



## **CVMC News**

### **MEMBERSHIP**

Don't forget to let all your Mustang friends know about CVMC! Membership applications are available to submit online or they can be printed and mailed in.

**New Members:** Please join me in welcoming new members:

Charles McDowell  
Jeff Phaup  
Jane Stevens  
Tommy Taylor  
Chirs Mangano

**Birthdays:** Check out our September membership birthdays at [www.centralvamustang.com](http://www.centralvamustang.com)!

Please help CVMC wish a big Happy Birthday to the following members:

- Bob LeRosen - 9/9
- Roger Collins – 9/9
- Jack Russell – 9/10
- Jim Ellis – 9/14
- Jim Fultz – 9/15
- Patricia Smith – 9/15
- William Matthews – 9/16
- Chris Mangano – 9/20
- Denise Andrews – 9/23
- Walter Osborne – 9/23
- Mary Ellis – 9/27
- Chris Williams – 9/28
- Chris Markunas - 9/29

**Recruitment** - Car Season is here! Do your part and help spread the CVMC word. Invite friends and fellow mustang enthusiasts to visit our

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website, like us on Facebook and follow us on Twitter! Share our club's events with your social network – we love to see new faces!

**2016 Membership Committee** – If you are interested in serving on the membership committee, please contact Nickie Armstrong or Kathy McWilliams

**Article by:** Nickie Armstrong



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### **CVMC MONTHLY MEETING** **MINUTES**

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 pm by Kathy McWilliams, President

- I.** New Members: None in attendance.
- II.** Old Member News: Dave Dickey is recovering from bypass surgery. He and Judi pass along their thanks to everyone for their support.
- III.** Treasurer's Report: Ron Martin presented the July financial information.

- IV. *Membership Report: Nickie Armstrong reported that we have 140 members paid for 2016.*
- V. *MCA Report: Please see Dave Dickey's report in the monthly newsletter for details on MCA.*
- VI. *Past Events: Mission BBQ cruise in is growing with 7/9 as the next meet. The last Brewster's cruise in saw 18 cars.*
- VII. *Fall Show: Over 100 cars registered to date. Working on tee shirt design. In need of major sponsors. Posters will be available at the next meeting.*
- VIII. *Upcoming Events: see Facebook and website for updates.*
- IX. *Website/Facebook: Check both frequently for updates.*
- X. *Other Upcoming Events: 9/10-Blackstone Arts & Crafts Cruise In. 9/14 is goodie bag stuffing for the Fall Show at Ron Martin's house.*
- XI. *Parades: Powhatan Parade on Labor Day.*
- XII. *Merchandise: Please see George Godsey for hats, shirts of all kinds, cups, name tags etc. available. Jackets are coming for the Fall.*
- XIII. *Open Agenda: See Nanette to sign up for the Christmas Party to be held on December 10.*

## **MCA REPORT**



*Very soon, you will be receiving ballots in your Mustang Times to vote for the next year's MCA National Directors. There are 16 nominations for 12 positions along with photos of those nominees and their bios. Please be sure to take the time to read their bios and vote when the ballots arrive. This is your club and this is your opportunity to make your voice heard. Voting for your National directors is your right and privilege. MCA counts on your input to keep the MCA moving in the right direction which is the direction that they would like to see it continue moving.*

*Here are more details on the national Mustang Owner's Museum groundbreaking ceremony. More than 100 Ford Mustang cars lined up to park on the dusty strip of land that will soon be home for the Mustang Owner's Museum with car enthusiasts gathering for a groundbreaking ceremony Saturday, July 30<sup>th</sup>. The groundbreaking ceremony, held at 60 Pitts School Road NW, Concord, featured new and old Mustangs among them, including a 1967 GT500, a 1970 Boss 302 and a 1978 King Cobra, among others. Officials said they expect the Concord museum to have a soft opening in the Summer of 2017 and a grand opening that Fall.*

*"Ford calls the Mustang its heart and soul," said Cabarrus County Commissioners Chairman Steve Morris*

*The meeting was adjourned at 8:26pm.*

**Article by: Bernie Jordan**

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during the groundbreaking ceremony. "So we are incredibly proud that the national Mustang Owner's Museum decided on Cabarrus County to be the right place to call home. More than 9.6 million Mustangs have rolled off of assembly lines and the best of the best will shelter right here," Morris said to the crowd of Mustang enthusiasts gathered at the groundbreaking ceremony. "There's no doubt that the Mustang faithful, like yourselves, will make a special trip to the museum. You will reminisce about the days you dreamed of owning your own and the nights you spent tinkering in your garage, somehow trying to improve on what is already one of the world's top performance machines." The development of the museum here stems from the organizers of the 50th Anniversary of Mustang which was celebrated in Concord in 2014.

While not affiliated with Ford Motor Company, Mustang Club of America or any other Mustang related business venture, the project is the concept of long-time Mustang enthusiasts Steve Hall, from Atlanta, Georgia and Ron Bramlett, from Morada, California. Hall said they look to spend more than \$1 million just in the construction of a new building that will house the museum. That does not include the cost of the exhibits themselves.

The building looks to be in the range of 24,000 to 30,000 square-feet. The building should be able to house about 50 cars on display at any given time, depending on the size of the plan developers go with. The museum will have rotating exhibits throughout each year. Bramlett said they expect to be able to have a rotating exhibit thanks to the support of Mustang fans in the community, such as the Carolina Regional Mustang Club. "The only one of its kind, this attraction will serve as a gathering place for Mustang aficionados from across the globe," said Donna Carpenter, Cabarrus County Convention and Visitors Bureau

president/CEO. "A place where stories are shared, friendships are formed and memories are made."

The project is coming to Concord thanks to a relationship with the Cabarrus County Convention and Visitors Bureau. The bureau established a relationship with Hall and Bramlett after working to attract and host the Mustang 50th Birthday Celebration held in Concord in April 2014. Bramlett served as the executive director of the event. In addition to Mustang-related driving events and various events at the museum, Hall and Bramlett are also aiming to host a number of yearly Mustang gatherings to benefit the museum which will be announced at a later date.

With the selected location just two miles from Charlotte Motor Speedway, Hall and Bramlett have also started exploring partnership opportunities with track officials. Hall said they chose Concord for the museum, because of the success of the 50th anniversary of the Mustang event held in 2014 with over 4,000 Mustang from around the world were registered to participate at the events at Charlotte Motor Speedway.

"The Mustang is more than a car, it's a part of American culture," Cabarrus County Chairman Steve Morris said. "That is why the national Mustang Owner's Museum will appeal to the millions of people that visit our area each year. The Mustang is everywhere, it is recognizable to all of us. It's the most widely featured car on big and small screens and it's an inspiration for songs, it's featured in apparels, toys and games."

As a member of MCA you receive the professionally written, official club publication, Mustang Times magazine which is included with your membership. In the August issue is a complete guide to the MCA's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary with the layout of the Indianapolis Motor Speedway, a

picture of the Mustang American flag with 150 participating Mustangs at Carlisle. There are 3 different tier levels you can join online at [www.mustang.org](http://www.mustang.org). These tier levels were discussed in the June and May issues of our newsletter.

For some of our new members there is another online Mustang club on face book. This club is devoted to just 6 cylinder Mustangs of all years. The nice thing about this club, there are no dues and the newsletter is online. The website is [M6A](http://M6A).

Check our newsletter, club and face book websites for upcoming parades, shows and cruise-ins in the Richmond metro area.

**Article By** Dave Dickey  
MCA Regional Director

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**CVMC - MCA Gold Card Judges**  
1964½-1966: Don Lane  
1967-1968: Dave Dickey  
1965-1970 Shelby's: Rick Noctha

**CVMC – MCA Certified Judges**  
1964½-1966: Dave Dickey  
1964-66: Rick Noctha  
1966: Karen Lane  
5<sup>th</sup> Generation: Tony Hall, Dave Dickey, David Lythgoe, Michelle Jordon & Dave Thomas

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## ***CVMC'S MISSION BBQ CRUISE IN***



**September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2016**

**5:00pm to 9:00pm**

**We are still growing! Come out this month and join CVMC for a great night of Cars & BBQ!**

**This is open to all makes and models so be sure to invite your friends from the Darkside!**

**Hope to see you there!!!!**

## ***POWHATAN LABOR DAY PARADE***

The Powhatan Labor Day parade was held on September 5th at 11:00 A.M. The lineup started at 9:30 A.M. We had a good turnout again this year. Thanks to everyone who attended!



**Article By** Llew Stakes  
**Photo By** Dylan Bolden



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## **FREDERICKSBURG EAGLES CAR, TRUCK AND BIKE SHOW**

**FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES  
 CAR, TRUCK AND BIKE SHOW**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2016 - 9AM - 2PM**  
(RAIN DATE: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23)

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 Fredericksburg, VA 22407  
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The 2016 Fredericksburg Fraternal Order of Eagles Car, Truck and Bike Show will be held on Saturday, October 22 this year. \$15 pre-registration, \$20 day of the event.

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## **2<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL NRA CAR & TRUCK SHOW**

September 25, 2016 – Sunday, 9AM-3PM

The NRA Range & NRA HQ is thrilled to announce that we will be hosting our 2nd Annual Car & Truck Show this year!

If you attended last year, you know it was a great success with 120+ vehicles and over a thousand spectators...and this year we plan on making it bigger and better in every way!

**NRA 2nd Annual  
 CAR & TRUCK SHOW**

09.25.2016 NRA HEADQUARTERS  
 FAIRFAX, VA 9AM - 3PM

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125 CARS & TRUCKS DISPLAYED IN 2015 • 2016 WILL BE LIMITED TO 200 VEHICLES  
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Open to all makes/models/years of antiques, muscle cars, off-road vehicles, modified & race cars, custom trucks & motorcycles.

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For registration, booths, inquiries and questions, contact:  
 Michael Johns at 703-267-1489 or [mjohns@nrahq.org](mailto:mjohns@nrahq.org)

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But here's the trick...in order to make that happen we need EVERYONE's help in promoting the event through social media, email, word of mouth and at other events during the summer.

Attached is this year's flyer. Post it! Share it! "Like" our page! Save the date and stop by...going to be an awesome day!

Article By Michael Johns

## **CVMC FALL SHOW**

The Fall Show of the Central Virginia Mustang Club is rapidly approaching!

The show is currently **SOLD OUT!!!** Good job to everyone who got the word out and promoted our show! We are still taking pre registrations in case anyone backs out. We will also need volunteers on the day of the show: Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup>. We need volunteers to stuff goody bags on Wednesday, September 14<sup>th</sup>. If you feel inclined to volunteer, please contact Ben Bruno, Show Chair, [ben.bruno@strsoftware.com](mailto:ben.bruno@strsoftware.com).

**Article By** Ben Bruno

## **TRI-CITIES CRUISE IN**



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**Posted By** Amy Blumenthal

## **AMELIA CAR CLUB SHOW**

The Amelia Car Club Presents the 2nd Annual - The Court House Car Show - Saturday October 8th 2016 (Rain date Saturday October 15th 2016 9:00 AM till 3:00 PM)

Amelia Court House, Amelia Virginia

Who: All Types Of Vehicles

Registration: \$15.00 Per Vehicle In Advance

\*\*Early registration forms must be received by Oct. 1st 2016. \*\*\* \$20.00 registration day of the show.

Trophies Awarded

Swap Meet

Music \*\* Donated By Mike "DJ Baddog" Thompson

Food Vendors

Proceeds Benefit:

Lonesome Dove Equestrian Center (HELPING WOUNDED VETERANS)

For More Information Call Ryan Holman

434-390-2984



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**The Court House Car Show**

2<sup>nd</sup> Annual

When: Saturday October 8<sup>th</sup> 2016  
Rain date: Saturday October 15<sup>th</sup> 2016  
Time: 9 AM - 3 PM

Where: Amelia Court House, Amelia, VA

Who: All vehicle types

Registration: \$15 per vehicle in advance  
\*\*Early registration forms must be received by Oct. 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016  
\$20 Registration Fee - Day of Show

- Trophies Awarded
- Swap Meet
- Music
- Food Vendors

Proceeds benefit:  
Lonesome Dove Equestrian Center  
(Helping Wounded Veterans)

For more information call: Ryan Holman  
(434)390-2984

**Article By** Ryan Holman

## **CVMC HOLIDAY PARTY**

It's that time of year again time to start planning for the annual CVMC Holiday Party!

It will be December 10 at 6PM at the Grapevine Restaurant at the corner of Three Chopt Rd and Cox Road in Richmond.

The cost per person is \$25. We are asking members to please sign up

no later than the end of September. We can accept payments at any time via check payable to CVMC or via credit card at our upcoming meetings. Please see Kathy McWilliams for credit card payments.

If you signed up at the last meeting we have you on the list.

**Article By** Nanette Stanley



**MUSTANG CLUB OF AMERICA**  
**40TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION**

**September 1 - September 4, 2016**  
Indianapolis Motor Speedway  
Indianapolis, Indiana

*It appears that the 40<sup>th</sup> celebration went off without a hitch and good times were had by all. In coming editions, I hope to have photos and accounts of the festivities. Until then, here is one of the stories from the event.*

Graham Marsteller



**Photo by** Oscar Colon

*Legoland® Florida Resort Unveiled a Life-Size Lego® "1964½" Mustang During MCA 40th Anniversary Celebration At Indianapolis Motor Speedway made out of thousands of LEGO® bricks. Built brick by brick at*

*The LEGO Group's U.S. headquarters in Enfield, Connecticut, the life-size model made its public debut at the legendary Indianapolis Motor Speedway on Thursday, Sept. 1.*

*"We're delighted to show off our version of an American classic during MCA's 40th anniversary celebration," said Chloé Boehm, public relations executive at LEGOLAND® Florida Resort. "We can't think of a more perfect place to reintroduce the car that redefined cool in a fun, creative way."*

*Partnering with long-time sponsor Southern Ford Dealers, the resort wanted to build a life-size Ford vehicle that would resonate with guests of all ages. Created with thousands of colorful LEGO® bricks by a team of veteran Master Model Builders, the stunning model re-creates the first Ford Mustang, which debuted at the New York World's Fair on April 17, 1964.*

*"It was an honor to partner with LEGOLAND® Florida Resort to unveil the '1964½' LEGO® Mustang over Labor Day weekend," said Jeff Mays, president, Mustang Club of America. "The Ford Mustang and LEGO® toys are classic American icons that appeal to enthusiasts of all ages. We look forward to a fun-filled weekend and helping the resort kick off the LEGO® Mustang's publicity tour at the MCA 40th anniversary celebration."*

*Towed in a see-through trailer decorated with colorful LEGO graphics, the model Mustang participated in MCA's Mustang Parade at Indianapolis Motor Speedway on Friday, Sept. 2. This event also featured Mustangs and MCA clubs from around the globe in an attempt to break the record for the world's longest Ford Mustang parade.*

*After its initial appearance in Indianapolis, the LEGO® Mustang will make several stops around the country before arriving at the popular, kid-*

sized Ford Driving School attraction at LEGOLAND® Florida Resort, where it will remain on permanent display.

For more information about the LEGO® Mustang, visit the resort's official blog at <http://www.lfblog.com> and follow its progress through social media with hashtag [#BrickPony](#).

## ***CVMC Is Now On Facebook & Twitter***



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CVMC now has a Fan Page on Facebook. To follow us on Facebook just type Central Virginia Mustang Club in the search and become a Fan.

You can also follow CVMC on Twitter. Type CentralVAMust in the find on Twitter. Hope you will follow us with your computer, laptop or smart phone!

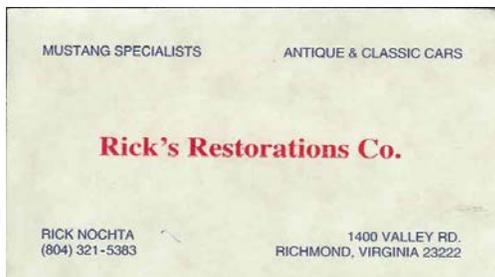
**Article by:** Tony Hall

### ***CVMC Merchandise***

George is working on new shirts and hats for us to go along with all of his regular swag. Let him know if there is anything you are looking for!

George Godsey

E-mail: [ggg69eliminator@yahoo.com](mailto:ggg69eliminator@yahoo.com)



Rick Nochta has been restoring Mustangs since 1985. To better serve the Mustang hobbyist, Rick became a MCA certified and gold card judge for 65-70 Shelybys and Shelby American Automobile Club (SAAC) 1965 Shelby Head Judge. SAAC asked Rick to rewrite the 65-66 Shelby judging rules which are used today. For all your Mustang needs, call Rick today at 804-321-5383.



## ***SEPTEMBER 2016 CAR HOBBYIST NEWS FROM THE COUNCIL***

The EPA has released new medium and heavy duty truck fuel efficiency standards. These standards claim to reduce greenhouse gases while increasing fuel mileage. The EPA claims that 1.1 billion tons of carbon pollution will be kept out of the atmosphere, 2 billion barrels of oil will be saved, \$170 billion will be saved in fuel costs and there will be \$400 a year saved in household costs by 2035. These new standards will cover tractor-trailers, heavy-duty pickups and vans plus these trucks - delivery, refuse, utility, dump, cement, and these buses transit bus, shuttle bus, school bus, along with emergency vehicles and recreational vehicles. They will be phased in over the next few years and be completely in place by the 2027 model year.

You may wonder as I do exactly what is going to be done to these large vehicles to achieve these savings. I have searched the EPA and federal documents hoping to find something similar to the fuel economy standards for light duty vehicles. I could not find

anything such as "school buses will achieve a set number of miles per gallon". Instead the reports are full of all the wonderful results that will occur in the future. This is the closest I could find to exactly what will be done in an EPA document: "different combinations of improvements like advanced aerodynamics, engine improvements and waste-heat recovery, automated transmission, lower rolling resistance tires, and automatic tire inflation can be used to meet standards. For tractors and vocational vehicles, enhanced test procedures and an expanded and improved compliance simulation model enable the vehicle standards to encompass more of the complete vehicle than the Phase 1 program and to account for engine, transmission and driveline improvements." I got that from a document that had 1690 pages! After looking through that document I can honestly say I am glad I don't work for a company that builds heavy trucks. Of course no one knows what costs these new regs will have on the trucking and bus industries. Hopefully the EPA and NHTSA will send out easier to read and understand information.

The EPA and the IRS must be the two hardest working federal agencies. The EPA has press releases almost daily and most of them are about cracking down on those who pollute. A recent release was about Harley-Davidson motorcycles super tuners. The company has been fined \$12 million and must buy back the super tuners because once installed on the bikes they produce more pollutants than allowed by EPA regs. Assistant Attorney General John C. Cruden, head of the Justice Department's Environment and Natural Resources Division states "Anyone else who manufactures, sells, or installs these types of illegal products should take heed of Harley-Davidson's corrective actions and immediately stop violating the law."

Recall that the EPA went after

vehicles being built into racecars because emissions devices would have been removed. The EPA is very aggressive in pursuing those who do not follow the agency's rules.

You may be wondering what is up with self-driving or autonomous cars. After years of research and development there are some of these vehicles on the roads. This summer Uber is testing a self-driving Volvo in an area of Pennsylvania. These vehicles are still in the process of being tested and developed. The Uber vehicle has a chime go off when it approaches a bridge because the camera and computer systems cannot "see" where the vehicle is when over water. From Wiki:

"Autonomous cars can detect surroundings using a variety of techniques such as radar, lidar, GPS, odometry, and computer vision. Advanced control systems interpret sensory information to identify appropriate navigation paths, as well as obstacles and relevant signage. Autonomous cars have control systems that are capable of analyzing sensory data to distinguish between different cars on the road, which is very useful in planning a path to the desired destination.

Some demonstrative systems, precursory to autonomous cars, date back to the 1920s and 30s. The first self-sufficient (and therefore, truly autonomous) cars appeared in the 1980s, with Carnegie Mellon University's Navlab and ALV projects in 1984 and Mercedes-Benz and Bundeswehr University Munich's Eureka Prometheus Project in 1987. Since then, numerous major companies and research organizations have developed working prototype autonomous vehicles."

Several companies and auto manufacturers are working on self-driving cars and the equipment used to make them autonomous. Nevada was the first state to authorize the

operation of autonomous vehicles in 2011. There are now seven other states: California, Florida, Louisiana, Michigan, North Dakota, Tennessee and Utah plus Washington D.C. that allow the use of autonomous vehicles. Arizona's governor issued an executive order to allow autonomous vehicles. Our Virginia governor Terry McAuliffe announced in early June a partnership allowing research and development for autonomous vehicles to take place in the state with "Virginia Automated Corridors." If you are wondering about those corridors here is the answer from Virginia Tech:

*"The Virginia Automated Corridors were established by the Virginia Tech Transportation Institute in partnership with the Virginia Department of Transportation; the Virginia Department of Motor Vehicles; Transurban; and HERE, a high-definition mapping business. This new initiative was created in answer to Virginia Governor Terry McAuliffe's recent proclamation supporting the transportation institute in automated-vehicle research endeavors under the guidance of the Center for Automated Vehicle Systems.*

*The corridors feature more than 70 miles of interstates and arterials in the Northern Virginia region, including Interstates 66, 495, and 95, as well as U.S. 29 and 50. These roadways compose one of the most congested corridors in the U.S., with multiple transportation challenges that could be mitigated through the use of automation, including congestion. The corridors also include two test-track environments: the Virginia Smart Road, located on-site at the Virginia Tech Transportation Institute; and the Virginia International Raceway."*

*And that is what is happening this summer – more regulations from the EPA on the reduction of greenhouse gases (medium and heavy truck fuel efficiency standards which are really a part of the Obama Administration Climate Action Plan) and continued,*

*even accelerated, development of self-driving cars (or cars that take all the fun out of driving).*

**Article by CCCC President Fred Fann**



### **1988 Ford Mustang Convertible for Sale or Trade**

*Amy Blumenthal's 1988 mustang convertible LX.....2.3 engine, 5 speed. Fox body, red with a cream white top and cream white seats. It has the black rubber trim. Many of you know the work that has been done over the years....the car just refuses to run....serious inquiries only to [trythisab@gmail.com](mailto:trythisab@gmail.com)*

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## **NASCAR RACE TICKETS**

I have 4 race tickets to the Sprint Cup race this month. Seats are in the Sprint stands, section D row 20. Seats 3,4,5,&6. Please let me know if you are interested. They are \$85 each.

Ron Martin  
804-347-8701

## **OTHER UPCOMING CAR SHOWS**

### **32ND ANNUAL FORD AND MUSTANG SHOW**

2016 Date Set!

Date: September 17, 2016

Rain date: September 24, 2016

Location: Bass Pro Shops, 11550

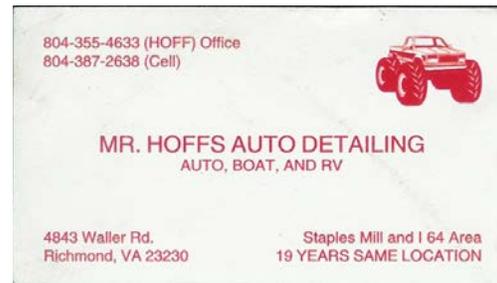
Lakeridge Parkway, Ashland, VA

Vehicle Limit: 155 cars

New for 2016! Pre-registrations Only - no day of show registrations will be taken

Event date on club calendar and Facebook page

Announcement will be made once the registration website is available



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## **2016 MCA Shows**

**September 30 - October 2, 2016**

### **MCA National Show**

Myrtle Beach, South Carolina

SC - Coastal Carolina Mustang Club

<http://www.carolinamustangclub.com/>

Registration is now open. Check here for details:

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2016 EVENTS

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>CVMC Contact</b>	<b>Confirmed (Y/N)</b>
March 11-13	Motortrend Show	Graham	Yes
Apr 2	11 <sup>th</sup> Annual Spring Car Show	Dave Thomas	Yes
Apr 9	Dominion Raceway Grand Opening	Bill Evans	Yes
Apr 17	National Mustang Day Cruise	Tony/Kathy	Yes
Apr 22-24	SVT at Virginia International Raceway (VIR)	Tony	Yes
Apr 30	Blackstone Cruise & Cruise-In	Tony	Yes
May 4-7	Shelby Fest - Jefferson city, Missouri	Bill Evans	No
May 7	Bon Air Parade	Llew	Yes
May 14, 5-8 pm	Mission BBQ Cruise-In, second Saturday, monthly	Bill Evans	Yes
May 21	Crossroads Ford Cruise-In – Re-Scheduled	Amy	Yes
May 30	National Memorial Day Parade-Washington, DC	Kathy	Yes
May 30	Sanston Memorial Day Parade - Cancelled	Llew	Yes
Jun 3- 5	Ford Nationals – Carlisle, PA		Yes
Jun 4	Richmond Ford Cruise-In	Michelle	Yes
Jun 5	RIR Laps For Charity - \$20, w/photographer	Bill Evans	Yes
Jun 5	Autumn Care of Mechanicsville Display		Yes
Jun 11, 5-8 pm	Mission BBQ Cruise-In, second Saturday, monthly	Bill Evans	Yes
Jun 18	Ford Night Cruise-In Dillwyn	Wayne Bryant	Yes
Jun 25	New Kent Winery Trip	Nannette	Yes
Jul 4	Beaverdam parade	Llew	No
Jul 9, 5-8 pm	Mission BBQ Cruise-In, second Saturday, monthly	Bill Evans	Yes
Aug 6, 7:00 am	Valley Mustang Car Show - Harrisonburg	Kathy/Tony	Yes
Aug 13, 10am-2pm	McGuire Veterans Hospital	Ray Louth/ Nannette	Yes
Aug 13, 5-8 pm	Mission BBQ Cruise-In, second Saturday, monthly	Bill Evans	Yes
Aug 20, 9:30 am	Winery trip – Horton Vineyards	Nannette	Yes
Sep 1-4	MCA 40th Anniversary, Pony Drive	Kathy	Yes
Sep 10, 5-8 pm	Mission BBQ Cruise-In, second Saturday, monthly	Bill Evans	Yes
Sep 14	Fall Show Goody Bag Night	Ben Bruno	Yes
Sep 17	32 <sup>nd</sup> Annual Mustang & Ford Car Show	Ben Bruno	Yes
Oct	Joint Club Picnic	Kathy	No
Oct 8, 5-8 pm	Mission BBQ Cruise-In, second Saturday, monthly	Bill Evans	Yes
Oct 29?	Leaf cruise	Tommy	No
Nov	Ashland Parade	Llew	No
Dec 3	Mechanicsville Christmas Parade	Llew	Yes
Dec 10, 1100	Toys for Tots Fredericksburg ToysRUs 3101 Plank Rd to Quantico	Bill Evans	Yes
Dec 10	Holiday Party – the Grapevine Restaurant	Nickie, Nannette	Yes