

REGIONAL GROUP NEWS

TREASURE STATE MUSTANG CLUB

The February meeting of the Treasure State Mustang Club produced some good news to our members. President, Lee Cigler announced that an agreement had been worked out with two local tire dealers, through which club members are now able to purchase tires at a substantial discount. Other dealers which might also extend this courtesy to our club were discussed.

Rock Minister reported on the possibility of an indoor show in Holiday Village Mall. Space is available to us both inside and outside in the parking lot. Any cars displayed inside must have their gastanks removed and all gas run out.

Discussion was also held concerning a club logo. A committee of Darlene Zech, Paula Lovéc and Bill Busta was named to gather information on getting a logo designed and printed on jackets.

At our March meeting, we gained two new members: Curly and Mariys Creasman and Mr. & Mrs. Don Myhra. Our club is growing every day.

A club logo was chosen and is to be printed on jackets and letterhead. Jackets are available through the local Ford dealer and any wishing to purchase one should contact Jan Lovéc at 727-4336. The cost will be approximately \$7.25 each.

Discounts are now available to club members at Bison Ford and Silent Knight. The advantages of being a club member increases every day.

Upcoming shows and swap meets were announced: March 26 in Great Falls, March 30-31 in Billings, Missoula on May 6 and the Great Falls Auto Classic on June 8-9-10. We decided to go to the Billings Show as a club and meet with the Big Sky Mustang Club. Members who wish to go are to contact Lee Cigler.

With a little spring in the air, we decided to hold our next meeting outside. Cars are to meet at the Montgomery Wards parking lot at 1 p.m. If the weather doesn't co-operate, we will meet at the Cartwheel on Tenth Avenue, South.

The meeting closed with a swap session.

W. J. Lovéc, Secretary

1ST PENNSYLVANIA REGIONAL GROUP

The initial organizational meeting of the 1st Pennsylvania Regional Group of the Mustang Club of America was held March 13, 1979, at the Benetz Inn, Quakertown, Pa.

A group of 11 Mustang enthusiasts met for dinner and discussion of the organization of this the first Mustang chapter in the state of Pennsylvania, which had just received its charter from the Mustang Club of America.

The 1st Pennsylvania Region encompasses a large geographic area which extends from the eastern boundary of Pennsylvania in the Philadelphia area, as far west as Lancaster, and as far north as the Scranton/Wilkes Barre area. Enclosed within these boundaries are such heavily populated areas as Philadelphia, Allentown, Bethlehem and their suburbs.

The group appointed the following acting officers:

President	William Manson, II
Secretary	Isabel Lenny
Treasurer	Jody Gilchrist
Nat'l. Dir.	Fred Glazier, Jr.
Newsletter Editor	Edward Lenny

The second organizational meeting is set for April 8th and a general meeting is set tentatively for May 6th.

The group also discussed plans to have Mustangs represented at the nationally known Macungie, Pa. Das Awkscht Fescht this coming August.

Members of the Mustang Club of America interested in joining the 1st Pennsylvania Regional Group should contact:

Bill Manson
530 Bethlehem Pike
Erdenheim, Pa. 19118
(215) 836-5332

Thank you for your cooperation.

Isable M. Lenny, Secretary

THE FIRST PIEDMONT REGIONAL GROUP

The First Piedmont Regional Group had its fourth meeting on March 10, 1979.

Currently, our group has 13 members. Our group is planning to have a Mustang Meet at Twin Ford Sales, Stuart, Virginia. This meet will be sponsored by Twin Ford Sales on Saturday and Sunday, May 12-13. The meet will be all day Saturday and Sunday afternoon.

We invite everyone in our area to come and bring their Mustangs. We are sure everyone will enjoy looking over each others cars.

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Our March meeting was held March 13. Our "Cabin Fever" party which was held on March 3rd was proclaimed a great success by all who attended. The party consisted of a train ride to Ann Arbor (about 30 miles west of Detroit) and dinner at the Gandy Dancer Restaurant. The food was excellent and the train ride was enjoyable.

Our new point system to award a trophy each year to the most active person(s) in the club was put into effect at our March meeting. The points would be counted as follows:

Attendance at Meetings	20 points
Member of Bd. of Directors	20 points
Organizing a club function	100 points
Attending a club function	50 points
Helping at a club function	10 points
Attending a National Show	5 points

The person(s) who have accumulated the most points at the end of the year would be awarded the title Mr. & Mrs., Mr., Ms., Mrs., Miss Mustanger of the Year as the outcome dictates.

It was also brought up that our upcoming show to be held the first week in June might have to be cancelled due to lack of entrants. We need at least 25 cars to be able to put on the show. At present, we need more entrants.

Our monthly 50-50 drawing was won by Lily Errante. She won \$13.50 and the club treasury also received \$13.50.

We would also like to welcome 5 new members to our club: Tim Rice, Dave Moore, Greg Smith, Bob Willim and Roy Garmany.

The Mustang Club of America is entered in the Carnival of Cars, June 10, 1979 at Van Dyke at 22½ Mile Road in Utica, Michigan. Any members in the area are invited to attend. This is the largest show and Swap Meet in the Midwest. Our participation opens the meet to any Mustang Club of America member.

Attention: our new mailing address is:

Sharon Stephenson, Secretary
1149 N. Denwood
Dearborn, Michigan 48125

Gary Schweitzer, Regional Correspondent

The meeting was called to order by President, Charlie Carey on March 22, 1979.

Some discussion was held on contacting club members about upcoming events and dues. After a brief discussion, Don Wolfe recommended that a letter be sent to all members. Ernie Stout will draft a letter for consideration.

Don Cox recommended that we distribute a newsletter to all group members reminding each of membership goal.

The Mall show will feature 23 club cars. The event will be held April 20, 21 and 22 indoors at the Fort Henry Mall. The following week, April 26, 27 and 28, approximately 12 cars will be displayed at Anderson Ford Show.

Wagon Master, Sid Miller, announced that on Sunday, April 29th at 8:00 a.m., we will leave Kingsport and meet the Knoxville Mustangs for a picnic at Norris Lake.

Maps showing the location of motels and Mall for the Eastern National Meet in Chattanooga were supplied by Norma Williams.

Next scheduled meeting of the First Tennessee Regional Group will be April 26, 1979 at 7 p.m. at Anderson Ford.

Ernie Stout, Secretary
VOLUNTEER REGIONAL GROUP

The March 15th meeting of the Volunteer Regional Group began with the officers' reports which were read and approved.

New visitors were welcomed and our new members were introduced. The club was reminded about our outing with Kingsport in April and given a place and time to meet. Volunteers were taken to drive in the Dogwood Arts Parade which will be April 6 at 11:30 am. Joe Hammett gave the last details on the display to be put on in Sevierville at McNeely-Whaley Ford on June 1-2-3.

The last business on the agenda, the possibility of holding a National Meet this year was discussed then put to a vote. The proposal was turned down for this year with the possibility of doing it next year.

Carol Pearson, Secretary

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HOOSIER MUSTANG CLUB

The Hoosier Mustang Club of Columbus, Indiana held its monthly meeting at Gene's Cafeteria in Eastbrook Plaza with 13 members present.

We were happy to have as our guests, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sexton of the Indianapolis Club. He gave a very nice talk and we were all invited to attend their club meetings.

A cobweb tour was decided to be April 29th starting at 9:00 a.m. at Eastbrook Plaza.

We were also invited by the Shelbyville Club to go to Brown County State Park.

We have 18 members and their families planning to attend the Eastern National Meet in Chattanooga May 25-26-27.

Bob Burbock made a motion to close the meeting and was seconded by Tom Blades.

NORTH WEST OHIO REGIONAL GROUP

On March 24, 1979, the first official meeting of the North West Ohio Regional Group was held in Bucyrus, Ohio. Meeting was hosted and planned by Hugh Black of Bucyrus, Ohio, and Larry Graser of Oregon, Ohio.

Registration was held at the Holiday Inn from 12 to 4 p.m. 24 people registered for the meet, but due to the cold, rainy weather, only 6 Mustangs were on display.

During the afternoon, the ladies were given the opportunity to choose their favorite Mustang, with the winners to be announced at dinner in the evening.

The group traveled to the Steer Barn in Upper Sandusky for dinner. The loft banquet room was reserved for our group and we all enjoyed a delicious meal. After dinner, Larry Graser presented the Certificates of Merit to the three Mustangs receiving the most votes by the ladies. Winners were 1st Place: Jim & Janet McLaughlin with a '65 red convertible; 2nd Place: Ted & Rita Michalski with a 1965 hardtop and 3rd Place: Brian & Karen Joseph with a 1965 convertible. Drawings were held for door prizes with Hans Hartkopf winning a fender cover and Dallis Easterday receiving a book "The Ford Road". Door prizes were donated by Local Ford and NAPA dealers.

Members then travelled to the home of Jean and Hugh Black in Bucyrus, Ohio for an organizational meeting. Officers elected were Hugh Black, President; Jean Black, Secretary; and Earl Parks, Treasurer.

After the business meeting, Larry Graser showed movies of the 1978 Eastern National Meet at Kingsport and the 1978 Grand National Meet in Atlanta.

On Sunday morning, the group met for breakfast at the Holiday Inn in Bucyrus. About noon we headed for Mansfield to visit the "Mustang Farm" of Earl Parks. We roamed through Earl's huge barn looking at his collection of Mustangs and parts. Many Mustang enthusiasts from Mansfield joined us and Mrs. Parks invited us into their home for hot coffee.

This ended our weekend and we all headed for home.

Jean Black, Secretary



Since this is the first time that our club has had a chance to be in the National Newsletter, our club would like to say "Hello" to all of the regional groups. We would also like to express our appreciation to the National Club for all of their cooperation in helping our club get started. We would also like to say that we are looking forward to participating with the Indy Club and also the Columbus Club.

Our officers consist of the following:

President	Randy Adams
Vice President	Frank Hamilton
Secretary	Dave Jarvis
Treasurer	Mike Vollmer

Board of Directors: Greg Stillwell, Dave Koester, Carl Jarvis, Kenny Williams, Frank Hamilton and Mike Vollmer

Our first official monthly meeting was held on April 8th at the Pizza Inn in Evansville, Indiana. The meeting opened with the President's explaining the delay in receiving our membership packages and newsletters. He then discussed a points system that we will use to commemorate members with good attendance records.

We then discussed a convoy that we will use as a membership drive on Saturday, May 19th. The convoy will consist of driving through the following cities: Vincennes, Jasper, Washington, Huntingburg, Boonville, Chandler and then back to Evansville to have one huge membership

party. We expect to increase our membership considerably!

A radio commercial covering the area involved will be run prior to the convoy to announce our activities.

We then watched original dealer films advertising 65 and 69 Mustangs and also a Camaro film comparing the '70 Mustang to the '70 Camaro; and also a Mustang film comparing the same cars. The membership really enjoyed that one.

After the films we decided that guests were allowed to participate in 3 events before they are required to join the club. We will have a car show in June, but as of yet, the date and place is undecided.

Our Board of Directors will meet one week before each meeting.

We then had a drawing for door prizes and everyone was quite pleased.

The meeting was then adjourned until May 13th at Pizza Inn.

If there are any regional groups who would like any information regarding our activities or would like for us to participate with their club, please phone or write to:

Randy Adams
The Pony Express
River City Mustangs
3922 Covert Avenue
Evansville, Indiana 47715
(812) 476-7341

Dave Jarvis, Secretary

INDY MUSTANGS

Indy Mustangs April meeting was held at Foxworthy Ford. The president, secretary and treasurer gave their reports.

An interesting discussion followed by members and also two new members were introduced.

More drawings are coming in on the logo for our club. A prize will be given for the best one chosen.

We wish to thank Ken Adnerson and his son for showing us an interesting film about Ford Motor Company.

On Sunday, May 6, the club plans to get together to meet at a local park.

Information on early Mustangs for the "500 Parade" is incomplete at this time.

As you know by now, the '79 Mustang is the Official Pace Car for the 500 Mile Race at Indy this year.

One of our members hopes to purchase one of the replicas of the pace car when they become available.

Many of us were glad to meet our national president, Jim Osborn, recently at a swap meet in Indianapolis. Jim was very helpful to us all with ideas and information of all kinds. "Good to see you, Jim."

If anyone is interested in joining the Indy Mustangs Regional Group, please contact:

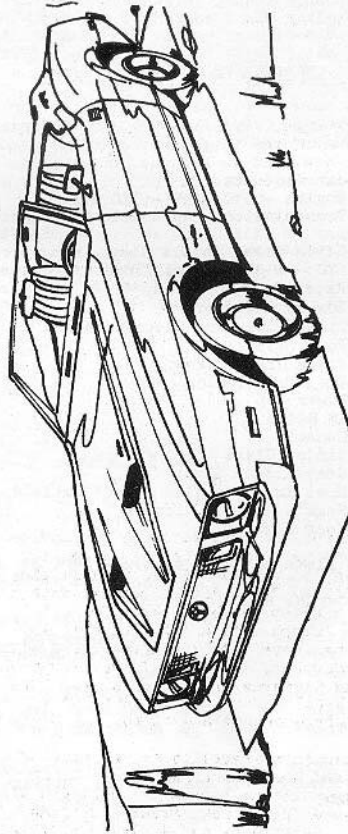
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See you on the first Wednesday of next month. Please bring a friend.

A. Zenobia, Secretary



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