



# ***The Galloping Gazette***

## ***The Official Newsletter Of The Central Virginia Mustang Club***

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### **A NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT**

November, wow, hard to believe! As we are aware of events, we'll post them on the Google online [calendar](#), our [Facebook](#) page, the newsletter, and a one page events list at [www.centralvamustang.com/events.pdf](http://www.centralvamustang.com/events.pdf). The events list is great to spread the word about the club and plan your weekends! Print off a few and hand them out to potential members. CVMC is an active club! I hope you take advantage of a few of the events, fun is guaranteed!

#### **Past Events**

|                 |                                                    |
|-----------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| Oct 7, 8:30 am  | <a href="#">Glen Allen Day Parade – 7 vehicles</a> |
| Oct 17, 7 pm    | CVMC Officers and Board of Directors Meeting       |
| Oct 21, 8:00 am | <a href="#">Midlothian Day Parade</a> – 4 vehicles |
| Oct 28, 7:45 am | <a href="#">Leaf cruise</a>                        |

#### **Upcoming Events**

|                |                                                |
|----------------|------------------------------------------------|
| Nov 5 2-4 pm   | Moon Landing – Andy Fuhrman's House RSVP       |
| Nov 11-12      | <a href="#">VIR Fall Fest</a>                  |
| Nov 19, Noon   | Ashland Parade                                 |
| Dec 2, 2:00 pm | <a href="#">Prince George Christmas Parade</a> |
| Dec 3, Noon    | Mechanicsville Christmas Parade                |

Be sure to let Dave Dickey, our Mustang Club of America Director, [mcadirector@centralvamustang.com](mailto:mcadirector@centralvamustang.com), know when participating in MCA shows. The current 2023/24 schedule can be found at <https://mustang.org/events/>.

I am sad to report the passing of CVMC club member, Ron Martin's partner, Kim Prince on October 11, 2023. Her obituary and pictures can be found at <https://photos.app.goo.gl/BvzFfRtghT5CLYgT6>. Kim and departed CVMC members can be found at the "In Remembrance" section of our photos website, <http://www.centralvamustang.com/photos.htm>.

Contact Sandy Robbins, [membership@centralvamustang.com](mailto:membership@centralvamustang.com) for your membership renewals. Membership fees for 2024 will continue at \$20! We ask you to complete the [application](#) for renewals to ensure we capture changes to your address, phone numbers, email address, and exquisite Mustangs. Congratulations to the lifetime

members having 20 consecutive years with CVMC!

Happy Birthday to those members born in November!

|                        |        |
|------------------------|--------|
| Charles Heermance, Sr. | 1-Nov  |
| Mark Hazelgrove        | 2-Nov  |
| Dennis Proffitt, Jr.   | 6-Nov  |
| Lawrence McMurtry      | 10-Nov |
| Tracy Fewell           | 12-Nov |
| James Solomon          | 12-Nov |
| Gary Prock             | 13-Nov |
| Tommy Wilson           | 13-Nov |
| Ernie Dudley III       | 15-Nov |
| Dwight Vivas           | 16-Nov |
| Dru Hill               | 21-Nov |
| Denyse Peterson        | 21-Nov |
| Gordon Martin          | 25-Nov |
| Curtis Robb            | 27-Nov |
| Kendrick Hall          | 28-Nov |
| Robin Reese            | 28-Nov |
| Michael Kramer         | 30-Nov |
| Leonard Santalucia     | 30-Nov |

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

#### Next Meeting

Wednesday, 11/1/2023, 7:00 PM - in person and using Zoom video conferencing.

#### In Person Location

Tucker High School, 2910 N Parham Rd, Henrico, VA 23294

#### Zoom Video

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/74470170897?pwd=LzVaWU13c0ZQY3p4S2k5b3hvQk9mUT09>

Meeting ID: 744 7017 0897

Passcode: 7NHYiR

Please, before the meeting, go to [zoom.com](https://zoom.us) and download the app. I am available if you want to test your audio and video capabilities. Several join and

just listen in with no video, don't be discouraged by the technology, listening only is OK!

#### Merchandise

CVMC merchandise will be available for sale at the meeting! Get the long sleeve t-shirts! For cost and pictures, go to <http://centralvamustang.com/CVMCMerchandise.pdf>. We can handle cash, check, or credit card.

## CVMC OCTOBER MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES

October 4, 2023

The meeting was called to order at 7:01pm by Kathy McWilliams, President, with 37 attending in person and 6 by Zoom.

- I. New Members & Visitors: Jason attended with a 91 coupe, work in progress. Gary Bruce rejoined the club.
- II. Old Member News: David and Margie Koogler purchased Kathy's '08 GT/CS. Rusty and Militza bought a 23 GT and will be selling their Fox bodies. Tommy bought a 23 Charger.
- III. Member Updates: Founding member Bill Jarvis passed away. Bernie was hospitalized for a week with a perforated gallbladder.
- IV. Treasurer's Report: Erik presented the Treasurer's report for September.
- V. Membership Report: Sandy reported that we now have 228 members, with 15 joining at the Fall show. There are two directors that will not be returning for another term.
- VI. MCA Report: Please see Dave's full report in the monthly newsletter.
- VII. Past Events:
  1. Sept. 4-9, Mustang Week, Myrtle Beach, 1 member attended.
  2. Sept. 8-10, MCA National, Melbourne, FL, Robin Reese Gold award winner
  3. Sept. 13, goodie back stuffing night, ~15 members assisted with 155 goody bags and 133 registration packets.

- VIII. Fall Show: 155 spaces sold out. 133 pre-registered, 27 day of show registered. 106 judged: 1 Best of Show, 72 1<sup>st</sup>, 19 2<sup>nd</sup>, 6 3<sup>rd</sup>.
- IX. Parades:
  - 1. Oct. 7, Glen Allen Day parade
  - 2. Oct. 21, Midlothian parade
  - 3. Nov. 19, Ashland parade
- X. Upcoming Events:
  - 1. Oct. 17 BOD meeting, 7pm, Tucker HS (no Zoom)
  - 2. Oct. 28, leaf cruise and lunch
- XI. Other Upcoming Events:
  - 1. Oct. 21, Battle of the Bands Recharged, asking us to display cars.
  - 2. Nov. 11-12, VIR Fall Fest
  - 3. Apr. 5-7, 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration, Birmingham, AL
  - 4. Apr. 8-24, Great American Pony Drive
- XII. Website/Facebook Updates: Check both for most up to date information
- XIII. CVMC Merchandise: Let Kathy know if there is anything you are interested in. We are looking for a new vendor.
- XIV. Open Agenda: Scoobie Williams shared a car show on 10/14 for residents of Manorhouse Assisted Living and Memory Care. Staging at Gayton Baptist Church, 12:30pm, then parking for residents to check out the cars.

The meeting was adjourned at 8pm

## CVMC DIRECTOR'S MEETING MINUTES October 17, 2023

Members in attendance: Kathy McWilliams, Michelle Jordan, Mike Peyton, Chris Evans, Ben Bruno, Rusty Wiseman, Tony Hall, Graham Marsteller, Dave Dickey, Sandy Robbins, Erik Peterson, Ron Martin, Sharon Hazlegrone, Laurie Deusebio, Robert Doswell, and Jim Marr.  
The meeting was called to order at 7:04pm.

- I. **Welcome:** Kathy welcomed the group and thanked them for their attendance.
- II. **Club Enthusiasm:** We need to continue to encourage the membership to attend events/increase participation as well as recruit new members.
- III. **Hot Topics/Assistance Needed:**
  - A. Club Officer and Director email: Rusty presented two different email options to replace our current email which has been problematic.
  - B. Club Activities: Looking for ideas that will keep the club active outside of already scheduled events.
  - C. Merchandise: We are in need of a new t-shirt vendor and a merchandise vendor in general
  - D. Fall Show: Discussed desire to continue to offer a show shirt, but will need to find a new vendor. Reviewed income and expenses but will hold off on decisioning donation until numbers have been finalized.
  - E. 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary: 2024 Mustang Day stickers have been ordered. Looking for event suggestions for the club to participate in.
- IV. **Membership:** Currently at 230 members. 2024 membership fees will remain at \$20. Also looking for any promotional ideas.
- V. **Holiday Party – 2024:** January 13, 2024 has been set as the date. Still looking for a location to host.
- VI. **Parades:** October 21- Midlothian Day parade. We are confirmed for Ashland and Mechanicsville. 9 cars participated in the rainy Glen Allen Day parade. Always

looking for new events for the club to participate in.

**VII. Cruise Ins and Other Events:**

Leaf Cruise set for Oct. 28<sup>th</sup>.

Looking for other event ideas.

**VIII. Elections**

**A. Officers and Directors**  
whose term ends in 2024 listed below. Erik Peterson is not returning as Treasurer and Denyse will not return as a director. Both positions need to be filled as soon as possible.

|                   |                |      |
|-------------------|----------------|------|
| Dave Dickey       | MCA Director   | 2024 |
| Robert C. Doswell | Director       | 2024 |
| Sharon Hazelgrove | Director       | 2024 |
| Michelle Jordan   | Secretary      | 2024 |
| Graham Marsteller | Vice President | 2024 |
| Ron Martin        | Director       | 2024 |
| Kathy McWilliams  | President      | 2024 |
| Erik Peterson     | Treasurer      | 2024 |
| Sandy Robbins     | Director       | 2024 |
| Tommy Wilson      | Director       | 2024 |
| Denyse Peterson   | Director       | 2024 |

**IX. Open Agenda:** We would like to engage speakers for the Winter meetings.

**X. Next Director's Meeting:** The next BOD meeting is scheduled for January 18<sup>th</sup>, 6pm, at Tucker High School.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:41pm.

## ELECTION TIME

We have 11 director positions up for renewal in 2024. At this time, we have one director position open and also the position of treasurer is open. Anyone interested in being considered for either position should contact Sandy Robbins. Responsibilities are outlined on the CVMC web site.

## FALL LEAF CRUISE

October 28<sup>th</sup>, 2023, save the date! That's the day CVMC host its Annual Leaf Cruise to the Mountains. This year we have a new route and a new Restaurant. We will meet at the Wawa located at 150 Pikeview Drive, next to Westchester Commons **no later than 7:45. We**

**depart promptly at 8:00!!** We will travel west on U.S. Route 60 to State Route 24 just west of Buckingham Court House which happens to be the Geographic Center of Virginia. Then we will travel Southwest on State Route 24 through Appomattox Court House National Battlefield to U.S. Route 460. We will venture west on U.S. Route 460 to U.S. Route 501, where we will travel north to U.S Route 60 in Buena Vista. There we will travel east on U.S. Route 60 to U.S. Route 29 in Amherst. There we will travel south on U.S. Route 29 to the Briar Patch Restaurant for Lunch. We will stop along the way as needed. Hope to see you Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup> for a great Cruise.

At the moment, the weather looks great for Saturday! Rain date is October 29.

Bring walkies so we can stay in touch and alert each other of things to watch out for.

FYI – this event is open only to members.

Tony Hall

CVMC

Past President

1995 Rio Red SVT Mustang Cobra  
2006 Vista Blue Mustang GT  
2018 Race Red F-150 Crew Cab



## MUSTANG CLUB OF AMERICA (MCA) REPORT

I received a confirming email from Corporate Headquarters that CVMC has been approved for our clubs 2022 Presidents award which will be mailed to me.

For those of you that do not receive the Mustang Times magazine, MCA's Mustangs 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary will be held at Barber Motorsports Park in Leeds, Alabama on April 5-7, 2024. Details will be coming, however judging will be for only 250 Mustangs and that is **now sold out as is the wait list**. As of this writing (10/23/2023) there will be another list for judged registration for **limited spots** on 10/25/23 starting at 8 PM EST. You can still register for this fantastic event to display your Mustang (NOT JUDGED) as a spectator. As of this date the Host Hotels, Marriott Birmingham, and Hampton Inn, are both **sold out**. There are other hotels still available in the surrounding areas as listed on the website [www.MCAshows.com](http://www.MCAshows.com).

The dates and locations of the rest of the 2024 MCA National shows are:

- May 24-26, show and Track event in Gravois Mills, Missouri; at the Ozark International Raceway, website: [www.mustang.org](http://www.mustang.org)
- August 9-11, Des Moines, Iowa; more information coming
- October 11-13, Savannah, Georgia; more information coming

To register for any of the above shows you **must** register using MCA's **NEW** registration website @ [www.MCAshows.com](http://www.MCAshows.com).

If any of you are planning on going, make your hotel reservations early as hotels around the show sites **fill up very fast**. If something comes up that you cannot attend the show you can always cancel your hotel reservations within the **time limits** stated on your reservation, usually within 48 hours.

October's issue of Mustang Times has an article on Fords **new**, just announced, Mustang GTD 800 horsepower fiber carbon body supercar, a race car built for the road that can take on the best European sports cars. Estimated priced around \$300,000.00 and will be available in late 2024 or early 2025, see page 10 and our annual MCA meeting and installation of our new Board of Directors Banquet will be held January 5-7, 2024 in Florida. The site is the Holiday Inn, Orlando SW, and Kissimmee, Florida. For cost, reservations **deadline**, times, schedule of events, see page 49

If there is anyone interested in applying for their earned Mustang Grill Medallion, information,

application form and instructions is available on page 81

For our new members you can join MCA on line. There are 3 different tier levels discussed at MCA's website [www.mustang.org](http://www.mustang.org). "Mustang Times" magazine is the official club publication for members only, included with your Worldwide membership of around 15,314 and growing. The only way you can receive this published magazine is with your MCA membership application. When you join MCA please email Dave Dickey at ([mcadirector@centralvamustang.com](mailto:mcadirector@centralvamustang.com)) or Sandy Robbins at ([membership@centralvamustang.com](mailto:membership@centralvamustang.com)) your name, MCA membership number and expiration date so we can keep up-to-date on new members for our club President's award. The magazine has beautiful colored pictures, articles and great stories, Mustang modifications, and information from our President, Jeff Mays, editor; Donald Farr, and Judges Corner on pages 4, 6 and 8. As a member you can advertise your Ford parts you want to get rid of or list your Mustang for sale at no charge or buy another Mustang or parts, listed on pages 78 to 79. You are also eligible to use Ford's discounted "X Plan" as explained on MCA's website by scrolling down the first page of the website under "Sponsor Discounts".

As always check our newsletter, Facebook, Car Club Council of Central Virginia (CCCCVA) and CVMC events calendar for any upcoming activities.

Keep your distances, still wear your mask, and wash your hands often to stay healthy.

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

CVMC – MCA *Certified Judges*:  
4<sup>TH</sup> Generation: David Deusebio  
Laurie Deusebio  
5th Generation: David Deusebio  
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**NOTE: please let us know when your item  
sells!!**

*CVMC is not responsible for information contained in the  
sale ads. Each ad will run for two months.*

**FOR SALE: 2021 Mach 1.** The Mach 1 is loaded with all the goodies. Premium addition fighter jet grey 480 HP. TRACK READY edition. Less than 5000 miles, never on the strip or track. Brand New Michelin Pilot Sport 4S tires.

Ceramic coated like new vehicle. Also has extended warranties on all electronics and wheels. Also 4 Pilot Cup 2 sticky tires that have sufficient tread on them to race at track included with the vehicle along with a mustang specific custom car cover. Car left Richmond Ford with a final payout over 70 thousand dollars. I will accept any reasonable offer. Thanks Dan LeBlanc email: [danileleblancm1@gmail.com](mailto:danileleblancm1@gmail.com) or call or text 804-380-0789

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