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Summary: A good first time show ,  
with a variety of traditional style Rods & Customs,

2008 Chopped Rod & Custom show

The newstead football ground was the venue for the first annual Chopped  
put on by Talented painter , Pin striper and Editor of Chopped Magazine,  
and brother Kyle,  
if the surname sounds familiar that's because Ryan and Kyle are the son  
Australian pioneer Hot rodder and editor of various motoring magazines,  
not a bad pedigree.

The Show flyer stated that the show was for pre 1965 traditional style ro  
no Billet anything all good so far ,  
but there was some confusion amongst would be entrants as to what would  
some punters being turned away , not a good thing! perhaps next year th  
side the football ground set aside for those who did not make the cut.

Unfortunately the skies opened on Friday delivering drenching rain (very  
Victoria , the few brave souls who arrived on Friday and set up their tent  
drenching when the ovals sprinkler system came on during the night caus  
sprinklers power supply.

Fortunately for the sodden rodders Saturday dawned bright and warm and  
of Rods and customs some making the trip from south Aus and even Quee  
variety of trad style rods some of which had been around since the seven  
three of the five Ardun headed rods residing in castlemaine on the oval ,

Customs were well represented with a great line up of primered , flaked  
scrapers from the US and AUS , club jackets were prominent during the w  
Quoffs , turned up cuffs and fifties shirts, the women added a touch of g  
fashion stakes by the blokes.

The week end provided a great chance to catch up with friends and to ey  
done in a style that some were not familiar with , judging by the smiles i  
were disappointed  
All in all the 2008 Chopped rod and custom show was a success and shou  
round for next year , Well done to Ryan , Kyle and helpers , for a very en  
god sake get some better band s next year.

Cheers, Peter.