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## *Rocket City Mustang Club*

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### 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 Dave Dunlap at [webmaster@rocketcitymustang.com](mailto:webmaster@rocketcitymustang.com). Pictures of club member cars in whatever condition are always welcome.

## Officer Notes

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For many of you that were not around back in February of 2010 myself included, you have never seen the newsletter or knew that we used to produce a monthly newsletter. For others that have been asking when we were going to start producing the monthly newsletter. Well here it is, your RCMC's monthly newsletter for June 2017.

Now we need members to help contribute to the content and the success of the newsletter. We need members bio's and photographs of you and your Mustang together. We need your classified items which you want to sell whether it be your car, a friend's car, OEM parts, hotrod parts, accessories and etc. If you have questions, I wrote a how to guide, I need help with "????", or if you find a Mustang for sale somewhere and you think or know a member is looking for one, please submit them to [newsletter@rocketcitymustang.com](mailto:newsletter@rocketcitymustang.com).

June has been action packed. We started the month off with our first cruise of the year to Nashville's Cars & Coffee where we met up with the Music City Mustang Club in Nashville. They reserved parking there for us since we were bringing up 20 Mustangs. Later several MCMC members traveled with us to Lewisburg, TN and the famous HWY 55 Burgers, Shakes and Fries for lunch.



Also this month several of us went to June's EAA 683's Monthly Pancake Breakfast at the Guntersville Municipal Aviation Center. With a \$6 donation you get an awesome pancake breakfast and several cool new and old aircraft to photograph your Mustang parked next to it.





Flashback to something cool from May, David Turner MCA# 106057 entered a photo contest on the California Special Owners Facebook page where you had to post a picture of you and your car. Without going into all the details, David won by a landslide of votes. Thank you to everyone who took time to vote for him.



## Club Notes

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June 20th meeting called to order at 7:00pm

Presided over by Vicki Keane - President

Guests: Chris Kennedy joined us as a guest of Dennis Hart and became our newest member. Remember, you may invite a guest to the meeting in the thought that they may be interested in joining.

New Members: May and June have been busy for new members (19 new members): Katherine Lamm, Aeron Major, Wayne Guess, Robert Karl, Lyndie Marie, Doug Newton and Son, Victor Williams, James Brocato, Don Hartsell Jr, Bob Ward and daughter Jaiden, Harry Horton, Dwight League, Glenn Rumor, Chris Kennedy, Mike Colwell, James Willett and Rick and Diana Calnon.

The current number of active RCMC members is 115; with spouses and other family members we continue to sport well over 200 RCMC related members. Welcome everyone!

## Old Business

- Treasurer report
  - Club funding appears in great shape.
  - We have funds remaining from the car show that we need to the board to choose and finalize a charity to make the donations too.
- MCA Regional Club Representative
  - Updates on the magazine submissions for recent activities.
- Website report
  - No report, however continue to keep visiting the website and give us some feedback. We are still looking for pictures of member vehicles.
- BOD report
  - All purchases over \$50.00 must be approved.
  - Chairman Larry Spring will get with the other Board members and finalize this year's charitable donations.
  - Regarding charitable donations, etc., let's put an emphasis on trying to make them more public in a way to promote our club public relations.
- Mailbag
  - No report
- Emails
  - If you change email address, be sure and pass the info to us so that you can continue to keep getting important club information. Also remember to begin your email subject line with RCMC. If you are not receiving the club emails it could be one of several reasons; spam filters, changed your email address or you let your membership dues lapse.
  - Member information update form, last page of this newsletter.
- Other notes
  - We have several pending events and images for MCA.
  - Sponsoring a kid for MCA, Vicki is sponsoring Robert Wards daughter "Jaiden". If you would to sponsor a teenager with a MCA membership, please contact Fred Stierwalt for more details.
- RCMC recent events recap
  - After Show Meeting/Cruise In at Sonic Drive-In (University and Jordan)
  - Spring Cruise - Nashville Cars & Coffee and HWY 55 lunch with Music City Mustang Club.
  - June's EAA 683's Monthly Pancake Breakfast at the Guntersville Municipal Aviation Center.
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Nepal Mission Car Show
  - Mustang Cruise to Noccalula Falls
  - R Fathers MAD Car & Bike Family Fest 2017

## New Business

- Activities - See "Upcoming Events" below and always check our Facebook page and your email for more information.
- Mustang Times magazine, if you would like to see your Mustang and story in the magazine please provide us with a nicely written story and many high quality photos on a CD or deposable thumb drive.



- Club t-shirts, we are still working on this and I haven't invested as much time I should have. I will have an order sheet ready to talk about at the next meeting.
- Kristie Williams of Eli's Block Party Fighting Childhood Cancer Foundation attended the meeting and provided more information about the foundation and played us a video which told the story of the foundation and the doctors who are on the front line thinking outside the box trying to find a cure or at least a treatment. If you would like to help the foundation outside off our cruise in, please visit <http://www.elisblockparty.org>.
- We talked about this year's fall cruise in which is set for September 16<sup>th</sup> at Milton Frank Stadium. This cruise in will be in support of Eli's Block Party.
- We talked to Woody Anderson Ford about the fall cruise in. They are really interested in getting this show back on the calendar.
- Summer and Fall cruise's are in the early planning stages. Would you like to travel to Tuscaloosa, AL and take photographs of you and your Mustang with an authentic P51 Mustang airplane??
- Did you drive your Mustangs? Bill Tucker did and won \$10 pot. Next month's pot will be \$10.
- Trivia was given by Dennis Hart and won by Vicki Keane.
- Meeting adjourned at 7:47pm

#### Club Attendance (27 people)

Vicki Keane	David Turner	Larry Spring	Christopher Dailey	Matthew Lowe
Fred Stierwalt	March Stierwalt	Patrick Turner	Bill Tucker	Dennis Hart
Dean Butler	Clem Greek	Gary Dempsey	Charlotte Dempsey	Walter Latham
Dave Dunlap	Karen Dunlap	James Griffis Jr	Sharon Griffis	Chris Kennedy
Chris Shepard	Allen Girod	Billy Hammonds	Kristie Williams	3 Williams kid's



#### Upcoming Events (please forward notices to [newsletter@rocketcitymustang.com](mailto:newsletter@rocketcitymustang.com))

- **July 1**, 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Summer Showdown 2017 in Byron, GA ([LINK](#))
- **July 1**, Huntsville July Cars & Coffee ([LINK](#))
- **July 4**, Blanche Freedom Fest Car Show in Ardmore, TN ([LINK](#))
- **July 5**, First Wednesday at the Village of Providence ([LINK](#))

- **July 8**, 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Greater Tennessee Valley Car Show Point Mallard Park ([LINK](#))
  - meet and travel arrangements for the club will be sent out via email
- **July 13-15**, Georgia Mountain Moonshine Cruzin in Hiawasse, GA ([LINK](#))
- **July 15**, Eli's Block Party in Florence, AL ([LINK](#))
  - meet and travel arrangements for the club will be sent out via email
- **July 21-23**, Car Craft Summer Nationals 2017 in Bowling Green, KY ([LINK](#))
- **July 22**, 5<sup>th</sup> Annual All Ford and Mustang Show at Buster Miles Ford in Heflin, AL
- **July 29**, Benefit Car Show in Hartselle, AL ([LINK](#))

## Classifieds

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Any RCMC members, who wish to place a free ad in the classified section, please send the information to [newsletter@rocketcitymustang.com](mailto:newsletter@rocketcitymustang.com).

Matthew Lowe has a set of Niche Targa's 19/8.5 & 19/9.5 wheels. Good looking wheels with some light curb rash on them, asking \$500 for the set.

He also has a set of Pirelli P-Zero tires 245/45-19 & 275/40-19. They have about 50% tread remaining, he took them off for a track day and never put them re-mounted, asking \$25 each or \$80 for all 4.



## Final thoughts from the President

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A special thanks to Kristie Williams for coming out and presenting a video of what our Fall Cruise In in September will benefit. All profits made from the event will go to help fight childhood cancer. Cancer just sucks! And when it affects our children, well, there are no words. The Fall Cruise In will be at Milton Frank Stadium. Also, we are trying to get the P51 Mustang made available to us in Tuscaloosa, AL. This will be a HUGE thank you to the club members. We truly have a GREAT group of folks, and we are getting a lot done. Not only to hang out, but to support our local community. Again, you guys and gals are AWESOME! You all make up the Best Car Club around... hands down!!

Peace and Happy Motoring....

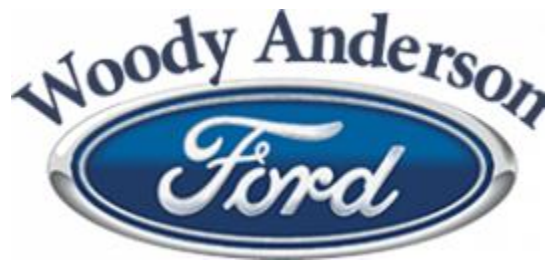
Vicki Keane

President, Rocket City Mustang Club

MCA# 107151

## Club Sponsors

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Club Membership Form



Founded 1976

Family Membership Form

***Rocket City Mustang Club***

*of The Mustang Club of America*



Founded 1980

Please Note: Due to club regulations and to protect our members in matters concerning personal liability, all members of the regional group if the Mustang Club of America must be members in good standing in the national organization (The Mustang Club of America, Inc.)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Annual dues are \$12.00**

**Please complete all parts of the form  
Information for club use only**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday )month/day): \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday )month/day): \_\_\_\_\_

Child Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday )month/day): \_\_\_\_\_

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Street address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone home/cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone work: \_\_\_\_\_

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