

THE GALLOPING GAZETTE

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Central Virginia Mustang Club

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President's Message

FULL SUPPORT

Dear Club Members: This will be the last President's Message I'll be writing to you. As you know, Kevin Kean will be taking over this duty in January. I have tried to make each message as different as possible month after month, trying to keep it interesting and informative. You will have to be the one who decides if I succeeded in doing so. This one will definitely be different, because my tenure as president is nearly over and I need to address a couple of important things that go along with this ending.

I want to say to each of you that without your support and encouragement this could have been a long two years, but instead it has been a very rewarding, very fulfilling opportunity for me. Some of you have told me that I have done a very good job as president, and I thank you for these words of kindness, but to be very honest, I could not have accomplished the successes we have had without the very hard working, very loyal people who worked side by side with me. The other officers, the board of directors, the chairpersons, of all the committees, and you the Club members have really been the ones who have made the past two years successful, and I thank you so very much for your work and friendship. The key to having a successful term of office in any organization is to have successful people around you and as your outgoing president, I really feel I had the absolute best

around me. You all deserve the credit for the past two years and I salute you.

As we begin a new year with a new president, I would like to ask one last thing of you, it's not hard to do and I think it comes easy to you as a Club member, I would ask you to give Kevin and the rest of the officers all of the encouraging words you gave me, support him and his officers, directors and chairpersons. They will need your full support as I needed it.

And as I write my final words as president, I pledge to you my continued dedication to the success of our Club and to each of you who are willing to take a leadership role in making this Club what it is, I promise you my full support.

Thank You and God Bless You

Monte

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or any other

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Secretary, Billie Jarvis

at any meeting

or

call 262-2137.



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

DECEMBER

Ed Wood	2
Earl Morris	6
Barbara Evans	7
Christy Jeffers	7
Leslie Anthony	8
Lee Buckner	9
Clyde Christian	10
Henry Hardin	11
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Jackie Shipp	15
Carolyn Christian	16
Bob Blackman	18
Angela Jeffers	18
Michelle Johnson	22
Manuel Nichols	23
Brenda Jones	25
Carl Evans	26
Pat Clayton	27
Rita Harding	29

EVENTS

December 4
CVMC regular meeting
at 7:30 p.m.
Richmond Ford
4600 W. Broad St.

December 7
Cruise Night
Bill's BBQ
Midlothian Trnpg.

December 21
CVMC Christmas Party
Belmont Recreation Ctr.

TECHNICAL ADVISORS

If you have any technical questions regarding Mustangs, you can call one of the following members for help. They will try to answer any questions you might have.

Sonny Coble	282-4932
Kenny Fischer	743-1490
Bill Jarvis	262-2137
Carroll Lipscombe	329-5901
Rick Nohta	222-8481

1992 OFFICERS

President	Kevin Kean
1st V.P.	Kenny Fischer
2nd V.P.	Mike Timms
Secretary	Donna Seay
Treasurer ...	Gene Lopreste
Nat'l. Director ..	Al Azzarone

RICK'S TIPS

Car Values

For the past year or so I have been able to go to a couple of the big Auto Auctions; Atlantic City, Auburn, Charlotte to mention a few. I have noticed that current car value books are no longer current. I have found that cars valued at say \$10,000 in the "Mustang Black Book" are actually selling at auction for approximately one-half to two-thirds the current book value. Owners are also letting cars go at the lower prices.

The recession has taken its toll in many areas and the collector car market is still suffering. Values are dropping and will continue to drop, I feel until summer of next year. Keep faith though, prices will rise again.

Thought you might want to know where values are currently.

If I can be of any help, please mention this article when you call me. My telephone number during the day 222-8481.

Happy Cruisin...Rick

NOVEMBER 6, 1991 MINUTES

The November 6th meeting of the Central Virginia Mustang Club was called to order by Monte Evans, President at 7:30 p.m.

Monte welcomed everyone and it was noted we have 46 members in attendance tonight. New members and visitors were welcomed.

Our speaker tonight will be Monte and the theme will be on safety at railroad crossings.

Carolyn Timms was welcomed back and thanked for doing such a good job on the newsletter.

The elections will be held tonight. Every member who wants to run for an office is welcomed to do so.

All members having November birthdays were wished "Happy Birthday."

Cruise night will be held Saturday, November 9th.

Our Club has been advised that the Easter Seal Show at Innsbrook has been filled. We will not be participating.

Kevin Kean noted that signatures on the ballots are not necessary. All mail-in votes must be signed. He also stated that members who wish to renew their membership may do so at anytime.

Cheryl Kean, Treasurer, reported a bank balance of \$435.18. There are still tickets available for the race on March 8, 1992, therefore, this money is still outstanding.

Carroll Lipscombe reminded us of the Christmas Parade on November 30th. Anyone wishing to attend should contact him.

Donna Seay, Motorsports Director has packets from Hedman Headers tonight.

Brenda Jones spoke about books of coupons which the Club could use to raise money.

Barbara Evans announced she has a model Mustang, Winston sweatshirt, and other door prizes for the raffle tonight. She also has refreshments.

Under new business, we were told the "Toys for Tots" program does not expect expensive gifts as they are more interested in quantity than quality. All members wishing to participate should bring the gifts to the next meeting. They will be taken to the Marines. The cut-off date is December 20th. Brenda Jones also mentioned the Salvation Army Shoe Fund, WRVA is a drop-off point.

Cheryl Kean and Donna Seay announced the Christmas Party will be held in the Hermitage Room, at Belmont Park on Hilliard Road, December 21st, from 7 to 11 p.m. Holly, Brenda, Nellie, Bonnie, and Carolyn volunteered for the committee to help with this.

Kenny Fischer showed us a trophy he made using a Motorcraft oil filter. He said it probably cost about \$6 to make and he wondered if the Club would like to make them in an effort to cut the price of trophies for our car show next year.

Monte reminded everyone it is time for our "Adopt A Highway" program. November 16th was set as the

date. This will be postponed in the case of bad weather. Volunteers are needed for lots of fun. Free lunch! A flyer giving all information will be mailed. Everyone should meet at 10 a.m. at K-Mart Shopping Center on Rt. 60 in Midlothian.

Elections: Monte said if there were no additions to the ballot, we would vote at this time. Election Committee: Judy Evans and Don Smith handled counting votes.

6 race tickets have been sold during the meeting, 4 tickets are left.

Monte introduced an illustration of an operation: "Operation Life Saver" and asked the question, "Could you save the life of someone you loved?" He will have an explanation for us after break.

After a short break, Monte had a very informative talk and video about the dangers of not obeying the laws and trying to out-run trains at railroad crossings. "Railroad Crossing Safety Facts and Figures" read by various members was very interesting.

Our next meeting will be on December 4th.

The new slate of officers was announced:

President: Kevin Kean

1st VP: Kenny Fischer

2nd VP: Mike Timms

Secretary: Donna Seay

Treasurer: Gene Lopreste

Nat'l Director: Al Azzarone

The raffle was held after which the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Billie Jarvis, Secretary

SPOTLIGHT ON MEMBERS

NAME: Gloria D. Hardin
BIRTHDAY: 9/12/45
MARITAL STATUS: Married to Henry
MUSTANGS OWNED: '67 Coupe
WHEN DID YOU ACQUIRE YOUR FIRST MUSTANG? January, 1991
HOW DID YOU BECOME INTERESTED IN MUSTANGS? Friends had one and I liked it.
DESCRIPTION ON HOW YOU RESTORED YOUR MUSTANG: Working on it.
ARE YOU AN ACTIVE CAR SHOW PARTICIPANT? Yes
WHAT IS YOUR CURRENT INTEREST IN MUSTANGS? For show and street driving.
OTHER INTERESTS/HOBBIES: Ceramics and boat riding
OTHER CLUB AFFILIATIONS: None
ARE YOU INTERESTED IN SERVING AS A CVMC BOARD MEMBER OR COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN? No
WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE DOING IN 5 YEARS? Showing my Mustangs and owning more of them.

TOYS FOR TOTS

The Central Virginia Mustang Club is once again this year supporting the Marine's "Toys for Tots" program.

Please bring a couple of inexpensive toys to our next meeting on December 4th. The program has expressed to us that they prefer quantity - not quality. It is a lot easier for them to distribute many toys rather than a few expensive toys.

Please help us help the children in our community to have a Merry Christmas. Thank you.

Mike Timms

ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY

On November 16th, 10 members of the Club filled 23 bags of trash on our section of highway we adopted as a Club. I sincerely thank each of you who participated in this clean-up. I for one always have a pretty good time doing this and I always enjoy the company. The pizza is not bad either. Thank you.

Monte

A TIME TO GIVE THANKS! A TIME TO CELEBRATE!

As we look around us, there are many things to be thankful for. It is not a time to dwell on the things we don't have, but a time to give thanks for our many blessings. We feel one of these blessings is the many good friends we have in the CVMC, and we give thanks for each of you.

With Christmas just around the corner, we hope it will be a safe and merry time for you and your families and may we all remember why its a time to celebrate. Merry Christmas.

Happy Holidays,

Monte & Judy

Matching Car, Customer by Design

Automakers Profile Buyers, Shape Models to Consumer Tastes

This statistical data defines the preferences and tastes of new car buyers. The first column is research done by J. D. Powers & Associates. The second column comes from the crack Research Division of the NCRMC members. (This article appeared in their newsletter.)

J. D. Powers & Assocs.	%	NCRMC	%
ROAD HATERS: Most concerned about safety; prefer large cars with plenty of cargo and passenger room; don't enjoy driving; 69% female; often have low individual income.	25.5	ROAD HATERS: Always trailer Mustangs. Tires never touch dirt. Prefer large, well equipped trailers loaded with car grooming supplies. Often have high individual income but very little money.	15
FUNCTIONALISTS: Lean towards sensible, efficient cars; not influenced by sportiness; obey speed limits; often retirees or people with lots of children.	11.8	FUNCTIONALISTS: Owners who consider Mustangs as practical daily drivers regardless of weather or road conditions. Don't mind a little dirt or engine smoke as long as Mustang is dependable. Never put cars in shows but drive them there. Cars can be identified by snow tires and cracks in dash pad. Always carry (used) emergency parts in trunk.	20
EPICURES: Drive fully equipped, comfortable cars; like stylish or elegant cars; 47% female; annual income over \$100,000.	25.9	EPICURES: (Def: One devoted to sensual pleasure) Mustangs are significantly modified to point of sensuality. Have affinity for metallic pearl paint and velour upholstery. Storage space for Mustang (never referred to as garage) is usually panelled in cherry wood with broadloom carpet. Engine may not contain any fluids since they're never started - burns the chrome on the manifolds and may dirty the insides of the exhaust system.	10
GEAR HEADS: True car enthusiasts; enjoy working on their cars and driving them; believe a car says a lot about its owner; 82% male.	16.7	GEAR HEADS: Easily identified by dirt under the fingernails and bandaged fingers. Always working on Mustangs. Subtle modifications to Mustang are common. Owner usually found in garage.	30
PURISTS: Not brand loyal; skeptical, but like driving; like cars with sporty attributes; youngest segment.	4.2	PURISTS: Often Shelby owners with definite superior air. Will attend ordinary Mustang events if conditions deemed perfect. Also, concourse Mustang owners who will use only original Rotunda washer fluid in washer bag and will impress judges with on site chemical analysis.	5
NEGATIVES: View cars as necessary evils; don't have much interest in upkeep or colors; often professionals with kids; most educated segment.	15.8	NEGATIVES: Own a Mustang which is seldom seen and always under restoration. Constantly searching for parts which accumulate in basement or garage, may someday be installed on Mustang. Identified by several colors of primer on Mustang.	20

CENTRAL VIRGINIA MUSTANG CLUB

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Saturday, December 21, 1991

7 p.m. - 11 p.m.

Belmont Recreation Center

1600 Hillard Road

Between Lakeside Avenue and Rt. 1 in Henrico County

You, your family and friends are invited to join the members of the Central Virginia Mustang Club to celebrate the holiday season.

Dance and boogie the night away to a variety of tunes. Music provided by DJ, Kevin Kean.

A light munchies menu will be provided including chips, dips, vegetable trays, ham biscuits, nuts, candy, and many other surprises.

We ask that you bring your own alcoholic beverage. A limited amount of soft drinks will be available. If you have a particular favorite, please bring it along.

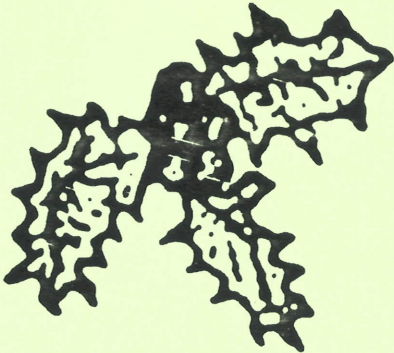
*Admission is **FREE**! However, it would be appreciated but not mandatory if you bring a side dish or party item.*

For more information or directions contact:

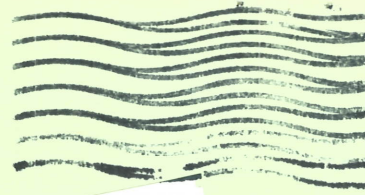
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Please join us
Wednesday, December 4th
for our next meeting at
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4600 W. Broad Street
at 7:30 p.m.

