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Rocket City Mustang Club

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RCMC Web Site

Our web site is: RocketCityMustang.com. If you would like to put information on our web site please contact our webmaster Keith Kucera at webmaster@rocketcitymustang.com. Pictures of club member cars in whatever condition are always welcome.

Officer's Note

Flyers are now made up for our 27th annual May show. The link to the flyer is here - http://www.rocketcitymustang.com/pics/27thRCMCShow.pdf. Please think about printing a few out and distributing it around your workplace, your church, your grocery store, and anywhere else that you can tack up a notice.

Speaking of the show, Mike Liston is the Show Chairman this year. He is asking for help and volunteers for several Chair Heads. Please email or call him. His contact information is above.

This is another reminder that our meetings are now at West End Grill.

Also, please drop in your membership dues.

Club Notes

Meeting called to order at 7:04 PM Presided over by Ralph Bischof – President

Guests: Frank Wilson, Terri Schmitt, and John Sheehan

Old Business

- Treasurer's report read
- Stickers are here!
- Club roster 78 members
- Show in January a success thanks to Mark Dorner!
- Starting a t-shirt order
- Need judges for May show

New Business

- Presentation of show fund to Skip Hamer
- Eric Kaempfer volunteered to help with show Trophies and Plaques
- May Show need volunteer Chairpersons for Donations and Sponsors

Trivia by Skip Hamer won by Ken Gullatt with 4.5 of 10 correct!

Did You Drive Your Mustang? David Kelley did not and the next pot is \$30.

Adjourn at 8 PM

Meeting Attendees

Greg Gullatt	David Kelley	Alicia Kelley	Ken Gullatt
Britney McEwen	Andra McEwen	Bill McEwen	John Wade
Carolyn Wade	Bill Ruffer	Eric Kaempfer	Vic van Leeuwen
Michael Gosch	Patrick Turner	Skip Hamer	Billy Hammonds
Frank Wilson	John Sheehan	Charlotte Dempsey	Gary Dempsey
Bill Tucker	Terri Schmitt	Jack McLemore	Rick Underwood
Jack Torbert			

Birthdays

Happy Birthday to members and their families:

March

Carl Croy	Martha Eder	Michael Liston	Andrew Lowery
Paul Dodd Peck	Karyl Sellers	Sonia Spatola	Michelle Spencer
Robert Spencer	Carolyn Wade	James Wood	Talitha Workman
Roxanne Wysock			

Upcoming Events (Send notices to president@rocketcitymustang.com)

April 4 – Dairy Queen Cruise-In

First Wednesday of every month at the Dairy Queen on Highway 72 in Madison. All makes and models are welcome. Gathering usually starts at around 6PM.

April 13-14 - International Dogwood Festival Cruise In and Car Show - Winchester, TN

Please see the included flyer within this newsletter.

**April 20-22 - Oklahoma Centennial Mustang National - Mustang, OK

Hosted by the Oklahoma Mustang Club at Wild Horse Park. Host Hotel: Clarion Meridian Hotel & Convention Center, (405) 942-8511. www.nationalmustangshow.com

May 12 – 27th Annual Mustang and All Ford Show – Huntsville, AL

This is our show! Held at the Sears parking lot in the Madison Square Mall. Rain or shine. Registration is \$20 with a \$5 discount if received before April 15th. Registration opens at 8AM, Judging starts at 12PM, and awards presented at 4PM. We will have 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in Modified MCA classes. There will be goodie bags, door prizes, 50/50, vendors and car parts. For more information, write Mike Liston at vice-president@rocketcitymustang.com

**May 25-27 - Mustangs Unbridled - Louisville, KY

Hosted by Derby City Mustang Club on the Masonic Homes of Kentucky Campus, 3701 Frankfort Avenue, Louisville, KY. Host Hotel: Holiday Inn Hurstbourne, (800) 315-2621 or (502) 426-2600. www.mustangsunbridled.com

June 8-9 – 1st Classic Car Show & Auction – Athens, AL

Many prizes, free food, lots of fun. At Dealers Auto Auction. For more information, please contact Roger Fields at 206-256-5682 or email him at rfields@dealersauto.com.

**June 22-24 – Wild West Mustang Nationals – Concord, CA

Co-hosted by Bay Area Mustang Assoc. & Diablo Valley Mustang Assoc. Host Hotel: Crowne Plaza, (800) 227-6963 or (925) 825-7700. www.wildwestmustangnationals.com

**July 20-22 - Prairieland Roundup - Springfield, IL

Hosted by Central Illinois Mustangers at the Crowne Plaza Convention Center. Host Hotel: Crowne Plaza, (217) 529-7777. www.cimclub.com/2007

***August 31- September 2 - Southern Exposure Grand National - Augusta, GA

Hosted by Central Savannah River Area Mustang Club at the Augusta Richmond County Civic Center. Host Hotel: Marriott Riverfront Hotel, (706) 722-8900. www.csramc.org

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Classifieds

Any RCMC member who wishes to place a free ad in the classified section, please send information to president@rocketcitymustang.com.

Ed Morfenski -



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.

Holly Peck -

007 Shelby GT 500 Chrome Rims & Tires, 5 months old..18X9.5 5 lugs. Excellent shape no scratches or curb rash or chips. Fits a mustang from 94-06. - \$1000

20" chrome Axis GTR wheels with BF Goodrich KDW T/A tires..less than 5,000 miles on them. I paid a little over \$3,500 for the setup. Asking \$2,000

Demolet cold air kit for a 05 GT Mustang. Demolet carbon fiber tube w/K&N filter asking \$150

Stock GT rear spoiler screaming yellow Make me an offer!

MGW chrome turn signal cover- make an offer in good shape for show fits 94-04

MGW chrome ebrake handle- make an offer in good shape for show fits 94-04

UPR cup holder bezel- make an offer its in fair shape. fits 94-04

Autometer Phantom Air/Fuel ratio guage brand new NEVER installed-\$30

Also looking for any used 03/04 cobra parts.

Steeda billet tweeter covers. Paid \$150 for these then spent \$50 to have them polished out to show finish. Asking \$50 in mint condition. Fits mustangs with the mach sound system.

I can be reached at 256-762-0639 or Emailed at GrabberBlue02@aol.com

1966 Mustang Coupe. Daniel James restored original 6 cyl. auto. 45 k miles, copper with tan interior. Show winner \$8000.00 obo appraised \$12000.00

day time 256-332-3757 - night 256-332-0193 - ask for Daniel

Chad Whisnant -



Set of 289 heads (large valves) ready to bolt on. \$500

1965-1966 Coupe back glass. \$250



65-66 Mustang front bench seat. \$200



Ford 8" rear end (5 lug). \$100

1965 Mustang hood (small dent in center). \$150 Stock 289 heads. \$100 Front and rear (coupe) window chrome. \$75 C4 Transmission (may need rebuild). \$75 Stock 289 cast manifolds. \$50 1965 front bumper. \$50 289 Crankshaft (ground 0.010" undersized). \$50 Contact Chad Whisnant (256) 566-6298 cawhiz@charter.net for all these 1965-1966 parts. 65 – 66 Fiberglass Shelby style front valance. \$100





Above car and 67/68 Cougar Parts, via Steve Spatola (colsteve@sbcglobal.net)

- 1. 2 hoods, very good shape, one has a slight dent in the nose.
- 2. XR7 right door. You can tell because of the door panel.
- 3. Three stainless wheel mouldings, need to be reconditioned.4. 1 RH Fender and one other RH fender with 6.5 Liter logo attached
- 5. 2 rear bumpers, straight
- 6. 3 front bumpers, straight
- 7. 4 lower valances for front end with parking lights, slight damage on them but easily repaired
- 8. 3 complete front grills with vacuum reserviors, and 1 RH half of a grill.
- 9. 1 sequential lite box. Unknown of its operability.
- 10. 1 pair of rear lights
- 11. 1 ignition swith, no key.
- 12. 1 pair of front R&L brake drums and shoes. He converted his Cougar to disc brakes.
- 13. 1 rear decklid with XR7 badge. Good condition, no dents.
- 14. 1 hood latch assembly. this is what is between the grills.
- 15. 1 front headlight ballast.

Tidbits...

We have had several members send in their annual dues either at last month's meeting or to the PO Box. I want to thank you and encourage the others to get this in.

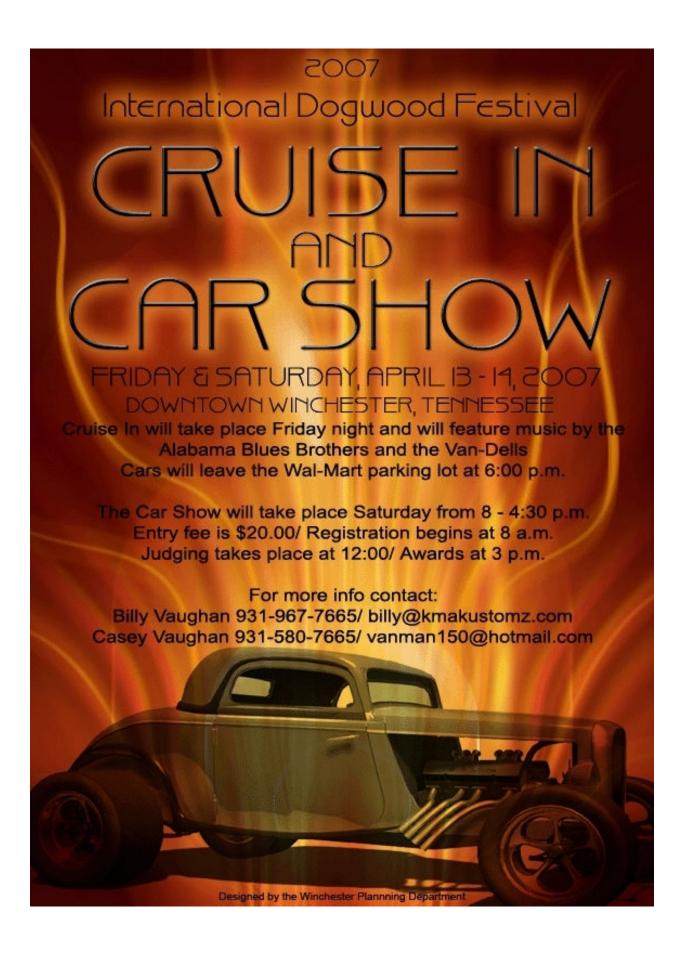
I want to again encourage folks to sign up for the chair positions and help with the May show. Each year that I have participated in this event, I have had some great fun. I know that others have as well. This is the time to start our preparations to ensure that every small aspect goes smoothly. We do put in a bit of work, but I must admit, we sure do get a lot more out of it.

On our website, Mark Dorner and Greg Gullatt are posting journals on their projects that have undertaken. Go take a look and see how these guys work hard at the hobby they love.

Last newsletter, I had mentioned that my 84's clutch had bit the dust. Well, I took out the drivetrain (except for the engine) and decided to look at the tranny to see what I could find. As you heard last month, a busted 3-4 shift fork and a busted spring in the 3-4 synchro was the reason I drove the car 60 miles home in November with no oil pressure. I ordered the video from Hanlon Motorsports on how to rebuild a T5. When I inspected what I had, I found the cluster/gear set was not good. I ordered a 2.95 set, 3-4 fork, rebuild kit, clutch cable (the end was frayed), and a King Cobra clutch kit. I also spied the 3.55 gears (I had 3.08) that a friend had given me a long time ago. I ended up getting new tools, too! R_R_R! I picked up a parts washer and a 12-ton shop press. One Saturday morning, Mark Dorner, Gary Workman and his friend John came over to help swap gears. The next day, the car was pulling out at lunchtime for a test drive. I have been driving it ever since. So, if ya want help with rebuilding a T5...

If you have any projects that you have been working on this winter, drop me a note and we'll pass it around.

Until next time!



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