



***The Galloping  
Gazette***  
***The Official Newsletter Of  
The  
Central Virginia Mustang  
Club***  
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**A NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT**

May is here and so many car events! As we are aware of events, we'll post them on the Google online [calendar](#), our [Facebook](#) page, the newsletter, and a one page events list at [www.centralvamustang.com/events.pdf](http://www.centralvamustang.com/events.pdf). The events list is great to spread the word about the club and plan your weekends! Print off a few and hand them out to potential members. CVMC is an active club! I hope you take advantage of a few of the events, fun is guaranteed!

**Past Events**

Apr 11	CVMC Board Meeting Board members discussed the upcoming events and understanding why members do not renew. The next board meeting is 7/18/2023.
Apr 16	The Laurels of Willow Creek Cruise-In-11611 Robious Rd, Midlothian 23113 We had about 14 vehicles for this great community service event at a nursing facility. The weather was terrific, and the facility was very welcoming. Go here for pics, <a href="https://photos.app.goo.gl/j27Bka7RveW2ng6u8">https://photos.app.goo.gl/j27Bka7RveW2ng6u8</a>
Apr 22	National Mustang Day 37 Mustangs, 35 members, 9 guests (non-members) attended the 59 <sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Ford Mustang! Everyone seemed to enjoy the donuts, door prizes and seeing the gorgeous Mustangs. We crunched the events a bit due to weather, it all worked out! Many thanks to Richmond Ford West and West Point Ford. Everyone felt welcomed! Go here for pics, <a href="https://photos.app.goo.gl/xUZymD6PLR6LWG9u8">https://photos.app.goo.gl/xUZymD6PLR6LWG9u8</a>

**Upcoming Events**

Apr 29, 9am-3pm	<a href="#">16th Annual Spring Car Show- J.R.Tucker High School</a>
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	<a href="#">27 registered vehicles. As of 4/25, we are watching the weather and may have to cancel this show, fingers crossed!</a>
May 13, 9:30 am	Bon Air Victorian Day Parade The Bon Air Victorian Day parade is Saturday May 7th at 11:00 A.M. Participants may line up at the Bon Air Baptist Church at 9:30 and no later than 10:00 A.M. The church is located at 2531 Buford Road in Bon Air. Line up time is 9:30 A.M. till 10:00 A.M. sharp. Parade disbands just past the Bon Air Christian Church at Rockaway & Logan Street.
May 13, 10 am	<a href="#">Breakthrough Car Show- Pamplin Park Petersburg</a>
May 29	<a href="#">National Memorial Day Parade</a> -Washington D.C., The official parade website is <a href="#">National Memorial Day Parade</a> . I HOPE YOU CAN COME OUT AND CELEBRATE OUR VETERANS!!! Contact Kathy if you are interested in participating
May 29, 9 am	Sandston Memorial Day Parade
June 2-4	<a href="#">Ford Nationals</a> – Carlisle, PA
June 3	Richmond Ford-Lincoln Cruise-In
Sep 16, 2023	<a href="#">38<sup>th</sup> Annual Mustang and Ford Show</a> -Bass Pro Shops, Ashland The Ford Merchandise Trailer is confirmed for our show! We have 10 registered vehicles as of 25 Apr.

Be sure to let Dave Dickey, our Mustang Club of America Director, [mcadirector@centralvamustang.com](mailto:mcadirector@centralvamustang.com), know when participating in MCA shows. The current 2023 schedule can be found at <https://mustang.org/events/>.

Contact Sandy Robbins, [membership@centralvamustang.com](mailto:membership@centralvamustang.com) for your membership renewals. Membership fees for 2023 are reduced for a third year to \$20 from \$25. We ask you to complete the [application](#) for

renewals to ensure we capture changes to your address, phone numbers, email address, and exquisite Mustangs. Congratulations to the lifetime members having 20 consecutive years with CVMC!

Happy Birthday to those members born in May!

Shannon Burke	3-May
Roselita Berta	5-May
David Koogler	5-May
Elias Aivazis	7-May
Cathy Estep	12-May
Chris Evans	13-May
Tony Hall	14-May
Mary T. Turgeon	15-May
Kenneth Carter	17-May
Larry Doyle	17-May
Robin Arant	18-May
Fred Fann	26-May
Andrea Griffith	27-May
Jerry Duffey	30-May

Regarding members facing illness or hospitalization, please contact Michelle Jordan, CVMC Secretary at [secretary@centralvamustang.com](mailto:secretary@centralvamustang.com). She will take care of informing the club members.

#### Next Meeting

Wednesday, 5/3/2023, 7:00 PM - in person and using Zoom video conferencing.

#### In Person Location

Tucker High School, 2910 N Parham Rd, Henrico, VA 23294

#### Zoom Video

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/74470170897?pwd=LzVaWU13c0ZQY3p4S2k5b3hvQk9mJT09>

Meeting ID: 744 7017 0897

Passcode: 7NHYiR

Please, before the meeting, go to zoom.com and download the app. I am available if you want to test your audio and video capabilities. Several joined and just listen in with no video, don't be

discouraged by the technology, listening only is OK!

#### Merchandise

CVMC merchandise will be available for sale at the meeting! For cost and pictures, go to <http://centralvamustang.com/CVMCMerchandise.pdf>. We can handle cash, check, or credit card.

## **CVMC MARCH MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES**

April 5, 2023

The meeting was called to order at 7:01 PM by Kathy McWilliams, President, with 28 attending in person and 4 by Zoom.

- I. New Members & Visitors: Bob attended with a 2007 Shelby GT-H, and Jody who is looking for her dream car, a red 66 convertible.
- II. Old Member News: Shannon had a rock shatter her window, providing the opportunity for a new paint job and new glass.
- III. Member Updates: Sandy Robbins had to have an emergency appendectomy and Ray Louth had an extended stay due to sepsis from gallbladder surgery.
- IV. Treasurer's Report: Erik presented the Treasurer's report for March.
- V. Membership Report: Sandy reported that she has extended the membership renewal deadline to 4/15. We currently have 189 members in good standing.
- VI. MCA Report: Please see Dave's report in the monthly newsletter. Of note, Dave was featured in a recent edition of Gaslight Magazine
- VII. Past Events: March 11, lunch at Giovanni's in Mechanicsville with 16 members attending. March 21-25, Ponies in the Smokies with 9 members participating.
- VIII. Parades: Due to lack of interest, we will not be participating in the National Cherry Blossom Festival Parade. May 30<sup>th</sup> is the National Memorial Day parade in DC as well as the Sandston Memorial Day Parade. Please contact Kathy if you plan to participate in the DC parade.
- IX. Events This Month:

1. April 11, CVMC Board Meeting
2. April 16, The Laurels of Willow Creek Cruise In
3. April 22, National Mustang Day celebration

- X. Other Upcoming Events: June 24<sup>th</sup>, club picnic to be held at Meadow Farm Museum at Crump Park
  - XI. Website/Facebook Updates: Nothing new to update.
  - XII. [CVMC Merchandise](#) Report: Shannon Burke is working on sample items for future merchandise options.
  - XIII. Open Agenda: Mustang Alley registration opens May 1
- The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 PM

## **CVMC BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING MINUTES**

April 11, 2023

The meeting was called to order at 7 pm by Kathy McWilliams, President. Members in attendance: Kathy McWilliams, Michelle Jordan, Laurie Deusebio, Sharon Hazelgrove, Chris Evans, Graham Marsteller, Sandy Robbins, Ron Marin, Rusty Wiseman, Erik Peterson, Denyse Peterson. Guests: Tricia Meisel.

- I. **Welcome:** Kathy thanked all for attending.
- II. **Club Enthusiasm:**
  - A. We need to get the Membership enthused about the events we hold and get participation to increase.
  - B. Every Officer and Director needs to encourage the membership to participate.
  - C. Every Officer and Director needs to encourage the membership to recruit new members.
- III. **Hot Topics/Assistance Needed:**

- A. Spring Show April 29, 19 registered as of meeting time. Discussed Friday setup plan.
  - B. [Mustang Day Celebration April 22, Richmond Ford West, West Point Ford, and lunch. Nickie Armstrong promoting on social media. Board members should socialize with non-members to make them feel welcome and encourage to join the club.](#)
  - C. The Laurels of Willow Creek Cruise-In April 16, 7 members signed up.
  - D. Fall Show, Chris will be holding a meeting to discuss potential judging changes on April 25, 7 pm, by Zoom.
- IV. Membership:** Looking to understand why new members don't renew after first year...location, resources, post-Covid runoff, etc. Could we survey?
- V. Parades:**
- A. May 6, Bon Air parade, details pending.
  - B. May 29, Sandston Memorial Day parade, details pending.
  - C. May 29, National Memorial Day parade, Washington DC, 4 currently signed up with Kathy to participate.
- VI. Cruise Ins and Other Events:** Looking for other event ideas. Charities for both Spring and Fall shows are Boulder Crest and Project Lifesaver.
- VII. Next Directors Meeting:** July 18, 7 pm via Zoom
- The meeting was adjourned at 7:54 pm.

## 2023 MUSTANG ALLEY

### UPDATE

1. ***A reminder that registration for Mustang Alley opens May 1, 2023. Be sure to register early. Spaces will go fast!!!***
2. ***Please let me know if you are going so I can have a head count. My contact info is below.***

Hey CVMC! My name is Tony Hall, and I am organizing a Road Trip to Dearborn, Michigan to attend the 2023 Mustang Alley August 19<sup>th</sup> in Ferndale, Michigan.

I will be leaving tentatively Wednesday August 16<sup>th</sup> to travel to Dearborn, Michigan, the Hometown of our beloved Mustang.

The trip may include the following...

Roush Open House & Cruise In  
The Henry Ford Museum  
Greenfield Village  
Ford Rouge Factory Tour  
Henry Ford's Home - Fair Lane

If we are really lucky, we may get a Surprise Tour!

Below are some of the Hotels in the area. You may want to reserve your hotel now just to make sure you get a room.

Comfort Inn near Greenfield Village  
Hampton Inn - Dearborn  
Victory Inn - West Dearborn  
Red Roof Inn - Dearborn  
Holiday Inn Express & Suites  
Staybridge Suites - Dearborn  
Country Inn & Suites - Dearborn

Mustang Alley is part of the Woodward Dream Cruise and is located in Ferndale, Michigan.

Registration for Mustang Alley does not open until May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023. Be sure you register ASAP so you will be able to park in Mustang Alley.

I will have more details in the coming months!

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## MUSTANG CLUB OF AMERICA (MCA) REPORT

I received my draft copy of the MCA Corporate Board of Directors meeting held January 14, 2023 in Florida. The President, Jeff Mays, called the meeting to order at 7 PM and welcomed the 23 Board of Directors. Roll was taken by National Secretary Jim Keenan resulting in a quorum for the start of the meeting. 5 Board of Directors members were missing. There were 14 Regional Directors attending all at their own expense along with guests.

Minutes from the October 2022 Board of Directors meeting were submitted and approved as written *without objection*.

Executive Committee Report: the chair made the following appointments with concurrence of the Board of Directors:

- Parliamentarian: Jim Keenan;  
Sergeants-at-Arms: Randy Weldon;
- Historian: Eric Tucker;
- Publisher: Jim Keenan
- National Head Judge: Billy Henson and Steve Prewitt discussed the Office Administrator's contract revision, as approved at the October 2022 meeting, with a pay increase and hiring of an assistant. The final draft passed *without objection*

The Chair announced the additional contract developments with Barber Motorsports Park for the Mustang@60 Years. Rather than try and set a minimal contract and add items in later, Steve Prewitt and Jeff Mays are looking at trying to bundle all services at approximately \$200K and, as in the past, have MCA volunteers as much as possible working at the event.

Jeff Mays announced Motosho will soon be the exclusive property of MCA once all outside proprietary information has been removed.

*JUST IN: Motosho has been shut down!*

Finance Committee Report: Treasurer's 2023 Report; all combined accounts (which are: regular Checking, High Yield Savings, Business checking and special events) for an accounting balance as of January 2023.

### COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Administration: Al Hammond said the committee had one contract expiring at the end of the year and was reviewing others for clarity.

- He also brought forward a Motion to have Whaley, Hammonds and Tomasello as MCA's accounting firm for 2023. The Motion passed *without objection*.

Bylaws: J.P. Weber reminded all present it is important that all Board members annually review the bylaws to familiarize themselves with the bylaws.

Regional Club Charter/Support: Three clubs were presented for charter by motion:

- The Old Fort Mustangers Club of Ft. Wayne, Indiana is requesting to recharter as an MCA club.
- The Texas Hill Country Mustang Club, of Boerne, Texas (representing Kendall County)
- The Arizona East Valley Mustang Club (with written approval for sharing territory with the Copperstate Mustang Club) will also represent the Phoenix area.
- All three clubs fully met the requirements for MCA Club Charter and the motion carried *without objection*.

Driving Events: Chair Bryan Kerrick reminded the Board that two National Shows this year are also hosting Driving Events.

- July 27-30 Mustang Club of Indianapolis and

- October 6-8 Topeka Mustang Club

Hall of Fame: MCA is accepting Nominations for the Hall of Fame and for clubs to nominate members for Lifetime *Achievement Awards*.

Internet: Jeff Mays presented a contract for our new web firm to handle all maintenance, upgrades and upkeep of our web site at a cost of \$850.00 monthly. The Motion passed *without objection*.

Insurance: Ed Hockaday announced the committee is looking into a new insurance package for MCA to carry us through 2023.

Judging: Billy Henson reported the Judging positions are set for 2023 and latest rules are posted on the website.

Nominations/Elections: John Trsar, Nominations chair announced two vacancies on the Board to fill. With two runners up from the last election Steven McCarley was the first runner up and nominated fill the first vacancy, a two-year term. Tracy Templer was nominated to fill the second vacancy, a one-year term. The Motion passed *without objection*.

Youth Committee: The committee is writing up a new updated form to get out to clubs and really get the word out about exciting changes in the MCA Youth Program.

2023 Meetings: April 22, 2023, Dallas; July 8, 2023, Dallas; October 20-22, 2023, Birmingham, AL

## NEW BUSINESS

The Chair brought up the raise in the cost of shipping individual copies and boxes of Mustang Times Magazines out to members. Discussion was held as the fee has been \$4.00 per copy for several years. The Chair made the motion to raise it to \$6.00 per copy to offset the raise in shipping and handling. *The Motion carried without objection*

The Chair also brought up the topic of a high volume of members that are contacting the office for the replacement of MCA membership cards which must be presented when wishing to use the X-plan at a Ford dealer. Discussion was held and the Chair placed a motion on the floor to Charge \$10.00 for processing and mailing of

replacement MCA membership cards. *The Motion carried without objection.*

Board Member Eric Tucker announced he will again be running in the Boston Marathon. Jeff Mays made a motion to donate \$300.00 toward Eric's fund raising for the "Jimmy Fund" c/o Dana Farber Cancer Institute. *The Motion carried without objection.*

With no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned without objection at 10:43 pm.

The next meeting is scheduled to take place on Saturday, April 22, 2023 in Dallas, Texas.

Our Spring show is now published in "Mustang Times" magazine under Regional Events page 75, and in our local Car Club Council of Central Virginia website (CCCCVA).

April's magazine has information from Jeff Mays, Don Farr's Remembering Tom Corcorn, and Judges Corner pages 4, 6 and 8.

When a lot of us were at West Point Ford with the National Mustang Day cruise there was a discussion on the special 2024 Mustang Dark Horse. This issue has lots of information on this Mustang, pages 50 and 51.

For our new members you can join MCA on line. There are 3 different tier levels discussed at MCA's website [www.mustang.org](http://www.mustang.org). "Mustang Times" magazine is the official club publication for members only and is included with your Worldwide membership of around 18,000 and growing. The only way you can receive this published magazine is with your MCA membership application. When you join MCA please email me at ([mcadirector@centralvamustang.com](mailto:mcadirector@centralvamustang.com)) or Sandy Robbins at ([membership@centralvamustang.com](mailto:membership@centralvamustang.com)) your name and MCA membership number so we can keep up-to-date on new members for our club President's award. The magazine has beautiful colored pictures, articles and great stories, Mustang modifications, and information from our President, Jeff Mays, editor; Donald Farr, and Judges Corner on pages 4, 6 and 8. As a member you can advertise your Ford parts you want to get rid or sell your Mustang at no charge or buy another Mustang listed on pages 76 to 80. You are also eligible to use Ford's discounted X plan as explained in November's

2022 issue of "Mustang Times" under DRIVER'S SEAT, 4<sup>th</sup> paragraph, page 4.

As always check our newsletter, Facebook, Car Club Council of Central Virginia (CCCCVA) and CVMC events calendar for any upcoming activities.

Keep your distances, still wear your mask, and wash your hands often to stay healthy.

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CVMC – MCA Gold Card Judges:  
1964 ½ to 1966 – Dave Dickey  
1967 to 1968 – Dave Dickey  
1995 to 2016 – Tony Hall.

CVMC – MCA Certified Judges:  
4<sup>TH</sup> Generation: David Deusebio  
Laurie Deusebio  
5th Generation: David Deusebio  
Laurie Deusebio, Dave Dickey,  
Michelle Jordon, David Lythgoe



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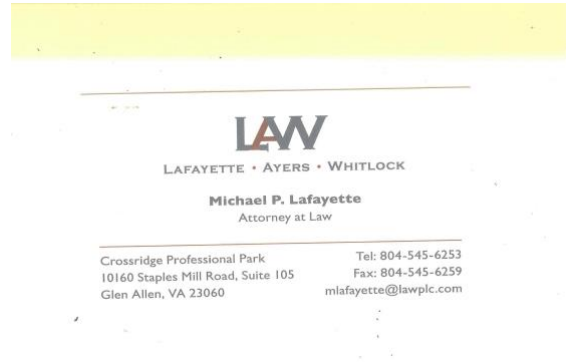
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## CLASSIFIEDS

**NOTE: please let us know when your item sells!!**

*CVMC is not responsible for information contained in the sale ads. Each ad will run for two months.*



**FOR SALE: 1969 Mustang Convertible 289-V8: \$30,000**

No rust – interior or exterior  
Exterior Color - medium blue  
Top Color - black – new w/new boot cover  
Interior - black - standard w/console  
C-6 Automatic w/factory air, power steering  
New battery  
Gas used – always pure – no ethanol  
Factory dual exhaust  
Disc brakes  
Mustang car cover  
Signal light in hood  
Good shape  
Owned since 2010  
Tune-up in April 2022

Contact: Ted Terrell  
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**FOR SALE: 1999 Mustang GT Convertible 35th Anniversary Edition. \$15,000**

This beautiful garage kept Mustang has 81,900 miles located in Sandston. The car is well kept and meticulously maintained. Automatic transmission and other options. For more info please text 804-337-3119



**FOR SALE: 2003 Mercury Grand Marquis LS Premium, \$9995, near mint condition.**

65,700 original miles, V8 and leather just tuned up, new plugs and coils, tires and wheel bearings. Has nice, upgraded Kenwood audio. Belonged to local AACA club member, we purchased from his estate. Richmond Ford West at Innsbrook. (For when you need more seating than your Mustang has!) Please contact Andy Fuhrman or Brett Kody at 804 273 9700 [afuhrman@richmondford.com](mailto:afuhrman@richmondford.com), [bkody@richmondford.com](mailto:bkody@richmondford.com)

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