

THE GALLOPING GAZETTE

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CENTRAL VIRGINIA MUSTANG CLUB

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President's Message

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

As we enter the Holiday season, there are many ways we can assure ourselves of some very good times. There will be parties to go to, family gatherings are always fun, we get to see people that we only see once a year, gift giving, holiday food, religious gatherings, Christmas Carols, the list goes on and on. There are also some ways we can cause grief to ourselves; over spending, over eating, and over drinking come to mind. But, if we follow some very simple rules we might alleviate some potential problems if we travel during this holiday season.

- 1. Pick up a good map before you start.*
- 2. Always use seat belts and make sure your passengers use theirs.*
- 3. Do not try to drive too far or too fast in any one day, take a break often.*
- 4. Take along your driver's license, hospital insurance card, medical information card, names and addresses of your next of kin, a flashlight, an emergency breakdown kit, and a first aid kit.*
- 5. Reduce speed in rain and fog. Remember a little rain can cause a lot of trouble. It does not take much rain to mix with oil and grease residue to create a slippery film on the road.*
- 6. If you are late, accept the fact, and do not try to make up time. Often people who do this never make it at all.*
- 7. Be quick to yield the right of way. Always expect the other driver to make a mistake.*
- 8. Never mix drinking and driving. Keep in mind that it is strictly a myth that black coffee has a sobering up power. Ditto for rolling down the window for a few breaths of fresh air. The only antidote for alcohol is time.*

Happy Holidays, Monte

TOYS FOR TOTS

At the November 7th meeting, the membership was to vote on donation(s). The Club voted to hold off making any commitments on the amount until December.

The idea of making some unfortunate children happy this Christmas was so important that we decided to ask our members to bring a toy(s) to the December 5th meeting for the "Toys For Tots" program which is sponsored by the U.S. Marine Corp.

You don't have to spend a lot of money on the toy(s), and they should not be gift wrapped.

I hope that each one of you will dig down in your pockets to help put a smile on a child's face this Christmas who would otherwise not receive anything.

Thank you and Merry Christmas!

Carolyn Timms

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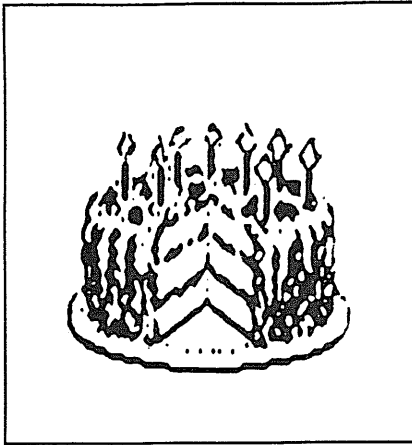
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All Richmond locations,
(Reference Cash Acct. #1918)
RAY BROYHILL FORD
Hopewell, VA, 1-743-4405
RICHMOND MOTOR COMPANY
4600 W. Broad St., 254-9254
RICK'S RESTORATIONS
Near Byrd Airport, 222-8481
SEREDNI TIRE & AUTO PARTS
Northside/266-4955
Southside/232-4515
Mechanicsville/730-1440
ADVANCED MOBILE GLASS
226-1296



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY
TO YOU!!!
DECEMBER**

<i>Brenda Boyd.....</i>	<i>1</i>
<i>Ed Wood.....</i>	<i>2</i>
<i>Earl Morris.....</i>	<i>6</i>
<i>Barbara J. Evans.....</i>	<i>7</i>
<i>Leslie Anthony.....</i>	<i>8</i>
<i>Lee Buckner.....</i>	<i>9</i>
<i>Donald Kitchens.....</i>	<i>12</i>
<i>Clyde Christian.....</i>	<i>16</i>
<i>Mike Edwards.....</i>	<i>18</i>
<i>Angela Jeffers.....</i>	<i>18</i>
<i>Brenda Jones.....</i>	<i>25</i>
<i>Carl Evans.....</i>	<i>26</i>
<i>Pat Clayton.....</i>	<i>27</i>
<i>Rick Walker.....</i>	<i>28</i>

EVENTS

December 5
CVMC regular meeting
at 7:30 p.m.
Richmond Ford
4600 W. Broad St.

December 8
Cruise Night
Bill's BBQ
Midlothian Blvd.
across from Chesterfield
Town Center

December 15
CVMC Christmas Party
at
Kenny & Nellie Fischer's
(see details & directions in
this Newsletter)

TECHNICAL ADVISORS

If you have any technical questions regarding Mustangs, you can call one of the following members to get the information you need:

Bill Jarvis, 262-2137

Kenny Fischer, 743-1490

Carroll Lipscombe, 329-5901

RICK'S TIPS

REPRODUCTION HOOD UPDATE

There are many advantages of using a new hood versus trying to use the hood that came on the car originally. The old hood on the car usually has a ton of grease underneath, cracking or peeling paint, old damage or rust underneath, or all of the above. By the time all these problems are corrected, it is often cheaper to purchase a new hood than to try and make the old hood look like new again.

The old battle begins. Ford versus reproduction. Ford has just raised their prices again and the Ford hoods are over \$300.00. Reproduction hoods are still under \$200.00. However, the reproduction hoods do not fit at the firewall, the stampings are off. Another problem that will occur is on the underside of the reproduction hood. The repro hood skin is not welded to the repro hood frame. After the underside is painted, the repro hood and repro frame during opening and closing will move and separate causing the paint to break and crack around the seam (about 4 inches from the hood edge all the way around). The solution is to weld the frame to the frame hood around the edges about every 4 inches (Ford spot welds these). Then use body seam sealer to seal the two pieces. This is what Ford did originally to the hoods and will stop the paint from cracking.

If this seems confusing, please call me at 222-8481 during the day.

Happy Cruisin...Rick

OCTOBER 3, 1990 MINUTES

President, Monte Evans opened the October 3rd CVMC meeting at Richmond Ford.

Cheryl Kean announced that Mike and Carolyn Timms would not be at the meeting because they had become new grandparents. Their daughter, Dawn had a baby girl October 2nd.

Monte announced that several of the regular members would not be present so some reports would have to be skipped.

Vice President, Kevin Kean said membership stands at 99. Kevin explained that his goal is to increase member participation in Club activities.

Vice President, Kenny Fischer was in Florida so there was no car show report.

National Director, Al Azzarone provided the Club with the new MCA rules.

Treasurer, Cheryl Kean announced that at this time the Club has made approximately \$279.31 from the car shows. She said it would be several weeks before the final figures came in.

Parade Chairman, Carroll Lipscombe has been trying to get information on the Richmond Christmas parade. So far he has spoken to several people but no one seems to have any information. If anyone has any information on this parade, please contact Carroll.

Carroll also read a letter of thanks that the Club received for participating in the 1st Annual Homecoming Parade in Crewe.

Refreshment Chairman, Barbara Evans told members about the drinks and door prizes.

According to Monte, the Club will be sponsoring a trophy and displaying 6 cars at the October car show at the Showplace.

The Club received a letter from Saleen thanking us for showing an interest and Saleen being at our show. They sent their regrets that they couldn't attend.

There will be a Board of Directors meeting before the next Club meeting. Monte will announce the date later.

The Club will be voting for officers and on the By-Laws at the next meeting. Any member interested in running for an office or for a board member position, please call Mike Timms.

Monte asked if members were interested in a club sponsored golf outing. There was some interest so he will be looking into the idea.

NASCAR tickets will be going on sale soon. The Club has already received money for 4 tickets. These tickets will be first come, first serve. They will be picked up later this week.

The cruise on Oct. 6th will be at the Bill's BBQ (near Chesterfield Towne Center) instead of on the Blvd. According to some members there is always a good turnout of classic cars at this location.

Monte discussed the fact that the Club has a lot of money in the bank. We need to make a donation(s). If you have any organization that you would like to see receive a donation tell Carolyn Timms and/or Monte Evans. The Club will vote on the recipients at the Nov. meeting.

Monte covered the classified ads in the newsletter. He encouraged the members to go to the sponsors for parts.

Donnie Herndon was not present so no speaker was available. Monte provided members with a trivia game on '64-1/2 standard features.

Monte thanked everyone who participated in the car show and gave a report on comments from the phone calls and Universal Ford.

Monte announced that the "Adopt-A-Highway" will be somewhere in Chesterfield County. The sign with the Club's name will be installed in 6-8 weeks.

The drawing was held and the meeting was adjourned.

Submitted By:
Holly Womack & Judy Evans

NOVEMBER 7, 1990 MINUTES

In the absence of Monte Evans, President, the November meeting of the CVMC was called to order at Richmond Ford at 7:30 p.m. by Kenny Fischer, Vice-President.

Kenny welcomed everyone and told us that Monte was in Morgantown, WV on business. He told us there was nothing new to report regarding trophies and awards and no new car shows to report.

Nellie Fischer announced she had some Club merchandise with her and when asked about ordering Club jackets, she reminded everyone that 6 is the minimum number for which we can place an order.

Kenny mentioned Bill's BBQ on southside, near Dick Strauss Ford as a better place for our Club cruise on Saturday night. Since members from a lot of the other car clubs have started going over there, quite a few cars usually gather in that parking lot.

Kevin Kean announced that we have reached the 100 paid member mark after much work this year and asked that all members please read his letter in the November newsletter and come to him with any suggestions or problems you may have regarding the Club.

Carolyn Timms said she needs input from the members for the newsletter and especially needs those who have not already done so to send her their completed "Spotlight on Members" form.

Carroll Lipscombe suggested because of a \$25.00 processing fee and no guarantee of a spot in the parade the Club should not

pursue participation in the Jaycees Christmas Parade. He has requested information on the St. Patrick's Day Parade. Club participation in the Keysville Parade on December 9 was discussed and some members expressed an interest in attending it.

December 15 was decided as a good date for the Christmas party and as we have not already made other arrangements, Nellie and Kenny Fischer offered to have it in their home. As part of our discussion of Christmas, Kevin reminded everyone that the Grand Illumination at the James Center is being held at 6:00 p.m. on Friday, November 30th, and is quite a spectacle.

Kenny recognized all November birthdays.

Cheryl Kean, Treasurer, told us the bank has lost our September statement and is replacing it. Our current balance is \$885.49. The amount outstanding and to be replaced for NASCAR race tickets is \$442.00, giving a balance of \$1,327.49. A discussion regarding donations to charities at the end of the year followed and Mike Timms brought up the point that the Board of Directors felt it was a good idea to try to keep a bank balance of \$1,000.00. It was felt a working budget for next year was a good idea. Barbara Evans made a motion we wait until the next meeting to make a decision regarding the amount of our charitable contribution.

Proposed changes to the By-Laws which were in the November newsletter were voted on and

passed. A motion that Article XII, Amendment Section 2 be further changed deleting the wording "latest Robert's Rules of Order" and replacing it with the wording "existing By-Laws" also passed.

A proposal was made that another section be added to Article V, which would then read: Article V, Section 5. At the September meeting a nominating committee shall be appointed to draw up the slate of officers to be voted on. This committee shall not consist of any person currently holding an office. Absentee ballots will be mailed 2 weeks prior to the November meeting only to persons requesting them. A motion was made this proposal be considered at our next meeting.

Elections: For members who were voting at the meeting, signing the ballot was optional and Kevin would check the records to be sure voting was done by members in good standing only as the ballots were returned to him.

Break: There were many winning tickets during the raffle.

Kenny suggested members wishing to participate should bring a new toy for the Marine's Christmas "Toys for Tots" campaign to the next meeting.

Everyone is invited to go to Friendly's after the meeting.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Billie Jarvis, Secretary

SPOTLIGHT ON MEMBERS

NAME: Billie F. Jarvis **BIRTHDAY:** 11/3/36
MARITAL STATUS: Married to Bill
MUSTANGS OWNED: '67 GTA Fastback, '69 Boss 429, '70 Boss 302, '71 Boss 351, '73 Convertible
WHEN DID YOU ACQUIRE YOUR FIRST MUSTANG? 1972
- A '67 GTA

HOW DID YOU BECOME INTERESTED IN MUSTANGS? I liked the '67 GTA when my husband bought it for our son, and I knew it was here to stay when he told him he couldn't sell it.

DESCRIPTION ON HOW YOU RESTORED YOUR MUSTANG: Our cars were carefully restored by my husband in our garage and driveway, definitely a backyard job. My job was to hold for, run for, answer the phone for, help with the scrubbing and cleaning, carry parts, and be there when he needed someone to yell at.

ARE YOU AN ACTIVE CAR SHOW PARTICIPANT? I enjoy car shows. Not as active as a few years ago.

WHAT IS YOUR CURRENT INTEREST IN MUSTANGS? '67 to '73's as well as late '80 models.

OTHER INTERESTS/HOBBIES: Dolls and toys, racing, antiques, and bowling

OTHER CLUB AFFILIATIONS: PFCA, MCA, AACA, SAAC, NCRMC

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN SERVING AS A CVMC BOARD MEMBER OR COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN? Yes

WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE DOING IN 5 YEARS? Looking at 5 finished Mustangs and taking them to a Club function.

SUGGESTIONS/COMMENTS: I think as a whole our Club members do a very good job of running the Club, so that we accomplish what the Club was formed to do. I like the fact that most of our members own Mustangs because they like the cars, not because of the value of them. Of course this Club has a "click"! Every good club has one. It's always composed of the members who get the job done while the rest of us are off doing something else!

THANK YOU

I would like to thank those people who submitted pictures for the Club's scrapbook. Also, I need more pictures from the shows or events that the Club has participated in. If you send pictures, it would be a big help if you'd identify the event and the date on the back of the picture.

Bonnie Fischer, Scrapbook Chairman

CHRISTMAS PARTY FOR ALL MEMBERS

This year's Christmas party on December 15th at 7:30 p.m. will be held at Kenny & Nellie Fischer's house. The party is for all members of the Club, not just for a few, but for each and every member and their families. So mark your calendar and try to attend and celebrate the Christmas season with your friends from the CVMC.

If you need directions or have any questions, you can call Kenny or Nellie at 743-1490.

DOOR PRIZES & REFRESHMENTS

Door prizes and refreshments for the December 5th meeting will include items to get you into the spirit of the season. Look for gift certificates so that while you're out shopping you can pick out something for yourself. Also, there will be a Ford Motorsports wall clock.

Caffeine Free Diet Coke and Pepsi along with regular Coke and Diet Pepsi will be cold and frosty. Other drinks include Dr. Pepper and Mountain Dew. See you at the meeting.

Happy Holidays!
Barbara Evans

1991 OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS**OFFICERS**

PRESIDENT:.....Monte Evans

1ST VICE PRESIDENT:.....Kenny Fischer

2ND VICE PRESIDENT:.....Kevin Kean

TREASURER.....Cheryl Kean

SECRETARY.....Billie Jarvis

NATIONAL DIRECTOR:.....Al Azzarone

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

*Wayne Brannon
Carroll Lipscombe*

*Sonny Coble
David Lythgoe*

*Bill Jarvis
Butch Williamson*

MEMBERSHIP DUES

Its nearly time to renew your membership dues for the 1991 year. I would like to encourage each and everyone of you to renew as early as possible so the Club can get an idea of how much money we will have to budget for the next year.

Membership has so many benefits, like a wonderful newsletter each month, discounts all around town, friendship, lively monthly meetings, shows, parades, etc. So please renew soon. I would like to see every member on the roll now become a continued member for 1991.

Thank you.

Monte

**GUEST SPEAKER
DECEMBER 5, 1990**

The guest speaker at our next meeting on automobile theft prevention.

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year
Please join us
Wednesday, December 5th
for our next meeting at
Richmond Ford
4600 W. Broad Street
at 7:30 p.m.

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