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# Rocket City Mustang Club

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## 2005-2006 Club Officers

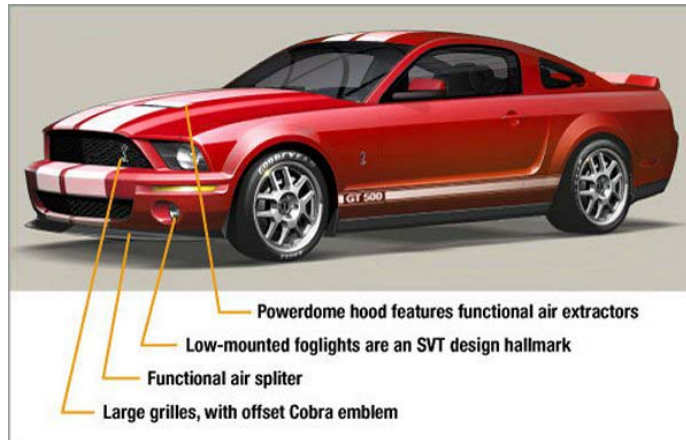
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## Board of Directors

Ralph Bischof	Mark Dorner	Mike Foley
Ken Gullatt	Billy Hammonds	Eric Kaempfer

## RCMC Web Site

Our web site is: [www.rocketcitymustang.com](http://www.rocketcitymustang.com). If you would like to put information on our web site please contact our webmaster Donathan Hutchings at [dlcomp@msn.com](mailto:dlcomp@msn.com). Pictures of club member cars in whatever condition are always welcome.



## Officers Note

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Elections were held at the Aug. meeting. The 05/06 club officers are listed above. Congratulation and thank you for stepping up to support our club. Best wishes with your efforts in the coming year!!!

Activities – Mark Dorner is doing an outstanding job coordinating activities, please check you email and lets all join in the upcoming events.

Our next monthly meeting will be held on 20 Sept. 2005 at Beef ‘O’ Brady’s Restaurant. 7 PM start.

Welcome new members David Kelly & Alicia Stevenson, 05 Sonic Blue GT and 95 Teal LX (V8)

## Club Notes

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16 Aug. 2005 Attendees

Carl Croy	Mark Dorner	Mike Foley	Greg Gullatt
Ken Gullatt	Billy Hammonds	Eric Kaempfer	David Kelley
Scott McCusker	Bill McEwen	Ed Morfenski	Fred Severin
Glen Severin	Bill Tucker	Patrick Turner	Vic van Leeuwen

Call to Order 7:15 PM

Welcome guests Carl Croy (73 Sportsroof), David Kelley (05 GT), Fred Severin (73 Mach 1) and Glen Severin

### Old Business

- Treasurer’s Report, Club General Fund, - Club General Fund \$3,162.99
- Activities Report, – No report
- BOD Report – no report
- Website Phase # 2 Update – no report - Donathan Hutchings not present
- Club Roster, 64 active members
- Club Jackets, Gary Dempsey, will provide a sample at the Sept. meeting
- Mark Dorner has followed-up with MCA for the corporate sponsor money – we got it! Thank you Mark! \$4,240.00
- No additional old business

### New Business

- Dale Price Auto Sales, Clanton AL – selling his Mustang collection, contact Dale Price at 205-755-3858. Photos are now on his website - [www.mustangyourway.com](http://www.mustangyourway.com)

- Woody Anderson “Mission Mustang” original artwork by Everett Carter – benefits National Children’s Advocacy Center
- HobbyTown USA Car Show, Huntsville? Contacts Rob Maciel at 508-9926 or Jim Rivers at 971-5080. 10 to 12 Mustangs requested for a display in Sept.
- Montgomery Mall Car Show, Montgomery AL. Contact Kristy Jansen-West at 334-281-0242
- 27 Aug. 2005, Pisgah Civitan Club 1st Annual "Under the Lights" Car, Truck & Cycle Show at Pisgah Civitan Park, Pisgah, Alabama. Registration begins at 3:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Awards at 8:30 p.m. \$15 registration per vehicle Awards, 50/50 drawing, money tree, and door prizes, etc. Info: 451-7396 or 657-3024
- 17 Sept. 2005. Hartselle Depot Days 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Car, Truck & Motorcycle Show. First United Baptist Church, Hartselle AL. \$15 pre-registration, 20 day of show. No judging. For info contact 773-4370
- 24 Sept. 2005. Alabama Music Hall of Fame/Muscle Shoals 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Car & Motorcycle Show. At Alabama Music Hall of Fame grounds, Hwy 617 & 72 West Tuscumbia AL. \$20 registration, Door prizes, vendors, food & drinks, 50/50 drawing, live music, etc. Contact 256-757-3117
- Club Officers Election

#### 2005/06 Club Officers

Club Officers		BOD
President	Scott McCusker	Ralph Bischof
Vice President	Bill Tucker	Mark Dorner
Treasurer	Andy Wittschen	Mike Foley
Secretary	Bill McEwen	Ken Gullatt
Web Master	Donathan Hutchings	Billy Hammonds
		Eric Kaempfer

- Other New Business
- Vic van Leeuwen is organizing a RCMC/Valley Vette Cruise scheduled for 29 Oct. Further information to follow
- Mark Dorner is organizing a Sand Mountain Drive-In Cruise scheduled for 10 Sept., please check your email.
- Scott McCusker will organize our Annual Christmas Party at the LoneStar Steakhouse, further information to follow.
- Mark Dorner brought a slide show of the NASA track event he and Eric participated in – way cool!

Group Trivia won by Eric Kaempfer, 7 of 10 correct, club owes Eric \$10; he will provide trivia for the Sept. meeting

Did You Drive Your Mustang? Bill Tucker did not. Sept. pot is \$20

Adjourn – to the parking lot to view Eric’s “Mustang Medic Ambulance”

## Activities

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Sonia and I went to Reno last weekend for Hot August Nights. I couldn't get to all the venues to see the 5,000 cars in attendance but we did see the ones at The Nugget in Sparks which is the main venue. I saw a few Mustangs, one Shelby like Rays only it was an AT instead of a 4 speed. My two favorites were Buicks, a 1957 Caballero (cowboy in Spanish to you guys!) and a 1954 Buick Skylark ragtop. The Skylark was driven from Minnesota and restored by the owner. It is one of 836 built. I also got my picture taken with Dennis Gage of "My Classic Car" on Speed TV. He was interviewing a guy that had a 1951 Mercury lead sled. He also interviewed a guy named James Bond from Auburn, CA and his 65 Malibu SS with a 39s installed. I'm enclosing pictures for you. The Friday night cruise was a spectator event as well as the participants. We enjoyed the guys cruising even with the motorcycle cops joining in. One 66 Mustang ahead of the fuzz did a high engine rev and a small burnout. The cops gave a thumbs up to him for the fun! Many early A body GM cars, Chevelles and GTO's. I've never seen so many 64/65 Chevelles in one place. I think mine was the best looking if I were entered but they had some very clean local A bodies. I'm around 1140 on the waiting list for entering the HAN's. We had a good time and left for home around 9:30pm.

Your West Coast Reporter, Steve Spatola



RCMC Sand Mountain Cruise-In information in next month's newsletter

## Upcoming Events, please check our website for details

If anyone knows of an upcoming event please send the information to Donathan Hutchings and me.

**Sept. 20, Cystic Fibrosis Foundation Kickoff, Redstone Arsenal, display only, community support**  
10:00 AM and stay until 2:00PM. No judging, trophies, prizes, etc. Just the satisfaction for doing something for the community. Post decal or sponsor required to get on post.

**Sept 24, Martin Methodist College 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Antique Car Show, Pulaski TN.**  
Registration \$15 9 a.m. to noon. Contact Dennis Edwards @ 931-363-5673

**Sept 24, Alabama Music Hall of Fame/Muscle Shoals Area Street Rod Club's 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Car & Motorcycle Show, at Alabama Music Hall of Fame Tuscumbia AL**

Cars & motorcycles up to the mid 70's. Registration \$20 8 AM till noon show 8 AM till 5 p.m. Door prizes, 50/50, food & beverages, vendors, live music, etc. Contact info: 256-757-3117

**Sept 25, Old Airport 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Car & Truck Show, Jasper AL**

Registration \$20 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Contact Gary Kilgore (205) 387-1230

**Oct 1 & 2, SCCA & Twickenham Auto Club Crow Mountain Hillclimb, Scottsboro AL**

The Twickenham Auto Club and SCCA are working very hard to host a competitive driving event near Scottsboro, and I would love for our club to help. By now we understand what it means to need help with a major event. :^)

Mark Dorner. Details <http://www.crowmountainhillclimb.org>

**Oct. 1, North Alabama Street Toys Car Show. (Open show)**

Hardies on 431 in New Hope AL, 6 – 9:30 PM. This club meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday April thru Oct.

**Oct .5, RCMC Cruise-in, 6-9, Dairy Queen, Highway 72, Madison.**

We meet the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday each month to hang out with some cool car folks & cars

**Oct. 8, Café 302 Car Show. (Open Show)**

At Café 302 on Winchester Road near the Riverton Elementary School, 4 – 8 PM. This show is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday each month April thru Oct.

**Oct 8, Covered Bridge Auto Club's 21<sup>st</sup> Annual Car Show, Blountville AL**

At the Peoples Bank in Blountville. Contact Vernon Allen 205-429-3527

**Oct 8, Georgia Regional Mustang Club Talladega Gran Prix, Anniston AL**

Open Track Event on Talladega's road course. \$145 for full day's racing. Contact Patrick Kelley 404-966-4004 and website [www.tgprace.com](http://www.tgprace.com)

**Oct. 15, Just Kruzin of North Alabama Steak & Shake Cruise In**

Spring Avenue in Decatur 6 – 9 PM, open to all vehicles. This Cruise In is the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday each month April thru Oct.

**Oct. 15, US Space & Rocket Center 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Car Show, USSRC Huntsville AL**

9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Contact Kathy Marshall 256-721-7106

## Sept. Birthdays

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Happy Birthday to members and their families:

Pamela Brown  
Paul Ferrara  
Erica Kaempfer  
Victor van Leeuwen

Maryanne Bryan  
Anne Marie Fraley  
Karen Smith

Drew Ferrara  
Rebecca Fraley  
Linda Underwood



## Classifieds

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Any RCMC member who wishes to place a free ad in the classified section, please send information to Bill Tucker [kbtucker16@hotmail.com](mailto:kbtucker16@hotmail.com). RCMC promotional items available on our website. For those listing adds, please advise when the add can be deleted.

65 Mustang Convertible K Code, Gene 765-934-8245. Very good condition, no rust or body filler only reproduction parts on the car are the hood and the floor pans, we warped the hood sand blasting it but the repo fits and looks good. The engine and tranny are from a 65 Hi-Po but not the one that came in the car, the engine was not in the car when I bought it back in the mid 80's, (I think it probably died on a drag strip some where) so I found a rusted out 'K' code coupe and bought it for the Hi -Po engine and parts the coupe was built on March 25 and the convertible was built on April 10 so the build dates match ok. The car has less than 5000 miles on the engine and other resto parts.

1966 Mustang Coupe, \$8000 obo, Daniel James. Restored original 6 cyl. auto 45k miles copper with tan interior show winner appraised \$12000.00 day time 256-332-3757 ask for Daniel, night 256 -332-0193

1967 Mustang Coupe, \$11,000. Ed Morfenski. 289 V-8, Automatic, power steering, factory A/C, deluxe interior, new paint, new vinyl top, new tires, excellent conditions, complete maintenance records. Contact Ed phone 256-883-8245, email [morfenskie@bellsouth.net](mailto:morfenskie@bellsouth.net)



1967 Mustang Convertible, 6 Cyl. Becky Tillery, 256-489-4425. Restored around 1991.



70 Convertible. Scott. 90% restored Optioned to the hill and an all original car with factory add-ons only. \$15,000.00. Website <http://web.infoave.net/~snonneman/>

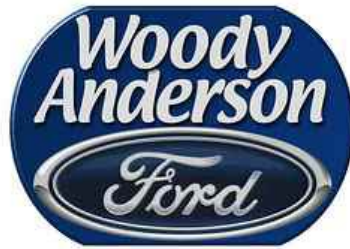
93 Mustang Convertible. Trying to help my stepson sell a 93 Ford Mustang Convertible. He purchased it on e-bay a few years ago. He has driven it a few times but it does need some work. It is really a fixer - upper for someone. He needs to sell it in order to pay off college loans and a new baby. Contact Jay Gordon Pelham, AL 35124 phone 205-613-6550, email [mjgflash2538@charter.net](mailto:mjgflash2538@charter.net).

2001 Corvette Coupe, Vic van Leeuwen, 461-8787. Targa Tops, 1SB Group, Pirelli P-Zero Nero's, Pewter Gray exterior, light gray interior. 33.7K miles.

Wanted

68 ½ Mustang fastback 428CJ. It must be an original matching numbers car. Willing to pay market price for a car of driver quality or better. Contact Gabriel DeFeo at 401-241-7538, email [mrgguy2001@cox.net](mailto:mrgguy2001@cox.net)

## 05 Sponsors



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877-296-3077

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256-337-4052



## Newsletter

The Rocket City Mustang Club regularly meets the **THIRD TUESDAY** of each month at a location to be announced. The meeting starts at 7:00pm.

### **Next Meeting: Sept. 20, 2005**

Next month's meeting will be at Beef 'O' Brady's Restaurant 7429 Hwy 72 Madison Al, phone 489-3084. The meeting will start at **7:00pm**

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