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GOT AN ITCH FOR SOMETHING NEW?



Here's an article from Motortrend online by Nick Yekikian from February 11, 2021.

With [the new Mach 1](#) effectively replacing [the now-discontinued Ford Mustang Shelby GT350 and GT350 R](#) models and the 760-hp [Shelby GT500](#)'s arrival grabbing all the Mustang headlines of late, it might be easy to forget about [the run-of-the-mill Mustang](#). Yes, Ford still sells a car called the [Mustang that isn't an EV-crossover](#) with either a turbocharged four-cylinder engine or a "regular" 5.0-liter V-8. Weird, right?

While the sixth-generation Mustang is entering its seventh model year, Ford is still keeping it relevant with some worthwhile additions (and a few notable subtractions) for 2021. The biggest change isn't necessarily a huge update in terms of performance, but for 2021 all Mustangs will have Ford Co-Pilot 360 on board. That means active-safety goodies such as blind-spot monitoring, lane keep assist, and [smart](#) cruise control are all standard equipment.

Sadly, as we covered earlier, [the V-8-powered, track-ready GT Performance Pack Level 2 Mustang is also dead for 2021](#)—its place in the Mustang lineup has been usurped by the new Mach 1.



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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.

Club Meetings

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

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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



President's Message by Harry Davis

This month marks a year! We have made it this far, and hopefully the rest of the COVID journey will be easier. Life won't be the same as the "good old days" in the future, as we will all be wearing masks for a while, aware that we need to be washing our hands more often, and reluctant for close hugs. Should we all carry our cards of vaccination??

March has a few events, including the monthly Detail Garage car gathering. There are several events planned for April, including National Mustang Day, a Drive for Hunger at Cobra Experience, Adopt-A-Street, and the monthly Detail Garage informal show. In that light, the monthly first

Saturday breakfast is not being scheduled.

DVMA will have two meetings in March, the general meeting March 10, and the Board meeting March 23, and both will be held using Zoom technology. Unless, of course, indoor dining gatherings become possible before either date.

Plans for the DVMA's annual Car Show, All Ford-Powered Show, are still on hold. We are changing the Show date to June 12. At this time, we cannot make further plans until we get the approval to go forward.

Plan to participate in DVMA events and enjoy the company of club members and those who love Mustangs.

Harry Davis

DVMA Events – March

March's Events

March 6, DVMA Breakfast (cancelled)

March 10, **DVMA Meeting** at Fuddruckers in the Willows (cancelled)

March 27-28, Good Guys at Alameda County Fairgrounds, Pleasanton (cancelled)

April's Events

April 3, DVMA Breakfast

April 24, Adopt-A-Street, 9:00 am Seafood City parking lot

April 14, **DVMA Meeting** – Zoom meeting

MCA Events

April 1-4, 2021 – MCA 45th Anniversary Celebration, Braselton GA

June 11-13, 2021 – Thunder on the Mountain National, Eureka Springs, Arkansas

July 23-25, 2021 – Follow the Yellow Brick Road **MCA National** – Overland Park (Kansas City), MO

September 3-5, 2021 – The Great Mustang Round Up **MCA Grand National** – Mustang, OK

Other Events

Feb 23, - **DVMA Board Meeting**

April 10 – DVMA and Drive for Hunger at Cobra Experience

April 17 - National Mustang Day

June 12 - DVMA Annual Ford-Powered Car Show (note date change)

June 19 – VMOA Car Show

Non-Club Events

February 28 - **Detail Garage**, 1853-6A Monument Blvd, Concord, informal car show, Time 8:00 am – 10:00 am. Cars and drivers come and go throughout the two hours.

DVMA club Zoom meeting February 10, 2021

DVMA General Meeting Minutes

Zoom technology

February 10, 2021

With continued COVID restrictions, the meeting was held by Zoom. The meeting was called to order at 7:09 pm. Nine members attended. Welcome to everyone attending! Welcome to new members Dave and Debbie Heistand, with a 2020 GTA (A10) fastback Mustang.

DVMA's All-Ford-Powered Car Show - June 5, 2021. Harry will check with Rob Brandt regarding the date and inquire about the following Saturday. Nothing new from The Streets of Brentwood. Once the facility is assured, DVMA will send emails to all members and past Car Show participants.

PAST PRESIDENT – John Haugrud – No report

VICE PRESIDENT – Matthew Hawkes – No report

MEMBERSHIP – Ed Guldner – DVMA has 41 memberships, 88 members, 106 cars, and 17 MCA members.

TREASURER – Dwight Moreland – Dwight submitted MCA renewal insurance information to MCA. Cost is \$385 for one year's liability coverage. Certificates for events are separate at no additional cost.

TOUR COORDINATOR – Karen Davis – The Event calendar has been updated for February.

UPCOMING

February 23 – DVMA Board Meeting, by Zoom, 7:00 pm

February 28 – Detail Garage, 1853-6A Monument Blvd, Concord, informal car show, 8:00 am – 10:00 am. Cars and drivers come and go throughout the two hours.

March 6 - DVMA Monthly Breakfast at 9:00 am (**cancelled**)

March 10 – DVMA Meeting at Fuddruckers, 7:00 pm (**cancelled**)

March 27-28 – Good Guys Show, Alameda County Fairgrounds, Pleasanton (**cancelled**)

April 10 – Drive for Hunger, Cobra Experience meet

April 17 – National Mustang Day

June 5– DVMA Car Show (**note date change on Event Calendar**)

June 19 – VMOA Car Show

Sept 18 – Orinda Car Show, Orinda CA

MCA 2021 National Shows

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Other smaller changes include the addition of new colors across the Mustang range. Antimatter Blue Metallic, Carbonized Gray Metallic, Fighter Jet Gray, and Grabber Yellow are all new for 2021. Colors like Magnetic and Grabber Lime are leaving the option sheet, as are Kona Blue and Dark Highland Green, both of which were exclusive to the Bullitt Mustang that—like the GT350s and Performance Pack Level 2 model—was pretty much eaten and absorbed by the Mach 1 this year.

There are also some very small detail changes that amount to little more than footnotes in Ford's announcement. For example, the Mustang will no longer be available with an illuminated glove box, the Black Accent styling package comes with a redesigned wheel, the GT Performance Pack now comes with a black strut-tower brace, and you now get a universal garage door opener on Premium-trimmed cars.



The regular Mustang may not be as mighty as some of its beefed-up brothers, but it's still the best selling sports car in America, and these changes will no doubt be welcome

MEMBER BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

March Birthdays

Sadie Canfield Harry Davis
Casey McCullough Rusty Hill
Race Cofer Joseph Njoku-Obi

March Anniversaries

John and Anne Haugrud
Rusty and Marlene Hill
Juan and Norma Renteria



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NEWSLETTER – Anne Haugrud – No report

WEBSITE – Nicole Melton – Nicole is working on the new website, using GoDaddy.

MCA REP – Jason Ingle – DVMA has renewed MCA membership.

BIRTHDAYS and ANNIVERSARIES – February birthdays and anniversaries were announced by email. Congratulations to each birthday and Anniversary celebrants in **February**.

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

OLD BUSINESS –

DVMA business cards are available now. Karen will mail some cards upon request.

The **next DVMA** meeting is scheduled for **March 10, 2021**. The meeting was adjourned at 7:45 pm by Harry Davis,

FOR SALE

DVMA member Joe Dearing is listing his award-winning 2003 Ford Mustang Roush/Boyd Coddington California Roadster for sale. This rare collaboration produced only 53 cars just prior to designer Boyd Coddington's death and this one is number 23! Both of the only 2 owners have treated it with kid gloves—always garaged, never driven in the rain, always a California car. It has been meticulously maintained. Only 16,300 miles on the engine. Mustang Club of America awarded a gold to this beauty at the Reno National MCA Show in 2016. This car is extensively documented from its purchase new in Clovis, CA to the multiple signatures by Jack Roush inside the car and, rarest of all, a Boyd Coddington-signed tach. For more info on the engine and other components, contact Joe Dearing at 925-765-9676.



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