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FEBRUARY 2024 MEETING MINUTES

Meeting called to order Feb 13, 2024, at 701pm by Vice President Dan Mueller. We had 29 members in attendance. Minutes from the January meeting approved, motion by Paul and seconded by Bobbi. The Treasures report was read and approved motion by Steve and seconded by Ed Buehrer.

MCA Report - Kim

The yearly MCA report has been submitted and accepted. Our annual club insurance through MCA with Haggerty will be \$483.00.

2024 National MCA Shows:

April 5-7 – 60th Anniversary of the Mustang at Barber Motorsports Park Birmingham, AL May 24-26 Ozark International Raceway in Gravois Mills, MO

Aug 9-11 Des Moines, IA

Oct 11-13 Savannah, GA

If you are not an MCA member please consider joining. If you are an MCA member, please make sure Theresa or I have your MCA number. We must have 10 MCA active numbers to keep our charter.

Old Business

Car Show meeting cancelled in January, new meeting Monday Feb 19, 2024, at Larry Roseberry's.

Mecum May 10-18, Steve is selling his Shelby at auction. Do we want to rent a van again? Suggested date May 18.

Caffeine and Chrome June 29, 2024, we will be the host club, we need at least 10 cars. They will have free donuts, coffee, and goody bags for club members.

New Business

Need to plan an April cruise, Kim, Dorinda and Dodie will try to think of somewhere. Do we want to judge Patriots in the Park in Granite City around July 4th?

Club Jackets – Baseball Jacket, satin or windbreaker, \$60.00 size s to xl with logo back, front and name, \$65.00 2X and larger will logo back, front and name.

May 4 & 5 working at NMARA/NMCA at Worldwide, we will be parking and judging. Our Illinois charitable organization report has been submitted.

Does anyone need a garage night where members come to your house and work on a project?

The meeting adjourned at 733pm. Motion made by Bobbi, seconded by Ed Buehrer. 50/50 winner Dan Mueller.

Kim

<u>The next Meeting will be Mar 12 at the Edwardsville Moose</u> 7371 Marine Rd, Edwardsville, IL at 6PM.



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Something New

*****We would like to add photos of our members and their cars to our newsletter.**** Please share photos of you and your car. Photos can be from the past or present. Please email to jtvinson@hotmail.com or text to 618-920-0317.

Upcoming Events

Mark your calendars.

April Spring Cruise – details TBA at the next meeting May 4 & 5 NMRA/NMCA at Worldwide May 18 Mecum June 29 Caffiene and Chrome July Patriots in the Park (date TBA) July 20 SIMA Car Show at Roberts Ford







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Upcoming Events:

SIMA Monthly Meeting 6 PM at Edwardsville Moose 7371 Marine Rd Edwardsville, IL Phone – 618-251-8039

Visit our Website:

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

http://clubs.hemmings. com/lakerscarclub/ March Birthdays

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!

Mar 06 Judy Bachman Mar 06 Joe Phillips Mar 07 Fred Obrock Mar 08 Brian Looser Mar 22 Kevin Haney



March Anniversaries

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!!!

Mar 09 Lou & Gayle Michel Mar 14 Jack & Marilyn Kell Mar 16 Bill & Joyce Meyers





<u>A note from Randy</u>

Greetings Fellow Mustang Enthusiasts,

First, my apologies for my absence these past few months at the club meetings as my job has taken me out of town. I want to thank Vice President Dan Mueller (my brother) for stepping up to the plate to run the meetings and keeping me up to date. Unfortunately, I have one more month (March) when I will be out of town and will miss the meeting. I will, however, be at the April car club meeting as well as the NMRA / NMCA car show to help out.

As the warm weather approaches where our ponies come out of the corrals and the club becomes more active with monthly events and hosting the club car show, my thoughts turn to the overarching subject of membership participation. I wholeheartedly thank all those individuals who have stepped up to the plate and volunteered to work toward a healthy, successful, and growing club. This club can only survive if the membership as a whole is committed to its collective success. With several upcoming events, such as the April Mustang Drive, Raceway Car Show, and our own club's car show, it is imperative that all of us pitch in to make these events successful. Be on the lookout for new members and give them a flyer advertising our club. Also, be on the hunt for items we can give away at our 46th Mustang Round Up & All Ford Car Show.

It is also essential that everyone contribute ideas for monthly events. Although the next several months have an event planned (April – Mustang Car Drive; May – Raceway Car Show; June – Caffeine and Chrome; July – Club's Car Show), that doesn't mean there can't be other things planned as well if there is interest. A Sunday drive in a Mustang sounds like a perfect day to me. But even after the summer months have come and gone, the fall and winter don't need to be forgotten. We may not be able to drive our Mustangs necessarily if the weather prohibits, but I think of the club as a family and it's always nice when a family gets together.

Planning for events must start sooner than later if we want them to be successful. For those people interested in steering this club towards different events or activities, this is your chance to make a difference. I challenge you to step up and make your ideas a reality. Propose an event, plan that event, and then participate in that event.

Please consider joining the MCA if you are not now a member. As some of the club's previous MCA memberships were not renewed this past year, the club is dangerously close to dropping below our minimum number of required memberships to maintain our status. Our club was founded as a chartered regional group of the MCA on 4 January



1979. I don't want to be responsible for losing SIMA's charter. Why join you ask? I'll boil it down to <u>dedication</u> as we all have a collective interest in Mustangs. Please don't let down me and those who have come before us by losing our charter which we have held for 45 years. MCA events are fun. Dorinda and I and others in the club have attended many events over the years. My most memorable event was the 50th birthday celebration held in Las Vegas; it was a blast. I took time to participate in a 10k fun run which took place on the Las Vegas speedway track. Dorinda has fond memories of riding along with a professional driver in a souped-up Mustang. Of course, we both had to gamble incredibly large sums of cash in "Sin City."

Again, my apologies for my recent absences and thanks to Dan for filling in for me. Please do reach out to me if you have any questions or ideas or just to say hello. Let's not forget to pray for our dear brothers and sisters who are ill.

Looking forward to getting the Mustang out and about and enjoying the ride!



This is a picture of Randy and his 1966 Mustang

at the Okawville Wheat Festival in 1979. This happens to be the same year SIMA was made a regional charter member in the MCA.

Thanks Randy, for sharing.



MARKET PLACE:

FOR SALE

I have a 2006 GT convertible. white, red interior, manual, very clean. 48,000 miles, looking to move. Used opening day of new Busch stadium. Aaron Miles was brought into the stadium on it. Although have no pics to document that. Original owner. Garaged. Would like to move to someone who would appreciate it.

Matt Stroble, <u>mstroble@gmail.com</u>





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 <u>email: jtvinson@hotmail.com</u> ! 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!!!!!!!!!



SOUTHERN //	Southern Illinois Mustang Association Membership Application
Name	D.O.B.
Partner Name	D.O.B.
Wedding Anniv	ersary Date
Address	
City	State Zip
Phone	E-mail
	of America Membership #
List Club Activit	ies you would like to participate in:
	Send this completed application along with \$20.00 to: Larry Roseberry 4692 Drda Lane Edwardsville, IL 62025 Club meetings the second Tuesday of every month.



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