

MUSTANG MIRROR

C O P P E R T S T A T E M U S T A N G C L U B

PRESIDENT'S CORNER



By Ken Martin

Our car show

Another month has passed. It seems as I get older the months go by at a faster rate.

Thank you to everyone that assisted with our car show. Thank you for assisting in getting raffle prizes, parking cars, setting up tables, assisting with registration, selling raffle tickets, counting the ballots, bringing your car to enter into the show and so much more that went into the show. A special thank you to those that stayed after the show to help clean up. The church was impressed at how we left the parking lot and the lobby.

Last and by far not least thank you Randy for all you did. This show wouldn't have happened without you.

All the comments I heard from the participants, spectators and the church were very positive. The only thing that could have been better was the weather to be about 20 degrees cooler and of course that we can't control. We may not have had as many cars as we have had at past shows but I feel this was one of our best shows ever.

Barrett Jackson

If you haven't attended Barrett Jackson or if you are looking to attend again now is the time to get your tickets. Their next sale is in January, the 18th thru the 26th! Tickets are as low as \$35. This is a car person's candy store. They have vendors that have almost everything you can imagine for your car. All types of memorabilia from signs, gas pumps and photos.

Every amazing car you can think of is there. Inside they have expensive show ready cars. Outside in the back lot they have the not so show ready cars. All are fun to look at. Spend some time watching the auction and seeing how fast the price goes up and how much some of these cars are sold for. It's hard to see everything in one day.

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PRESIDENTS CORNER (cont)

If you are willing to spend the time waiting in line a professional driver will take you on a spin in a very nice and fast car. Here's a photo of one of the cars you can take a ride in:



Monsoon Madness Recap

Our “Monsoon Madness” fall car show was held Saturday, October 26, 2024. Desert Springs Church in Chandler was gracious enough to allow us to use their facility and parking lot since we were unable to hold it at the Larry H. Miller dealership due to their construction project. The Church provided a nice venue with ample show parking, spectator parking, tables, chairs, and much-appreciated shade and cold water for the late October heat wave.

This show welcomed all makes and models. There were 60 cars registered with 17 of those being other than a mustang. It was fun to see some new participants among the heard including a ‘32 Ford Model A highboy, a ‘67 VW Bug , a 2021 Mercedes, and a ‘67 Plymouth GTX. The largest classes included the 64 1/2 to 66 Mustang convertible and hardtop classes and the 2004 to 2014 Mustang class which had the largest number of entrants.

Many thanks to Larry H. Miller for their continued sponsorship and support, Desert Springs Church for hosting us, and the many club members who continue to give of their time to plan, set up, clean up, direct parking, round up donations for the raffle prizes, and orchestrate the raffle and 50/50 drawings. They are who makes these shows successful and fun.

I also want to thank ALL of the participants for bringing out their cars which are quite obviously their pride and joy. There were many beauties among us with 44 trophies presented. The Best of Show award went to David Baleja with his 2020 Shelby GT500. This beautiful blue baby shined bright in the sun. The JROTC honor guards who also performed the presentation of colors to open the show selected the best of show winner. We also extend our appreciation to the Chandler Fire Department who brought out one of their fire engines for us to enjoy.

Hope everyone had a great time and we’ll see you at the next show!!

Randy Tinsley

2024 Show Chairman

MONSOON MADNESS OCTOBER 26, 2024

Our 1st Place Winner!

David Baleja and his
2020 Shelby GT500



Thanks to our JROTC Color Guard, who also picked the Best of Show car!



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Special Thanks to the Chandler Fire Department and the surprise guest, Snoopy!



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Kathy Sebesta showing a non-Mustang?



Photo contributions from Greg Nelson and Maureen Bartels

WANT ADS

Hello, I'm John Logsdon, a new member.

I'm in need of original equipment for a 1988 Mustang GT:
16 spoke (15"x 7") turbine wheels. Would like set of 4, but any number is a start.

Also have **for sale** 4 new Big O Legacy 215/60R16 tires mounted on 16 inch (4 lug) 1991 - 93 Mustang 5 spoke alloy wheels complete with caps and lug nuts. Less than 500 miles. \$500 for all.

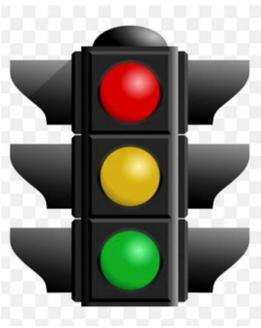
FOR SALE:

**1965 / 1966 Jack with Handle and storage bag. Original and in good condition.
\$150. Contact Bob Ancell at 480-793-4586**



**Don't forget to name the turkey and
make everyone uncomfortable at
dinner!**





RED LIGHT CONVERSATIONS with Phyllis Petrone

Phyllis loves to tell the stories of the admiring glances she gets when she's driving the Mustang. Here are a few of the fun ones:

- A lady in a minivan 2 lanes away yelled out the window "I'm so Jealous !" (in all honesty, don't we all get this on the road?)

. Young man in truck shouted out "name your price , I want to buy the car ". I told him it's not for sale and it's my baby. He responded, "sell me the car and I'll be your baby."

A man stuck his head out the window of his truck and said "Thank you for taking care of that classic car."

One lady who had white hair tipped with aqua said "Look, my hair matches your car."

A lady in a big SUV pulled up along side of me and opened her window and said "Mustang Sally to me!"

A man in a Prius with California plates asked if the car was for sale. I said no, he responded "I'll give you ten thousand dollars for it" (The paint job cost more!). The light turned green and he left, but I wanted to tell him, "I was born in the afternoon, but it wasn't yesterday afternoon." (A guy in a Prius doesn't deserve a Mustang anyway)

Many people over the approximately 10 years I have had the car told me "My young brother borrowed my mustang and totaled it." (Let's have a moment of silence for those poor Mustangs)

One man walking on Gilbert Road shouted "That's the best paint job I've ever seen (I ever saw)."

. A Chandler police officer in a SUV at the light opened his window and said, "That's a beautiful car."

A lady in a mini van made a love, heart sign with her hands.

We all understand the love of Mustangs!

CMC GENERAL MEETING OCTOBER 13, 2024

Meeting was opened by President Ken. Officers and board members present were JoAnn, Alyce, Bill, Joice, Kristen, Maureen, Gary, Phyllis, Randy and Drew. Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was recited.

Guest was Seth Suppappola and his son Saul. Seth has a 95 GT, 13 GT and 2014 Shelby (see photo on next page).

General discussion on the club show OCTOBER 26 Saturday, 9am-2pm at Desert Springs Church 19620 S McQueen Rd Chandler..This is our fund raiser to benefit St Mary Food bank, Midwest Food bank, United Food bank and the Salvation Army Angel tree. This is time to have fun and show off your cars. Church has a lot of parking on pavement for the cars, Trophies are ordered, Everyone is asked to donate raffle prizes to add the fun. This can be items, gift card and certificates. Volunteers are needed to setup, teardown, parking, raffles and other places. Please help with what you can.

A fire truck will be on display, a Color guard from Hamilton High school, and a food truck will all be there for the show.

Workers should be at show by 6:30.

Treasurer report was given by JoAnn club treasurer.

Ethel has many items at her house that belong to the club. She will make a inventory.

Pizza party for all club members will be 11-9 at Barrows Pizza, 2041 N Arizona Av at 4:30 pm.

Nominations for next years board were opened and Alyce Ancell, Maureen Bartels, Gary Ellsworth, Joice Lange, Ethel Marques, Ken Martin, Kristen Martin, JoAnn Martorano, Drew Peterson, Phyllis Patrone, Joe Pusari, Randy Tinsley were nominated.

Election will take place at the November 10th meeting. Board members will choose officers.

Thank you to JoAnn and Phyllis for bringing treats for the meeting this week!

Meeting adjourned.
Alyce Ancell

Please send your "Frist Rides" articles, your " Members Mustang Stories " and any Mustang pictures to Maureen at GT500@twocool.net.

We're also looking for any Ford Mustang Recalls to include in the Newsletter, as well as any car show pictures or other Mustang events you attend.

Let me know of any other upcoming car shows or events to include with the 'Calendar of Events'.

OCTOBER 13TH MEETING



Seth showing off his 1995 GT car to Copperstate



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**AND the Many Members of the Copperstate Mustang Club
Who donated to the
Monsoon Madness Raffle!**

MONSOON MADNESS SPONSOR

We'd also like to thank Larry Miller Ford for their continued support for the last years!



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

November 9th—Covenant Hot Rod's 9th Annual Southwest Regional Car Show in Downtown Ocotillo, 2577 W Queen Creek Rd

November 9th - Pizza Party at Burro's 2041 N. Arizona Ave at 4:30pm. Soft drinks and pizza will be covered by the Club, anything else is on you.

November 10th—Monthly Board Meeting at 1:00 pm, at 725 E. Baseline Rd, Gilbert

November 10th - Monthly General Meeting— VOTING FOR BOARD MEMBERS—at 2:00pm, at 725 E. Baseline Rd, Gilbert

November 16th — Mesa Cars & Coffee kick-off at 7:00 to 10:00am at 1840 S Val Vista Dr, Mesa

November 24th—Goodguys Car Show at 16601 N Pima Rd Westworld at 8-9:30am

November 30th—Ahwatukee Car Show at 16461 S 48th Street

December 7th— Rock & Roll Classic Car Show at 9120 Talking Stick Way, 4-8pm

December 8th - Christmas Party held at Nando's at 6715 E McDowell Rd.

December 14th—Rock & Roll Classic Car Show at 9120 Talking Stick Way 4-8pm

January 18-26th—Barrett Jackson Auction at WestWorld