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The Feed Bag

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WE'RE EXCITED!!

Can you believe that it's been almost 2 years since our last DVMA Car Show?! We've missed the fun of getting together with other Mustang and Ford enthusiasts and showing off our cars that we are so proud of. Well, DVMA is once again sponsoring our annual car show on **Saturday, June 12**, and we need your participation. Sign up today through the website, dvma.org (so easy) or download the entrance form and mail it to Diablo Valley Mustang Association, PO BOX 21674, Concord, CA 94521. Come out and support the club with your entrance fee and once again hear oooo's and aaahhh's as we all admire your car. **Time is limited! Must be registered by Thursday, May 27, 2021! No day-of-show registrations due to Covid concerns.** So fill out that entry form and get it in. Car Show season is back!



LAGUNA SECA TRACK TOUR -
Saturday, APRIL 10, 2021

WeatherTech Raceway Laguna Seca

The event began with experienced Alfa Romeo Owner's Club driving instructors

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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

Club Meetings

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

President Message from Harry Davis



Welcome to our new members – Neil Bertson and son Michael Bertson. We hope to see you at a meeting or event before long. Some members will have met Neil and Michael at the SVRA Car Show and track time at Sonoma Raceway.

April has been an exciting month for DVMA! After a year without activities, there have been several events in April. There were 12 Mustangs enjoying breakfast or lunch at Country Waffles on National Mustang Day! National Mustang Day is always celebrated on the Mustang's birthday of April 17, as you know.

DVMA members participated in the SVRA Car Show and track time at Sono-

ma Raceway, a day at Laguna Seca with a drive on the track, the Adopt-A-Street morning, and the Drive For Hunger which originated at the Cobra Experience. We are all looking forward to an event-filled summer! Our May general meeting will be held inside at Fuddrucker's on May 12.

The April meeting was well attended with masks and social distancing. Board meetings are being held by Zoom for the time being. Plan on being involved with DVMA's annual car show, an All Ford-powered Show on **June 12**. Register on the DVMA website, dvma.org; all entries must be **pre-registered**. Parking will be in the Red Robin parking area, and all members are invited to do their part in making this car show a huge success!

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some basic instructions and rules for track driving. The instructions session was followed by 30 minutes of actual track driving for all participants in one's own car.

Lunch was served in the paddock area before the track tour.

Keith, Patty, Ryan and Tyler Suzuki participated with their 2016 black Shelby GT-H and Ron, Suzanne, and Bradley Freitas were there with their 2013 blue GT.

A note to Karen & Harry afterward from Keith said,

"Thanks Karen/Harry for suggesting the Laguna Seca event. It was nice to meet Ron and Suzanne. We had a great time "touring" the track and were able to drive together for several laps. I followed a 1950's Chevy truck. Came in handy to navigate the "corkscrew" as my tall hood made me lose visuals of the second turn in the famed section of track."

Sounds like they had a great time!

DVMA General Meeting Minutes

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Fuddruckers, Concord CA

April 14, 2021

With masks and social distancing restrictions, the meeting was called to order at 7:05 pm. Sixteen members attended. Welcome to everyone attending!

DVMA's All-Ford-Powered Car Show - June 12, 2021 – Red Robin parking area at The Streets of Brentwood. There will not be any raffles and no 50/50 in order to prevent areas of people gathering in a large group. A portion of Show proceeds will go to the Contra Costa and Solano Food Bank; no donations are accepted at the Show. The contract has been signed, the certificate of insurance is at The Streets, and Harry and Rob Brandt are discussing aspects of the Show. Bill Brandt Ford and Delta Bay Mustang are sponsors. There will be 90 parking spaces, and more space available, with cars parked with two door spaces apart. Jason is the lead judge. Volunteers are needed for all parts of a Car Show function. Sign up in the Event Book or talk to any Board member. All Show entries must be pre-registered and paid. There will not be any Day of Show drive-ins or entries.

PAST PRESIDENT – John Haugrud – John has some club hats available and for sale, from the club Store.

VICE PRESIDENT – Matthew Hawkes – No report

MEMBERSHIP – Ed Guldner – DVMA has 43 memberships, 91 members, 110 cars, and 17 MCA members.

TREASURER – Dwight Moreland – No report.

TOUR COORDINATOR – Karen Davis – The Event calendar has been updated for April, and thanks to Nicole for updating the website calendar.

UPCOMING – Note: Detail Garage monthly last Sunday event has been cancelled indefinitely.

April 17 – National Mustang Day, Breakfast at Country Waffles, Clayton, 9:00 am

April 24 – Adopt-A-Street, 8:45 am, Seafood City parking lot, Diamond Blvd, Concord

April 24 – SVRA Car Show/Hagerty at Sonoma Raceway, possible club car corral, \$75 per car.

April 27 – DVMA Board Meeting, by Zoom, 7:00 pm

May 1 - DVMA Monthly Breakfast at 9:00 am

May 8 – Alameda East Bay Swap Meet, 6:00 am-3:00 pm, 2151 Ferry Point Rd, Alameda

May 12 – DVMA Meeting at Fuddruckers, 7:00 pm

May 15 – Poker Run by Sacramento Area Mustang Club, Sacramento

June 5 – Cobra Experience 7th Annual Cobra Day

June 12 – DVMA Ford-Powered Car Show, Red Robin parking area, The Streets of Brentwood

MCA 2021 National Shows

- June 11-13, Thunder on the Mountain National, Eureka Springs, Arkansas
- July 23-25, Follow the Yellow Brick Road National, Overland Park (Kansas City) MO
- Sept 3-5, The Great Mustang Round Up, Mustang OK – MCA National Show
- Oct 7-10, Spirit of the West, Tucson, Arizona

NEWSLETTER – Anne Haugrud – Anne requests to have someone else take over the newsletter in September. capability.

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Record donations for the hungry!

DRIVE FOR HUNGER at Cobra Experience

April 10, 2021

As last year, Paul Cuff organized this event. BAMA, Golden Hills, and DVMA participated. Photographers and Justin Weed taking video were evident during the day. Donald Farr at the Mustang Times will publish an article on the April 10th Food Drive.

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DVMA members John and Anne, Dwight, Hugh and Sally, Harry and Karen with 2006 Vista Blue GT, Bobby and Lisi with 2010 Black Cobra GT 500, Daniel and Natasha with 2020 Red GT 350, Matthew with 2006 Vista Blue GT, Nicole with 2007 Windrail Blue convertible GT, Nicole's brother Gary with Black Fox-body 5.0, and Tom and Francine in their 2008 Highland Green Bullitt 4.6L participated.

There were ten Mustangs from Golden Hills, and nine members from BAMA. The initial report is that there were 6,034 meals, a 33% increase over last year! Food contributions totaled 1,462 pounds and monetary contributions totaled \$2,408. The 2022 Food Drive will be held on April 16, 2022.

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WEBSITE – Nicole Melton – Nicole has posted the Car Show flyer and registration info on the website. Website costs remain the same with Nicole's efforts to add the Show flyer and registration

MCA REP – Jason Ingle – No report

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

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

CLUB RAFFLE – Winners of Mustang items includes Ron Freitas, Bobby Hubbell, and Ed Guldner.

OLD BUSINESS – none

The next DVMA Board meeting will be April 27, 2021. The next DVMA member meeting will be May 12, 2021

The meeting was adjourned at 7:35 pm by Harry Davis, President.

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DVMA steps up for Cobra Experience Food Drive



A little distance socializing after dropping off our donations



Matthew Hawkes 2006 GT, Bobby & Lisi Hubbell 2010 Cobra GT-500 and Nicole Melton with brother's 2007 289.



Food Bank received the equivalent of 6,034 meals!



Daniel Neef and Natasha Coley's 2020 GT-350

Check out the new car judging score card for our upcoming show! So easy!

DVMA 2021 Car Show Score Card

Car # _____	Accuracy _____
	Cleanliness _____
Car Year / Desc _____	Mechanical _____
_____	Personality _____
_____	Presentation _____
Owner's Name _____	
_____	(50 Possible) Total _____

Each Category 1-10 / A tie is decided by Head Judge + 1.



Tom and Francine Martindale's 2008 Bullit 4.6L

MEMBER BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Birthdays

Anniversaries

Mike Brigandi
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 Norma Renteria
 Micheline Keenan Willis

Bobby Hubbell and Lisi Dennis
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