

# REGIONAL GROUP NEWS

## Mississippi Coast Stangers

Hello! We have been really busy. In March we held a mini-round up on Saturday, the 13th. We got together with several of the people who were planning to take their cars over to Pensacola the next week. We judged a couple of cars to help them get better scores at the show. It apparently paid off. Out of the eight cars from our region, we had 3 first place, 2 second place, and 2 third place trophies. We had a good time in Pensacola, like always. They were well organized, and their show showed it.

We were in high gear all during April. We have our car show 90% complete. The time, August 20-21, Friday and Saturday. Hospitality party, August 20 at 7:30 pm at the Best Western Motel. The show, August 21 at the Rice Pavillion in Gulfport, Mississippi. Entry, 8 am till 12 noon. Judging till 3 pm. At 7:30 Saturday, August 21, the Awards Banquet, also at the Best Western, a seafood buffet, like last year. Awards offered are 1st, 2nd, 3rd in 18 classes, longest distance and hard luck story.

At the car show Saturday, August 21, at 5 pm, we will draw the name of the winner of the '65 Mustang convertible that we are raffling off. The funds from this raffle will be donated to the American Heart Association. We've got a cherry of a car, new paint in Wimbledon white, new interior, white bench seat, black carpet, new black top, all work is less than 2 years old. 289 cu. in., 2 U, C-4 automatic, new front end ball joints, even coil spring power steering, disc brakes, new radial tires, new bumpers and new chrome. Ready for the Show! The tickets are \$2 each or 3 for \$5 or 7 for \$10. We have the tickets on sale now.

To promote our car show and the MCA, we were asked if we would put several of our cars at Kessler Air Force Base on Saturday, April 17 for their bazaar. The next week we were at the Biloxi Elks Crayfish Festival. The next week, we were on local TV on Monday.

On May 29-30, we had cars in the antique car show, and we also are planning to have our group out at the mall for a week, just Mustangs. This will help us get new members.

Jack E. Wilbanks  
President

## First Pennsylvania Mustang Club

Elections took place at our May meeting and the following have been elected for the 1982-83 year: President, Bill Bollman, Macungie, Pa.; Vice-President, Cliff Zimmerman, Breinigsville, Pa.; Secretary, Linda Bowes, Hatboro, Pa.; Treasurer, Isabel Lenny, Allentown, Pa.; and on the Board of Directors, Jack Sunderland, Hatboro, Pa.

Thank you to those who lost the elections but thought enough of the Club to be willing to give their time.

In our appointed positions, Fred Glazier Jr. will remain as National Director-Technical Advisor; Linda and Dale Bowes will continue to write the Newsletter, "The Pony Tale"; John Yeakel will be selling the Club items, and Tony Kulikowski will continue as Program Director.

A "Special Thank You" to the officers who have resigned. President Kandi Columbo has a hectic time trying to juggle motherhood and a job, and Bob Kline, treasurer, has held the position for two years and was seeing numbers in his sleep. Both have done an outstanding job, and all the members greatly appreciate all the hard work that was involved.

Linda Bowes  
Secretary

## Valley Forge Regional

The Chester County Antique Car Club annual car show was the site of the May meeting of Valley Forge Regional MCA Club. Nine Mustangs turned out under threatening and drizzling skies on Saturday, May 8, with 15 club members in attendance.

President Dick Matthews presided at the casual gathering and presented the members with a calendar of events for the summer which included a picnic at National Director Pat Vassalo's house on Saturday, June 12, and an outing at Ridley Creek State Park on Sunday, July 11. There will be no meeting in August, because of vacations and the Nationals being close at hand.

Club members who turned out for the show were well rewarded for their efforts with club Secretary-Treasurer Natalie Gomez taking First Place honors with her low-mileage '73 convertible. Second spot went to Vassalo's '66 GT convertible, and President Matthews captured third place with his maroon '72 convertible. In the Special Interest category, Warren Perkins, Jr. was awarded First Place honors for his '78 King Cobra, rounding out a very successful day for the club.

Jim Aberts  
Corresponding Secretary

## Music City Regional

Our Rivergate Mall display was truly a big success! The 25 corralled Mustangs drew quite a bit of attention in the Nashville area, with 22 new members signing up during the three-day show. A warm welcome is extended to those who joined our club during this event. In addition, we distributed a lot of club literature which hopefully will bring about a large turn-out at our next meeting.

The trip to Huntsville, Alabama in April for the Second Annual Rocket City Mustang Show was an exciting one for our club, with eight trophy winners from our group. In spite of the rain, we all had a great time.

We are very excited about our upcoming Special Interest Ford and Mustang Show. It will be held at Harding Mall in Nashville, Tennessee on August 14. Details on this show are included in this issue of *Mustang Times*. Further information may be obtained by writing to Music City Mustang Club, P.O. Box 100084, Nashville, Tennessee 37210, or by contacting our president, Mike Whitley, at (615) 758-8930.

Becky Brumfield  
Secretary

### **The Pony Express River City Mustangs, Inc.**

Our club is finally gaining acceptance in the Evansville area. We are offering numerous activities this summer, and our membership is growing each meeting.

As it will be too late by this entry to present a show we have planned in early June, I will pass on the results next month.

Along with attending various shows this summer, we are planning a benefit show for the diabetes association in Evansville. Plans are being carried out, and everything seems to be falling into place. The money raised will be used by the diabetes association to send children to a two-week camp during the summer. This camp teaches the children how to physically handle and emotionally accept their disease. The date is set for August 7 and 8 at Lawndale Shopping Center. I would like to formally invite all MCA members to attend. I will pass on more details later.

Scott Seitz  
National Director

### **Scenic City Regional Group**

Our May meeting was called to order by John Henderson, president. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Pat Downer gave the Treasurer's report. Our visitors were recognized and welcomed, and the meeting got underway.

First up for discussion was a report by Jerry Breeden on the Calhoun, Ga. Mustang Show. Jerry reported that they had beautiful weather and plenty of nice Mustangs. John Henderson gave us a report on the rain-soaked Huntsville, Ala. Show. Despite all the mud, they still had a good turn out. The Strawberry Festival Parade was held on May 15.

The 1982 World Mustang Expo will be held here in Chattanooga on July 23, 24 and 25. We urge everyone interested in attending this show to get your pre-entry forms in as soon as possible. This will be one of the best (if not the best) shows of 1982, so get those Mustangs polished up and join us for this show. Remember we are only about two hours from the World's Fair, so come early and make a week out of it. For further information, contact John Henderson at (615) 875-6991.

Mike Eidson

### **Georgia Regional Group**

On behalf of the Georgia Regional Group, I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who participated in the 1982 Eastern National in Atlanta. It is always a pleasure to see our friends from the various groups and areas of the country, and we always look forward to the opportunity to make new friends.

A special thank you goes to the vendors, judges, and everyone who assisted us at the show. The personnel at the Marriott Hotel went out of their way to accommodate our needs, and for this we are grateful.

The 1969 convertible we raffled away was won by Jerry

Jecklin of Doraville, Georgia. The proceeds from this raffle are being donated to the Scottish Rite Children's Hospital. We appreciate everyone's participation in this raffle.

We all enjoyed the show very much, and we hope everyone else did also. Here's hoping the Scenic City Regional Group and the First Pennsylvania Mustang Club have successful national shows.

Teresa Vickery  
Treasurer

### **South Jersey Regional**

The May 6 meeting showed 24 members in attendance and two guests.

A club picnic and road rally were held June 13 at the home of Rich and Margie Riley.

The Second Annual South Jersey Mustang Club Car Show will be held on Sunday, September 19 at the Millville Municipal Airport. There will also be three convertible classes added this year for 1964½ through 1966, 1967-1968 and 1969 through 1973.

Charles R. VanLeuven  
Newsletter Editor

### **Hernando County Mustang Association**

On Sunday, May 23, at 1:00 pm, all members and their families were invited to go on a car rally or turkey run. We met at Freedom Ford on Hwy. 41, south of Brooksville. There we were given instructions on where to go next. We all brought covered dishes, bathing suits and towels.

On Tuesday night, June 1, we attended a 50's and 60's nite at the Steak & Shake on Hwy. 19 in Port Richey. Other car clubs were there to enjoy music of the 50's and 60's. Our car show was held June 5 at Brown Ford on Hwy. 52 in New Port Richey. We had two new classes, "Custom" and "In Most Need of Restoration".

We are in the process of getting T-shirts for the club. We plan to have the logo on the front and the bodystyle of the car printed across the back, with the year also on the back. For example, 67 Coupe. We are in the process of calling all the members to see if they would like one or more.

Maryann Hall  
Secretary

### **Directors' Meeting Minutes**

The June meeting of The Mustang Club of America, Inc. was called to order by George White, President. Minutes from the May meeting were read by our secretary and approved as read. Treasurer Bill Koivu gave the treasurer's report; it was approved as submitted.

The deadline for the 1983 National Shows will be October 1, 1982.

It was reported that we set a record high this month in membership, it now stands at 4,282.

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It was brought up that a change be made in the 1983 judging rules for the Modified Division concerning the radical cars. Also brought up was the suggestion that after a car has been in the Senior Division and won two times, the owner can retire the car if he /she so desires. No trophies given, but it would be on display at the shows. This would allow more competition in the Senior Class. The general membership will

be polled later for their recommendations and suggestions about judging. This poll should be in the September issue of *Mustang Times*.

Georgia Regional paid The Mustang Club of America the \$500.00 that they borrowed for their May show.

Bobbie White  
Secretary

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