



Ramblin' On (things you need to know)

We have changed our Cruise-in schedule to one Friday night per month. Every 2nd Friday we will meet in the Big Lots Parking Lot at 5:30 pm. The Lakeway Mustang Club, who is no longer meeting at Texas Roadhouse, will be co-hosting. Everyone is invited!

Our general meeting is still the 1st Tuesday of each month at Shoney's in Dandridge. Come around 5:30 if you wish to eat. The meeting begins at 6:30 pm. All members are encouraged to attend.

Sales of advertisements for the program books have started, but we have a long way to go. Everyone seems to happily give to our club as they realize what a good thing we do with the money by supporting children's charities plus the volunteer fire departments. If you are interested in helping sell the ads, just let us know.

The July Car Show Committee will be meeting soon to begin detailed planning for this year's show. This year's committee needs to continue with the success we have experienced in the past few years.

2025 Membership dues are due. They are still \$20.00 for one person plus their significant other.

Membership Drive

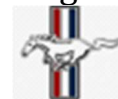
Our 2025 Membership Drive has begun. Our long term goal is to grow this club back to previous levels of 100 members. We don't expect that to happen immediately, thus this year we are shooting for a total of 60 members.

This area is rich with classic car enthusiasts. If you know someone with a car they are passionate about, please invite them to one of our events and talk to them about joining.

Membership applications are available on our website.

New Cruise-in Schedule

2nd Friday Night, April through October
Big Lots Parking Lot @ 5:30 pm



Co-hosted with the Lakeway Mustang Club

The MCC Car Club Newsletter is an official publication of the Mossy Creek Car Club. It is created and distributed electronically each month. All news articles, photographs, and items of interest are welcome for consideration for publication, but subject to editing. Submission deadlines is the date of the MCC monthly meeting. Members who do not have email may receive the newsletter by snail mail upon request.

Letter from the President

Hello Everyone,

I can't wait to get through this winter so we can shine our vehicles up and start doing club events again. Along with the change in our Cruise-in schedule, we are welcoming the Lakeway Mustang Club as a co-host. We hope to fill the parking lot! Please mark your calendars now for April 11th.

The new year means that your MCC membership dues are due. Please take a minute and rejoin the club this year. It also means preparations for our July Car Show are commencing. Please consider joining the team to ensure another successful event year.

Keep Cruzin'

Pat Dukes, President 865-363-5891



FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS



PUT THESE
DATES ON
YOUR
CALENDAR!

Upcoming Events

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| February 11 | Valentines Dinner @ Golden Corral, Morristown, 7:00 pm |
| March 1 | Maury Middle School Car Show, Dandridge, TBD |
| April 11 | MCC Cruse-in, Big Lots Parking Lot, Jefferson City, 5:30 pm |
| April 19 | New Market Easter Parade, New Market, TN, TBD |
| April 26 | F-100 Club Power Tour to Sneedville, TBD |
| May 3 | Hamblen County Car Club Spring Angel Car Show, Cherokee Park, Morristown, 9 am to 3:30 pm |
| May 10 | Cruise In & Swap Meet @ the Farm, Bulls Gap, 10 am |
| May 9 | MCC Cruse-in, Big Lots Parking Lot, Jefferson City, 5:30 pm |
| May 10 | Tarr Chevrolet Car Show, Jefferson City, 9:00 am |
| June 13 | MCC Cruse-in, Big Lots Parking Lot, Jefferson City, 5:30 pm |
| June 14 | Butch Grooms Memorial Car Show, Walters State CC, Morristown, TBD |
| June 14 | Cruise In & Swap Meet @ the Farm, Bulls Gap, 10 am |
| July 11 | MCC Cruse-in, American Book Company, Jefferson City, 5:30 pm |
| July 12 | MCC Car Show – American Book Company, Jefferson City, 9 am to 3:30 pm |



Local Club Meetings

Everyone is welcome to attend:

Mossy Creek Cruzers – 1st Tuesday Every Month, Shoney's, Dandridge, 6:30 pm

Lakeway Mustang Club – 2nd Tuesday Every Month, Wendy's East, Morristown, 7:30 pm

Hamblen County Car Club – 3rd Tuesday Every Month, Golden Corral, Morristown, 7:00 pm

F-100 Club - 5th Tuesday Every Quarter, Shoney's Dandridge, 6:30 pm

For Sale

1950 Ford Crestline
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\$16,000 OBO,
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865-307-0588

About Mossy Creek Cruzers

The Mossy Creek Cruzers (MCC) car club consists of a group of car enthusiasts dedicated to helping with charities in Jefferson and surrounding counties, while supporting our passion for cars. It is our intent to share in the fellowship by raising funds through the events that we plan. Our events are family oriented.

2025 Officers

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Our Organization

Section 6 of our by-laws states: The members shall nominate and elect the following positions:

Car Show Director – Bob Latham

This individual organizes a committee to conduct any car shows sponsored by the Club. The position requires commitment to the club through promotion, advertisement, participant involvement, and public relations.

Charity Coordinator – Open Position

This individual organizes a committee to oversee all aspects of the Club's charity efforts. This includes: receiving and screening charity requests, recommending those that seem suitable, and bringing them to the membership for a vote.

Newsletter Editor – Pat Dukes

This individual shall be responsible for writing, editing, and maintaining a monthly newsletter for the Club and distributing it to members and other clubs.

Public Relations – Rick Swank, 701-300-2056, swanks06@yahoo.com

This individual makes sure we get newspaper coverage in all of the free community calendars.

Membership Coordinator – Open Position

This individual is responsible for promoting membership, collecting dues, and working with the community as a Club representative. They must maintain a membership roll of all active members.

Chaplin – Jackie Swank, 715-644-8891, swanks06@yahoo.com

This individual leads all meetings with a prayer, they check on member's health and family situations, and sends flowers/cards or appropriate condolences when required.

Make the most of your membership – Volunteer to lead or help a committee.

Request for Help

As you can see, we are operating with several important positions open or being performed by another role. Most of these positions only require effort for a few hours a month. If you have the time and the interest, please contact one of the officers above.

- Thank you

Web Site

www.mossycreekcruzers.org

Facebook

<https://www.facebook.com/MossyCreekCruzers>

Meeting Minutes – February 4

As taken by Linda Latham, Secretary



Pat called the meeting to order. Bob Latham gave the opening prayer and led the Pledge of Allegiance. Eleven members were present.

Bob provided the Treasure's report:

Beginning Balance: \$8,992.30, Deposits: \$500.00, Withdrawals: \$447.65

Ending Balance: \$9,044.65. The club is in excellent financial shape.

Rick Elder volunteered to format a newsletter for February.

Pat and Bob have started selling advertisements for this year's show books. Four were sold recently and Chris Davis has sold seven more. Good job Chris! We need help to reach all of our supporters. The final copy must go to the printer by the end of March.

Tarr Chevrolet is having their car show on May 10th @ 9:00 am

Traditionally, club members are not allowed to enter their cars in MCC car shows when members are doing the judging. Katy made a motion to present a "Member" trophy for the best member car in these situations. It was seconded by Rick S. The motion passed. Note that member cars are allowed to compete if independent external judges are used.

Pat requested ideas to obtain more members. A membership table will be setup at the Cruise-ins.

The club needs new t-shirts.

Bob will schedule a meeting with Pete and Rick E. to determine sound system needs and assess what is currently available.

The Lakeway Mustang Club has lost its place for cruise-ins. Chris Davis had the idea to meet at the same time and place as MCC. It was proposed for them to be a co-host for the MCC Cruise-ins on the 2nd Friday night of every month. Rick E. made the motion, Bobby E. second. The motion passed unanimously.

A lengthy discussion was held regarding the "club member" trophy and the mix-up at the October show. The winner of the award is determined by the club with the most affiliations on the registration sheets, but that is not what was followed at the October show. A motion was made by Bob to cancel that award, but later withdrawn. The award will remain as designed and procedures will be strictly followed.

A motion was made to draft a letter of apology and send it to the Grainger County Ridge Runners Car Club. A discount to the MCC July show will be offered to those members. Seconded by Jacky. Pat will draft and send the letter.

A Valentines Day Dinner will be held at the Golden Corral in Morristown on Tuesday, July 11th at 7:00 pm. The Lakeway Mustang Club and F-100 Club will be attending. All are welcome.

A car committee needs to be set up. A motion to adjourn was made and passed.

15th Annual Mossy Creek Cruzers Car Show 2025 **AMERICAN BOOK COMPANY**

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Saturday, July 12th, 2025
9:00 am - 3:30 pm

Car Show Registration

\$15 Pre-Registration
\$20 Day of Show

RAIN or SHINE

REGISTRATION FORM:

Mail this sheet to:

Mossy Creek Cruzers Car Club • 562 North Highway 92 • Jefferson City, TN 37760

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Envelope Board

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Year and Make of Vehicle _____ Signature: _____

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