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~Crazy Jerry~

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This Editon's Bumper Music:

[AC/DC - You Shook Me All Night Long](#)

From the album - Back In Black - 1980

“His And Hers”

Two Scorching Hot Builds!

Happy New Year and Welcome Back! 2023 is here and we’re kicking it off with a great double-feature! Recently we had a chance to visit a place where some truly original work in custom builds are done. Each of these showcase builds are uniquely different, and both display the creativity of their builder!

One of the best aspects of these, is they are battle tested and driven. We see them at shows, local events, and randomly appearing at other locations. They are well suited to any occasion and they each have their own commanding sound to announce their arrival, or departure! Best of all, they are in the same family and each member had a major part in building their cruiser. How cool is that!!!!

Without further ado, we proudly bring you an exclusive His-N-Hers two-part edition, so fasten your seat belts and enjoy the ride!



Preview:

Above left is Becky Perry and her 1951 Ford Pickup “Whiskey Runner”

Above Right is Gordon “Johnny” Perry Jr and his 1946 Dodge Pickup “Hell Raiser II”

Photos taken at a secret undisclosed location in Fall 2022!

Northern NY gas price:

Approx \$3.49 gallon for cheapie 87 octane!

Source:

Any local gas pump in Northern NY!

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PRESENTS:

"His - 1946 Dodge"



Happy 2023 folks and this year we kick it off with a pair of great builds!! Let's look at Part 1: "His" custom built 1946 Dodge pickup.

Hometown Cruiser: Gordon "Johnny" Perry Jr is the



builder/owner and he tells us this build started out as a 1946 WF-31 1.5-ton truck with a Mexican food unit mount on the back much like one would see around a Military base. Although it was all made of white oak



with the typical orange, red and green curtains with canopy, he had a much different vision for this truck. The frame has remnants of the original but is mostly custom to accommodate the upgrades in the steering, suspension, and braking departments. To get the look and stance the body has been sectioned and adapted to the frame and the box is also custom built/altered to fit. Looking at the truck you'd think it was meant to be this way and that's not easy to do!



The engine sports custom internals with an eventual displacement of 340 cu in. It breathes through a 4 bbl carb and sends it out through dual custom stacks!



Automatic transmission, power steering and 4-wheel disc brakes bring this to a level way beyond the original. Custom touches throughout the interior and exterior set this one apart from any other! Aside from all that is listed, it is driven, and we've seen it at many shows/events. A trailer Queen it is not!



This excellent build earns a spot as a feature in High-Octane and we salute Johnny for his excellent vision and custom work! Please join us next month to see what "Hers" looks like. You won't be disappointed!!!

Be sure to [follow CrazyJerry on facebook](#) for updates with this newsletter series and post-event photos!

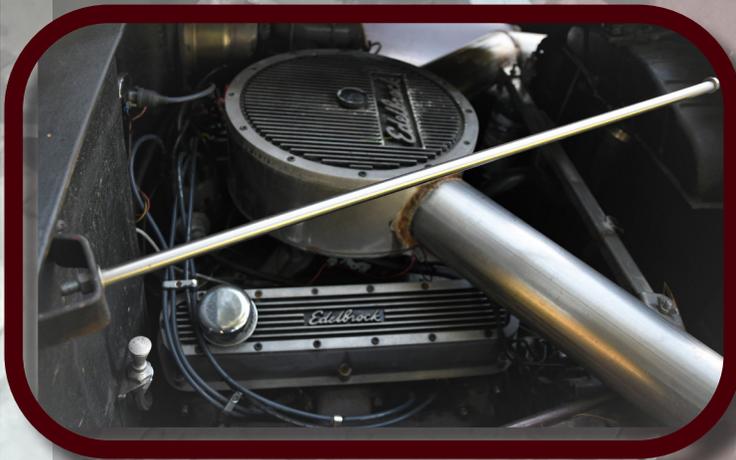
~CrazyJerry~



Look at the height difference of the grille on the stock '46 Dodge on the left, versus the custom sectioning done by Johnny on his '46 shown in the photo on the right.



**Below on the left is a shot of the Mopar V8 @ 340 cubes!
On the right is a shot of the custom bedwork - nice-nice-nice!!!**



This extensive customization included upgrades to the frame, drivetrain, brakes, steering, suspension, electrical, body and interior! Those bullet holes in the passenger front fender are the real deal!!



2023 Calendar of Events

January - No events scheduled at this time



This featured 1946 Dodge custom build also sports an aluminum Crown Vic stub that's narrowed 4" and along with framework has a great stance to boot! It all works together and from any angle it just looks right! Below is builder/owner Gordon Perry / AKA Johnny and his creation is in memory of his mother Eileen M. Perry.



About High-Octane Magazine

Brought to you by CrazyJerry's off-grid "Pump-House" located in Colton, NY
This newsletter was created using non-grid energy and we're celebrating
19 years of running our own small power generation project!



THE "PUMP-HOUSE" IS HOME TO THE "CHANGZUKI" DIESEL MOTORCYCLE", A VERY SLICK
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CENTURIONS", A SUPERCHARGED 1978 GL1000 GOLDWING, 1961 CHRYSLER 300G, AND,
THE 1950 PLYMOUTH COUNTY HIGHWAY PATROL!



Editor's note:

High-Octane celebrates / highlights St. Lawrence County's Automobile & Motorcyclist community!

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In the next issue of:

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We showcase “Hers”!

Yes, a custom build she herself set the theme for, then got out there and built it! This one we are especially excited about and think you will really enjoy reading her story!!!!!!

Let us know your thoughts!

~CrazyJerry~

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Newsletter Archives:

<https://www.diesel-bike.com/High-Octane/>

Although Hi-Octane Newsletter is focusing locally within St Lawrence County, we offer the following huge resource for those outside of the area:

NorthEastWheelsEvents.com

[\(Click to visit website\)](#)

[NorthEastWheelsEvents - Facebook](#)

[\(Click to visit facebook page\)](#)

The above website and facebook page are continually updated with out-of-the-area show info, photos, and [exclusive youtube videos](#).

I had the privilege of personally meeting:

“[Pam Hirschhorn](#), Proud Site Manager and Gearhead”
at the 2015 Green Grand Prix.

Pam is seen in the photo below (red jacket) and was a passenger in the Kubota Turbo Diesel MG Midget that is parked alongside Centurion. Pam covered that event and so much more! You wanna talk cars - be ready - she’s really, really, good, and a fantastic person too! Post your events on the calendar at NorthEastWheelsEvents.com

Love ya Pam!

~CrazyJerry~

Pam Will Get That Photo!!!!



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FOR AN EXCEPTIONAL BUILD ON THIS 1946 DODGE

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HIGH-OCTANE SALUTES BUILDER: JOHNNY PERRY !!!

Enjoy the ride!

CrazyJerry Editor/High-Octane

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