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**“MUSCLE CAR” EXHIBIT TICKETED NEXT  
AT COLLECTOR CAR SHOWCASE**

OYSTER BAY, NY, March 20 – Long Island’s newest attraction, Collector Car Showcase ([www.collectorcarshowcase.com](http://www.collectorcarshowcase.com)) based here has announced that it will unveil its newest exhibit “American Muscle Cars” on April 1.

This marks the first shift in planned exhibitions at the 18,000-square-foot facility since its soft opening in late January.

The new exhibit is open to the public and will be available for viewing for six- to eight-weeks. Featured, will be iconic nameplates synonymous with the muscle car era. “Muscle cars” is a term used to refer to a variety of high-performance automobiles. The American Muscle Car era is generally known to be 1964-72.

Among the collectibles to be shown:

- A 1969 Chevrolet Yenko Camaro. The Yenko Super Camaro was a modified Chevrolet Camaro prepared by Yenko Chevrolet, under the personal supervision of Don Yenko in what was viewed as the pinnacle year for this Chevy. Today these rare cars are highly collectible.
- A 1970 Dodge Charger, typified as being fast, furious and loud. This would be the last year of the second generation Charger and featured a large wraparound chrome bumper and the grille was no longer divided in the middle.
- A 1966 Shelby GT350. For 1966, the GT 350 lost its Mustang tag and was marketed simply as the Shelby GT 350.
- A 1969 Corvette L89 Stingray. The rare hardtop convertible is one of only 390 made.

Along with the first of many changing exhibit rotations, the Collector Car Showcase has beefed up its complement of “Mad Men” era icons and neon signs as well as the addition of custom (motorcycle) choppers, according to David Jacobson, its curator and creator.

Further, to underscore that it is offers “museum quality car care”, the Showcase has opened a car detailing capability under the watchful eye of James Belmonte, a 30-year auto veteran. Appointments can be made by calling 516 922 9500 or e-mailing [james@showcasedetailing.com](mailto:james@showcasedetailing.com). Services include all facets of car detailing, including inner wheel well detailing.

Collector Car Showcase represents one of many museums or historic sites in Oyster Bay. Aside from TR's home, Sagamore Hill, under the watch of the US National Forest Service ([www.nps.gov/sahi](http://www.nps.gov/sahi)), the village is home to the Oyster Bay Railroad Museum ([www.obrm.org](http://www.obrm.org)), Raynham Hall Museum ([www.raynhamhallmuseum.org](http://www.raynhamhallmuseum.org)), Oyster Bay Historical Society ([www.oysterbayhistorical.org](http://www.oysterbayhistorical.org)) and 20th Century Cycles, 'Piano Man' Billy Joel's motorcycle museum ([www.20thcenturycycles.com](http://www.20thcenturycycles.com)).

#### **About Collector Car Showcase**

Conceived in 2012 by David Jacobson, the 18,000-square-foot multi level facility opened in January 2015 on the southern approach to Oyster Bay, NY. Filled with antique cars, collector autos, Petroliana, related memorabilia from the early 1900's thru 1970 and the advertising that promoted this on the silver screen and airwaves, Collector Car Showcase operates five days a week. Hours of operation and other information may be found at [www.collectorcarshowcase.com](http://www.collectorcarshowcase.com).

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