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JANUARY 2019 MEETING MINUTES

SIMA met at The Eagles Nest. Steve called the meeting to order at 7:05pm. There were 26 members present.

There was no secretary report due to having the Christmas party in Dec.

Treasurer's report given by Judy. All approved.

MCA report: Kim asked if anyone found their MCA no. to put on her yearly update to the MCA which is due by 2-1-19. As discussed in Nov. we currently only have 12 active numbers and we have to have 10 to stay on MCA Charter Club.

2019 Nationals: Houston-3/29-31 which we have registered for. If anyone else wants to go maybe we can caravan down.

Minneapolis-6/28-30., Topeka-7/18-20. 55th Anniversary & National. Fredericksburg VA-8/30-9/1 Grand National.

The MCA wants to rent space at the Mustang Museum. It would be 20x40 or 800sq feet, for \$12,500 which would be from opening day, April 17, 2019 thru the end of 2019. In hopes of getting new MCA members and increasing merchandise sale. This is renewable for 2020 at the cost of \$15,000. They will vote prior to 1/2020 if it was worth the money spent. Kim voted yes by proxy. The vote will be this weekend. 1-11 thru 1-13 in Kissimmee, FL.

Upcoming events: 1st National Mustang Races Assoc. Gateway Rumble at Gateway Race Track in Madison -5/16-19. They will have drag racing, all Ford Car Show, Swap meet and manufacturer's midway. Car shows S&S with awards both days. Swap meet is on Sunday. Website: NMRAdigital.com. Carlisle PA Swap meet and all Ford car show. 6/12-16. Central Illinois Mustangs Mustang and all Ford Car Show, Springfield, IL. 8/25. Shelby Nationals in Tulsa, OK, 6/12-16. 55th Anniversary Celebration at Charlotte Motor Speedway, Car show and drag racing, plus opening day of Mustang Museum. Website, mustangownersmuseum.com. They are also having a Pony Drive to Charlotte, website ponydrive.us.

Old business: Steve gave check to Legendary Mustang Sanctuary and Hope Center.

New business: Steve announced that we changed insurance to Assoc. of Classic Enthusiast. He explained that we got better coverage with them. Larry made a motion and Paul seconded it. All approved.

There was much discussion as to where we would donate to this coming year. Steve proposed we give 25% of our show profits to designated charities. Paul made motion and Craig seconded it. The two charities will be Legendary Mustang Sanctuary and the Salvation Army. Motion made by Kim and Bill seconded it. All approved. Bobbie Brooks will be in contact with the Salvation Army.

Club Corporation papers were filled out for \$15.00. Meeting adjourned at 7:50pm. Carol R. won the 50/50.

Secretary, Dodie Brewer

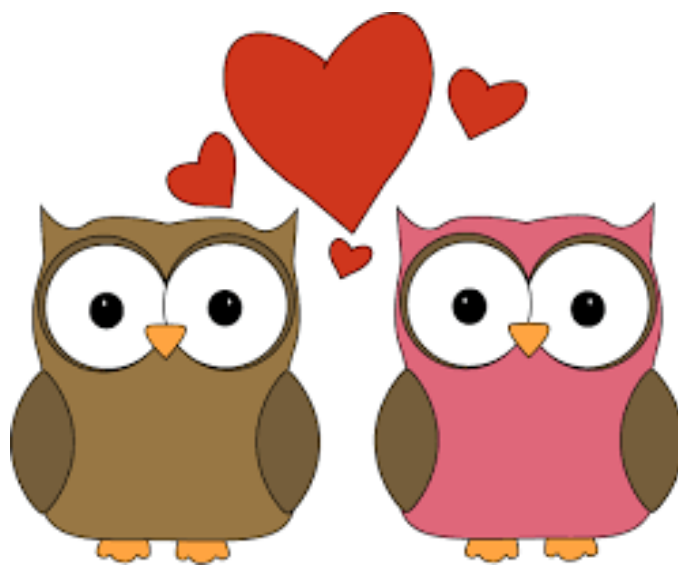
**The next Meeting will be held on Feb 12, at Eagles Nest Restaurant
117 E Bethalto Dr, Bethalto, IL at 6PM.**



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Happy Valentine's Day!





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Upcoming Events:

SIMA Monthly Meeting

6 PM at Eagles
Nest Restaurant,
117 E Bethalto Dr.,
Bethalto, IL 62010
Phone –
618-377-0697

Visit our Website:

<https://soilmustang.org/>

For other events in the
St. Louis, check out the
Lakers Car Club event
listing at the following
link:

<http://clubs.hemmings.com/lakerscarclub/>

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS:

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!

Feb 1 Bob Bachman

Feb 1 Kurt Obrock

Feb 1 Jeff Vinson

Feb 4 Russell Dowell

Feb 8 Carol Roseberry

Feb 12 Deborah Bates

Feb 14 Steve Strickell

Feb 17 Joe Robinson

Feb 21 Bill Flottmann

FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES:

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!!!

Feb 25 Ron & Donna Kinder



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Note from the President

Memories & Happenings

It is with great sorrow and sadness that I start my note this month with the passing of fellow club member Jim Todd. When Kim and I first joined the club and went on our first club cruise, it was Jim and Heidi that we sat next to at Eckert's Restaurant. They both made us feel welcome to the club, even though we drove the only non-Mustang (Focus) on the cruise. In the following months at club meeting it was always a good feeling to sit by them and visit before the meeting. In the years before I joined the club, Jim had held a club Officers position and he and Heidi were very active members in the club and were voted as "Honorary Club Members" in January of 2018. With Jim's passing we share our sympathy with Heidi and the rest of the Todd family and the relief from the ravages that Alzheimer's brings not only to the person but the family as well, knowing that in Heaven, he can really be his own self and soul.

Our club's Liability Insurance has been sent in and thus we are all covered for all club events during the year. Our insurance is through "The Association of Classic Enthusiasts (ACE)", which is cheaper and better coverage that we could get if we went through the Mustang Club of America's provider. This is our yearly insurance only, as our Round-up Show insurance will be through the MCA at no cost to the club. Our club incorporation paperwork was completed by Judy and myself at the last meeting and sent off to the Illinois Attorney General's Office. Cost of yearly insurance was \$250.00 and Incorporation was \$15.00.

At our January meeting it was discussed and agreed upon that the Legendary Mustang Sanctuary will remain a club charity with Kim as Liaison, and the Salvation Army with Bobbi Brooks as Liaison, which replaced the Hope Center we had previously.

Also after much discussion at our January meeting a motion was made and passed that this year if more than \$2,000.00 after Round-up Show profit was made, our charities would split 25% of that profit. The \$2,000.00 after Round-up Show profit figure came from what we gave our charities in the past (\$250.00 each), which at two charities equals \$500.00 or 25% of \$2,000.00. This means that our charities will not receive a gift check at our Round-up Show, but still will be recognized at our show, and receive their gift check a month later when all Round-up Show income/expenditures have been totaled for after Round-up profit.

The Round-up Show Committee Meet January 26th with all but one volunteer present. We move from 23 Show Classes last year to 28 this year. The jump in classes this year is due to hosting the Mustang II Reunion IV within our Round-up show. Mustang II Reunion IV Co-chairpersons (Kim & Steve) stated they would pay for those classes, but the committee voted that if sponsorships could be obtained to include those classes would be paid for by sponsorships. Even without those extra five classes, that leaves 23 Class Sponsorships plus our 5 Special Awards (3 Best of Show, Founders & Sponsors) which usually run as much as our regular classes. Sponsorship again this year will be \$75.00 per class and we hope to have them available by the next meeting. Preregistration for the Mustang II Reunion IV opened January 1st and have 4 registered at this point. The Show committee would also like the Food Committee to purchase 10-15% more food this year as we have run out of food the last two years prior to the awards presentation. Work on the Round-up Show flyer is at this point on hold to see if we can obtain any more special presentations for our show, but should be ready around the March 1st timeline, and finally, as in past years the Looking Glass Corvette Club will be asked to judge the cars again.



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For the last three years we've averaged 160 cars at our Round-up which equates to 160 attendance prizes to be given out, so start now and hopefully we'll have enough for everyone who brings a car/truck to our show. Mustang II Reunion IV registrants will receive their own attendance prize (Mustang II Reunion IV window clings).

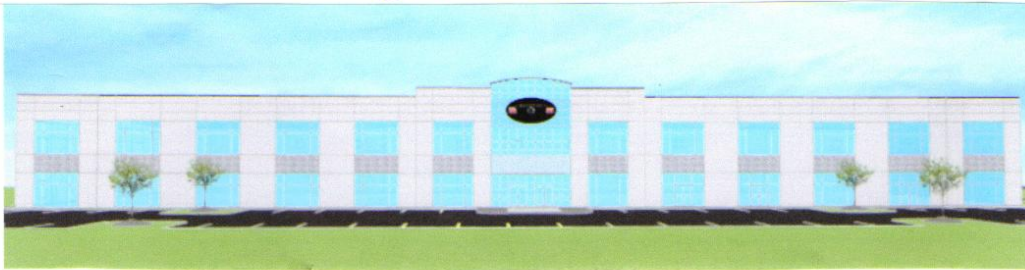
I hope all your winter projects are coming along (mine was going strong till the winter freeze hit and caught a cold--just moved to the basement instead of the garage and smaller projects from bigger--just keeps you moving forward). Keep the snow shovels handy this year and warm coats near and to keep you even warmer, let's all meet at Eagle's Nest on February 12th for warm fellowship at our next meeting. Hope to see you there.....Steve





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Mustang Owner's Museum



For more information: info@mustangownersmuseum.com

Located at: 21 Carpenter Ct. NW., Concord, NC 28027



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Andy's contact information is 618-830-1836 (cell) 618-465-2541 (office) andyvelloff@icloud.com

***IF YOU HAVE ANY CARS OR PARTS YOU WOULD LIKE TO LIST,
JUST SEND 'EM IN. WE'LL GET YOUR AD POSTED IN THE NEXT
MONTH'S NEWSLETTER.***

CLUB PICS AND NEWSLETTER ADDITIONS!

If you have any pics of your cars, friends' cars, project details or just general car stories you'd like to share send 'em to the newsletter at [email: itvinson@hotmail.com](mailto:itvinson@hotmail.com) ! If you are looking for parts or a new project, let us know and we'll put it in. Or, if you have to clear out parts or projects you can't get to, we'll post that, too. We'd love to add things to the newsletter that would show what shows or cruises our members are attending, what projects you are working on, etc. Just send them by the first of the month and we'll try to get them in that month's newsletter.

Thanks for your support!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Please send any Birthday or Anniversary information, I may have missed. The membership list has several blank dates. Thanks!



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Membership Application



Name D.O.B.

Partner Name D.O.B.

Wedding Anniversary Date

Address

City State Zip

Phone E-mail

Mustang Club of America Membership #

List Your Mustang/Fords with Brief Description

List Club Activities you would like to participate in:

Send this completed application along with \$20.00 to:

Judy Schwallenstecker
2900 Huette Road,
Bunker Hill, IL 62014
Club meetings the second
Tuesday of every month.