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A NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT

The CVMC Annual Mustang and Ford Show is quickly approaching! I hope you will register your Mustang or Ford and/or become a sponsor! 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. 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

Jul 4, 8:30 am	Beaverdam Parade
Jul 10, 7:00 pm	CVMC Monthly Meeting-moved due to holiday
Jul 16, 6:30 pm	CVMC Officers and Board of Directors Zoom Meeting

Upcoming Events – See club [calendar](#) or Facebook page for details

Aug 10, 10 am	Hawthorne Family Private Vehicle Collection Tour w/Early Bronco Club, Lunch at Extra Billy's 1110 Alverser Drive. We need a headcount by Aug 7 th meeting, please RSVP to andyfuhrman@rocketmail.com
Aug 14-18	Mustang Alley Show -Woodward Dream Cruise-Ferndale, MI
Sep 14, 8:10-11am	Car Club Council of Central Virginia - Appreciation Day-Cruise-In – Pamplin Park, meet at Exxon, 2320 W Hundred Rd, Chester, VA
Sep 21, 8am	39 th Annual Mustang and Ford Show, to register, go here ! Sponsorships are available, go here to sign up

Be sure to let Dave Dickey, our Mustang Club of America Director, mcadirector@centralvamustang.com, know when participating in MCA shows. The current 2024 schedule can be found at <https://mustang.org/events/>.

Membership - to renew, complete the [online-renewal application](#) to ensure we capture changes to your address, phone numbers, email address, and exquisite Mustangs. Congratulations to the lifetime CVMC members with 20 consecutive membership years!

Happy Birthday to the members born in August!

John Allin	Aug 1
Paul Werries	Aug 2
Jimmie Norwood	Aug 2
George Godsey	Aug 4
Andy Fuhrman	Aug 4
Cathy Hinzmann	Aug 5
Vernon Shaw	Aug 5
Ken Peterson	Aug 5
Carolyn Vivas	Aug 7
Steven Owen	Aug 10
Jeffrey Camp	Aug 11
Robert Doswell	Aug 14
James Samuel	Aug 14

Robert Cothran	Aug 19
Johnny McGrath	Aug 20
Chuck Reyes	Aug 20
John Pritchett	Aug 21
Sharon Hazelgrove	Aug 23
Karen Lane	Aug 23
Donald Jones	Aug 24
Joel Whiting	Aug 24
Ray Louth	Aug 25
Larry Stanley	Aug 29
Donald Bailey	Aug 29
David Bratton	Aug 29
Beverly Andres	Aug 31

If you don't see your name and you should appear this month, let Sandy know at sprobbins57@gmail.com so we can update our records!

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

Next Meeting

Wednesday, 8/7/2024, 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=LzVaWUJ3c0ZQY3p4S2k5b3hvQk9mUT09>

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 join 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! Get a t-shirt, a CVMC embroidered logo hat, or CVMC drink cup! To see the current inventory, cost, pictures, ability to pre-pay with a credit card, go to www.centralvamustang.com and choose the Merchandise button. With Cheddar Up, we can handle cash, check, credit card, Apple Pay.

CVMC JULY MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES JULY 10, 2024

The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm by Kathy McWilliams, President, with 20 attending in person and 3 on Zoom.

- I. New Members & Visitors: None
- II. Old Member News: Sandy and Ralph picked up a new 4-post lift from Carlisle. The movie has been released that Mike Peyton's car is in, Never Give Up. Emmett will be with Kathy through the 22nd
- III. Member Updates: None
- IV. Treasurer's Report: Cathy presented the Treasurer's report for June
- V. Membership Report: Sandy reported that we have 196 members in good standing
- VI. MCA Report: Please see Dave's complete report in the newsletter. Of note, changes to the judging procedures can be found in the report
- VII. Past Events: 5/31-6/2, Ford Nationals in Carlisle with 21 members attending. 6/8, Richmond Ford-Lincoln cruise in with ~25 cars. 6/15, Military Aviation Museum cruise, with 9 members/6 Mustangs. 6/17, Bickford of Chesterfield Senior Living event, with 9 members/7 Mustangs. 7/4, Beaverdam parade with 14 Mustangs and 1 Mercury
- VIII. Parades: Stay tuned for parades happening later in the year
- IX. Upcoming Events: 7/16, CVMC BOD meeting. 8/10, private vehicle collection tour with the Early Bronco Club and CVMC. 7/14-18, Mustang Alley Show and Woodward Dream Cruise, Ferndale, MI.
- X. Other Upcoming Events: 9/2-7, Mustang Week in Myrtle Beach. 9/14, CCCofCVa Appreciation Day cruise in, Pamplin Park. 9/21, CVMC Fall Show. Chris is working on artwork for the t-shirt and the program is in progress.
- XI. Website/Facebook Updates: Check for up-to-date information.
- XII. CVMC Merchandise: No report.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:59pm

CVMC BOARD MEETING MINUTES July 16, 2024

The meeting was called to order at 6:31 pm by Kathy McWilliams, President. Members in attendance: Kathy McWilliams, Michelle Jordan, Graham Marsteller, Andy Fuhrman, Sandy Robbins, Robert Doswell, Sharon Hazelgrove, Tony Hall, Laurie Deusebio, Cathy Hinzmann, Mike Peyton, Dave Dickey, Rusty Wiseman, and Ron Martin.

I. **Club Enthusiasm:** Reminder that the Board should continue striving to get the membership enthused about the events we hold, get participation to increase, and recruit new members.

II. **Hot Topics/Assistance Needed**

- A. Club Officer and Director Email: New business cards have been ordered if requested and will have our new email addresses listed.
- B. Fall Show: Because of rising costs, we will now be charging vendors to participate in the show. Mr. Fix-it will be a new vendor at the show and will present at our August meeting. By the first week of August, we need to nail down the list of sponsors for the printer. Chris is working on the show shirt. Because of the lack of response, we will discontinue giving out goodie bags to participants. What we have collected will be handed out at registration. We will still have registration packet stuffing the Wednesday before the show at Ron's house.
- C. Club activity: Continue trying to keep the club active. Reminder about Andy's event with the Bronco Club, Hawthorne Family Garage visit on 8/10. RSVP by next meeting required. Ideas on other activities go to Kathy.
- D. Merchandise: Shannon is following up with a local screen-printing shop. We are looking at new club stickers to go on the inside of the cars. Windshield screens are available. A motion was passed to make the final reimbursement for outstanding merchandise.
- E. Newsletter mailings: Costs are rising for ink, paper, and stamps. A motion was passed to eliminate sending out paper copies of the newsletter as of January 1, 2025. Members impacted will be contacted and given the opportunity to provide an email address to continue receiving the newsletter.

III. **Membership:** Sandy reported we have 196 members. Richmond Ford is giving out CVMC membership applications to Mustang buyers. Kathy will have Ben mention this practice to Sheehy Ford.

IV. **Holiday Party January 2025:** Andy will take the lead on the holiday party with Denyse assisting. Targeting January 11th.

V. **Parades:** No updates.

VI. **Cruise Ins and Other Events:** See the events list for upcoming events.

VII. **Open Agenda:** Next board meeting set for Tuesday, October 22nd, 6:30 pm, Tucker HS in person.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:31 pm

39th ANNUAL MUSTANG AND FORD FALL SHOW

Here we go again with another gathering of Mustangs and Ford vehicles at Bass Pro Shops in Ashland on Sat, Sep 21, 2024. As of Jul 22nd, there are 36 vehicles registered for the show. Hopefully, many more will register to reach our limit of 155 vehicles. I encourage you to call your friends who own Mustangs or any Ford vehicle and invite them to register and attend.

Of course, we have a great lineup of vendors and sponsors that include the following:

- Don Rositch from Mustang Don's Garage.
- Brand new cars from Sheehy Ford of Ashland.
- Larry Doyle of Army Sergeants Major.
- Car supplies and finishes from Bright Mod Detailing.
- (NEW) Marquez Goode from Mr. Fix-It that installs Penntek Floor Coating for garage floors.
- (NEW) Delicious food from Firesides. (They were at our spring show.)
- Cold drinks from Icey Something Icey.
- Cold drinks from Sprouse Concessions.
- (NEW) Hot coffee from Tin Can Coffee Company.
- Assortment of packaged collector cars from John Smith.
- Public Safety information from the Hanover County Sheriff Department.

As your show chair for this event, I encourage you to join our President Kathy McWilliams and me to volunteer in many ways for this event. We already have volunteers lined up to put together the registration packet. Next is marking the parking spaces and vendor assigned areas at Bass Pro Shops at 6 PM on Fri, Sep 20th. We could use from six to eight people to help here. It can easily be done in an hour with enough help.

Finally, the day of the show comes on Sat, Sep 21st. We need volunteers as early as 7 AM to help setup the registration area that includes the tent(s), the tables, chairs, computers, generator, trash receptacles and more. As the day goes on, we need volunteers to help with directing cars to their assigned space on the parking lots. I know Curtis will enjoy help here. Of course, Chris Evans, our head judge needs volunteers to judge cars too. After the show is over, we need help with taking everything down and storing it once again in the club trailer.

Let's hope we have cooler weather without any chance of rain! That will work for me.

Ben Bruno

GARAGE VISIT HAWTHORNE FAMILY

Saturday, August 10th, 10AM
MidAtlantic Early Broncos and Central Virginia Mustang
Club

1900 Mt. Herman Rd., Midlothian, VA. 23112

Come tour a private collection with NASCAR history, construction vehicles, antique cars, motorcycles and more.

We'll go on to Extra Billy's BBQ, 1110 Alverser Dr for lunch on our own afterwards.

Please RSVP to Andy Fuhrman 804-833-1576 or andyfuhrman@rocketmail.com

Join us for a fun day out in Fords!

CVMC TRAILER

At one of our prior meetings we discussed the need for a new tent for our shows. The purchase was approved and one was ordered. We spent part of the Board meeting putting it together just to test it out. One thing that has been discovered is that it is super heavy (reading the weight and actually trying to move it are two different things). Many thanks to our ace handyman Graham Martsteller. He did some carpentry work in the CVMC trailer and strengthened some shelves to accommodate the tent. Many thanks, Graham!!!

CRUISE-IN

Mention ice cream on a summer evening and folks show up. What a great idea! Unofficial cruise-in at Bruster's on Friday, June 26, spur of the moment – maybe because the rain finally stopped.



WINTER PARTY

A winter party is in the works. Mark your calendar for the evening of January 11. Andy Fuhrman is hard at work on the plans. More to come soon.



MUSTANG CLUB OF AMERICA (MCA) REPORT

Our MCA Director is under the weather. We will have a report in the September issue that will cover two months.



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 Richmond, Va. 23230
www.richmondford.com

Be sure to present your CVMC Membership Card for a Club Discount on parts in their Parts Department

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 5711C Greendale Road, Richmond Virginia 23228 804-397-9745



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: STEEDA Resonator Delete H Pipe
 304 Stainless. Never used, new in box. Cost \$279.95, will take \$200. Fits 2015-2024 Mustang GT. Contact Donnie Brown 540-718-9152

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