

BERWYN'S ROUTE 66 GEARS UP FOR THE 27TH ANNUAL CAR SHOW



WHAT: The WeatherTech® Berwyn Rt66 Car Show sponsored by Paisans Pizzeria & Bar

WHEN: Sat, Aug 26 from 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

WHERE: Berwyn's strip of Route 66 along Ogden Ave between Oak Park Ave and Ridgeland Ave

WHY: The [WeatherTech](#) 27th Annual Berwyn Rt66 Car Show sponsored by [Paisans Pizzeria And Bar](#) will be held on Ogden Avenue in Berwyn. Berwyn has always been a great Route 66 town with a thriving, dynamic and fast-growing community at its heart. The Route 66 Car Show is the area's best and biggest car show where visitors can soak up the classic car culture of Historic Route 66 with a stroll down the Mother Road itself. Marvel at over 550 vintage and custom cars, trucks and motorcycles! The event also features live entertainment (see schedule below) and a variety of hometown eats.

Spectator admission is free so bring the whole family! Event takes place on Ogden Ave, running between Oak Park Ave & Ridgeland Ave. For those seeking an early peek, vehicles start their procession to their parking spots around 7:00AM. The event officially runs from 10:00AM to 4:00PM on Sat, Aug 26. This event is rain or shine! No rain date.

Online registration for display vehicles is now open at the early bird rate of \$30 through Fri, Aug 11. After that date, cost is \$40. Online, mail or in-person registration will remain open until Fri, Aug 18 and will reopen at the gate at 7AM on the day of the show. All registrations are available on a first-come first-serve basis until all remaining spaces are filled. Don't wait to register at the gate as the show may be filled up! Online registration: <http://bit.ly/CarShowReg17>!

For those interested in displaying their vehicles, online registration is available at [BerwynRt66.com](#), [Whyberwyn.com/event/berwyn-route-66-car-show/](#), [Berwyn.net/events/details/the-weathertech-berwyn-rt66-car-show-933](#) and Facebook [@BerwynRt66CarShow](#). Registered participants receive a t-shirt, dash plaque and goodie bag with completed registration. "Fun" awards are also doled out in a wide variety of categories with names including "B-B-B-Bad to the Bone," "Hog Heaven," "Impressive Import," "Hot Hauler," "Pleasantly Preserved," and "Slo & Lo" to name a few.

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT SCHEDULE

- **7:00AM – 10:00AM** Display Car Registration & Line-up
- **10:00AM** Color Guard and National Anthem at Ogden Top & Trim kicks off procession; Parade to World War I Memorial with flag raising
- **10:30AM** [PettyCash](#) will perform the best of Tom Petty and Johnny Cash at [Ogden Top & Trim](#)
- **11:30AM** Automobile Flamethrowers by [Romin' Chariots Car Club](#)
- **11:45AM** Cacklefest by Mike Taylor's [Nitro Express a/fuel dragster](#)
- **Noon – 2:00PM** [Rick Saucedo](#) will sing Elvis classics at [Ogden Top & Trim](#)
- **Noon – 4:00PM** [94.7 WLS-FM](#) Promotional Team on-site
- **12:30PM** Automobile Flamethrowers by Romin' Chariots Car Club
- **12:45AM** Cacklefest by Mike Taylor's [Nitro Express a/fuel dragster](#)
- **1:30PM** Automobile Flamethrowers by Romin' Chariots Car Club
- **2:00PM – 4:00PM** [Dick Biondi](#), LIVE!! at the Awards Ceremony

The 27th Annual Berwyn Route 66 Car Show is presented by Premier Sponsor WeatherTech® and Top Fuel Sponsor Paisans Pizzeria & Bar. This event is brought to you by the [Berwyn Development Corporation](#) (BDC)

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ABOUT: This event is brought to you by the Berwyn Preservation of Historic Route 66 Commission of the Berwyn Development Corporation (BDC).

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