

Friday, November 24, 2017

We will head to Achey Used Auto Parts (acheyusedparts.com), 11 East Second Mountain Rd. Pottsville, Pa. 17901. A breakfast meeting spot will be the Country Squire Restaurant & Motel at the corner of Manheim Rd. and Rt 61 at the eastern edge of Schuylkill Haven (across street from Sheetz Gas). Meet at the restaurant at 8am. I asked at the Restaurant if we needed a reservation and they said no. I'll try to be there first, but I'm usually beat by other members. So first there gets to hoard some tables. Achey's is about 5 minutes up Manheim from the restaurant. If you are going straight to the yard shoot for about 9am.

About the yard; a well organized stoned area and dry yard. There are "older" cars and a couple date back to the early 50's and one '48. Most of the 50's items are still fairly complete. This is generally a later model yard, with an older car area, and some sprinkled in the designated areas. He has marked GM, Ford, Chrysler, and Foreign. Our Chrysler fans may be disappointed. One 65 or 66 Fury, a few 50's MOPARS. Lots of 80's and up trucks, vans and front drivers.

Please Keep in mind as we get older so do the cars sitting outside. So it only makes sense to discard the old rusty hulks, taking up space for new inventory. I'm sure the salvage business is way different for the owners than it was in the 70's so, any more, I'm happy if I see any cars from the 80's or older at all. This is a nice yard with amicable owners who didn't seem to be high priced. See you there.

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