby Cobra Roadster

TBA - SPIRIT OF COMPETITION WEEKEND!

Check out website and social media channels for more information.



1907 Renault Vanderbilt Racer
1909 American Underslung Traveler
1911 Mercer 35J Raceabout
1912 Hudson Mile-A-Minute Roadster
1912 National Model 40
1916 Stutz Bearcat
1921 Duesenberg 183 Grand Prix
1921 Vauxhall 30/98E

1922 Paige Daytona 6-66 Speedster
1924 Lancia Lambda
1925 Alfa Romeo RL Super Sport
1926 Bugatti Type 35
1926 Kissel 8-75 Speedster
1927 Bentley 3-Litre Speed Model
1927 Mercedes-Benz Sportwagen
1927 Stutz AA Blackhawk Speedster

1928 Auburn 8-88 Speedster
1928 Riley Nine Brooklands
1928 Stutz BB Blackhawk Speedster
1929 Alfa Romeo 6C 1750 Super Sport
1929 DuPont Le Mans Speedster
1929 DuPont Model G Speedster
1929 Stutz Supercharged Le Mans
1931 Bentley 4.5-Litre Supercharged

1933 Alfa Romeo 8C 2300 Le Mans
1933 Alfa Romeo 8C 2300 Mille Miglia Spider
1933 Alfa Romeo 8C 2300 Monza
1933 Auburn 12-165 Speedster
1933 Squire Roadster
1934 MG K3 Magnette
1935 Auburn 851 Speedster
1936 Aston Martin Le Mans

1936 Bugatti Type 57 Atalante
1936 Bugatti Type 57G Tank
1936 Delahaye 135S
1937 Alfa Romeo 8C 2900A
1937 BMW 328
1937 Cord Supercharged 812
1937 Delahaye 135M
1938 Alfa Romeo 8C 2900B Mille Miglia

1938 Jaguar SS-100 3.5 Litre
1938 Peugeot Darl'mat Le Mans
1948 Allard J2
1950 Talbot-Lago T26 Grand Sport
1952 Cunningham C-4R
1952 Jaguar C-Type
1953 Jaguar XK120 FHC
1954 Austin-Healy 100-4

1954 Ferrari 375 Mille Miglia
1955 Mercedes-Benz 300 SL Gullwing
1956 Jaguar D-Type
1956 Maserati 300S
1958 Aston Martin DBR1
1958 Ferrari 250 Testa Rossa
1959 Ferrari 250 GT Berlinetta
1963 Corvette Grand Sport

1963 Ferrari 250 P
1964 Shelby Cobra Daytona Coupe
1966 Corvette 427 Stingray
1966 Ford GT40 MK II
1967 Ford MK IV
1970 Plymouth Superbird
1970 Porsche 917 LH
1975 Alfa Romeo 33 TT12