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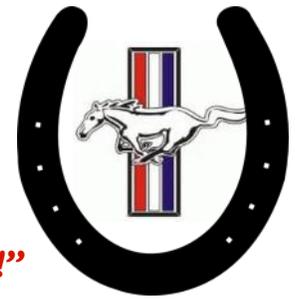
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Chasing Eleanor

The Story of Mike Garcia's Mustang Pursuit

My Mustang story started when I was 14 when my uncle said he would give me his 1968 coupe which had a 289 with an automatic transmission. Just before I became of driving age, he tried to start his own business and he needed money so the Mustang was sold with the hopes of greater things. Ever since then I have been chasing Eleanor.

Audrey -

With the '68 gone, my first Mustang turned out to be a white with red interior, 1964 1/2 with a 170 ci inline six backed by a 3 speed manual transmission. The car was being sold by a V.P. of the bank that my mom worked for. After the '68 slipped away, I was pretty determined to have this '64 1/2. The car was parked in the bank parking lot and I would visit "my" car often. At one point, a lady noticed me near the car and asked how much it was selling it for. I told her that it was no longer for sale and that it had been sold. At the time that was a complete lie. It was my first car which I used my Sr. year of high school and for several years afterward. I even took it to California to my first duty station when I went into the Air Force. I ended up selling it but was able to keep it in the family and was eventually able to get it back.



Elizabeth -

My second Mustang was a black 1997 with a V6 automatic. Expecting our first child my wife and I went shopping for a Jeep Grand Cherokee. The Jeep dealer drug their feet and didn't seem very motivated to make a sale. Maybe because we looked kind of young. We ended up across the street at the Ford dealer and maybe it was the pregnancy talking ended up driving off the lot with Mustang number 2. A day or so later Jeep called inviting us back to pick up our Jeep... That Mustang also went with us to California and then to New Mexico for another assignment. It was pretty cool living in California with two Mustangs, one classic and one late model in the driveway. At one point, a tire slasher struck but leapfrogged both my ponies.

Chasing Eleanor—Mike Garcia's story continued...

Vicki -

I got my third Mustang in Washington D.C. It was a teal 1993 coupe. It was a 4cyl with a 5-spd manual transmission. I wasn't exactly thrilled to have a 4cyl, but I needed something to get around D.C. and I was fan of the fox body. It was surprisingly pleasant to drive. Despite the small power plant, my mind was changed. I enjoyed the car until the day I sold it. The only issue I had with the car was a clutch replacement and timing belt. I caught a lot of grief for having a 4cyl Mustang but it was reliable and looked good for her age. My friends in Virginia referred to her as the "Topaz Pony".

Bridgette -

My current daily driver is a white 2015 V6 with a 6-spd manual transmission. After the '93 coupe was sold I looked for another Mustang but couldn't find anything in my price range. I won't say what I had to go with, but sometimes you have to do what you have to do. Needless to say, several years passed before I was able to get back in the saddle. I finally got to a point where I have to Mustang shop again. While browsing Mustang listings I crossed this white 2015 which reminded me of Audrey. I told my wife that when I was able to get another Mustang it would be like the one in the listing. It took another two months before I was ready to actually buy and with some luck on my side, the car was still there. I went to the dealer to see it and was afraid I would be disappointed due to over excitement. After the test drive I was practically handing the sales guy money. He was trying to show me other Mustangs with leather packages and electronic packages but the only option I really wanted was a manual transmission. We finally closed the sale.

I once again I have two Mustangs in the drive way. Audrey and Bridgette. Audrey ended up going from Texas to California, back to Texas for a few years, and then to Virginia and back to Texas. Audrey is in serious need of repair and restoration but she will ride again.





The San Antonio Mustang Club (SAMC) is a San Antonio-based Club that also encompasses surrounding suburbs and smaller cities. SAMC is the first and largest Mustang Club in San Antonio. The Club was started in 1980 with only a handful of Mustang enthusiasts that

answered a newspaper ad and gathered in the Northstar Mall parking lot. The Club presently has grown to over 150 active members, with 80% being family memberships making the Club over 200 strong. We are dedicated to serving all those who own a Mustang, who are past owners, or who dream of owning a Mustang and just simply love the Ford-built muscle car. We work to educate Club members and the public about all generations of the Mustang and promote its appreciation. You do not have to own a Mustang to become a member.

If this is your first time attending our Club Meeting or reading this publication, welcome and thanks for choosing to visit! We encourage you to explore all that SAMC has to offer. Check out our website: SAMUSTANG.COM. If you have questions, please ask any member. If they can't help you or answer your question, they can definitely point you in the right direction!

Official Club Sponsors:



San Antonio Mustang Club Meeting Dates, Time, and Venue

Meetings are always held on the first Wednesday of the month at Matamoros Restaurant. Start time is 7:00pm. Show up early, eat your dinner with us, and socialize with other members before the meeting.

We meet in the restaurant's party room that can seat 120 comfortably. The food is delicious, fast, and priced right! Service is always excellent too. Matamoros Restaurant is located at 12844 IH-10 West, San Antonio, TX 78249.



Next Meetings:

- **Apr 4th**
- **May 2nd**
- **June 6th**



A Friendly Reminder... The San Antonio Mustang Club is NOT responsible for paying for your meals or your drinks at the meetings.

Coming early to eat prior to the meeting (or during the meeting) is encouraged as a time to socialize and meet new members prior to the meeting time of 7:00pm. Meals and drinks are at your own expense and we also encourage you to tip the server generously. Please see Mark Williams if you forgot to pay your bill. Thanks!



President's Path

Article by Paul Woeppel, President



Happy April my SAMC friends! If you haven't noticed, the Blue Bonnets are blooming, Fiesta 2018 is on the way and car shows and related activities are in full swing. In March we had approx. 24 club members and family make their way to the MCA event in McAllen, Texas. I can safely say we collectively had a great time. The event, the sights, and the camaraderie were incredible. The South Texas Mustang Club did a fantastic job! Adding to the fun, we had numerous winners, for both new members and seasoned ones: Robert Carington, Tom Bader, Becky Dowda, Paul Read, William Burdick, Mike Dumont, and Jeff Kroll.

At the International Facility Management Association (IFMA) Backyard BBQ Cook Off & Car Show Tammy Thompson took home a trophy for representing the club. Club members braved the heat at the 7th Annual Memorial Festival & Open Car Show, hosted by the San Antonio Police Officers' Assn. and one of our members, Ken Wise, took home a first-place trophy! As you can see, March was an extremely busy month and April will be no different. Looking forward, we are anxiously waiting for 4-8 April when the Texas Shelby Club rolls into San Marcos for their annual event. We have coordinated with their club as well as other local mustang clubs to participate on 7 April in their cruises to the hill country. When was the last time you followed an AC Cobra down the backroads of the Twisted Sisters and surrounding areas? Should be a great time! A full agenda of that day is posted on the calendar on our website.

As mentioned last month, we have started planning our trip to "Sturgis Mustang Week!" in South Dakota 24 Aug – 2 Sept. This will be an exciting event. If you are curious about what the event is about check out their website (<http://www.sturgismustangrally.com/>)

The weather was on our side, finally, for our Cruise in at Rolling Oaks Mall. Tom Bader was instrumental in talking the First Gen Camaro club into joining us. We averaged about 40-45 cars, which isn't bad considering it has been several months since we have been able to hold this event. Going forward we anticipate it growing. If you haven't made it out there you should come, as well as invite your car friends.

The Board moved forward with the "Lone Star Mustang and Ford Round-Up" on 20 Oct 2018. This event is designed to bring all the Mustang and Ford clubs in Texas together for a day of fun. We will be incorporating cruises, team activities, a rally and other events to make it a success. As a reminder, we are using this event to help us raise money for Dare to Love. We will begin the planning phase in the very near future, so check your emails and help make this event a success. We will discuss it in detail at the April Monthly meeting.

As mentioned at the last monthly meeting, the Draft By-Laws are ready for the membership to review and provide comments. We will be voting on the Draft By-Laws at the May Membership meeting. The documents are available for download on our website. So, you can see the April meeting will have a full agenda.

Finally, please keep Mary and Paul Govoni in your prayers as they work through their recovery. If you have questions, please contact me, Paul Woeppel, at president@samustang.com.

OFFICERS

*"Coming together is a beginning, staying together is progress, and working together is success."
Henry Ford*

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**VOLUNTEERS
DO NOT
NECESSARILY
HAVE THE TIME;
THEY HAVE
THE HEART**

ELIZABETH ANDREW

MESSAGE FROM THE EDITOR

So every month I tell everyone the same thing: "I need your stories."

I don't know anything about cars, or Mustangs. I just drive one, and I love to look at cars. So I have been reading things in *Mustang Times*, *Muscle Mustangs & Fast Fords*, and *Mustang Monthly*. Yes, I subscribe to these magazines. A few times I have scanned and placed a copy of an article or two from *Mustang Times* into our Hoofprints Newsletter. This is actually very much against every fiber in my body because it's copying and could get me into trouble as your editor... You don't want me to go to jail do you? So please—send me your Mustang photos, tech-talk, stories, suggestions, jokes, recipes, parts for sale, etc. If you, the membership, want this Newsletter to be a reflection of our club - **I need YOU to volunteer** - help make it a great publication for the entire club and anyone else who downloads it!

ANYONE CAN CONTRIBUTE—Members or non-members! (See SAMC Editorial Statement of Purpose Below)

Send your ideas, articles, etc. and photos to:

rebeccadowda@yahoo.com

Respectfully,

Becky Dowda



Submission deadline for the **APRIL 2018** issue:

- The weekend following the monthly Club meeting.
- Meeting is APRIL 4th - so deadline is **APRIL 15th**.
- If needed, it can be later than that date too!

**San Antonio Mustang Club
Editorial Statement of Purpose**

The purpose of the San Antonio Mustang Club's monthly newsletter, HOOFPRIENTS, is to provide the membership with information on Club activities, cruises, volunteer opportunities, various articles on topics relating to Mustangs, editorials, and an occasional humorous insert. Any member who wants to contribute their own article, editorial, or letter to the Editor with comments on previous Newsletter contents, is welcome and encouraged to do so. This is a publication put together for the benefit of the Club and belongs to the Club members. Without the members, this publication would not be possible. Comments and suggestions are always welcome.

NOTE: Anything submitted for the purpose of publication will be reviewed and possibly edited. The Editor, with the President and Board, has the right to refuse any article or editorial if the content of such is considered offensive, vulgar, or of questionable material. Readers should also know that all content submitted by other members are opinions only, relating to the integrity of the person who submitted the article, and should not reflect as the opinion of the Club as a whole.

**BOTH OPTIMISTS AND
PESSIMISTS CONTRIBUTE TO
OUR SOCIETY. THE OPTIMIST
INVENTS THE AIRPLANE AND THE
PESSIMIST THE PARACHUTE.**

GLADYS BRONWYN STEIN

Which will you be for your club?



Yes! Because

**YOU
MATTER.**



ACTIVITY COMMITTEES

of the San Antonio Mustang Club

Activity Committees meet after the regularly scheduled Monthly meeting. Additional meetings may be held by each committee on an as needed basis and are at the discretion of that activity. Below are current Committees open to all SAMC members to volunteer and/or participate in. If you would like to be added to any Committee list below, please email our Webmaster, Steve Garcia at s.garcia@samustang.com or our President, Paul Woepfel at pwoepfel@yahoo.com.



MCA COMMITTEE

This committee looks at all upcoming MCA activities and events to determine which ones SAMC members may like to participate in. They also make preparations related to those events.

MCA Committee Members:

- Paul Woepfel
- Greg Polizzi
- Robert Carington
- Tom Bader
- Jack & Barbara Klug



DARE TO LOVE COMMITTEE

This committee is responsible for assisting the Dare To Love Charity on behalf of SAMC. They will request help from the club when needed.

Dare To Love Committee Members:

- Paul Govoni
- Lou Critchlow



CLASSIC MUSTANG / FORD COMMITTEE

This committee looks at those activities for the 64 1/2 to 1973 classic Mustangs. They will find activities benefitting our members who have classic cars, such as tech shop talk/meetings, classic mustang vendors support, and helping others who need assistance working on the older classics.

Classic Mustang/Ford Committee Members:

- Richard Birnbach
- Paul Woepfel
- Greg Polizzi
- Robert Carington
- Guy Hamilton
- Richard House
- Earl Critchlow
- Paul Read



EVENTS / ACTIVITY COMMITTEE

This committee looks at all upcoming events/parades, researches what is required to participate, and then determines if there is an interest by SAMC members to participate in the events/activities, etc.

Events / Activity Committee Members:

- Traci Tate & Paul Woepfel



CRUISE COMMITTEE

This committee researches and arranges monthly cruise activities (Hill Country, unique landmarks, museums, lunch/dinner cruises, etc.) They also engage other Mustang/Ford clubs to participate with SAMC.

Cruise Committee Members:

- Traci Tate & Paul Woepfel
- Rene Read
- Cathy Nelson
- Sam & Cheryl A Di Ianni



ROLLING OAKS MALL SATURDAY CRUISE-IN COMMITTEE

This committee is responsible for coordinating the monthly Cruise-in's and schedules.

Cruise Committee Members:

- David & Kathy Gunnoe
- Greg & Denise Polizzi
- Paul Woepfel & Traci Tate
- Nate & Tammy Thompson
- David Fernandez
- Jim and Jean Cooper
- Curt Fodderie

SISTER CLUBS OF SAN ANTONIO MUSTANG CLUB:



NORTHSIDE MUSTANG CAR CLUB (NMCC)

Houston-based car club founded in June of 2009 and Chartered as a Regional Club by the Mustang Club of America creating 1 of 2 MCA Charter Clubs in the Houston, TX area.
For more info on NMCC contact: Randy Weldon
713-401-9587 (Houston) / randy.k.weldon@gmail.com

<http://www.northsidemustang.org/index.html>



MUSTANG CLUB PINK POWER

An Italian-based ladies only club, part of the Mustang Club of Italy. For more info on MCPP, you can contact their President: Manuela Mancin
mustangclubpinkpower@libero.it
mnmblu@libero.it

Facebook: Manuela Mancin (Mustang Club Pink Power)

Instagram: manumustang64

YouTube: Munauela64

Twitter: ManuelaMancin

<http://www.mustangclubofitaly.it/mustang-club-pink-power/>

Is your Mustang Club affiliated with the Mustang Club of America? Would your club like to link with us as a Sister Club? We would love to learn more about your club, your activities, and your membership! It's always fun to travel and know you have Mustang "Family" across the country. Contact our President, Paul Woeppel, at pwoepfel@yahoo.com.

If you are visiting San Antonio, or the surrounding cities (New Braunfels, Austin, Boerne, Fredericksburg, etc.) let us know! Perhaps one of our members can arrange a meet-up or cruise with you. There are lots of places that only the locals know about!



WE NEED YOU

EVERY MONTH WE WANT TO FEATURE MUSTANGS

in our Hoofprints Newsletter and on our SAMC Website.

We are relying members of SAMC, our Sister Clubs, and ANY Mustang Owners to participate! Even if you're not a member, if you've got a Mustang,

You've got a story!!!

**DON'T BE SHY! GO AHEAD!
YOU KNOW YOU WANT TO BRAG!!**

Here's how to send in your featured car/s in just 3 EASY STEPS:

1. **Write something!** Talk about your car dreams, where you found it, why you chose it, how you purchased it, what it means to you, what you've done to it, where you've been in it, etc. (Just keep it clean please!)
2. **Choose 3 to 5 really, really good photos** of your car, with or without your own mug in the photos. .jpg images work best and you can embed them in your story in a Word document, or you can just send the photos as attachments.
3. **Submit your write-up and photos** by the monthly deadline to: rebeccadowda@yahoo.com, or you can send via Facebook Messenger.

Tread new roads with SAMC!



UPCOMING EVENTS with SAMC

- MAR 29** **Pep Boys Marbach Road Cruise Nights**
Pep Boys Marbach Road Cruise Nights ...
- MAR 31** **11th Annual Lester's Automotive & Customer Appreciation Open Car Show**
- MAR 31** **16th Regional Mustang And Ford Show Jacksonville, Florida**
FL - Jacksonville Mustang Club present...
- APR 1** **NMCC - The Woodlands Cars And Coffee For A Cause - Houston**
- APR 4-8** **2018 Texas Cobra Club Spring Meet**
- APR 5** **Pep Boys Marbach Road Cruise Nights**
Pep Boys Marbach Road Cruise Nights ...
- APR 7** **40th Annual Mustang And Ford Show Lexington, South Carolina**
SC - Central South Carolina Mustang Cl...
- APR 7** **Northside Mustang Car Club Gullo All Ford Show**
NMCC Car show at Gullo Ford. This is ...
- APR 7** **Bulverde Car Show**
www.BulverdeCarShow.com
- APR 7** **9th Annual All Ford Show**
- APR 12** **Pep Boys Marbach Road Cruise Nights**
Pep Boys Marbach Road Cruise Nights ...
- APR 13-14** **15th Annual White Sands Mustang/Ford Round-Up Alamogordo, New Mexico**
The registration fee is \$30. Register by ...
- APR 14** **Gardenridge Car Show**
- APR 19** **Pep Boys Marbach Road Cruise Nights**
Pep Boys Marbach Road Cruise Nights ...
- APR 20** **New Braunfels Swap Meet & Car Show**
26th Annual swap meet & car show, Co...
- APR 21** **New Braunfes Swap Meet & Car Show**
26th Annual Swap Meet & Car Show, C...
- APR 22** **New Braunfes Swap Meet & Car Show**
26th Annual swap meet & car show, Co...

Other Local Events

For links to events, event flyers, and registrations forms, go to the **SAMC Website**. (www.samustang.com) For more events, along with links to the flyers and registration forms, you can visit these sites as well:

www.southtexascc.com, then click "Schedule"

www.carshowradar.com, then enter the city or "Browse"

MAR 24: MOCA 11th Annual Spring Open Car Show, 8am-4pm,

Dell Diamond, Hwy 79, Round Rock, TX; \$20 pre-registration

MAR 31: 11th Annual Lester's Automotive & Customer Appreciation Open Car Show, 7a-4p, Boerne, TX - Early Register for \$25 per car. 7am Same Day Registration \$35 per car, If Rain, date will be moved to April 8. Contact Dave Depriest 210-241-0277 or Robert

Perkins 830-249-2501. <http://www.lestersautomotivecenter.com/>

MAR 31: Fenders & Food Trucks on the Frio Open Car Show;

Andy's on River Road, Concan, TX. [Vwww.visitvaldecountry.com](http://www.visitvaldecountry.com)

APR 01: NMCC—The Woodlands Cars & Coffee for a Cause; Houston, TX

APR 04 to APR 08: Texas Cobra Club 19th Annual Spring Meet, Embassy Suites Hotel and Convention Center in San Marcos, TX;

www.texascobrameet.com for more information

APR 06 to APR 07: 17th Annual Lone Star Rod & Custom Round Up & Swap Meet; Travis County Expo Center, 7311 Decker Lane, Austin, TX; 512-441-2444

APR 07: Northside Mustang Car Club Gullo All Ford Show; go to <http://carshowfun.com>; You can register online and payment will be made the day of the show.

APR 07: Bulverde Car Show, 7a-3p, Bulverde, TX - Early register for \$30. Day of Event \$35 registration. Light rain or shine event. For more info call Larry at 210-286-8050. Info@BulverdeCarShow.com

<https://www.sbbions.com/bulverde-car-show>

APR 14: Garden Ridge Open Car & Craft Show, 8a-4p, Garden Ridge, TX, rain or shine event, pre-register for \$25 or \$30 day of show, call Dave 219-588-6298, <http://grcpaaa.com/index.html>

APR 21: TCA Open Car Show, 8a-3p, Boerne, TX, 8am registration, \$30 per car (pre-register online), \$35 per car after April 14. Visit

www.texas-corvette-association.org for more info and to pre-register.

APR 20 to APR 22: New Braunfels Area Car Club Swap Meet & Sunday Car Show; Comal County Fair Grounds, 801 E. Common St.;

Free to Public; www.newbraunfelsareacarclub.com

APR 28: TX Bowties 1st Generation Camaro Club, Spring Open Car Show, 8a-4p, Cornerstone Church, San Antonio, TX, \$25 per car (pre-register until Apr 20), \$30 per car day of event. Call 210-494-9291 or Visit www.texasbowties.com

GO BABY! GO!



THE MUSTANG OWNERS CLUB OF AUSTIN

11th Annual Spring Open Car Show & Dell Diamond Fan Fest

Saturday, March
24, 2018
Rain or Shine
Dell Diamond
Hwy. 79, Round Rock



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11th ANNUAL OPEN CAR SHOW & CUSTOMER APPRECIATION DAY

Saturday, March 31, 2018 ~ 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(Rain day: Sunday, April 8, 2018)

Food ~ Beverages ~ Music ~ Door Prizes ~ Raffles ~ T-Shirt for Each Entry

Professional Judges ~ Awards in Each Category ~ Best in Show Award

Staging: 7-9 a.m. ~ Judging begins: 9 a.m. ~ Awards immediately after judging completed

EARLY REGISTRATION: \$25.00

Checks payable to Dave Depriest

Mail to P. O. Box 1853, Boerne, TX 78006

SAME DAY REGISTRATION: \$35.00

Exact cash or checks payable to JDRF

(Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation)

Spring Branch Bulverde Family Lions Club Best in Class & Class Award in all 32 classes

5th Annual Roar for Kids Bulverde Car Show

2018



Raffles



Saturday April 7, 2018

Judging: 10:00 - 2:00 Awards @ 3:00

Light rain or Shine ☀️

Staging: 7:00-10:00

for more information:

call Larry @ 210.286.8050

Info@BulverdeCarShow.com

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Please sign in and make your donation at the check-in area in front of Starbucks

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The Woodlands Cars & Coffee For A Cause Sunday, April 1, 2018

6:30am—11:00am

9595 Six Pines Dr
The Woodlands, TX 77380
Contact Paul Woeppel
pwoeppel@yahoo.com



Texas Cobra Club Spring Meet



Home General Information Agenda Hotel Info Registration and Fees Who's Coming About Us -Texas Cobra Club Gallery

Track Day Info

General Information

- Date: Wednesday, April 4 thru Sunday, April 7
- Location: Embassy Suites and Convention Center, San Marcos, TX

Hosted by **NORTHSIDE MUSTANG CAR CLUB** **9TH ANNUAL**

GULLO'S All Ford Show
APRIL, 7 2018



1ST AND 2ND PLACE AWARDS

Car show entry \$30
Registration: 9am to 12pm
Show time- 9am- 3pm

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Conroe, TX 77301
gulloford.com

Contacts:

Randy Weldon 678.296.6546
Mark Pierce 337-322.6553

VENDORS ARE WELCOME PLEASE EMAIL NORTHSIDEMUSTANGCARCLUB@YAHOO.COM FOR VENDOR INFORMATION

TEXAS CORVETTE ASSOCIATION 2018 OPEN CAR SHOW
SATURDAY **APRIL 21, 2018**
City of Boerne

FREE ADMISSION FOR THE PUBLIC

PRE-REGISTRATION \$30 - AFTER APRIL 14, 2018 \$35

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6.2L V8 400 HP
6 SPEED PADDLE SHIFT
27 WHEELS
LEATHER INTERIOR

PROCEEDS BENEFITTING ST. JUDE'S RAUNCH FOR CHILDREN TEXAS

CLASS AWARDS, BEST IN CLASS FOR BOTH TCA AND NON-TCA PARTICIPANTS

GROUPS - ARRIVE TOGETHER AND PARK TOGETHER

REGISTRANTS RECEIVE A COMMEMORATIVE T-SHIRT

FRIDAY NIGHT MEET & GREET WITH HORS D'OEUVRES

OPTIONAL SUNDAY HILL COUNTRY RUN WITH LUNCH

PARTICIPANT JUDGING

FOOD - MUSIC - VENDORS FAMILY FUN FOR EVERYONE!

SILENT AUCTION - Also Benefiting St. Jude's

SJRC TEXAS

ATM Onsite

50/50 DRAWING

CASH AWARDS!

1st, 2nd, 3rd place trophies

DJ Food Silent Auction

www.texas-corvette-association.com

New Braunfels Area Car Club
Swap Meet & Sunday Car Show

26th Annual April 20-21-22 **2018** **FREE Parts Hauling**

No Dogs Allowed Except Service & Vendor Dogs

ATM Onsite

Comal County Fairgrounds
801 E. Cannon Street
New Braunfels, Texas
Free to Public
On-Site Parking
\$5.00 Per Car
\$10.00 Trucks w/ Trailers
Vendors May Enter
Spaces Starting 8:00 A.M. Thursday

www.newbraunfelsareacarclub.com

Profits from the Swap Meet and Car Show are used for educational scholarships. 24-hour security provided. Host clubs not responsible for damages, theft or injury. Food and drink provided by concession only.

Make Swap Meet Registration Checks Payable to: **New Braunfels Swap Meet**
Mail to: Swap Meet - Marilyn Marshall, 1120 Altwein Lane, New Braunfels, TX 78130

SWAP MEET REGISTRATION
Swap Meet Space 1/2 x 25' \$40.00
Registration at Gate \$45.00

Name: _____
Company Name: _____

1075 SPACES SOLD OUT! COME SHOP!

If multiple spaces are required, PLEASE specify: **side by side OR back to back**

Swap Meet Info: 830-708-1372

SUNDAY CAR & TRUCK SHOW
See back for more information

8th ANNUAL Texas Bowties First Generation Camaro Club

Spring Open Car Show
Saturday, Apr 28 8am - 4pm
Rain or Shine: No Rain Date
Registration 8am - 11am

Benefitting The Magdalena House
www.maghouse.org

Cornerstone Church
Loop 1604 and Stone Oak Pkwy
18755 Stone Oak Pkwy, San Antonio, TX 78258

50/50 DRAWING

CASH AWARDS!

1st, 2nd, 3rd place trophies

DJ Food Silent Auction

SHOW CLASSES: (subject to change based on entries by date of show)

CAMARO A1. 1967 - 1969 A2. 1970 - 2002 A3. 2010 - Current	MUSTANG G1. 1964 - 1973 G2. 1974 - 1993 G3. 1994 - Current	OLDSMOBILE/BUICK/CADILLAC K1. Pre 70 K2. 70 - Current	TRUCKS O1. Pre 60 O2. 60 - 79 O3. 80 - 99 O4. 2000 - Current
CORVETTE B1. C1,C2, C3 B2. C4, C5 B3. C6, C7	FORD T-Bird H. All	MOPAR L1. Pre 70 L2. 70 - 99 L3. 90 - Current	P. ANTIQUES Q. IMPORTS R. PERFORMANCE S. ORPHANS (No Longer in Production) T. OTHER - (no other class applies)
CHEVY C. All CHEVY D. '55 - '57 E. Impalas - All F. Chevy - Other	FORD/LINCOLN/MERCURY I. All	STREET ROD OPEN M. All	MOTORCYCLES U. All
	PONTIAC J1. Firebird/Trans Am J2. Other	STREET ROD CLOSED N. All	

Cruise-Ins & Monthly Meet-Ups

Information gathered from the
South Texas Car Club (STCC) website:
www.southtexascc.com/schedule.htm



TUESDAYS

Months of **MARCH to OCT**

2nd Tues of each month—

Ay Chiwawa's SBBLions Cruise-in
Ay Chiwawa's, 5pm-8pm
Singing Hills Shopping Center
Spring Branch, TX

WEDNESDAYS

Months of **MARCH to OCT**

4th Wed of each month—

Front Porch Cruise-in
Front Porch Bar & Grill, 5pm-8pm
2265 Bulverde Rd. (Downtown)
Bulverde, TX

FRIDAY NIGHTS

Every Friday Night—

Kirby Korner Cruise In, 123 South
Bypass, Seguin, TX; contact Sherry
Dawson 830-305-4570

Every Friday Night—

Biff Buzby's Burgers Cruise In,
6pm-11pm, IH-35 North @ Toepper-
wien, San Antonio, TX (food, beer,
wine, music); *starting March 3rd, there
will be a \$5 fee to park, but you will
get a coupon for food at Biff Buzby's*

1st Fri ea. Month—

Pepboys #737 Cruise In, 9pm-
11pm, 8103 Marbach Rd., San Anto-
nio, TX; contact Rudy Espinosa 210-
675-5008

1st & 3rd Fri ea. Month—

Dino & Gino's Friday Night Cars,
6:30pm-9:30pm, 18620 Bandera Rd,
Helotes, TX (Food, Drinks, Music)

2nd Fri ea. Month—

Castroville Cruise In, 6pm-9pm, 1
mile west of Castroville on left side
going west on Hwy 90 at Flea Market.
This replaces Castroville Chevrolet
Cruise In.

SATURDAY MORNINGS

Months of **MARCH to OCT**

**1st Sat ea. Month—Dare To Be
Different Morning Cruise In**,

8am-11am, McDonald's/Fischer
Store, 7765 US Hwy 281 N., Spring
Branch, TX; contact Darwin 830-438
-3493 or Herb 210-364-5105

****2nd Sat ea. Month** -**

**SAN ANTONIO CARS AND
COFFEE**, 7:00am—10:30AM; Oak
Hills Church Parking Lot, 19595 IH-
10 W., San Antonio, TX; **Contact
Tom Bader with San Antonio
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mation: 210-685-1612

****4th Sat ea. Month** -**

**CAR CRUISE-IN sponsored by
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8:00am-11:00am; Rolling Oaks Mall,
6909 N. Loop 1604 E., San Antonio,
TX.

4th Sat ea. Month -

**CARS & COFFEE AT
ALAMO RANCH**, 7:00am-
10:30am; Jim's Restaurant, 6107 NW
Loop 1604 (corner of 1604 & Cule-
bra)

Last Sat ea. Month—

**Show-n-Shine @ Trader's Vil-
lage**, 9am-5pm, San Antonio, TX

SATURDAY NIGHTS

Every Saturday Night—

TJ's Burgers, Loop 337, New
Braunfels, TX; contact Sherry Daw-
son 830-305-4570

Every Saturday Night—

Denny's Parking Lot, IH 35 at
Hwy 46 (in front of Home Depot),
New Braunfels, TX; contact Greg
Drake 830-629-3673

Every Saturday Night—

Gearheads@Cabela's Cruise In,
7pm-10pm, 15570 IH-35, Buda, TX;
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2nd Sat ea. Month—

**American Hot Rod & Harley
Nights Cruise In** by Renegade
Classics, 4pm—???, 6850 Bandera
Rd, San Antonio, TX

2nd Sat Night ea. Month—

Old West Burgers, Saturday Car-
Night, 6:00pm-9:00pm, 1005 Laswell
Ln., Bulverde, TX

SUNDAYS

Monthly Hot Rod Swap Meet

Months of **MAY to AUGUST 1st
Sunday of each month—Next to
Old Handy Andy**, 3702
Pleasanton Rd., San Antonio, TX;
call Terry 210-288-7705

**Cruise In
&
Meet
Folks!**



Congratulations to Tammy Boll Thompson!!

She won her first trophy in "Kinky" at her first car show, the IFMA Backyard BBQ Cook Off with Show & Shine Car Show. Awards were given to the top 30 cars!



Tammy Boll Thompson

March 3 · 🌐

Really excited to get a trophy at my first car show!! Kinky did well!!!

Kinky Gets a Make-over!

On March 22, Tammy took Kinky to Dallas to get stripes! (Photo posted by Tammy on her Facebook page).



Cathy Beuershausen Nelson Why all the way to Dallas?

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Wendy Sowards Cause if they are going to BigWorm it's the best !!!

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Tammy Boll Thompson That's where were going

Like · Reply · 2d



I'm so glad Tammy told us on Facebook where she got her stripes. I had never heard of BigWorm, so I checked out their website for details about them. It appears they have graphics for 2005-2014 models, 2015-2017, and 2018. They also do LED lighting, Smoked Lens Overlays, and so much more! You can order online and have products shipped to you if you are a do-it-yourselfer; Or, BigWorm will install what they sell at their Fort Worth Location (open 9am-5pm Monday-Friday). They are an authorized Diode Dynamics, Morimoto, Lamin-x & UPR Products dealer.

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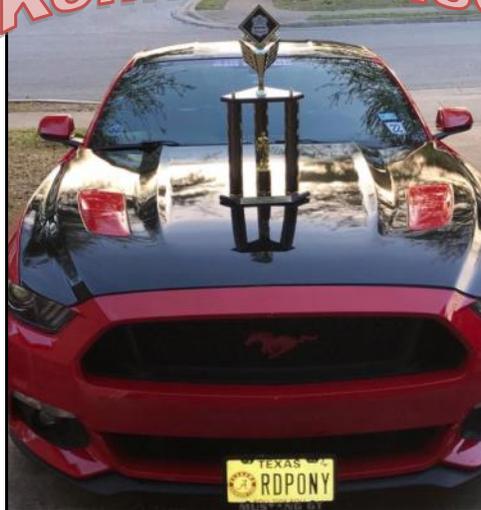


Saturday, March 10th, 2018—7th Annual Memorial Festival & Open Car Show Benefitting the Families of Fallen San Antonio Police Officers.



Several members of SAMC and Wild Side Stangs attended the SAPOA car show on March 10th. (Photos from Tammy Boll Thompson's Facebook page, and Kenneth Wise's Facebook page). Kenneth Wise told me that there were 271 cars at the show, and it was freaking hot! You can see in one photo that Ken won a 1st place in his category, 2005-Present. I don't know if anyone else won anything, as I was not in attendance. If any other member won anything, please send me photos so I can feature it and congratulate you! ~Becky Dowda

*Congratulations
Kenneth Wise!*



Northside Mustang Car Club

SAMC linked together with the Northside Mustang Car Club (NMCC) in the Houston, TX area to make them a sister club. Below is information about NMCC, submitted to us by their President, Randy Weldon. A Calendar of their planned events will follow on the next page. Everyone is welcome to participate in their activities, and SAMC will make every effort to list them on our Calendar as well.

Northside Mustang Car Club (NMCC) was founded in June of 2009 and Chartered as a Regional Club by the Mustang Club of America creating 1 of 2 MCA Charter Clubs in the Houston, TX area.

Prior to being established, Mustang Owners had to travel over an hour to the west side of Houston to take part in organized Mustang Club activities as Members of the Mustang Club of Houston (MCOH). Today MCOH and NMCC work closely together to support each other and to deliver a larger positive impact for community outlook on the Mustang.

From inception, NMCC has been sponsored by Gullo Ford of Conroe/ The Woodlands whose charity, Gullo Christmas for Kids, ensures children always have a Christmas and is supported by our club as is Honor Flight Houston which flies Veterans back to Washington DC to see War Memorials either for their 1st or potentially last time.

Each year NMCC holds 2 major car shows, one in the April/May timeframe (Gullo's All Ford Show to support Gullo Christmas for Kids) and one in October, the "Camaro vs Mustang Faceoff" to support Honor Flight Houston. (The HTown Camaro Club supports their charity during this event, The 100 Club for families of fallen 1st responders.)

NMCC also holds an annual Austin Overnight Cruise in June to grab a bite to eat overlooking Lake Travis and drive through the Hill Country, later relaxing and telling stories around the hotel pool.

Recently working in conjunction with the HTown Camaro Club we started what is believed will become an annual event, the "Camaro vs Mustang Bragging Rights Drag Racing Event."

NMCC also holds a monthly Cruise-In for Charity Event called TWCC, monthly dinners the 3rd Thursday of each month and a monthly Cruise-In for Fun event, the JCI Street Meet.

As NMCC has grown, we've focused on areas of club Members' passion and created "committees" for each area of passion. As an example, we created an Open Road Course Track Committee and now have members for an Open Course Track Team. The same is true for the Autocross (AutoX) Committee, Drag Racing Committee, Membership Committee, Car Show Committee, Family Events Committee, Cruise Committee and the OMR (Old Mustangs Rule) Committee who were originally called the OGR (Old Guys Rule) Committee until one of the guys objected to being called old...

Thru the creation of committees NMCC has become very active. On any given weekend it's now not unusual for NMCC to be taking part in 5 or more events in or around the city of Houston.

NMCC works very hard on 2 issues as a major focus: 1.) No Cliques; and 2.) No Drama. All of us got involved in our local club to have Fun. We're fortunate enough to have a Board of Directors who works well together and is very committed to working hard for the club. We're well aware that there is no club without our Members and our Members are here to have FUN.

Over the past year as the committee's have taken off, we've developed a slogan that we live, "Get Off the Couch with That Little Ol' Club from Texas, NMCC!"

We look forward to working closely to support SAMC and encourage any

SAMC Member finding themselves in the Houston area to come out & play with us.

www.northsidemustang.org

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NMCC Calendar of Events—March through June 2018

03/04/2018 – TWCC – Market Street, The Woodlands, 08:30 am thru 11:00 am

03/08/2018 – NMCC Bi-Monthly Club Business Meeting/Dinner, The Woodlands area – Restaurant (TBD)

03/16/2018 – STMC/MCA Lonestar National Car Show, McAllen, TX 3-16 thru 3-18

03/17/2018 – JCI Street Meet – James Coney Island - Humble, TX

03/17/2018 – SVT/Terminator Cruise-In Conroe, TX. – Conroe Outlets Mall – Darren Bane

03/24/2018 – 1st Open Road Course Trace Event – Crossen, TX – 03/23 thru 03/25 – Neil Churaman

04/07/2018 – NMCC – 9th Annual Gullo ALL Ford Show, Conroe, TX

04/08/2018 – TWCC – Market Street, The Woodlands, 08:30 am thru 11:00 am

04/08/2018 – NMCC – Members & Invited Guests Only Gullo Car Museum Tour, Montgomery 2pm

04/12/2018 – Monthly Dinner, Humble, TX. – Restaurant TBD

04/14/2018 – National Mustang Day Event - TBD

04/20/2018 – NHRA Event RPR, Baytown, TX thru 04/22/2017 (for those interested in attending)

04/21/2018 – JCI Street Meet – James Coney Island – Humble, TX

04/21/2018 – Mustang Club of Houston Spring Car Show, Ryan Ford, Sealy, TX

04/28/2018 – Mustang Club of America National Directors Meeting, Irving, TX

04/28/2018 – Humble Rotary Club Car Show & Fish Fry, Humble Civic Center, Humble, TX

05/05/2018 – Mustangs At The Mountain, Stone Mountain, GA

05/06/2018 – TWCC – Market Street, The Woodlands, TX. 08:30 am thru 11:00 am

05/05/2018 = WHMC Spring Car Show – Silsvee, TX

05/10/2018 – NMCC Bi-Monthly Dinner/Club Meeting, The Woodlands, TX

05/19/2018 – JCI Street Meet – James Coney Island – Humble, TX

05/26/2018 – Danny Dietz Memorial Day Show, Rosenberg, TX

06/03/2018 – TWCC – Market Street, The Woodlands, TX 08:30 am thru 11:00 am

06/14/2018 – NMCC Monthly Dinner, Restaurant TBD

06/14/2018 – Shelby Nationals, Tulsa, OK thru 06/17/2017

06/16/2018 – JCI Street Meet – James Coney Island – Humble, TX

06/23/2018 – Hill Country Overnight Cruise



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NATIONAL SHOWS

LONE STAR MUSTANG NATIONAL

March 16-18

McAllen, TX - McAllen Convention Center
South Texas Mustang Club
www.southtexasmustangclub.com

GEORGIA ON MY MIND

May 25-27

Grovetown, GA - Columbia County Exhibition Center
Central Savannah River Area Mustang Club
www.csramc.org

MCA PONY EXPRESS NATIONAL MUSTANG SHOW

July 13-15

Lincoln, NE - Pinnacle Bank Arena
Capitol City Ford and Mustang Club
www.hoofbeatoflincoln.com

GRANITE STATE MUSTANG GRAND NATIONAL

August 31-September 2

Merrimack, NH - Anheuser-Busch Brewery
Mustang Car Club of New England
www.granitestategrandnat.com

REGIONAL EVENTS

MARCH 23-25 PENSACOLA, FL

Gulf Coast Regional Mustang and All Ford Show by Gulf Coast Regional Mustang Club at Pensacola Interstate Fairgrounds, Fri. 8am-5pm, Sat. 8am-2pm. Registration Fri. 8am-5pm, Sat. 8-11am, \$45 outside, \$50 inside.
Nick Kirby at 251-978-2012
nlkirby302@gmail.com
www.gulfcoastmustangclub.org

MARCH 24 MACON, GA

22nd Annual Cherry Blossom Mustang and All Ford Show by Flag City Mustang Club at William H. Hutchings Career Center, 8am-4:30pm. Registration 8am-noon, \$25 (\$20 by March 16).
Chuck Heath at 478-365-1305
ponycorral@cox.net
www.flagcitymustangclub.com/events-car-shows

MARCH 24 FLORENCE, SC

6th Annual Pee Dee Roundup by East-

ern South Carolina Mustang Club in Downtown Florence, 9am-4pm. Registration 9am-noon, \$25 (\$20 by March 16).

Joe Warren at 843-206-9712
joesandie@yahoo.com
www.escmustangclub.com

MARCH 24 ROUND ROCK, TX

11th Annual Spring Open Car Show at Dell Diamond by Mustang Owner's Club of Austin at Dell Diamond, 8am-3pm. Registration 8am-10:30am, \$20.
carshowinfo@mocatx.com
www.mocatx.com

MARCH 31 JACKSONVILLE, FL

16th Regional Mustang and Ford Show by Jacksonville Mustang Club at Jacksonville Landing, 8am-4pm. Registration 8-10am, \$30 (\$25 by February 28).
Doug Hoar at 904-505-4410
jdhoar@gmail.com
www.jmcmustang.org/jmc-show

APRIL 7 LEXINGTON, SC

40th Annual Mustang and Ford Show by Central South Carolina Mustang Club has been postponed until later in the year. We are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.
Steve Webster at 803-781-4793
gtpuller0203@att.net
www.centrlscmustangclub.org

APRIL 9 LUBBOCK, TX

Annual Mustang Birthday Party by Lubbock Mustang Club at Aim Bank, 10am-3pm. Registration 10am, show and shine, no registration fee, those attending vote by placing money in container of their favorite mustang.
Dennis Quattlebaum at 806-773-6713
qman8744@yahoo.com
www.lubbockmustangclub.com

APRIL 14 TEXARKANA, TX

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Every month I try very hard to include articles about our Mustangs that I think are of interest to club members. I struggle very hard with what to include and I don't like copying from any magazines (um, because doing so is against the law), so I limit what I do copy, and only do so from Mustang Times. Honestly folks, the BEST thing you can do to get articles and information about all generations of Mustangs is to join MCA at the \$50 Membership level because doing so gives you so many perks! One of which is access to a digital and printed version of "Mustang Times." There's awesome news, stories, information, and articles—and things about YOUR generation of Mustang; so much more than I can ever offer you as the Editor of *Hoofprints Newsletter*. Here's what was part of the March edition of Mustang Times... (squeal!!!) Bullitt!!! ~Becky Dowda, Editor



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ON THE COVER

Ford supplied the photo of the 2019 Bullitt Mustang, which was unveiled in January at the North American International Auto Show in Detroit.

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BLAST FROM THE PAST

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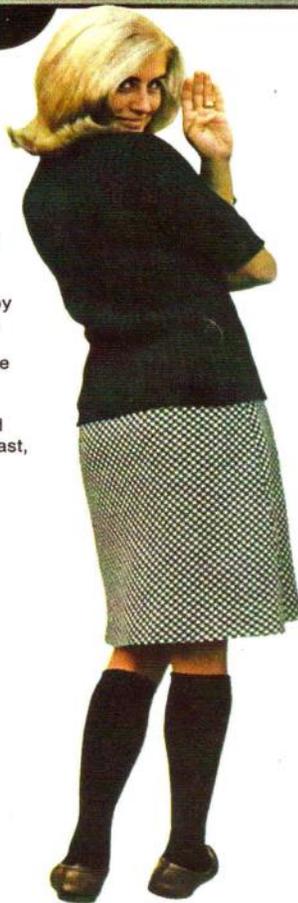
I WILL NOT...

I will not sell tickets to all the people who want to ride in my '67 Mustang.

I will not keep the neighbors up all night by playing my Mustang's stereo tape player.

I will not yawn when people talk about the performance of other cars.

I will not show off my Mustang's overhead console by turning on its map lights (at least, not in the daytime, anyway).



I WILL...

I will tell the truth about my Mustang's low price and not let people think I paid extra for bucket seats, vinyl interior, plush carpeting and all those other no-cost extras.

I will spend the money I save with Mustang on a good cause... myself.

I will love, honor and obey the Convenience Control Panel when its lights tell me to fasten seat belts and release the parking brake.

I will stick to my diet even though my Mustang's Tilt-Away steering wheel is so adjustable.

I will keep the "helpless-female" look by shifting manually only when I'm driving alone. All other times I will let the SelectShift work automatically.

I will catch up on my diary... one of these days.



Maybe we should bring back the "Mustang Pledge," as seen in this full-page Mustang ad from 1967. It might need updating, such as "honoring and obeying" the instructions on the LCD screen instead of 1967's Convenience Control Panel warning lights.

My First MCA National Show— The Lone Star Mustang National Car Show in McAllen, TX

by Becky Dowda

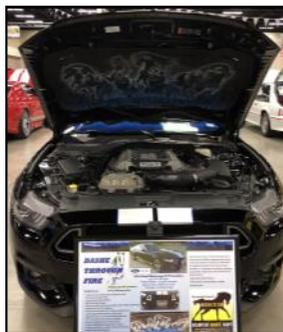
Oh my gosh, where do I begin? When I heard there was going to be a National Mustang show in Texas, my heart skipped a beat! Finally an MCA show close to home! I had no idea what I would be in for, except I knew I would have to put in hours of detailing my car, Dashe Through Fire, prior to the show. This was the first national show for several members of SAMC! A few of our seasoned MCA members entered their cars for judging in the show, and others entered as “Daily Driver” or “Display Only”, and then some just came along to support us.

There were a few groups from SAMC leaving for McAllen at different times. One group left on Thursday morning, another Thursday night, and another on Friday morning. I was in the Friday morning group with Robert Carrington that left San Antonio from The Cracker Barrel Restaurant off 37 South, with our cars shined and ready to roll. Unfortunately, I didn’t think about all the bugs we would “encounter” on the way to McAllen! After we checked into the Embassy Suites, the host hotel for the show, and then checked in at the convention center, I found I had to clean some of those bugs out of my grille and do some more prep work on Dashe.

It was hard to concentrate on detailing Friday night as I stared at the beautiful Mustangs lined up all around. There were several people from other states and it was easy to get lost in conversations with them about their ponies. Even though we were strangers, we had Mustang Love in common, and that’s all that mattered! Time flew by quickly and it was time to leave the convention center for the evening. It was only a short walk back to the Embassy Suites where we found ourselves outside in their courtyard during Happy Hour, eating a free meal provided by the South Texas Mustang Club, and drinking all sorts of spirits while listening to a live band. There was a slight breeze, and it was nice watching the sun go down, listening to music, and laughing with others from SAMC.

Saturday morning started early with breakfast in Embassy’s restaurant, which was a pretty good buffet! Then for a quick stroll over to the convention center, and it was time for final preparations on our cars before the judges started their rounds. I did about all I could do to make Dashe presentable and decided to walk around more to gaze in wonderment at these marvelous metal “beasts” that are part of one large Mustang Family. I took so many pictures of the cars, as did several of us! It was like going to Disney Land—you can’t see it all in one day!!

Some members who weren’t showing their cars went to lunch together at BJ’s. I had to stay near my car, as I was still waiting to be judged and didn’t want to miss anything. I’m so thankful for tips that Tom Bader gave me as well, like to move my display so the judges could move freely around my car. Then, it was my turn in the spotlight! I was greeted by two judges who asked me if there was anything I wanted to tell them about my car. I told them this was my first MCA show and that Dashe is my daily driver, that I



My First MCA National Car Show (continued)

work on a construction site, and they both couldn't believe it because of how clean I kept her.

I was so anxious watching and waiting to see if they would find any faults. They had flashlights, and they were picking Dashe over pretty good, so I thought maybe I didn't do such a good job. Then, the judges came over to me and started sharing with me what they found. First, I missed some spots in the door hinges—not an easy area to get to for an amateur, but for a veteran I learned they make large Q-tips for cleaning this area!

Next, I missed some spots up around the foot pedals—not easy to keep clean when you wear work boots every day (and sometimes those get really muddy!) One judge found a quarter on the floorboard, to which he chuckled and said, "I won't ding you for that, in fact you get points for leaving us a tip!" I'm sure he was joking!! Finally, in my trunk I had placed a fire extinguisher, jumper cables, and a first aid kit. The judge said that I should only have put the fire extinguisher there, and that I should not have left my Weather-Tech liner in the trunk as it had some scratches. He felt it would have been better not have the WeatherTech liner. So at the end of this, I felt pretty good, but was left wondering if I would even get a bronze or silver award...

Saturday night, those of us that purchased Banquet Tickets were treated to a delicious meal, guest speaker John Clor, Mariachis, and Folklorico Dancers from a local McAllen High School. John Clor gave a funny speech about how cool it is that we drive Mustangs. He also gave us insight into what Ford Performance is going to be rolling out for Mustang clubs. The South Texas Mustang Club did a great job showing off the culture of McAllen and showcasing the talents of its future leaders.

Sunday was another early morning for breakfast with SAMC Members who couldn't stay and drove home before the awards ceremony. It was a laid back day since judging had already been done and it was a good time to bond with other folks showing their cars, as well as meet the general public who attended the show. At 2:00pm it was time for the awards, and we all waited on pins and needles!! In between awards, The South Texas Mustang Club gave out door prizes to lucky ticket holders. I won something—

another Mustang sign to add to my collection!

I am happy to say that every one of us that entered our cars won awards! Someone told me I squealed with excitement when they called my name and said I had won a Gold Award!! Even former SAMC Members who had moved away but were there for the show won awards, and so we all stood together as one SAMC Family for a group photo. Congratulations to everyone on a successful MCA Show!!

Thank you South Texas Mustang Club for everything your club did to make this National Show happen in Texas. Your whole team did a great job!! Thank you Embassy Suites for your hospitality. Everyone we came into contact with was very professional, with smiles and great attitudes—going the extra mile to ensure our comfort and happiness. Folks, it just doesn't get any better than this, and it will be one of my best memories for quite some time! Can't wait to attend another National MCA Show!



My First MCA National Car Show—more photos!!



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Congratulations NICE GOING!
GREAT! Way to Go!
Yea! FELICITATIONS
CHEERS Take A BEST
BOW! WISHES!



MORE PHOTOS FROM THE LSMN in McAllen, TX at the McAllen Convention Center

(taken from Facebook pages of Bea Kalinowski and Tammy Boll Thompson)



It ain't over yet!! See next page for even more!!

PHOTOS FROM THE LSMN BANQUET in McAllen, TX at the McAllen





MCCP - A Point Of Reference for all Mustang Girls of the Globe

At our SAMC monthly meeting on February 7th, Paul Woeppel announced that he was contacted by the President of MCCP, (Mustang Club Pink Power), an all-female Mustang Club based in Italy. She asked if they could be a sister club to SAMC, so Paul brought it to a vote and it was unanimous—we are now linked with Mustang Club Pink Power!

Here is their website: <http://www.mustangclubofitaly.it/mustang-club-pink-power/>
 For MCCP Contact: mustangclubpinkpower@libero.it

I had to click “Translate” when I visited their web page, which was of course written in Italian!! I found that it’s not their website, but actually an article about the club, how and why it was created. MCCP is part of a Italy’s premier “Mustang Club of Italy” (MCI) and that website is: <http://www.mustangclubofitaly.it/>
 For MCI Contact: infomustangclub@yahoo.it

Here is what I copied (and edited) from the translated article that was posted by Manuella Mazzon on Sunday November 06, 2016 (Published in Articles, Clubs) on the MCI website...

“The Pink Power Mustang Club was founded in 2013 as a group on Facebook by my will thanks to Mary’s encouragement, Socia MCI, turning a dream into reality with the aim of giving voice and importance to the female part of the Mustang world. This is how a group of women of all ages has been created without territorial boundaries that, animated by the passion for the Mustang myth, meet and compare and actively contribute to making transversal alliances between Mustang Clubs all over the world.

In 2016 I converted the group into a Club officially enrolled in the Turin Chamber of Commerce, following the example of the Mustang Club of Italy which has always been the first and only official Mustang Club in Italy...

The passion for MUSTANG and/or the man who loves Mustang is the only requirement to be part of this international Team of women representing the “Pink” side of the Mustang. In addition, we share with the men the joys and pains of the world of engines because alongside every Mustang enthusiast there is almost always a woman, maybe future PINK POWER.”



New Members W·E·L·C·O·M·E

FEB - MARCH 2018

NORMAN RETTERER	Feb 01
SHAWN BADER	Feb 07
MARIO QUINTANA	Feb 20
SHELDON McCLAF LIN	Feb 22
TRAVIS NELSON	Mar 07
JEFF LOVE	Mar 10

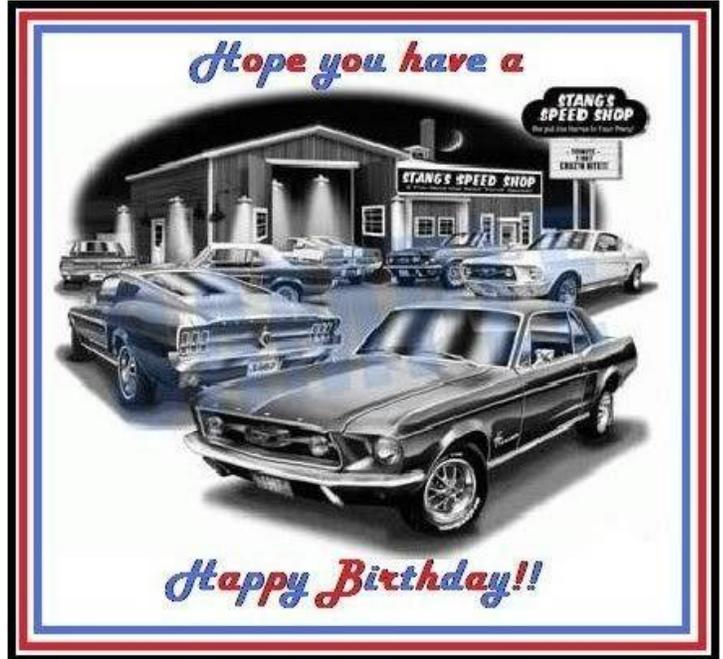


Current Members	150
Honorary Members	6
Lifetime Members	20
(13 Primary & 7 Spouses)	

Make time to
celebrate your
accomplishments,

no matter how
big or small

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March—April Birthdays

Richard House	(March 27)
Nate Thompson	(April 13)
Juan Pulido	(April 14)
David Fernandez	(April 27)



Miguel & Tena Cardizatobar	(March 11)
Richard & Nancy House	(March 16)
Sam & Cheryl DiLanni	(March 27)
Miguel & Janis Rosario	(April 25)

CARS & PARTS

BEAUTIFUL!

2001 Mustang GT Convertible

Hello,
I moved here with the military a little over 4 years ago and I am moving again. I don't want to have to haul my Mustang and would really like to sell it.

2001 Mustang GT Convertible, original owner, 99,657 miles, car has been stored for majority of ownership, meticulously maintained, however the convertible top motor has gone out. The top can be raised and lowered physically. I have made several modifications to include:

HP Performance Twin Turbo Kit which includes:

- 50mm Turbos
- 38mm Tial Wastegates
- 1.75" Tubular Headers
- 2.5" Intercooler
- 2.5" Down Pipes
- 3.5" Inter-Cooler Core
- 42#/hr Injectors
- High Flow Fuel Pump
- Mass Air Flow Meter
- Tubular Front End Suspension (K-Member/A-Frame)
- Stainless Steel T-Bolt & V-Band Clamps

Zex 100 HP Nitrous Oxide Kit (No Needle Installed)

Diablo 2-Stage Performance Chip

After-Market Gauge Panel

BBK Pulley Kit

BBK Cold Air Intake

BBK 70mm Throttle Body

Steeda Underdrive Pulley

Steeda Timing Adjuster

Motorjoy 600W Amp & Fosgate 5"x7"
Speakers

Asking \$9,000.

Please contact me with any questions.

Yancy Baer,

719-244-8411,

yancybaer@yahoo.com



2016 STOCK EXHAUST - MOVING AND NEED TO SELL FAST:

Came off of a 2016 GT Premium. Been hanging in my garage for a few years and I don't need it. Asking \$200 obo. Call Mike @ 210-669-3396

Gorgeous Car!



1966 5.0 V-8 Mustang Coupe

Donise and Elmer Thornton are with the Lubbock Mustang Club. They are selling their 1966 Mustang Coupe, with only 8,000 miles since complete build. She boasts a beautiful Emberglo paint with parchment interior and vinyl roof, 5.0 V8 300hp, w/ AOD automatic transmission, modern R134-A in-dash A/C. This is a trophy-winning show car that has rarely been driven. Asking price is \$22,500. Contact Donise & Elmer (MCA No. 15424), in Lubbock, TX, at 806-778-6334, or txinmysoul79413@gmail.com.

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\$16,500—2005 Mustang GT

5 Speed Manual; 75,000 Miles
Asking \$16,500;
Bikermike1955@gmail.com

Specifications

Kenne Bell 2.6L Supercharger with Lund Tune: 433 RWHP @ 9 lbs boost
SCT Tuner

MGW Short-Throw Shifter

Magnaflow Street Series Mufflers

BBK Long Tube Headers

BBK Catted X-Pipe

Driveshaft Shop 1 pc Aluminum DS

BMR Lower Control Arms

BMR Adjustable Upper Control Arm

BMR Upper Control Arm Mount

BMR Panhard Bar and Brace

FRPP 4.10 Rear End

FRPP 1" Lowering Springs

SLP Line Lock

Eibach Camber Plates

AMR Drift Style Wheels - 18x9 Front, 18x10 Rear

Sumitomo HTR-Z III Tires - 255/40 Front, 275/40 Rear

Sequential Tail Lights

Shelby E-Brake Handle Cover

Shelby pedal covers

Shelby Dead Pedal

Shelby Billet Fuel Door

Shorty antenna

FRPP Floor Mats

Window Tint - Custom Sounds

UV Sun Shield

Extras:

BBK Off-Road X-pipe

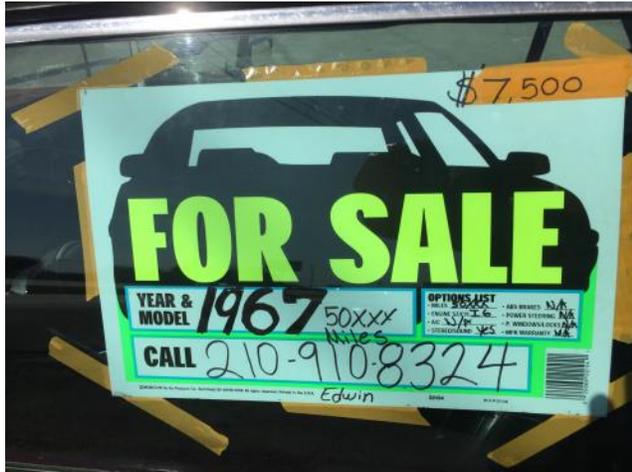
BMR Driveshaft Safety Loop

SVE 15x10 Drag Star Wheels

Mickey Thompson ET Street 275/60R15

1967 Mustang Coupe

Red beauty just parked on the side of IH-35 in a lonely parking lot. The owner, Edwin, said the car runs good. He is having to sell his "baby" to pay for medical bills. Edwin's "For Sale" sign shows the car is selling for a mere \$7,500. Call him for more details. 210-910-8324. Maybe you can work something out with Edwin.



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SAMC Members attend Kick-Off on March 24th

(Photos from Cathy Nelson's Facebook post)



HOT ROD NIGHTS...8th SEASON!

(Info taken from www.sodapopsboerne.com/Hot-Rod-Nights-.html)

Hot Rod Saturday Nights are reminiscent of Old Fashioned Americana Street Parties...A gathering place for old and new friends. Come join the fun March—November, 2 Saturdays a month! To keep up with their event calendar, follow Soda Pops on Facebook or sign up online for their weekly email blasts. Tentative Schedule is below, but it is always subject to change.

2018 Hot Rod Night Schedule

- Mar 24.....[Ricky Adams Band ~ Season 8 Kick Off!](#) (Classic Rock & Country)
- Apr 7.....[C-Rock Band](#) (60s, 70s, 80s & 90s)
- Apr 28.....[Loyd Bonham Band](#) (Classic Rock & Oldies)
- May 5.....[The Lost Mule Band](#) (Classic Rock & Oldies)
- May 19.....[Derringer Band](#) (Classic Rock & Oldies)
- Jun 2.....[Ricky Adams Band](#) (Classic Rock & Country)
- Jun 23.....[Derringer Band](#) (Classic Rock & Oldies)
- Jul 14.....[Ricky Adams Band](#) (Classic Rock & Country)
- Jul 28.....[Lone Star Pickerz](#) (Classic Country & Oldies)
- Aug 11.....[Ricky Adams Band](#) (Classic Rock & Country)
- Aug 25.....[Derringer Band](#) (Classic Rock & Oldies)
- Sep 8.....[Ricky Adams Band](#) (Classic Rock & Country)
- Sep 22.....[Loyd Bonham Band](#) (Classic Rock & Oldies)
- Oct 6.....[The Lost Mule Band](#) (Classic Rock & Oldies)
- Oct 27 ~ Halloween Bash HRN.....[Ricky Adams Band](#)

What's the Hot Rod Night Scoop?

~All are welcome...Shiny or Farm Fresh...Old or New Hot Rods...But you don't need a Hot Rod or Classic to hang out with us...Git over here!

~Live Music on the patio

~Scrumptious Burgers, Icy Beer, Yummy Wine, Creamy Shakes...

~Don't forget your game chairs! Seating is a premium, so bring your own!

~Event cars...Get to Pops early if you like to park in the front...First come, first served! You can line up as early as 5p.

~**HUGE stop light** inside to let you know how the cooks are doing...**Green light** means the cooks are cruisin', **Yellow Light** means the cooks are getting in the weeds, **Red Light** means their hair is on fire and we're going to stop the orders until their hair is only a smoldering ember :) Please help us to respect them or they'll walk out and we'll only have beer and ice cream to fill our tummies.

ONLY 2 RULES at Soda Pops...

1. BE NICE
2. We offer free, public events to put smiles on your faces for years and years to come...We appreciate your understanding in that NO OUTSIDE food or beverage is permitted at these events...



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Upcoming SAMC Meetings:

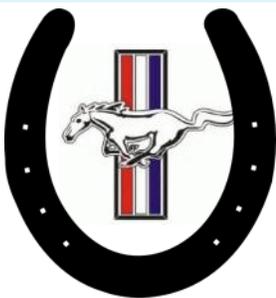
7:00pm - Matamoros

- Apr 4th 2018
- May 2nd, 2018
- June 6th, 2018

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Hoofprints



Bringing Members Closer One Print At A Time!

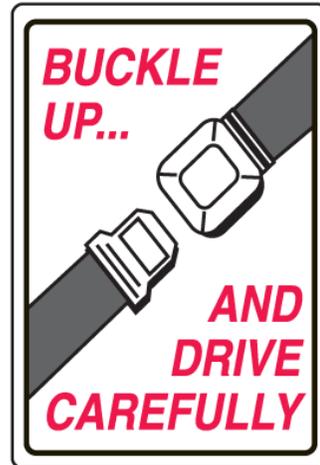
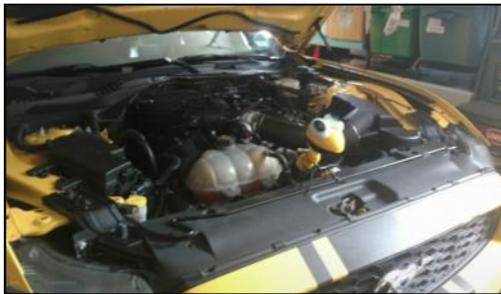
Bea Kalinowski said:

"Finally got my strut covers on, and added the latest acquisition, the coolant recovery tank cover." ~ on her Facebook page, March 19th, 2018



...and on March 9th, 2018, she said this:
"The newest accoutrement for my car."

(Yes, I had to look up that word, which means "personal clothing, accessories, etc." ~Becky)



CLUB DISCOUNTS OFFERED BY JORDAN FORD

Being part of the San Antonio Mustang Club has its perks...

Not only do you get to meet people who share the passion of loving the Mustang and other Ford related automobiles, but you also get to take part in discounts offered by Jordan Ford, who has been a supporter of our club for a number of years.

The following are discounts that are offered at this time:

10% off Service - excluding already discounted services such as the Works Package, oil and tire rotation.

10% off Parts



One Team, One Goal, One Family

