



The Feed Bag

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TIME TO SUPPORT YOUR CLUB

It's crunch time, people. Our car show is just days away and we need everyone to turn out and help make this car show the best we've ever put on! There are a thousand details to be taken care of and it all starts at 6-6:30 am (yes, we know it's early but cars start arriving at 7!) Even if you can't be there *that* early, you can come out and help with raffle ticket sales, security, end-of-show clean up (we want our \$1500 deposit back!) or just being a "goffer". When all is done we will be celebrating a very successful show with late lunch at Red Robin! Come and join the fun!

A Final Farewell to a long-time member

We received late word this week of the passing of one of our long-time members, Tim McCarthy. He lost his battle with Hodgkin's Lymphoma while undergoing a stem cell transplant at Stanford Hospital. He had not been active in the club for several years due to his illness but his love for his Mustang never wavered. He is survived by his wife Sherry and 4 grown children. There will be a memorial service at 11:00 am on Saturday, June 15 at First Presbyterian Church of Livermore, 2020 Fifth St., Livermore.

Ed's Excellent Adventure, Part 2

By Ed Guldner

Some rambling remarks about the opening of the Mustang Owner's Museum (MOM) and the 55th birthday of the Mustang.

One of the events was the attempt to set the world record for the most cars in parade. The record is held by Ford of Mexico at 960. There were about 1000 cars entered for the parade, however with the 4 hour wait to get on to the track, a number of people left. I guess they have never been in a parade before.

The USA record was set that night with 847 cars. I had the top down and the DVMA flag on the antenna. The organizers had a photographer there and below is a picture of me on the track. You can see the antenna flag. Right after this the cars ahead of me took off. I was going about 20 mph and there must have been a 30 or more mph wind because the flag was almost hitting the windshield. The flag departed and is somewhere on the Charlotte Motor Speedway.

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DVMA Objectives

To provide a common meeting ground for Mustang Owners and further the enjoyment of ownership: to include workshops, question and 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 each month at Fuddruckers. The Board of Directors meets the fourth Wednesday of each month at one of the Board Members homes on a rotating basis.

When: The second Wednesday of every month at 7:00 PM...Arrive early to order food. Order and pick up your food downstairs. Bring your food upstairs to the meeting.

Where: Fuddruckers

1975 Diamond Blvd, Concord, CA 94520

(925) 825-1443 In the Willows Shopping Center

Directions

From the South:

Take Highway 680 North to Willow Pass Road. Exit at Willow Pass Road and at the light at the bottom of the ramp, turn right. Move immediately into the left lane and turn left on Diamond Boulevard (the next traffic light). Stay in the left lane and turn left into the Willows Shopping Center.

From the North:

Take Highway 680 South to Willow Pass Road. Exit at Willow Pass Road and turn left at the light at the bottom of the ramp. Turn left on Diamond Boulevard and stay in the left lane. Turn left into the Willows Shopping Center.

DVMA Membership Information

Membership is open to any Mustang enthusiast. Dues are \$30.00 per year plus a \$10.00 first year initiation fee. Business card size advertising is \$50.00 (25.00 for members) for 12 monthly issues. ¼ page ads are \$100.00 per year. Other advertising and insert rates are available. Members are allowed brief, one-time For Sale and Wanted ad's.

DVMA DISPATCH



The Diablo Valley Mustang Association's annual Show and Shine is just around the corner. The forecast for the day is for lots of fun, awesome Mustangs and sunny weather. As we move closer to the show date of June 8th we have had some logistical problems which needed to be solved. Many thanks to Rob Brandt of Bill Brandt Ford for all his support in helping to solve these problems and for his continuing support in this process of putting on our show at Streets of Brentwood.

Now we need the help of every member of DVMA with the thousand things that need to be done the day of the show. We need people to set up tables and sound equipment. We need help getting cars parked. We need help judging the cars (if you missed the judging seminar you can be a scribe which is just writing things on a clip board). We need ballot counters, 50/50 and raffle ticket sellers. If you cannot come all day

(6:30 am to 2:00 pm) then come just for the morning set-up or later to help with the take-down. The most help will be needed from 6-8 am when we are setting up and parking cars starting at 7:00 am. Judging starts at 9:00 am. If you're there at the end we hope you'll join us all at Red Robin , one of our sponsors, for a late lunch to celebrate another successful car show! It's all of us working together that's going to make this a truly great event!

Ed's Excellent Adventure, Part 2 continued

The newer cars were up on the top of the banked track and were having trouble not sliding down the slope. I decided that at that angle I would have no gas in the bottom of the carburetor and the car would die so I stayed on the lower portion of the track.

The museum (MOM) was turned over by the contractor on April 5th. The last items to be set were the commemorative bricks ordered by clubs and members. The bricks arrived after 4 pm on the 16th. The museum people did a great job getting the bricks placed.



Front entrance of the Mustang Owners' Museum



Parked in front of the Mustang Owners' Museum



At the Opening Ceremonies of the Mustang Owners' Museum

One anecdote, I was next to John and Bobbie from New York at the parade. They had ordered 2 bricks, a single size and a double size. One of the bricks had a spelling error in Bobbie's name. One too many "Os." I am sorry, I did not think about DVMAers with bricks nor the DVMA brick, so I did not look for them.

Some side trips, on the way from Pennsylvania to North Carolina I stopped at the Udvar-Hazy Air and Space Museum where the Enola Gay, the Space Shuttle Discovery and the SR-71 are displayed along with hundreds of other planes and items. Going south from there are the homes of James Monroe, Thomas Jefferson and James Madison. I have been to Monroe's before and to Jefferson's a number of times but never to Madison's Montpelier. It was a great tour. The estate was owned by the DuPonts and turned over the public viewing.

I also visited Andrew Jackson's Hermitage. Jackson, unlike Monroe, Jefferson and Madison, was extremely wealthy. The others died practically broke. The Hermitage was also a great tour. When I turned off I-40 to go to the Hermitage, I stopped at a Kroger to get some fruit and snacks. This was the first time I have been in a Kroger in more than 40 years. Kroger is the largest supermarket chain in the country. I also visited the Roswell Alien Museum. I knew the gas stations in New Mexico were few and far between, however I didn't check the map (actually I didn't take much in maps) and from the Texas border to Roswell there were no gas stations until I got into Roswell. I put 16 gallons in the car, it holds 19. From Roswell to I-40 is 150 miles of nothing. So it was gas station to gas station. Then I went north to Durango, Colorado and was running on vapors when I got to the town of Aztec where there was a station.

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DVMA EVENT CALENDAR

DVMA HOSTED EVENTS

June 8, DVMA Annual Car Show, Streets of Brentwood, Red Robin parking area. Staging 7:00 am, Show 9:00am to 2:00 pm.

June 12, DVMA meeting at Fuddrucker's in Willows, 7:00 pm, Diamond Blvd, Concord. Come early to socialize and have dinner.

June 23, BAMA's Ponies and Snakes car show in Danville Livery shopping center, Danville.

July 2, Cool Concord Cars, Todos Santos Park, Concord. Arrive at 4:00 pm to assist with parking cars. Dinner after the show.

July 4, DVMA participates in Concord 4th of July Parade around Todos Santos Park. Contact Karen Davis 925-768-4904.

July 6, DVMA "First Saturday" breakfast at Country Waffles, Clayton station, Kirker Pass and Clayton Rds, 9:00 am.

July 10, DVMA meeting at Fuddrucker's in Willows, 7:00 pm, Diamond Blvd, Concord. Come early to socialize and have dinner.

August 3, Adopt-A-Street. Meet at 9:15 am, start at 9:30 am, Seafood City parking lot, Diamond Blvd, Concord. Breakfast to follow at Giant Chef Burger, 10 Golf Club Rd., Pleasant Hill approximately 10:30 am.

August 14, DVMA meeting at Fuddrucker's in Willows, 7:00 pm, Diamond Blvd., Concord. **Election of officers**

September 6-7, 13th Annual Orinda Classic Car Show

September 7, "First Saturday" breakfast at Giant Chef Burger, 9:00 am, 10 Golf Club Rd, Pleasant Hill

September 11, DVMA meeting at Fuddrucker's in Willows, 7:00 pm, Diamond Blvd, Concord. Come early to eat and socialize.

November 2, Adopt-A-Street. Meet at 9:15 am, start pickup at 9:30 am, Seafood City parking lot, Diamond Blvd., Concord. Breakfast to follow at Giant Chef Burger, 10 Golf Club Rd., Pleasant Hill, approximately 10:30 am.

OTHER EVENTS

June 25, DVMA Board meeting, 7:00 pm Mountain Mike's Pizza, 5358 Clayton Rd. **All members are welcome!**

NON-CLUB EVENTS

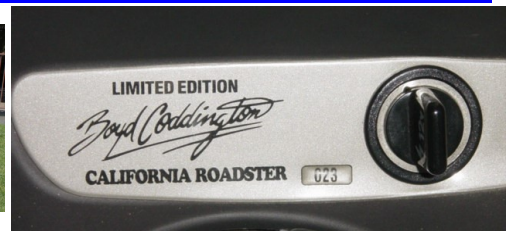
June 8-9, Carquinez Toy Train Operating Museum Open House, Crockett Train Days, 645 Loring Ave., 3rd floor, Crockett. 10 am to 4 pm, \$10 for admission to two layouts.

June 28-30, Mustang Club of America (MCA) National show, "Northern Star National", Minneapolis, MN

July 18-20, Winnemucca Wheels, Winnemucca, NV. Cash prizes!

August 30-September 1, MCA Grand National, "Capital Horsepower", Fredericksburg, VA

FOR SALE



Joe Dearing's 2003 Roush Boyd Cottingham Roadster

Member Joe Dearing has decided he has one too many Mustangs in his garage and is looking for a good home for his beautiful 2003 Roush Boyd Cottingham California Roadster convertible, Number 23 of 58 made. This multi-trophy-winning car is a California car, continuously garaged, has a 4.6L, 260HP modular engine with 16,000 miles on it. It has all the original Boyd Cottingham/Roush customizations including springs that lower the car 1.5 in. in front and 1 in. in back and adds to its low center of gravity and cornering ability. Contact Joe Dearing at joedearing@att.net. Asking \$25,500.

Meeting Highlights, May 8, 2019

DVMA General Meeting Minutes Fuddruckers – Concord CA May 8, 2019

President John Haugrud called the meeting to order at 7:04 pm at Fuddruckers in Concord CA.

WELCOME to everyone attending this meeting. Guest at this meeting was Scott Reider, a former member, with a 1968 coupe.

Ed's Trip to Charlotte NC – Ed's adventure to the east coast included a parade lap on the Speedway, during which his DVMA flag flew off and disappeared. John presented Ed with a new DVMA flag for his Mustang..

DVMA Car Show – DVMA's annual Car Show will be June 8, 10:00 am – 2:00 pm in the Red Robin parking area of Streets of Brentwood. John asked for volunteers on the morning of the Car Show at 6:00 am to set up signs, help with parking, set up tables, etc. There will be one Concourse car to unload from a trailer. Juan will head the parking effort. Ron is head judge and invited members to a judging meeting at John's home on May 25; contact John to be part of that meeting. Ten or more judges are needed. Hugh, Harry, Jason, Bobby and Lisi will be part of the judging group. At the Show, all participants will receive one raffle ticket per one can or food donation for the Food Bank. Trophies (plaques) are presented by Tom Cruz of Delta Bay, and shirts are presented by Rob Brandt of Bill Brandt Ford.

VICE PRESIDENT (and Past President) – Harry Davis – no report

SECRETARY – Karen Davis – Meeting minutes from April are in the May newsletter. MCA Rep – Karen Davis Karen that Mustang Times has a great write-up about the National Show in Houston. There is even a photo of John in one background! The Times has a great article about coolant systems and how important it is to change coolant regularly. Upcoming 2019 National and Grand National Shows - June 28-30 – Northern Star National, Minneapolis MN, at DoubleTree by Hilton; July 18-20 – 55 In The Heartland, Topeka, KS, at Heartland Motorsports Park; and August 30-Sept 1 – Capital Horsepower Grand National, Fredericksburg VA, at the Fredericksburg Expo & Conference Center.

BIRTHDAYS and ANNIVERSARIES – Anne noted May birthdays and Anniversaries. Congratulations to each birthday and Anniversary celebrants in May. --

WEBSITE – Jim Blair – Car Show entries (49 at this count) are registering through Motosho on the website.

TREASURER – Dwight Moreland – no report

NEWSLETTER – Anne Haugrud Anne has printed Car Show flyers for all to distribute to friends and Mustang owners, and has a few copies of the May newsletter for those interested. Mustang Room at Frank's Home – Frank invites everyone to visit his home and check out the items in his Mustang Room. Find your favorite Mustang item.

MEMBERSHIP – Ed Guldner DVMA has 49 memberships, 112 members, and 129 cars.

TOUR COORDINATOR – Jim Blair May 18 – NASA racing at Sonoma Raceway May 18 – Car Show and Rodeo in Maxwell. Contact Bobby Hubbell. May 18 – 35th Annual Biggest Little Car Show, Waterfront Plaza, Suisun City, Golden Hills Mustang Club Summer – Drags at Sonoma Raceway. Contact Matthew Hawkes. Summer – Solano County Food Bank – Dwight will set up a date for DVMA to visit. June 1 - DVMA Monthly Breakfast at Dad's Café, 2nd St, Brentwood, 9 am June 1 – Cobra Experience Museum, Cobra Day, All Ford Car Show, Martinez June 8 – DVMA Annual Car Show, Streets of Brentwood, Red Robin parking area June 15 – VMOA's 42nd Annual Car Show, at the Home Church, Campbell, Vintage Mustangs June 23 – BAMA's Ponies and Snakes at Danville Livery, Danville July 2 – Cool Concord Cars, Concord July 4 – DVMA and Fourth of July Parade in Concord. Contact Karen Davis 925-768-4904. August 3 – Adopt-A-Street, SeaFood City Parking Lot, meet 9:15 am, start 9:30, Breakfast to follow at Giant Chef Burger, 10 Golf Club Rd, Concord, 10:30 am

BOARD MEMBERS – Joe Dearing, Ed Guldner, and Bobby Hubbell – no report

CLUB RAFFLE – Anne Haugrud The winner of the raffle was Lisi Dennis.

SGT AT ARMS – Juan Renteria – no report.

NEW BUSINESS – The next DVMA meeting will be June 12, 2019. The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 pm by John Haugrud, President. --

Ed's excellent adventure comes to an end!

I also noted that neither I nor the car liked being at 8000 feet elevation. I wondered why people were very slow pulling out crossing the road at intersections until I stepped on the gas and the car wheezed at me. I wheezed also crossing the parking lot.

In Durango, I rode the Durango and Silverton Railroad. It was only open halfway to Silverton. The D&S is a 3 foot narrow gauge railway built by the Denver and Rio Grand Southern. Upon leaving Durango, heading to I-40 and later Flagstaff, Arizona, I did check on distance from point to point and selected a direct route to a gas station near the Interstate. About halfway to I-40 my GPS wanted me to take a BIA road (Bureau of Indian Affairs). I decided to stay the course and not end up in the middle of nowhere with no cell phone reception and out of gas.

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It runs along the Animas River which was running very high due to the extreme amount of snow they got this winter.

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The car actually started to run decently once I crossed the border into California and filled up the tank. Gas prices, as low as 2.75 per gallon in the east. 86 octane in Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma

On day 28 I arrived home. Ed G

Learning the finer points of judging

On a sunny Saturday morning a group of eager students assembled in the Haugruds' driveway to learn a few of the elements that go into judging a car according to the MCA (Mustang Club of America) abbreviated judging criteria. These folks will be the ones who will be leading our Car Show judging teams this Saturday morning. MCA gold card judges Ron Freitas and Hugh Blackwell, both veteran car show judges, did a great job of going over the judging sheets and showing the newbies how it's done. After fortification with coffee and donuts the group did some trial runs on both old and new models. Since our show will have a lot of newer models they had to come up with a few tie-breakers to be able to narrow down the choices for a trophy. Present were Joe Dearing, John and Anne Haugrud, Erik Miller, Hugh Blackwell, Jim Blair, Roger and Sadie Canfield, Ron Freitas, Bobby Hubble, and Lisi Dennis



FOR SALE


Bob Nelson's 2009 Shelby GT500 KR up for sale

The family of our recently-deceased club member, Bob Nelson, is putting his beautiful Shelby up for sale and wanted the club to have first dibs. It is a 2009 Shelby GT500 KR, VIN #1ZVHT88S795138498, CSM 09KR0045. This KR is #45 out of a total of 712 made. It has 6310 miles on the odometer. It's a one-owner car and was garaged 100% of the time. It is a California car in pristine condition and appraised by MCA Gold Judge John Haugrud at \$56,000. Contact Mile Nelson at 925-437-6767 for more info.



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