



The Feed Bag

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DVMA Christmas Party, Dec 18



DVMA held our annual Christmas party on Sunday, December 18 at El Tapatio restaurant in Pleasant Hill. A delicious Mexican food buffet was enjoyed by all, along with the good company of DVMA members, and a reasonably civil “steal-a-gift” white elephant gift exchange. There were some great Christmas sweaters, some festive headgear, caramel-filled churros, and a few cocktails to go along with the food and fun. If you missed it, I highly recommend you attend next year!



DVMA Breakfast & Tour, Dec 3

by Bill Kinsey

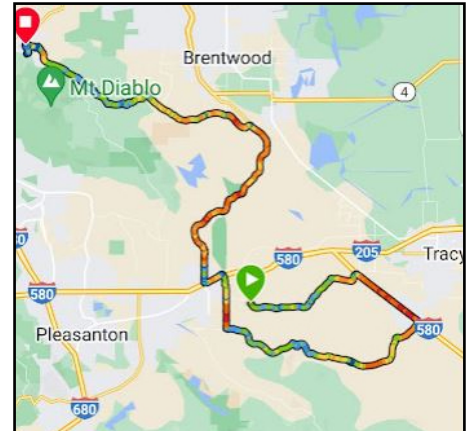
DVMA's December tour started with a hearty breakfast at Dad's Café in Brentwood, 11 members braved the rain and enjoyed each other's company over coffee, pancakes, eggs and other yummy fare. With the clouds opening up and after some deliberation, five of us set out in four Mustangs for a drive through the backroads of eastern Contra Costa and Alameda counties. From Dad's Café we took Vasco Road through the windmills and over the Altamont to Patterson Pass Rd in Livermore.



From there we pointed the ponies east, past the Lawrence and Sandia Labs on broken pavement and a single lane here and there, up and over the Patterson Pass summit to the outskirts of Tracy. The rain relented somewhat on the lee side of the Livermore Hills for our short run on 580 to Corral Hollow Rd and the westward leg back to Livermore.

After a short break at Carnegie off-road vehicle park

where we got to do some mud-running in the parking lot, it was back to the blacktop for the steep climb out of Corral Hollow. Then on to Greenville Rd, back to Vasco, finishing up on Marsh Creek Rd for the return home. A good romp in the rain through some local Mustang country.



Mustang History: Dealer-Installed "Branded" Kits

Hemmings.com has an interesting article about one of Ford's marketing plans for selling used Mustangs in the '60s. Dealer-installed "Branded" kits included stripes, C pillar badges, and options for unique vinyl tops. Check out the article [HERE](#).



DVMA Dispatch

President's Message from Harry Davis



Welcome to new members Doug & Marianne Hearth. DVMA members welcome each and every new member.

The New Year 2023 is upon us! DVMA has had a great year with activities and members and I am looking forward to another wonderful DVMA year. There are events coming up in January including the monthly first Saturday breakfast on the 7th. Watch for more information as driving tours are planned and announced.

The Christmas Holiday party was wonderful with many members attending and enjoying the festivities. The gift exchange was even friendly! Thank you to all attendees and I loved seeing happy faces.

Many thanks to Bill Kinsey, who is coordinator for the Cobra Experience monthly docent events with DVMA. Bill will share all details with DVMA members.

Happy Happy New Year and keep DVMA in your 2023 calendar. We are excited for the future with DVMA events.

See you at the next meeting January 11, 2023, 7:00 pm, at Fuddruckers! Come early for food and socializing. It is a pleasure to see each of you at meetings and events!

Harry Davis



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Saturday, September 23rd, 2023
Streets of Brentwood Shopping Center
2455 Sand Creek Rd, Brentwood
Trophies in 22 classes



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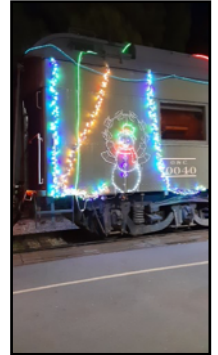
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Train of Lights, Dec 7

Several DVMA members rode the Train of Lights on December 7th from Sunol through Niles Canyon and back again. It was especially cold outside, but the train cars were warm - at least the enclosed ones were! The train is run by an all-volunteer crew that really goes all out with the festive holiday decorations, hot cider & cocoa, and cookies. It was a fun night and we hope to do it again next year. Tickets sell out really fast, so if you want to join us you'll have to be quick on the draw.



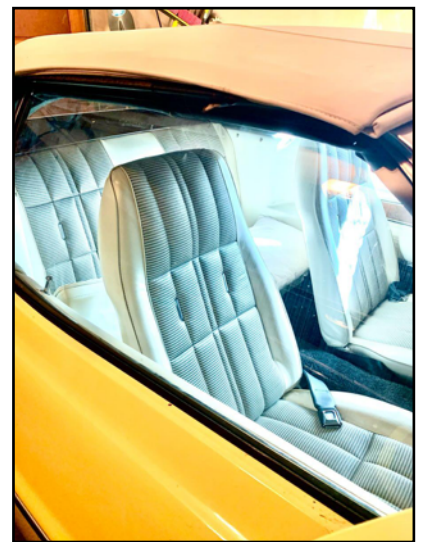
Double Your Donation!

Want to double your donation to the Food Bank of Contra Costa & Solano? If you donate through DVMA from now until March 2023, Board Member & Membership guru Ed Guldner has generously offered to match all donations! What a great way to make your charitable contribution go twice as far. You can donate in person at a meeting (2nd Wednesdays) or mail a check to DVMA, PO Box 21674, Concord, CA 94521.

Hey, Need Another Mustang?



I mean, you know you want one more! There is an original-owner 1973 Mustang convertible for sale on Nextdoor.com right now. The ad states, "Yellow, for sale by original owner, significant engine refurbishment with documentation, always stored inside, well-maintained, very good exterior & interior condition." Seller is asking \$20,000. You can check out the ad and contact Sugar, the owner on Nextdoor [HERE](#), or you can email her at sugarf@comcast.net.



DVMA Member's Mustangs

by Susan D'Arcangelo, Erik Miller

In her 20's, Susan D'Arcangelo bought a Ford Falcon, and she loved how simple and easy to work on it was. Years later, she bought a Ranchero that she also thoroughly enjoyed. But it was when a friend of hers wanted to buy a Bullitt clone, and Susan went with her to check it out, that she really fell in love. Susan ended up buying a '65 Mustang and totally restoring it. She still owns the 302 powered, Honey Gold coupe today.



In 2019, while at the Ford dealer to trade in her '72 F150 for a new Ranger, she saw the '19 Bullitt and fell in love with that, too! After some searching, she found one in Richmond and added it to her stable of blue oval vehicles.



Then it happened - while looking on Facebook marketplace in 2020, she saw a '67 fastback project, drove to San Jose, and bought it. It needed a lot of work and had a worn-out 302, but Susan had the vision to see what it could become. After having the fastback towed home (following in her 2019 Bullitt), she got to work redoing everything. Her friend Robert painted the car in Dark Highland

Green, and she ordered a crate 302 that never showed up. That turned out to be a blessing, because she found out that she could get a 351 Windsor stroked to 427 cubic inches and had Prestige Motorsports build her a fuel injected version, then backed it up with a Tremec 5 speed. Everyone notices the beautiful green paint, Bullitt styling, and the flashy engine, but there are many other details, like the black leather interior with green stitching



to match the '19 Bullitt, that require a closer inspection to appreciate. All these details added up to win Susan the "Best Ford" award at the Madness on Main show in Martinez this year. That's where I noticed her car, too, and invited her to come to a DVMA meeting. Now she and her Mustangs are staples at DVMA events, and she's even hosted some "Cars, Coffee, and Cuts" events at Blades Co., her barber shop in The Orchards, Walnut Creek. With three Mustangs to choose from, you're pretty likely to see Susan driving one of them to a show or event near you.

SoCal Stunners

by Anne Haugrud

Planning a trip to Southern California anytime soon? Well, if you love Shelbys and want to see a truly awesome collection spanning all years and historical details then look no further than the Segerstrom Shelby Event Center located in a business park in Irvine, CA. It contains the collection of the Segerstrom family who have been ranchers in the Southern California area for generations and are now displaying their meticulously restored Cobras and Shelbys in a stunning 2-story facility. By following a designated route through the glass and marble space you recount the Carroll Shelby story chronologically with multimedia presentations and stunning examples of his inspired designs. The center has been open for about 2 years now and, similar to the Cobra Experience, they do weddings and corporate events there. The huge lobby had a 25-ft Christmas tree and they had just had a wedding in that area the day before.



Besides the beautiful cars and Carroll Shelby memorabilia they have a large display of “petroliana” (restored antique gas pumps and signs). Some of the low prices showing on the pumps are prices I remember paying. Does that mean I’m an antique too? There also was a great collection of coin-op children’s riding toys. Remember begging Mom for a turn on one of those after coming out of the supermarket?

This was a wonderful 2 hours spent in an immaculate shrine to Carrol Shelby and his cars. Even people who are not “car people” will enjoy it as was the case with my sister and brother/in-law who thought it would entertain us and it sure did. If you’d like more info go [HERE](#) or call (949) 969-4368.



DVMA Events Calendar

Click the "[Get info](#)" links for more event details!

January Events

Jan 1 – Cobra Experience, Museum open 10:00am - 3:00pm [Get Info](#)

Jan 1 – Coffee & Clutches, Starbucks lot, 5779 Lone Tree Way, Antioch, 8:00am – 10:00am [Get Info](#)

Jan 7 – DVMA Breakfast, Black Bear Diner, 700 Bancroft Rd, Walnut Creek, 9:00am

Jan 11 – DVMA Meeting at Fuddrucker's, Willows Shopping Center, 1975 Diamond Blvd, Concord, 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Jan 15 – Cobra Experience, Museum open 10:00am - 3:00pm [Get Info](#)

Jan 19 – Cobra Experience movie night "Top Gun: Maverick", 5:30pm [Get Info](#)

Jan 21 – DVMA driving tour to Sacramento, meet at Dutch Bros Coffee, 1092 Main St, Oakley, 9:30am

Jan 21 – DVMA visit to the California Automotive Museum, 2200 Front St, Sacramento, 11:00am [Get Info](#)

Jan 24 – DVMA Board Meeting at Mountain Mike's Pizza, 5358 Clayton Rd, Concord, 7:00pm - 8:00pm

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

Every Friday – Danville Livery Cars & Coffee, 400 Sycamore Valley Rd, Danville, 9:00am - 10:30am [Get Info](#)

Upcoming Events

Feb 4 – DVMA Breakfast, Country Waffles, 5435 Clayton Rd, Clayton, 9:00am

Apr 30 – Pacific Coast Dream Machines show, Half Moon Bay Airport, 10:00am - 4:00pm [Get info](#)

May 20 – The Biggest Little Car Show, Suisun City, CA [Get Info](#)

June 10 – Cobra Experience Food Drive, Martinez, 8:00am - 10:00am, Museum open 10:00am - 1:00pm [Get info](#)

Sept 23 – DVMA All Ford Car Show, Streets of Brentwood

DVMA tour January 21, 2023 11AM

California Automobile Museum, 2200 Front Street Sacramento, CA 95818

Saleen Mustang Exhibit

Adults: \$10, Vintage (65 & Over): \$9, Military & Students: \$9, Youth (6-17): \$5, Children (5 & Under): Free



Optional drive to the museum via Highway 160, The River Road
Meet at Dutch Bros. Coffee 1092 Main St, Oakley, CA 94561 9:30am



Saleen Automotive Inc. has created high performance vehicles for street and track since 1983. There's no better way to experience the engineering that goes into these cars than by seeing them in person.

Visit the California Automobile Museum's "Saleen: An Exhibit of Speed", on display until January 30th, 2023, and witness "Power in the Hands of a Few."

www.calautomuseum.org/special-exhibit-saleen

DVMA General Meeting Minutes, Fuddruckers, Concord, CA. December 14, 2022

DVMA's general meeting was called to order at 7:05 pm, by President Harry Davis.

Welcome to everyone attending! Members introduced themselves and their Mustangs. There were no guests.

CAR SHOW 2023 - SEPT 23, 2023 is the date of DVMA's next Car Show, Ford-Powered Cars.

PAST PRESIDENT – John Haugrud – John has DVMA Stores and found some antenna flags with the DVMA window stickers. All members should have the updated antenna flag.

VICE PRESIDENT – Matthew Hawkes – No report

MEMBERSHIP – Ed Guldner –DVMA has 64 memberships, 142 members, 152 cars, and 21 MCA members. DVMA has received 55 membership renewals at this time. If the remaining members are not renewing, DVMA will then have 55 memberships, 118 members, 138 cars, and 19 MCA members. A sad note - DVMA's charter member Ed Benson has passed this month. Welcome to new members Tom Bustillos and Katheryn Nguyen of Concord and Doug Hearth of Concord.

TREASURER – Dwight Moreland – DVMA is financially sound. Financials are provided to the president each month.

TOUR COORDINATOR – Bill Kinsey – The Event calendar has been updated for December and an event list is also sent to all members by email.

UPCOMING – See events listing on page 7. Get all info and sign up in the Event Book

NEWSLETTER – Erik Miller – Erik welcomes input.

WEBSITE – Nicole Melton –

Julie is assisting Nicole and was able to add PayPal to DVMA's website for the Christmas dinner. Julie is admin on the **Facebook** page and posts info. Julie set up **Instagram** and DVMA has a few followers!

BIRTHDAYS and ANNIVERSARIES – December birthdays and anniversaries were announced by Karen Harris. Congratulations to each birthday and Anniversary celebrants in **December**.

BOARD MEMBERS – Anne Haugrud, Ed Guldner, Victor Harris – No report

PAST EVENTS –

Dec 10 - Bladesco Cars, Coffee, Cuts, had two Mustangs show up even though it was pouring rain. Susan arranges these shows every few months with donations to Meals on Wheels.

CLUB RAFFLE – Raffle winner - Susan D'Arcangelo

OLD BUSINESS – None

NEW BUSINESS -

1 - DVMA will collect Food Bank donations at general meetings through March.

2 - For 2023 holidays, DVMA plans to collect toys and donate to an unspecified organization.

3 - DVMA general meetings will have various speakers at every other 2023 meeting (beginning in February). Please plan to keep DVMA meetings in your calendar.

The next DVMA Board meeting will be on January 24, 2023.

The **next DVMA meeting** is scheduled for **January 11, 2023**.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:03 pm by Harry Davis, President.

DVMA Has the Technology!

Did you know that DVMA now has both a Facebook group page and an Instagram account? Yes, it's true! Believe it or not, we are driving forward into the 21st century. Want to join us on social media and get all the latest DVMA info?

Search Diablo Valley Mustang Association on Facebook, or click on [THIS LINK](#). Click "Join Group" and once approved, you're in!

On Instagram, just search for diablovalleymustangs and follow our account.

That's it! You're now privy to all the inside scoops and timely information that only social media can provide. It's also a great way for DVMA to stay connected to other Mustang clubs.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!! Here's to an amazing 2023.

DVMA Member Birthdays and Anniversaries

January Birthdays

Francis Davis Tony Eistetter Ed Guldner Anne Haugrud Bobby Hubbell Xavier Tarin


January Anniversaries

Chip & Caroline Herman

If you're not listed, either you're new or I messed it up. Either way - my apologies, and happy birthday / anniversary!

Welcome New DVMA Members!

Doug & Marianne Hearth, 2009 Shelby GT500 & Shell Valley Cobra 428



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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 Tuesday of every month.

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.