

The Feed Bag

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It's Election Time!!



Big news: Officer election time is upon us! Every member please take a few minutes to vote for your choices for Officers and Board Mambers. It's your club, so take this opportunity to make your voice heard.

The ballot is below. Please remember: 1 vote per person. You may vote by email, snail mail, or in person at our **Aug 11th meeting**. For your vote to count you must insert your member ID number on the bottom line. Ed will email everyone their ID number. If you do not have email, call Ed Guldner at 925-827-9197. If you submit more than one vote per ID your votes will be thrown out.

- Mail in votes must be **post marked August 6th** to DVMA, P.O. Box 21674, Concord, CA 94521. Mail in ballots must be received by August 10th.
- Email votes must be sent to dvmaeditor@aol.com by close of business August 9th.
- In-person ballots can be handed in at the DVMA meeting on August 11th.

DVMA 2021/2022 Officer Ballot			
President (Please vote for only 1)Harry Davis Write in			
Vice President (Please vote for only 1)Matthew Hawkes Write in			
Treasurer (Please vote for only 1)Dwight Moreland Write in			
Secretary (Please vote for only 1)Karen Davis Write in			
Tour Coordinator (Please vote for only 1)Lisi Dennis Write in			
Newsletter Editor (Please vote for only 1)Erik Miller Write in			
Board Members (Please only vote for 3)Hugh BlackwellEd GuldnerBobby Hubbell			
Write in Write in			
Write in			
DVMA Members ID # (you must enter your ID # in order for your vote to be counted)			

If it looks like a Mustang and sounds like a Mustang...

by Teresa Tedone

The Mustang has gone electric. Or has it? There is no dispute this is an electric car. What has the forums buzzing is whether or not this is a Mustang. Let's start by looking at the facts:

- The 2021 Mustang Mach-E is built by Ford.
- The overall shape and taillights are Mustang.
- The iconic horse is on the front grille.
- There's an abundance of horse-shaped badges.
- There's a "propulsion noise." But it's fake.
- The speedometer reads "ground speed."
- It is a true performance car.

It's that last fact that has reviewers changing their mind about the Mach-E. The general consensus is the car "feels like a Mustang." It's fast, fun, delivers superb electric range (300 miles per charge), and solves a problem many have - current electric cars are just boring. This car will



definitely turn some heads. The steering wheel is substantively thick-rimmed, and the front windshield has a sports car-like view of the road but without the visual limitations of a Camaro. This is a wide, heavy, solid car that takes command of the road. It's a muscle car, and isn't that a word used to describe a Mustang? I'm pretty sure "muscle" is in the title of every one of my boyfriend's magazines.





The bottom line is Ford's got your back. The price range lands around \$40,000 but, as usual, increases when options are added. But if you're not a fan of the look or the performance or the options available there are alternatives...



Meet the **R67 prototype**, produced by Russian company Aviar Motors. They call it the "first electric muscle car." The body style looks very similar to a first-generation Mustang (can you say lawsuit) but with the insides of a Tesla Model S.

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DVMA Dispatch



President's Message from Harry Davis

Welcome to our new members – Dave and Diane Edwards, and Julie Kinsey. Every member is a DVMA treasure.

August is the month of officer elections. In July, members submitted nominations for officers during the next year. Vote for DVMA officer leaders of tomorrow! As always, members are welcome to send input to any officer, or speak at the DVMA general meetings.

Again, I can't say too often how pleased I was to see that DVMA members were awesome in making sure the annual Car Show was a wonderful day and a success.

DVMA members and the Tour Director and Board are always interested in your ideas and thoughts about destination drives in the future. As pandemic guidelines ease, planning events will be easier to do. Outdoor events are the norm right now, but members always appreciate a visit to a museum or indoor restaurant.

Every member will receive a ballot with their member number on it. Ballots need to be returned and postmarked by August 6; return email votes are to be received by August 9. If you still need a paper ballot, bring it to the general meeting held on August 11.

Our August general meeting will be held inside at Fuddruckers on August 11. DVMA will be in a separate room, and I hope to see you there!

Harry Davis



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Or there's the **Zombie 222**, a 1968 Mustang fastback with over 800 horsepower and 1,800 pounds of torque. The brain behind this beauty is Mitch Medford of Bloodshed Motors in Austin, Texas. Mitch converts classic cars into high-speed electric machines. The Zombie 222 is the first of what he says are many more to come. Click here for a video of it running 174 MPH.

If owning a Mustang is a must, and electric is in your future, then don't despair. You have options. And I'm guessing it won't be long before those options increase.



DVMA Events Calendar

New: Click the "Get info" links for more event details!

July Events

July 30 - Pizza Party @ Cobra Experience, Martinez, 5:00pm Get info

July 30-Aug 1 - Shelby American Auto Club Annual Convention, Sonoma Raceway Get info

July 31 - Adopt-A-Street, Seafood City parking lot, 2030 Diamond Blvd, Concord, 8:45am - 10:00am

July 31 - Shelbys, Sights & Scoops: Scenic drive for ice cream (and wine). Get info

August Events

Aug 5 - Movie Night @ Cobra Experience, "Ford v Ferrari", Martinez, 6:00pm Get info

Aug 7 - DVMA Breakfast, Dad's Café, 1135 2nd St, Brentwood, 9:00am

Aug 7 - Hiller Aviation Museum's Annual Planes, Trains, and Cool Cars, San Carlos, 10:00am - 2:00pm Get info

Aug 11 - DVMA Meeting at Fuddruckers in the Willows Pass Center, Concord, 7:00pm - OFFICER ELECTIONS

Aug 15 - Cobra Experience, Martinez: Cars, Kids & Coffee 8:30am - 10:00am, Museum open 10:00am - 3:00pm Get info

Aug 27-29 - Goodguys West Coast Nationals, Alameda County Fairgrounds, Pleasanton Get info

Aug 29 - Detail Garage, 1853-6A Monument Blvd, Concord, informal car show, 8:00am - 10:00am.

Aug 31 - DVMA Board meeting

September Events

Sept 4 - DVMA Breakfast, Country Waffles, Clayton Station, Concord, 9:00am

Sept 8 - DVMA Meeting at Fuddruckers in the Willows Pass Center, Concord, 7:00pm

Sept 11 - Annual Orinda Classic Car Show, Orinda Get info

Sept 11 - Madness on Main Car Show, Martinez, 10:00am - 4:00pm Get info

Sept 19 - Cobra Experience, Martinez: Cars, Kids & Coffee 8:30am - 10:00am, Museum open 10:00am - 3:00pm Get info

Sept 25 - Run for the Gold car show, Oakhurst, 9:00am - 3:00pm Get info

Sept 26 - Detail Garage, 1853-6A Monument Blvd, Concord, informal car show, 8:00am - 10:00am.

October Events

Oct 2 - DVMA Breakfast, Country Waffles, Clayton Station, Concord, 9:00am

Oct 2-3 - Shelby Spin: Two day drive up the coast to Mendocino Get info

Oct 13 - DVMA Meeting at Fuddruckers in the Willows Pass Center, Concord, 7:00pm

Oct 17 - Cobra Experience, Martinez: Cars, Kids & Coffee 8:30am - 10:00am, Museum open 10:00am - 3:00pm Get info

Oct 31 - Detail Garage, 1853-6A Monument Blvd, Concord, informal car show, 8:00am - 10:00am.

November Events

Nov 6 - DVMA Breakfast, Country Waffles, Clayton Station, Concord, 9:00am

Nov 10 - DVMA Meeting at Fuddruckers in the Willows Pass Center, Concord, 7:00pm

Nov 13 - Adopt-A-Street, Seafood City parking lot, 2030 Diamond Blvd, Concord, 8:45am - 10:00am

Nov 28 - Detail Garage, 1853-6A Monument Blvd, Concord, informal car show, 8:00am - 10:00am.

MCA Events

September 3-5, 2021 – The Great Mustang Round Up MCA Grand National, Mustang OK $\,$ Get info

October 2-3, 2021 - High Plains Drifter HPDE, Topeka, KS Get info

October 7-10, 2021 - Spirit of the West, Tucson AZ Get info

DVMA General Meeting Minutes. Fuddruckers, Concord CA. July 14, 2021

With masks and social distancing restrictions, the meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm. Eleven members were in attendance, and two guests Bill and Julie Kinsey attended. Welcome to everyone attending! New member Mike Fontaine, with a 1967 GT350 attended this meeting. It was exciting to hear Mike's story about wanting a Mustang and obtaining his GT350 through a Mecum auction, as he was the one on the phone saying to go higher, go higher. He is very pleased with his purchase and the car.

DVMA's All-Ford-Powered Car Show - June 12, 2021 – Red Robin parking area at The Streets of Brentwood. Rob Brandt of Bill Brandt Ford and Tom Cruz of Delta Bay Mustang have been awesome sponsors. Members contributed to make the 2021 Show a flawless Show! Everyone agreed that Jason was the star! Jason, Tana, Ed, Nicole, Matthew, Erik and other members found jobs and filled them admirably! The day had perfect weather. Some Mustangs were unable to pre-register and filled up the overflow with additional gorgeous Mustangs.

PAST PRESIDENT - John Haugrud - No report

VICE PRESIDENT - Matthew Hawkes - No report

MEMBERSHIP – Ed Guldner – DVMA welcomes new members in the past few months, Dave and Debbie Heistand, John and Alicia Quigley, Dave and Diane Edwards, Neil Bertson and son Michael, Rick and Cristina Hernandez, and Joshua and Arlene Presinal. DVMA now has 49 memberships, 110 members, 117 cars, and 18 MCA members.

TREASURER – Dwight Moreland – Dwight reported Show financials and the success of the Car Show. The Board will meet to determine the amount to be donated to the Food Bank of Contra Costa and Solano (a percentage was advertised). Ed announced he will match the total of the club's donation (including members who wish to participate).

TOUR COORDINATOR – Karen Davis – The Event calendar has been updated for July, and thanks to Nicole for updating the website calendar. The Event Book is available at meetings for sign-ups for future events.

UPCOMING -

July 18 - Cobra Experience Open Day

July 25 - Detail Garage, 1853-6A Monument Blvd, Concord, informal car show, 8:00 am - 10:00 am.

July 27 - DVMA Board Meeting, Mtn Mike's Pizza, Concord (Clayton), 7:00 pm

July 30 - Aug 1 - Shelby American Auto Club Annual Convention, Sonoma Raceway

July 31 - DVMA Adopt-A-Street, 8:45 am, Seafood City parking lot, Diamond Blvd, Concord

August 7 - DVMA Breakfast, Dad's Café, 1135 2nd St, Brentwood, 9:00 am

August 7 - Hiller Aviation Museum's Annual Planes, Trains, and Cool Cars, San Carlos

August 11 – DVMA Meeting at Fuddruckers, 7:00 pm (OFFICER ELECTIONS)

August 29 - Detail Garage, 1853-6A Monument Blvd, Concord, informal car show, 8:00 am - 10:00 am.

Sept 4 - DVMA Monthly Breakfast at Country Waffles, Clayton Station, Concord, 9:00 am

Sept 8 - DVMA Meeting at Fuddruckers, 7:00 pm

MCA 2021 National Shows

July 23-25, MCA National, Overland Park (Kansas City), Missouri

Sept 3-5, The Great Mustang Round Up MCA Grand National, Mustang, Oklahoma

Oct 2-3, High Plains Drifter HPDE, Topeka, Kansas

Oct 7-10, Spirit of the West, Tucson, Arizona

NEWSLETTER - Anne Haugrud - Anne is publishing her last issue after five years. A new newsletter editor will be elected soon.

WEBSITE - Nicole Melton - No report

MCA REP - Jason Ingle - MCA offers a Mecum discount to MCA members; information is available at www.mustang.org.

BIRTHDAYS and ANNIVERSARIES – June birthdays and anniversaries were announced by Ed. Congratulations to all birthday and anniversary celebrants in July.

BOARD MEMBERS - Ed Guldner, Bobby Hubbell, Lisi Dennis - No report

PAST EVENTS -

Some members met for breakfast on July 3 and had a great time.

CLUB RAFFLE - There were several prizes and happy winner.

OLD BUSINESS - None

The next DVMA Board meeting will be on July 27, 2021.

The next DVMA meeting is scheduled for August 11, 2021.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:55 pm by Harry Davis, President.

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dvmaeditor@aol.com

Deadline: Submissions made after the 20th of the month might not be published in the month received.



DVMA Objectives

To provide a common meeting ground for Mustang owners and further the enjoyment of ownership to include workshops, question & answer sessions, and technical sessions. To promote a more favorable relationship with the general motoring public. To further the preservation and restoration of all Mustangs. MOST IMPORTANTLY: TO HAVE FUN!

DVMA General Information

The DVMA meets on the second Wednesday of every month at Fuddruckers in Concord. The Board of Directors meets the fourth Wednesday of every month at one of the Board Members homes on a rotating basis.

DVMA Club Meetings

When:

The second Wednesday of every month at 7:00pm. Arrive early to order & pick up food at the front counter.

Where:

Fuddruckers 1975 Diamond Blvd, Concord, CA 94520 In the Willows shopping center. (925) 825-1443

DVMA Membership Information

Membership is open to any Mustang enthusiast. Dues are \$30 per year plus a \$10 first year initiation fee. Business card size advertising is \$50 (\$25 for members) per year (12 monthly issues). 1/4 page ads are \$100 per year. Other advertising and insert rates are available. Members are allowed brief, one-time For Sale and Wanted ads.

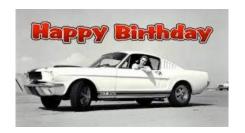
DVMA Member Birthdays and Anniversaries

August Birthdays

Donna Baker
Karen Davis
Joe Dearing
Paul Gwizdak
Jason Ingle
Cristina Hernandez
Rick Hernandez
Francine Martindale
Daniel Tarin
Ezekiel Tarin

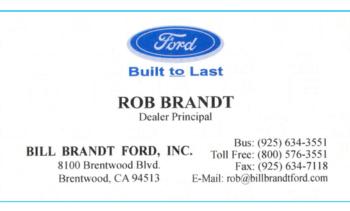
August Anniversaries

Hugh & Sally Blackwell Roger & Frances Davis Rick & Cristina Hernandez Shawn & Micheline Willis













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