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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

Since I did not get out to the few events that happened in October, I thought I would mention a few events coming up for the Holidays. Yes, the Holidays are upon us once again. Seems like the stores start dragging out Christmas stuff earlier every year.

November 11th we will be having a show and shine at the VFW post where Donna Arends works from 10am to 2pm. November 11th is Veterans day, so they wanted to get some nice Mustangs out to the post for the Veterans to check out. They will be grilling hot dogs and hamburgers, so jump in your ride and come out and support our veterans, and get some lunch with us. They are expecting 10 cars, but we sure won't turn away anyone that wants to come, so if you were not at the October meeting and counted as part of the 10 cars, come out anyway and join us. The more the merrier. We will be parking in the far parking lot on the Barksdale gate side of the post.

The VFW may be back to doing breakfast the 2nd Saturday of the month again. If so, they will start at 8am, serving bacon, eggs, potatoes, juice, coffee, and those huge homemade sweet rolls for a 5 dollar donation. Watch for emails regarding this, so we can meet for breakfast then stay for the show and shine.

At the December 2nd meeting, we will be having Board elections, followed by our Christmas party. We have 4 members running for the board positions of Treasurer, Show Director, Activities Director and Internet Director. All the other board positions are also up for grabs, with most of the sitting officers more than willing to give up their seats as some of us have been on the board for too long. Most of us are weary and looking for members to help run the club with new fresh ideas. If you feel you would like to participate steering which way the club will go in the future, just turn in a

platform consisting of a paragraph or two of what position you would like to run for, and what changes and values you could bring to the office. Please get them to us before Thanksgiving so we can get your platform in the newsletter.

Following the meeting, we will be heading to Romas on Mansfield road in Shreveport for our Christmas party for dinner and our round robin gift exchange. This is one of the few events that is for adults only, so please make arrangements now for a sitter for the kids. Don't forget to bring a gift of some sort for the gift exchange. Over the years, there have been some highly sought after gifts, and the occasional gag gift that can be quite humorous, or the big bottles of booze that are given as gifts, hence the adults only theme. The point is, the gifts can be anything car related, to something you might like. If you're doing your Christmas shopping and see something you like, pick up two, one for yourself and one for the Christmas party.

The following Saturday, December 9th is the Santa Fun Run. This year, we will be meeting at the Rescue Mission at 901 Mc Neil Street in Shreveport at 9:30. we will drop off unwrapped Christmas gifts for the children, and also, they need clothing and toiletries for adults and children. If you have gently used clothing, they will gladly accept those items as well. We will then leave at 10:30 to cruise with police escort to the KWKH radio station dropping off unwrapped gifts for boys and girls, followed by cruising back to Bossier City to Nicky's on Viking Drive for toys for tots, again delivering unwrapped gifts. Plan on staying for lunch, where you can get a 15percent discount for participating.

Thomas Monahan
President

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POINTS FROM PONDER

Last month I attended the MCA Regional Director's Summit in Dallas, TX. We met at Sam Pack's Auto Museum. This museum is closed to the public but he does open it on a few occasions for fund raisers. You can visit the museum online at <http://www.packautomotivemuseum.com/> he has some amazing cars.

There were 81 MCA National Directors, Regional Directors and guest at the 7th Annual Summit. Friday night we had a meet and greet with the Summit meeting on Saturday. We received briefings and information on insurance available to the club, Motosho (automated show registration), the President's Award and other things that MCA offers. Sunday was the last National Board of Directors meeting for the year. The new National Directors were announced, Congratulations Donna on being re-elected. Changes to the judging program were discussed and approved with a new medallion program being available to those entering national shows as Occasional driven/ Daily Driven and Modified. Also, another combination driving/show event is being looked at for the summer of 2019. As always if you have anything that you want addressed by the National MCA Board let me know.

Chris Ponder

MCA Regional Director

MCA NEWS

The regional directors' summit was held at Sam Pack's auto museum in Dallas. We had over 80 people in attendance. The largest group ever. It was great seeing Sam's collection. It was just a portion of what he has. This time he had more Mustangs and GTs than ever on display. It was fun watching those who have never been there looking at the vast collection. Some of us got to meet the man himself, Sam Pack who was there giving a private tour. Must say I was very impressed with him.

Aaron Shelby was one of our speakers. Of course he arrived in style in his 2018 GT. Naturally it was my favorite color, blue. He spoke of life with Carroll Shelby as his grandfather. He said that he never talked about his successes, to him he was just grandpa. Took him a while to figure out that he was someone important.

They gave this list of next year's shows.

They are McAllen TX in March, Grovetown GA in May, Lincoln NB in July, and the Grand National in New Hampshire. The driving events are Houston, West Michigan, and Tulsa. Check the MCA website for the dates.

George Valeri was elected in the Hall of Fame. He was a great man and he lived for the MCA. I still miss him very much.

November is the month that kicks off the Holiday season. Max and I wish everyone a happy and safe Holiday season.

See you on the road,
Donna



POLITICS

I, Kay Rhame, am hereby throwing my hat into the proverbial ring for the position of Show Director. I've been a member of RRCMC since January 2011. I've participated in many events and shows while a member. I believe that I can bring a fresh look to the position with a fresh set of eyes. I've visited with quite a few members for their input as well as having some ideas to help move the club forward. I would appreciate your support as I run for this position.

Kay Rhame



I, Mark Winderweedle, am seeking the position as the Internet Director.

As the majority of current communications is being relayed electronically in today's society, and predominately in the younger generations, we need an Internet Director who has the time to devote to keeping our Internet presence updated and current.

As a point of discussion, the club needs to discuss and decide the route the club will take with our Internet Presence. Do we go with a service provider that will cost the club money on a monthly or annual basis, do we stay with the current Internet presence, or what other options are available. This should be a decision made by club members and executed by your Board of Directors.

If elected, I will do my best to present the Internet presence of this magnificent club to the public in a positive light with the ultimate goals of keeping the information current and attracting new members to the club and club sponsored events.

I will also retain my position as Vice President if I am so re-elected to that position. As always, if there is another candidate who wishes to assume the duties of Vice President, I will happily relinquish my position to the new individual and help them do that job to the best of my abilities

Thank you for your time and attention,

Mark Winderweedle

Vice President



I, Sabrina Lane, a member of good standing for nine years, am seeking to fill the position of Activities Director. If elected as our club's Activities Director, I will work to develop and implement exciting monthly activity rotations for our club that will provide fellowship opportunities at a variety of local venues.

My years of experience as a Marketing Director will not only enhance my ability to organize and host fun-filled activities for our club, but will also provide me with the necessary skills to create and promote recruitment activities that will attract and retain new members for our local club.

If elected Activities Director, I will also reach out to other local Mustang clubs to join forces for local community outreach opportunities. It will also be my honor to keep our members informed about all internal activities, as well as providing them with up-to-date information about local car shows and other local car club events.



I sincerely hope that you will be able to attend our Election Meeting on December 2nd, 2018, where I would very much appreciate your vote.

Sincerely Yours,
Sabrina Lane

Sabrina Lane
for
Activities Director

The ballot for the 2017 Board of Directors is below. At this time, 11 positions are unopposed. If no positions are contested, the 2017 Board will be approved by show of hands by members in attendance at the December meeting. Please volunteer for open positions.

President	Thomas Monahan	Incumbent, unopposed
Vice President	Mark Winderweedle	Incumbent, unopposed
Secretary	Chris Ponder	Incumbent, unopposed
Treasurer	Tina Ponder	Unopposed
Show Director	Kay Rhame	Unopposed
Activities Director	Sarina Lane	Unopposed
Newsletter Director	Open	
Internet Director	Mark Winderweedle	Unopposed
Member at Large	Ernie Lane	Incumbent, unopposed
Member at Large	Open	
MCA Regional Director	Chris Ponder	Unopposed

I, Tina Ponder, am seeking your vote for Club Treasurer.

Although relatively new to the Red River Classic Mustang Club in relation to our other long-time members, I would strive to provide the most up-to-date financial data for the membership to allow for prudent financial decisions. Our club works hard to raise funds for our various charitable organizations and I would like to assist in providing input to the best use of our dollars.

My background as a career cost analyst in the Air Force and subsequent number crunching as a securities rep and tax preparer have given me the ability to not only manage other peoples' money, but the desire to stretch it as far as possible.

If the club membership elects me to be our treasurer, I will provide you with as much analytical data as you need for our financial decisions – such as which event(s) give us the biggest return on our investment of labor and materials.

See you at the December meeting and I'd appreciate your vote!

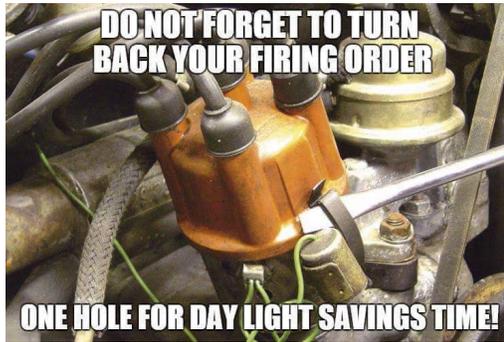
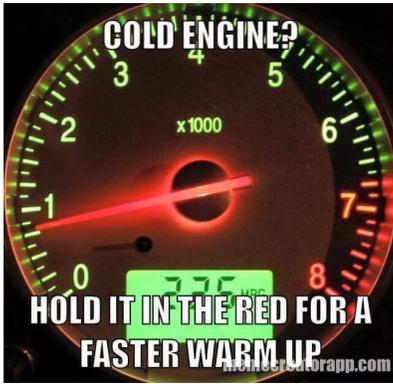
Thank you for your consideration,
Tina Ponder



BREAKING NEWS! Due to a scheduling issue the O'REILLY AUTO PARTS SHREVEPORT WORLD OF WHEELS CUSTOM AUTO SHOW will be JANUARY 5 - 7 ,2018 at the Shreveport Convention Center instead of March. Please share with Family and Friends.



BAD TECH TIPS FOR WINTER



Turn your clocks back November 5th

THE EVENT PLANNER

Happy Thanksgiving Mustang Club Members

Now that November is here the car events are slacking off for the winter and holidays. Don't forget about our awesome adults only Christmas Party Saturday, December 2nd. We will be partying at Romas's Italian Restaurant on Mansfield Road in Shreveport after our meeting. Party starts at 7 pm and don't forget your gift for the gift exchange.

Here are the events for this month:

Show n shine at the VFW Saturday 11th on Northgate arrive together at 9:30 am

Marshall Cruise night Saturday 11th. We will be cruising as a group after the Show n Shine

Board meeting Wednesday 15th 6:30 pm Reid Industrial

Jefferson Cruise Night Friday 17th

Santa Fun Run Saturday December 9th see flyer for details

Happy Thanksgiving

Nicole

Birthdays

November

Elizabeth Brozic

Thomas Brozic

Dennis Shoup

December

Rhonda Butler

Stephanie Horton

Buz Wheless

Philip White

Mark Winderweedle



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