

# The Galloping Gazette

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hi, CVMC Members!

Our next monthly meeting will be held using Zoom video conferencing. We'll continue to look out for everyone's well-being until further notice:

#### September 2, 7:00 PM

https://us04web.zoom.us/j/74470170897?pwd=LzVaWUI3c0ZQY3p4S2k5b3hvQk9mUT09

Meeting ID: 744 7017 0897

Passcode: 7NHYiR

Please, before the meeting, go to zoom.com and download the app. I am available if you want to test your audio and video capabilities. Several join and just listen in with no video, don't be discouraged by the technology, listening only is OK!

Regarding the August 5th monthly meeting, my sincerest apologies for those that planned to

attend. I was distracted with family matters and completely missed the meeting.

Happy Birthday to those members born in September!

Todd A. Compton	1-Sep
Michael V. Eck	8-Sep
Ralph L. Lyons	12-Sep
Llew Stakes	16-Sep
Carl Dickson	18-Sep
George Cosier	19-Sep
Daniel J. Woolford	19-Sep
Gary B. Kempf	26-Sep

As a club in August, we participated in the Ford Nationals at Carlisle, PA, a cruise to Charlottesville, track laps at Richmond Raceway, and Goochland Drive-In – Mustang Monday featuring Bullitt!

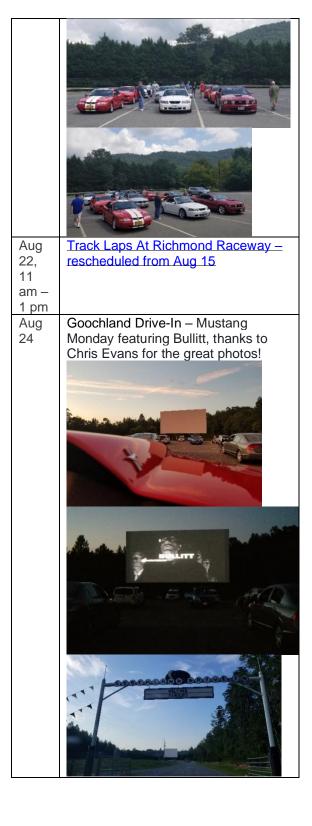
July	Carlisle Ford Nationals. CVMC had
31-	our first tent at this annual event! It
Aug	was a very warm weekend and the
2	shade proved to be a great idea.
	CVMC had 5 Mustangs, several
	members cancelled due to Covid-19.
	Plenty of vehicles on display, the
	noticeable difference was the vendor
	participation. Carlisle Events
	provided terrific photos,
	https://www.flickr.com/photos/carlisle-
	events/albums/72157715284972611

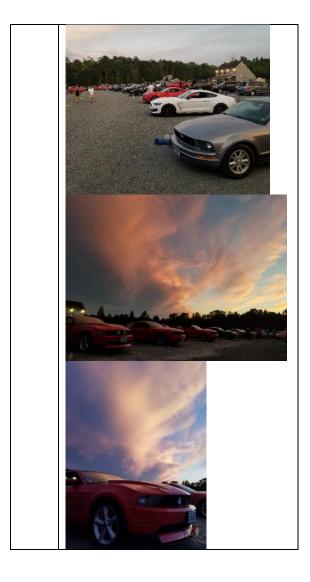


Aug 8, 12:30 -4:30

CVMC Cruise to Kemper Park, twelve CVMC members met at McDonald's, traveled up Rte 6 to Rte 15, then Rte 53 as planned on a gorgeous August day. However, upon arrival to Kemper Park, the parking lot couldn't handle 12 Mustangs! We pulled into Monticello High School instead to decide next steps! We separated from there, some going into Charlottesville, some eating at Michie Tavern, and some taking scenic routes home. Michie Tavern did a great job having everyone where masks and food handling gloves at the buffet! Thanks to Chris Evans for the great photos!







# **Upcoming Events**

# Sep 3, 8 PM

Free Virtual Private Screening of New Ford Film JOHN BRONCO https://johnbroncocommunity.splashthat.com/

I hope you are doing well and staying safe during these challenging times. My name is Liz and I am reaching out to you on behalf of a new film called JOHN BRONCO. JOHN BRONCO is a mockumentary about the original Ford Bronco pitchman who attained celebrity status many years ago before disappearing in 1996.

	Considering your organization's love and appreciation for autos, we wanted to reach out to you first and invite you to an exclusive screening of the film on September 3rd. The screening will be followed by a Q&A with JOHN BRONCO star Walton Goggins, and the film's director Jake Szymanski.
	The event is free of charge and designed for car enthusiasts like yourself and your organization.
	Screening + Q&A for JOHN BRONCO September 3, 2020, 5pm PT/8pm ET
	Please RSVP <u>here</u> .
	Please feel free to forward this invitation to those in your network! The event is interactive and we'd love for you and your communities to be a part of it.
	Best, Liz and the JOHN BRONCO team
Sep 19, 12:00- 1:30	CVMC Cruise to Williamsburg, we'll meet at Varina PitStop #546, 3275 New Market Rd, Richmond, VA 23231 at Noon and travel to Brusters 5289 John Tyler Hwy, Williamsburg, VA. Planned route will be Rte 5 to Rte 614 to the Colonial Pkwy, taking VA-199 west, left on Rte 5 west, then left Kings Way then left on Pilot Way
Oct.	Leaf Cruise – Route and Date TBD
Nov 7, Time TBD	Track Laps At Richmond Raceway
Other Car Event s	See the Car Club Council of Central Virginia Calendar, http://www.carclubcouncil.com/cal.ht ml

The events list is current, be sure to check out the Google online calendar, our Facebook page, our one page events list, http://www.centralvamustang.com/events.pdf, and the newsletter for details.

Please continue to take care of yourselves, stay positive, and take the necessary precautions to

protect yourself and your loved ones! Stay Healthy!

# **WE SALUTE**



Yes, you've seen this before and as great as this picture is, you will probably see it again. With Labor Day approaching, seems appropriate to have in our September Galloping Gazette.

This wonderful picture comes to us from Brenda Butterfield. She was cruising on Memorial Day and came across **THE** perfect photo opportunity for her sweet 1969 ride. Brenda, thanks for sharing!

A thought – as you are out and about, look for photo opportunities of your pretty car with the flag. Send it to me and will try to include in the newsletter.

#### **PARADES AND SUCH**

Yeah, well, about that. There are no parades. Per Nickie, they've all been cancelled for now. Even the Mechanicsville Christmas Parade has been cancelled, but never fear, they already have plans for 2021 on December 5. See you then! We look forward to the time that things are back on, our calendars are booked with fun car stuff and the gang is back together.





# **MCA REPORT**

2020 has been an unpleasant year for MCA. Most of their major shows were either canceled or reschedule as was the Spirit of the West National show to October 8 to 11 in Tucson, Arizona. Only 1 major Board of Directors (BOD) meeting was held in Florida in January to install the new board members. Any new business requiring large contracts or money has to be approved by an in person board quorum meeting. Membership and money is down. Ford has funded MCA, which is fantastic. The 1st quarterly BOD's meeting of 2020 is now scheduled to be held after the October 8 to 11th show in Tucson. All the other BOD meetings were officially cancelled. There will need to be an MCA in person quorum at the October meeting to vote on any large expenditure's.

After a US Postal delay and resubmitting our Presidents award application it has finally been received at MCA Headquarters the last of July

• The Nominations for the Board of Directors will be published in September's Mustang Times with pictures and their experiences. Please review those individuals that have volunteer their time to help run our million dollar corporation and vote for that individual you believe is qualified to do the job. Last year's experiment with digital voting was a success and I assume it will, again, take place.

In 2021 MCA will celebrate our 45th anniversary April 9 to 11, hopefully, with a celebration at Road Atlanta in Georgia. Stay tuned for more information as it becomes available. There will not be a Grand National in 2021.

MCA National show schedules for 2021 are as follows:

- May 28 to 30, Golden Hills Mustang Club, Suisun City, California
- June 4 to 5, Eureka Springs, Arkansas. This is the rescheduled show from May 29 to 31, 2020
- July 23 to 25, at Overland Park Convention Center in Kansas City, Kansas
- September 3 to 5, The Grand Stampede, in Mustang, Oklahoma

Check here or in Mustang Times as more information becomes available.

Registration for the above shows as well as Hotels will be available through the Motosho system when it comes back on line later this year.

I notified MCA our September 19th fall show listed, in August Mustang Times, has been cancelled. Also our fall show has been cancelled in the Car Club Council of Virginia calendar website.

Mustang Times is an exceptional club magazine. In August's issue is an editorial by Don Farr with a lot of great information on the Mach 1 performance package, page 6 and pages 12 to 18.

Ford has issued a recall on 2019 & 20
 Mustangs built at the Flat Rock plant
 between April 26 and October 10, 2019.
 Appears the "transmission not in park"
 warning message and associated chime will

- only active for 3 seconds. See page 11 for more details.
- An interesting interview between Don Farr and Bud Moore on pages 34 to 40.
- There are more great information and stories in the magazine.
- Looking for another Mustang, parts or something else check out the miscellaneous section in the Market Place, pages 76 to 78.

For our new members you can join MCA on line. There are 3 different tier levels discussed at MCA's website <a href="https://www.mustang.org">www.mustang.org</a>. The club publication "Mustang Times" is included with your membership and <a href="https://www.tana.org">NOT</a> available on any newsstand or anywhere else. When you join MCA please email me at

(mcadirector@centralvamustang.com) or Sandy Robbins at

(membership@centralvamustang.com). Your membership counts towards MCA's yearly Presidents award earned by our Club for the 13th straight year. As a member you can advertise your Ford parts or perhaps sell your Mustang at no charge on pages 76 to 78.

As always check our newsletter, Facebook and events calendar for any upcoming activities. Keep your distances, ware your mask, and wash your hands often to stay healthy.

Article by Dave Dickey MCA Regional Director Phone: 804-730-1450

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

CVMC - MCA Certified Judges: 4TH Generation: David Deusebio Laurie Deusebio 5th Generation: David Deusebio Laurie Deusebio, Dave Dickey, Michelle Jordon, David Lythgoe

# **CVMC MERCHANDISE**

Jim Marr has CVMC T-shirts (I'm wearing mine now) and hats to go along with the regular swag. He can take orders in long or short sleeve. Hot

weather is here! If you don't already have a CVMC screen for your windshield, you really need one. They are terrific! There is now a Merchandise Tab on our Website. Check it out! Let him know if there is anything you are looking for or should you find something on the site you wish to order! Remember – Jim can have the CVMC logo embroidered on items that you pick up elsewhere. Contact him if you have any ideas.

Jim Marr

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# SEPTEMBER 2020 CAR HOBBYIST NEWS FROM THE COUNCIL

The General Assembly began their special session called by the governor on August 18. You can view all of the introduced bills and resolutions at this link <a href="https://lis.virginia.gov/cgibin/legp604.exe?202+lst+ALL">https://lis.virginia.gov/cgibin/legp604.exe?202+lst+ALL</a>

I spotted three bills that were auto related. In fact the very first bill introduced was HB 5001 and it deals with the current situation at DMV. Here is the bill summary: HB 5001 Motor Vehicles, Department of; customer service centers hours of operation: Requires all Department of Motor Vehicles customer service centers to be open and accept walk-in customers six days a week between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. This requirement expires upon the expiration or revocation of all states of emergency declared by the Governor related to the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic.

If you have gone to the DMV website and tried to get an appointment then you know why this bill is important. It can take weeks and even months to get a DMV in person appointment. I know of one person who needed to get a title transferred after buying a car and was given an appointment in October. Of course you can mail in a title - and DMV could lose it. DMV requires people who buy a car from a non-title state to mail in the docs and then DMV will process and mail you a title. I know three people who have purchased a vehicle from a non-title state and mailed in the docs. DMV lost ALL THREE of the people's paperwork. And even if you do mail in a title DMV will take at least a month to get to it. Not good if you'd like to get some tags and drive what you just bought. Bottom line if other states' DMV offices can be open then so can Virginia. California, which was

hit harder by the virus than Virginia, actually has some open walk right in DMV centers.

This bill is in the House which has gone to online meetings. There have been some technical problems plus no citizen or lobbyist will be able to contact members about legislation except by email which is easy to ignore. The House leadership – unlike the Senate – decided to do everything online and then voted for \$210 per diem for lodging. That makes sense if they were meeting in person in Richmond but they are on a computer screen at their home. Some members of the House are refusing to take the money. The other two auto-related bills are:

HB 5004 Driver's licenses; discretionary requirement to conduct ceremony when issuing to person under 18: Makes discretionary the requirement to conduct a formal, appropriate ceremony when issuing original driver's licenses to persons under the age of 18.

SB 5011 Motor vehicle safety inspection program; abolishing state program, etc: Abolishes the state motor vehicle safety inspection program.

I find it strange that the inspection bill has been re-introduced right after it just failed in the regular session. I don't know of anyone who supports this measure. Using the link in the first paragraph you can check and follow this special session's bills and resolutions. I encourage all citizens to look at all the introduced legislation to see where the Assembly members want to take our state.

On September 26th we will hopefully have the first Breakthrough Car Show and a celebration of the council's 25 years as an advocate for car hobbyists. The council was formed to monitor the state's clunker bill that allowed the scrapping of old vehicles to allow stationary polluters credits. We got that bill repealed and since then the council has been successful in getting legislation that is friendly to car hobbyists along with having the best calendar of hobbyist events. The council has been instrumental in expanding the hobby and helping hobbyists earn the good reputation they have now and that has certainly helped with getting the legislation we have needed. I invite you to participate in this event. We've missed a lot of events this year due to the virus restrictions and all the rain we've experienced this year. It's time to come out and

make this a really great event. Info is at <a href="http://carclubcouncil.com/carshow/">http://carclubcouncil.com/carshow/</a>

# **CLASSIFIEDS**

(if we are running something that has been sold, please let me know)



# FOR SALE: 1966 Mustang Convertible

Ivy Green

200 CL 6 Cylinder

ORIGINAL Dagenham 4-speed manual transmission

Was a show car but has been stored for a few years. Will need a new top but very clean otherwise.

\$18,000 OBO

Contact Jimmie at 804-247-3639



#### FOR SALE: 2004 Mach 1 Mustang

40th year anniversary April 15th becomes a classic Garaged/covered One owner, non-smoker, no pets, no kids 32,080 miles, Immaculate condition

\$11,800 Contact Ali Smith (804)426-4474 More pictures upon request



# **FOR SALE: Deep Blue 1966 Mustang**, 6 cylinders, 76,000 miles in our garage is looking for another caring owner. Factory air and light blue interior adds to the great driving car we use monthly. Price: Contact Phil Sido 804-897-2921, phil.sido@gmail.com



## **FOR SALE: 1966 MUSTANG**

1966 Mustang convertible. Classic. Automatic, 6-cyl, 200 cc. Yellow with black interior & top. 139K mi. Original engine, chassis, interior. Really good condition, runs great. \$16,000 OBO. Matt Bley 221-7854



# FOR SALE: 1966 MUSTANG Convertible \$9,000

Burgundy car with black power roof. Completely stock. Parked since 1976 and covered in secure garage. 6 cylinder automatic, engine rebuilt 1980, car runs perfectly. Some interior components missing.

Don Wright (804) 339-6967

#### **PARTS FOR SALE**

BBK chrome long tube headers (99-04 cobra or mach 1)
BBK h-type (99-04 cobra or mach 1)
BBK installation hardware (99-04 cobra or mach 1)

Livewire SCT tuner for any year mustang 86-2014 I'm asking \$300 for all the exhaust pieces. And then \$300 for the touch screen SCT tuner. All parts are brand new in the box

Contact Kyle Lythgoe., 804-325-9413 or at bklythgoe@gmail.com



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