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FATHER'S DAY CLASSIC CAR SHOW COMING TO ASTORIA PARK

Astoria Park Alliance to host festival on Shore Boulevard

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Astoria, New York: Astoria Park Alliance is thrilled to announce a new event coming to Shore Boulevard this Father's Day. Shore Boulevard will be closed to traffic to allow the community to leisurely stroll the "The Strip" and check out dozens of classic cars from around the region. Park-goers of all ages are encouraged to meet the car owners and learn about their vehicles.

Food and craft vendors will stretch along Shore Blvd., accompanied by live music and family activities. Classic car owners will have their vehicles professionally judged in a variety of categories, with trophy presentations on stage to conclude the event.

"Shore Boulevard lends itself to this type of event. It's a natural destination for Astorians and car lovers alike," says APA Board Member Miriam Fodera. The Father's Day Classic Car Show was conceived by Fodera, and she is also one of the lead event organizers. "I love the look on people's faces when they see a vintage car! It's a moment to stop and admire— even if you're not a car lover."

Award winning singer-songwriter D.B. Rielly will be featured on the main stage. Rielly and his band will perform two sets of their wide-ranging collection of American roots music, including zydeco, blues, and country.

Featured vendors that include The Breakfast Shack, Bench Flour Bakers, Astor Apiaries and HellGate Farm will offer refreshments as well as last minute Father's Day gifts.

The Father's Day Classic Car Show aims to embrace the past, while looking to the future. Astoria Park Alliance is happy to introduce this celebration to the public with the assistance and sponsorship support from Old Astoria Neighborhood Association.

Participating classic cars will enter the site for registration prior to the event from the corner of Ditmars Boulevard and Shore Boulevard. While the event is free to the public there is a \$15 entry fee for each vehicle. Car owners interested in entering their vehicles in the Father's Day Classic Car Show are encouraged to contact Astoria Park Alliance by email at getinvolved@astoriaparkalliance.org for more details.

For more details and comments please contact Event Organizer Miriam Fodera at (713) 818-9622 or miriam.dalaei@gmail.com.

Attendees are encouraged to RSVP on [Facebook](#) and [Eventbrite](#)

Astoria Park Alliance exists to ensure the conservation and sustainability of Astoria Park for all New Yorkers by empowering public partnerships and creating programming that reflects cultural diversity. The Alliance advocates for green and open space in the park, with a keen eye on environmental issues.
