

Car Show & Shine keeps it classic

Rhody Days Car Show and Shine celebrates 23 years as the biggest car show in Florence at this year's Rhododendron Festival.

The Show and Shine is Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Grocery Outlet parking lot off Highway 101.

The judged show is open to cars and trucks 1975 and older. It features 250 to 300 classic cars, especially British models, military vehicles, hot rods, rat rods and daily drivers, both stock and modified. Cars come from all over the Pacific Northwest.



A favorite among locals is the car show pre-registration on Friday from 3 to 6 p.m.

"This always turns into a small car show in its self. It is a great way to make Saturday morning run smoothly," said event organizers.

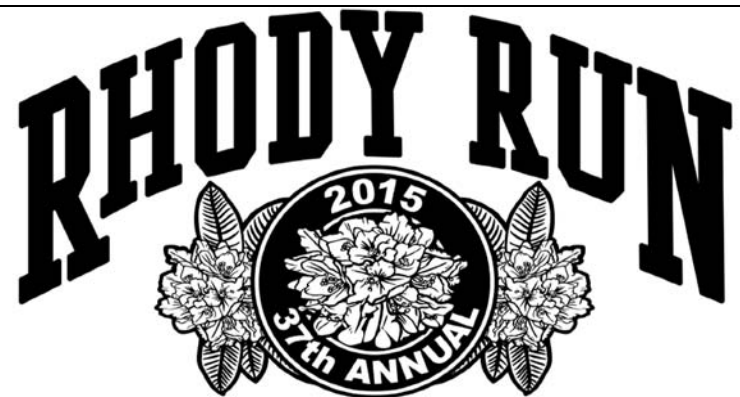
Registration begins at 8 a.m.

Award plaques are given out at the end of the show starting at 3 p.m.

There will be a 50/50 drawing, raffle prizes, hot dog booth and more. Shirts are also for sale during the show and at Potter's Automotive and Twin Lakes Store.

Don't miss the evening Car Cruise through Old Town, put on by KCST Coast Radio. Sign-up is during the car show, but it is on a first-come, first-serve basis and space is limited.

For more information, contact Jeanette Scalera at 541-902-0916 or jeanettescalera@yahoo.com.



The 2015 Rhody Run starts at 9 a.m. on Saturday, May 16. This running classic has been held during Rhody Days for 37 years.

The race course for 2015 will take participants from the starting line at Florence Events Center, through the Bay Street Old Town District, along the Siuslaw River, out the scenic Rhododendron Drive and back.

Participants can pick up race entry forms at Coastal Fitness, Sue Gilday Insurance Agency, State Farm, Roby's Furniture, First Community Credit Union



and the Florence Chamber of Commerce Visitors Center or register online at www.eclecticedgeracing.com.

For more information, call Race Director Eric Tanikawa at 541-997-3518.

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