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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

Summer is here, and our annual Mustang and Ford show is just 4 months away. It's time to start preparing for the show by sending out beg letters and also collecting door prizes and goody bag stuffers.

For the new members we have welcomed to the club, every year we have our annual Mustang show at Wray Ford with the net proceeds going to various child services charities in Shreveport and Bossier City. In order to keep costs down, we rely on club members to donate or get businesses they may use or have a relationship with to donate door prizes. Door prizes can be just about anything, not necessarily car related. If it is something you would like to have, get two one for yourself and donate one. We have had all kinds of door prizes in the past, grills, purses, outdoor portable chairs, tools, cleaning supplies, ramps, jacks, anything you can think of we have given away.

We are also looking for little things to put in our goody bags we give away each year. The goody bags are usually full of advertisement fliers, pens, pencils magnets, advertisement type things from different businesses across the Ark La Tex. If you own a business, or know someone who might want to donate some goody bag stuffers, we will need a minimum of 100 of whatever they want to donate because we guarantee 100 goody bags to the first 100 entrants at our show. In the past we have had used decks of playing cards from the casinos, electrical tape, tire

pressure gauges, magnets of all sorts, cozies, hand sanitizer, pretty much anything goes, as long as we have at least 100 items to put in the goody bags.

In addition to goody bag stuffers and door prizes, we will also need plenty of volunteers the day of the show. We will need help with parking, registering cars, selling raffle tickets, handing out door prizes\goody bags, and t shirts. Setting up the show first thing in the morning is another thing we need help with, unloading the truck, setting up tables and getting everything ready for registration. Tradition dictates we meet for breakfast at 6am at Southfield Grill on Benton Road in Bossier city, then cruise up to Wray at 7am to set up.

We will also need help judging the many cars at the show. We don't do crazy serial number matching judging, we just judge based on cleanliness and care the owner has taken with his vehicle. In other words, anyone can judge. You just need a little basic knowledge of cars in general, and a little common sense. We always have volunteers from the Corvette and Mopar club come out to judge since we help them out at their shows in the spring. We always need help with judging.

Finally, it is break down and clean up. We have gotten quite good at this, breaking down the show and having everything packed up and ready to go in 30 minutes. It's just a matter of breaking down the registration tables, taking down the big canopy, and small pop

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ups, loading up the truck, and finally hauling the garbage bags to the dumpster behind the used car building.

It is a long day, but the payoff is to see a wide variety of Mustangs and Fords that people bring to our show, not to mention the money we generate for our

charities. It's a great time every year. We always have good food, some kind of sweet treat for cooling off, and of course Ronnie Causey will be there spinning CD's and providing his one of a kind entertainment throughout the day. Who knows, you may find your new 2018 mustang right there on the lot! You don't want to miss out.

MCA NEWS

Wow show season has started off great! So much going on nationally as well as locally. So much to choose from. Get out and enjoy the summer.

Congratulations go out to Chris Ponder for another first place at the Tucson show. It's so great that a member of our club has done so well on the national level. Yours and Tina's hard work has paid off. So proud.,

Some of us will be going to the Shelby car show in Plano, Tx on June 9th. The show is on Saturday the 10th. There's no cost for registration. It's really just a fun day to go out and meet other Shelby owners. Plus you get to see great cars.

 $\label{total composition} \mbox{To register: LegacyTexas.com/Shelbycarshow}.$

Show 10-2pm.

Hotel: Courtyard Marriott \$89

4901 W. Plano Parkway at Preston Rd. Plano TX.

The following weekend I'll be heading out to Tulsa for the Shelby show. Besides seeing my family that weekend, I'll be working the MCA membership booth. With the passing of George Valeri, the task is at hand to get coverage for the things that he had scheduled. He's been missed a lot.

Don't forget that our show is coming up fast. Get

your door prizes and goody

bag stuffers in.

See you on the road, Donna

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The Event Planner

June is here and the calendar is full of events so get Wednesday 21st those ponies cleaned up and full of gas. Lets hit the . road.

Saturday 3rd

Club Meeting at Asbury Church on Airline Drive 5:00 pm. We will be cruising to Jan's River Restaurant for dinner

Saturday 10th

- Marshall Cruise Night leave from the Texas Welcome Center 2 pm
- 8th Annual Shelby Show in Plano, TX Sunday 11th
- Cars and Coffee downtown Tyler, TX 9-11 am Saturday 16th
- Cruise Night in Jefferson Texas
- Father's Day Show at Barksdale Air Force Base 10-2pm
- Third Saturday Night Cruise Night Shanes on Mansfield Rd

Board Meeting Reed Industrial off Mt. Zion Road 6:30 pm

Friday 23rd

Mustang Club Cruises to Thunder Road Raceway for a night of racing and hanging out. We are meeting at the Whataburger on North Market 6:30 pm for dinner then we will be cruising.

Saturday 24th

Asbury Motor Club Cruises to dinner. Meet at the Church 3:00 pm.

If you have any questions or have something to add to the calendar please text me at 318-470-7581

Nicole Ferlito **Activities Director**

June **Birthdays**

Dr. Mervin Ardoin John Brewer Fred Brown Jimmie McGee Jim Miller Thomas Monahan **Eunice Taylor** Robert Widner







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POINTS FROM PONDER

Do you belong to Mustang Club of America? if not, why not?

MCA is a worldwide club dedicated to the Mustang hobby. All Members receive members-only discounts, including Ford X-plan pricing on new Ford vehicles. Judging and Show rules are available for download for interested in judging, showing and/or restoring Mustangs. In addition, all Members have access to Gold Card Judges for restoration information and advice. Member can also become certified MCA Mustang Judges. MCA supports National and Grand National Mustang Shows every year and well.

There are currently three tiers of membership:

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

Associate Membership is the lowest priced level of MCA membership. Associate members have access to MCA vendor benefits, including the Ford X-Plan and have member access to the MCA website. Associate members may enter MCA National and Grand National Shows. Associate members do not have access to the digital or hardcopy issues of the Mustang Times. Associate members may not vote or hold MCA Regional or National Office. The price of an Associate Membership is the same for all members, regardless of where they live in the world. \$25 for one year.

DIGITAL MEMBERSHIP

Digital Members have all the benefits of the Standard Membership EXCEPT, instead of a hard-copy mailed subscription to the Mustang Times, Digital Members access the Mustang Times Digital Edition

via a website link. The price of a Digital Membership is the same for all members, regardless of where they live in the world. \$35 for one year.

STANDARD MEMBERSHIP

Standard Membership has all the benefits of Digital MCA membership, but with the added benefit that standard members also receive a Mustang Times magazine subscription via mail. The price of a Standard Membership is higher for members living outside the United States due to the added postage cost of mailing the Mustang Times magazine to addresses outside the United States. \$50 for one year.

If you are interested in joining MCA or if you are a current member and are interested in showing or judging in MCA events, contact me will be happy to answer questions or assist.

Chris Ponder MCA Regional Director





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2017 Membership Information

Annual membership: \$25.00 single or \$35.00 family (Please circle one)

New Member | Renewal | Information Update (Please circle one)

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E-mail	address:		
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Mustang Club of America (MCA) membership number:			
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