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From the Vice President:

Fellow Mustang Enthusiasts,

It's that time of year and the car shows are plentiful. Nine of us went to Lexington, SC last weekend for the 32nd Annual Mustang and Ford Show sponsored by the Central South Carolina Mustang Club. The event was held at Ben Satcher Ford. The weather, although a bit unpredictable, cooperated and we had a sunny day with a light breeze and no rain. There were not as many cars this year which was probably due to the weather; however, we had a wonderful time. With our nine cars from the CSRA Mustang Club we won the Club participation plaque and also brought home 7 additional trophies. The following CSRA Mustang Club members won trophies in their classes:

2005 – 2006 – Closed:

Mike & Arita Morrett – 1st

Dan Ackenbrack – 2nd

David Maxwell – 3rd

2007 – 2009 – Open:

Amanda Yandell – 1st

2007 – 2009 Closed:

Fred Hartenstein – 1st

John Lake – 2nd

Special Awards:

Dan Ackenbrack – Best Engine



I can't wait for the next show to see how many more trophies we can bring back for the CSRA Mustang Club. See you at the next show.

Amanda Yandell



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MCA Revealed.....

Ford Special Pricing for MCA Members

Steven McCarley president of the Mustang Club of America announced MCA members will soon be eligible for Ford's special pricing X-Plan on new Mustangs, Flex, Taurus, F Series Trucks or almost any Ford vehicle. This program is still under development but will be available soon. Also, the new MCA edition Mustang is available from your Ford dealer now. I wonder how many club members will be trading their 2005 – 2009 Mustangs in for one of the new 412 Horsepower 2011. Tempting isn't it?

Ford Motor Companies Donations to the MCA

Ron Bramlett Treasure of the MCA announced two large donations from the Ford Motor Company. Ford donated one \$50,000 donation in 2009 and another \$60,000 in 2010. This brings the MCA's total liquid assets to \$342,296. This is very commendable of Ford considering the stress the automobile companies have gone through the past couple of years.

Regional Directors Meeting

Steve Prewitt, our past club President and current MCA Vice President, announced that the MCA's 180 Regional Club Directors are invited to national board meeting on October 9, 2010 in Dallas, TX. Over time the Regional Clubs and the MCA communications have had a slow disconnect over the past several years. The National Mustang Club of America is the driving force of the Regional Clubs and vice versa. The MCA is growing and they want the Regional Directors to be an integral part of that growth.

At all Ford / Mustang car shows. How is my car judged?

To insure consistency, all judges must follow a strict set of rules governing the actual judging of a car. Depending of the class judged, major areas include interior, exterior, engine and trunk. Then this is broken down to specific areas in each category. Clear as mud huh. For all the details on what is judged as a MCA member, you can download the judging sheets from the MCA website. For National MCA shows, the judging sheets are rather intense. Most Regional Clubs use a modified MCA judging sheet. To obtain a copy of one of them just ask one of our Club Officers.

CSRA Car Show Results

We wanted to list all individuals that won awards at recent show events. But I am not going to list individual winners by name, as I don't want to offend anyone that I might miss.

I will try to list the number of club cars that attended a peculiar show and how many club members won awards. What I can tell everyone is that of the last 4 major local shows this year, our club had the most cars in attendance. I don't think this has ever happened before. But some of you old timers may know.

- Jim Mett's Memorial show. 21 cars beat out the CSRA Road Angels by one car. Three members took home awards.

- Macon GA Show. 4 cars, four members took home awards. CSRA, most cars.
- Thomson GA show. I think 6 cars three members took home awards.
- Lexington SC show. Nine cars, CSRA took home most cars. Six members took home awards.
- Greensboro Know of 1 car and one award.

2010 Car Show Schedule

CSRA Mustang Club of Augusta, 2010 Mustang and All Ford Show

As a reminder our Club Show is Saturday June 12. It will be held at Fairway Ford in Evans GA. The show area will be in front of their showroom. Fairway Ford is going to be our Major Sponsor. The show is six weeks away and that time will go by quickly. Like any event of this size we will need volunteers. Sign up sheets will be at our meeting this Thursday, May 6.

- We Need sponsors for the show! The more sponsors we have, the more goes to Charity and our club.
- We NEED donated items for raffle (does not have to be car related).
- We NEED donated items for door prizes.
- We Need five people to set up the show trailer, tables, audio system. BE AT SHOW SITE BY 7:00 A.M. day of show.
- We Need 6 people to move Fairway Ford vehicles from show site.
- We have three judges and Need two more.
- We Need five scribes. These are folks who record the judging comments on the judging sheets.
- We need four individuals to help with registration. These people would help with registration and tally up the scores off the judging sheets.
- At least 2 for raffle table and door prizes.
- At least 2 for selling 50/50 tickets.
- At least 3-4 people to park cars.

MCA National Show Schedule

June 4-6 Mustang, OK

July 15-18 Bellevue, WA (Grand National)

August 13-15 Virginia Beach

September 3-5 Asheville, NC*

* The Asheville Show is booked up with around 450 cars. Now, if you want to go as a spectator and attend the evening events and the Biltmore Estate there is a registration form. The cost varies depending on what events you would want to attend. See Mike Morrett or Billy Rogers for registration sheets.

MCA Regional Events

May 15 – Atlanta, GA Tara Mustang all Ford Show at Gene Evans Ford,

Website and Flyer. <http://www.taramustangclub.org> We need some members to go to that and also distribute our show flyers.

June 12 – Calhoun GA Cherokee Regional Mustang Club.

September 25 – Maggie Valley NC Northwest Georgia Mustang Club.

Local Shows

May 8 – Washington GA cruise in 5 PM to 9 PM. Get there early as it fills up quick.
May 15 - Thunder Over Augusta Open show hosted by the CSRA Road Angels Car Club.
May 22 – Lincolnton GA – Second Lincolnton car show and festival.
June 19 – Olar's 3rd Annual Car & Bike Show

Other events in the works

- 1) We are planning at least two cruises in trips. Details forth coming.
- 2) The club summer picnic.
- 3) We are planning to hold a Show & Tell Seminar on car detailing and presentation for car shows. We sure would like to have more of our members attending shows. We are here to help you get an award. Date to be announced.
- 4) Looks like sometime this fall. Cruise-in BILO shopping center Thompson GA

Mike Morrett

Steve and Beverly Prewitt's granddaughter.

