



**Red River Classic Mustang Club**  
**"The Pony Express"**  
**December 2023**



# **RRCMC HAS A NEW PRESIDENT**



## **Congratulations Tom Hughes**

Red River Classic Mustang Club long time member Tom Hughes has been appointed the new Red River Classic Mustang Club President. For the last 14 years

Thomas Monahan served as the Club President. Thomas has done an outstanding job over the years and Thomas and the rest wish Tom Hughes the best of luck moving the club forward. The Red River Classic Mustang Club sends a big Thank you for his time and services over the years.

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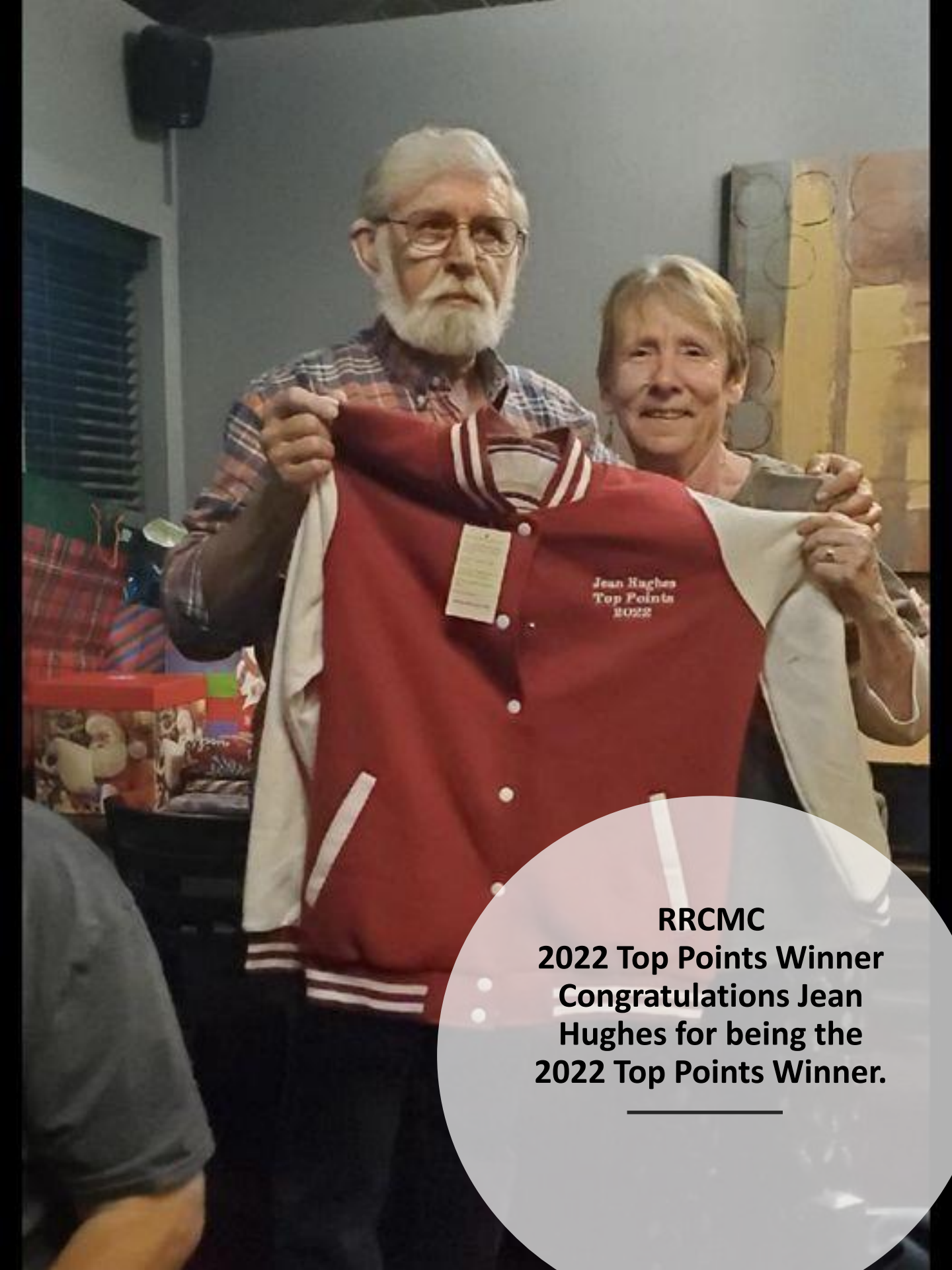
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**RRCMC**  
**2022 Top Points Winner**  
**Congratulations Jean**  
**Hughes for being the**  
**2022 Top Points Winner.**

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## Presidents News January 2023

Hope everyone had a great Christmas and no one lost any fingers shooting off fire works for the new year. Since this will be my last newsletter article I write as President of the Red River Classic Mustang Club, I wanted to end my 14 year term with a tremendous thanks to all past and present board members that have supported me during my Presidency. If it was not for you and all your input, I could never have lasted as long as I have during this term. Through all the ups and downs, and even Covid, you all were there supporting me and each other as we navigated this club to where it is today. Thanks again for all of your support.

Congratulations to Tom Hughes who is the new President for 2023. I hope that I have handed off to you a healthy club ready to start growing again in 2023 and many years to come. Although Covid dwindled our membership, members have started coming back around, and with our new Roundup venue secured for 2023 at Rountree Ford in Shreveport (thanks to Tom Hughes and Tina Ponder) we can look forward to a real full blown show for 2023.

Finally, I would like to thank the Membership as a whole for all of your support over the last 14 years. I am glad I was able to fulfill what ever you may have expected of me as President, hopefully exceeding your expectations. I will continue to participate in club activities as I can, and will also continue on as Internet director until someone else comes along that would like to take over.

Thanks again to all for supporting me over the years, and I wish Tom Hughes good luck and high hopes with steering the club into the future.

Thomas Monahan, RRCMC



## From Tom Hughes Member at Large

- Hello Mustang Family !! It is the start of a new year and I hope it will be prosperous to all of you and the club ! December was a busy and satisfying month for the club. Our Christmas party went on without a hitch and we were all glad that Jeanette Daniel could be with us so soon after her surgery . Thank you Kelly Mayo for a great job ! The following week the Santa Fun Run was a blast. Over 75 vehicles from all the clubs gathered and spread cheer to needy families . With a great police escort we were able to donate a check to the mission as well as toys to Operation Santa Clause and Toys For Tots . Thank you everyone who participated. I invite anyone to submit articles for our newsletter. It is for the club , not just board members . Tell us about your car , hobbies , vacation , car care tips , etc. We will be glad to post it. Let's reach out to friends who like mustangs and help our club to grow. New blood and new ideas will always help. Keep the shiny side up ! Tom



# From the Secretary John Brewer

They're lonely these days, my Mustangs and that old Fairlane. As you can see, Sally sits alone in the dark and cold. No one comes by. No one takes her out for a drive around the block.

And the Bullitt sits alone out in the freezing weather and driving rain.

It has been over a month since either was cranked. No one checked the oil or aired up the tires.

I am still recovering from rotator cuff repair surgery. You might guess that driving a stick would be out of the realm of possibility right now.

But I can see the oil slick at the end of the drive! Physical Therapy (read it torture) is progressing, and the shoulder is healing.

The goal is to travel to the MCA show in New Mexico in June. I will drive Sally with the top down and my long hair flapping in the breeze. Who is with me. A big group makes it more fun. I challenge our newer members to give it a try. Clean up your ride and enter the thing. You could bring home a trophy.

So as 2023 begins, I am getting my fleet back to full function. Got front and rear suspension rebuilt on the Bullitt. Having some "road chips" in Sally's paint repaired.

Future, look out.



# Kelly's Blog

Hey Everyone

Sorry I have been busy with work and planning our Christmas Party. I wanted to say we had a good time at the Christmas Party and the Santa Fun Run. I also wanted to say thank you to Thomas for the past 14 years as president of the club. I have only been in the club for a year now. I also want to say Congratulations to Tom Hughes as the new club president and we know that you will do a great job.

Kelly  
RRCMC Activities Director



# 2022 Santa Fun Run



# **MCA 2023 National Shows**

## **MCA National Show Albuquerque, NM**

June 9, 2023 - June 11, 2023

Rio Grand Mustang Clubbuqueruu

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**Host Club Website**

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## **MCA National Show Indianapolis IN**

July 27, 2023 - July 30, 2023

Mustang Club of Indianapolis

**Host Club Website**

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## **Fun In The Sun Grand National Show**

September 8, 2023 - September 10, 2023

*Space Coast Mustang Club Melbourne, FL*

**Host Club Website**







**January Birthdays**  
**Sabrina Lane**  
**Kay Rhame**

**Happy Birthday from your friends at the**  
**Red River Classic Mustang Club**

## Upcoming Events

January 7, 2023 RRCMC Club Meeting VFW Bossier

January 17, 2023 RRCMC Board Meeting

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