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**Museum of Arts & Sciences (MOAS) 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual American Muscle Car Show**

Daytona Beach, FL – Spend the day hob knobbing among America’s greatest road machines during as the Museum of Arts & Sciences (MOAS) hosts its 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual American Muscle Car Show. On Saturday, May 20<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., join us at the Museum for an amazing display of muscle in the form of vintage cars and trucks while DJ Frank Roberts spins tunes from the 50s and 60s. The diversity of the cars will amaze you and will bring back a feeling of nostalgia. Admission is free for MOAS members and is included with paid museum admission.

**Schedule:**

**10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.:** Tours of the Root Family Museum & cars (hourly) and DJ Frank Roberts playing tunes from the 50s and 60s.

**11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.:** Hands-on children’s activities.

**1:30 p.m.:** **Heroes of Horsepower: A Hall of Fame Perspective on American Muscle with Ron Watson**

Ron Watson will introduce the new Motorsports Hall of Fame of America which recently relocated from Detroit to the grounds of the Daytona International Speedway. His presentation will also include stories of over 230 heroes of motorized competition that are permanently enshrined as members of the Hall of Fame.

*Exhibits and dates subject to change.*

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**About the Museum of Arts & Sciences** - The Museum of Arts & Sciences (MOAS) is the primary **art, science and history museum in Central Florida**. The area's largest museum, MOAS is nationally accredited by the American Alliance of Museums and is a Smithsonian Institution Affiliate. Located on a 90-acre Florida nature preserve, the 100,000 square foot facility is host to over 30,000 objects including the Dow Gallery of American Art, one of the finest collections of American art in the Southeast, the Schulte Gallery of Chinese Art, the Bouchelle Collection and Gallery of Decorative Arts, the largest and most comprehensive collection in the South, the Gillespy Gallery of Sub-Saharan African artifacts, the Cuban Foundation Museum showcasing one of the most significant collections of Cuban paintings in the United States, the Prehistory of Florida gallery featuring Florida’s Giant Ground Sloth skeleton and the Root Family Museum displaying restored railroad cars, antique automobiles and the largest collection of Coca-Cola® memorabilia in Florida. The Helene B. Roberson Visible Storage Building exhibits thousands of objects from many donors which are owned by the Museum,

while the Linda and Williams Children's Museum presents an interactive experience for children. A new state-of-the-art planetarium and the Cici and Hyatt Brown Museum of Art showcasing the largest collection of Florida-based art in the world, rounds out areas to explore inside the Museum of Arts & Sciences.

Museum Hours are 10am-5pm (Monday-Saturday) and 11am-5pm (Sunday). Museum of Arts & Sciences admission is \$12.95 adults; \$6.95 children 6-17; \$10.95 seniors and students; members and children 5 and under are free. Daily Planetarium shows and weekly laser shows. Museum of Arts & Sciences admission includes one Planetarium show. Cici and Hyatt Brown Museum of Art admission is \$10.95 adults; \$4.95 children 6-17; \$8.95 seniors and students; members and children 5 and under are free. Combo ticket admission is \$18.95 adults; \$9.95 children 6-17; \$16.95 seniors and students; members and children 5 and under are free. Combo ticket admission includes one Planetarium show. Additional Planetarium shows are \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children ages 17 and under. Parking is free. Admission is FREE for Volusia County residents the first Tuesday of each month (does not include Planetarium shows). MOAS is fully accessible to the handicapped. MOAS is located at 352 S. Nova Road, Daytona Beach, Florida 32114. For more information call 386.255.0285 or visit the website [www.moas.org](http://www.moas.org).

*MOAS is a not-for-profit educational institution founded in 1955 and chartered by the State of Florida in 1962. The Museum is accredited by the American Alliance of Museums and is an affiliate of the Smithsonian Institution. Programs sponsored in part by the State of Florida, Division of Cultural Affairs, and the County of Volusia.*

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