



Monday, October 4, 2004

Meadow Brook Hall part of Acorn Tour

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The one-day scenic excursion – open to auto enthusiasts with vehicles of any make built before 1955 – begins at the museum in Auburn Hills, features a stop in the village of Clarkston and concludes at Meadow Brook Hall in Rochester for a reception and free tour of the hall.

The event gets rolling at the **Walter P. Chrysler Museum** with a continental breakfast and a scavenger hunt tour of the museum's three stories featuring vehicles bearing the Chrysler, Dodge, Plymouth, Jeep®, DeSoto, Nash, Hudson, Rambler and Willys marques.

Following a leisurely drive along colorful, paved roadways, the Acorn Tour will make a mid-day stop in downtown Clarkston. Participants will savor brunch at the Clarkston Café, stroll nearby historic neighborhoods and Depot Park and browse the village's quaint shops.

The Acorn Tour concludes at Meadow Brook Hall, the 110-room Tudor period mansion on Oakland University' campus. Participants will tour the former residence of university founders Matilda Dodge Wilson, widow of automobile pioneer John Dodge, and her second husband, lumber broker Alfred G. Wilson. The tour ends with a reception toasting the day's adventures.

Convenient parking will be available at all Acorn Tour stops and a suggested route of paved roads between destinations will be provided. Participants are welcome to travel in a caravan or solo.

The Acorn Tour is \$30 per person, payable at registration by Wednesday, Oct. 6. Register by phone at (248) 944-0011, e-mail at cdb7@daimlerchrysler.com or by mail at:

Acorn Tour
c/o Walter P. Chrysler Museum
One Chrysler Dr.
CIMS 488-00-00
Auburn Hills, MI, 48326

For more information on the Walter P. Chrysler Museum, visit the **Walter P. Chrysler Museum** Web site. For more information on Meadow Brook Hall, visit the **Meadow Brook Hall** Web site.

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