

## Pony News

July 2017
Pierce County Mustang Club

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Don't forget the following club events this month:

Picnic in Roy

**FNDO** 

Christmas in July

See Calendar

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## Mustang of the Month

**Robert Brown** 



Change: Lance Lambert will be speaking at the August meeting.







Just a few members having fun at a few Club events! Too much fun for one page. See more inside.

Go to the website—Events—Past Events and view our library of photos in photobucket!

## President's Message



#### 2016 Board

#### **Officers**

President—Greg Robbins

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Vice President—Dennis Willert

(253) 565-0592

Secretary—Charlene Rivera

(360) 459-3993

Treasurer—Nancy Freeman

Membership—Nancy Freeman

(253) 531-4624

#### **Directors**

- •Butch Blodgett (206) 858-1045
- •Chuck Botsford (360) 751-7073
- •Paul Geise (253) 863-1850
- •Burt Kreidler (253) 318-5254
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(253) 565-0592

Car Show Co-Chairpersons-

Charlene Rivera (360) 459-3993 and

Missy Willert (253) 565-0592

MCA Regional Representative—

Nancy Freeman (253) 531-4624

Newsletter Editor—Heidi Geise pcmceditor@gmail.com or (253) 863-1850

s I started to write my message this month, all I could think about was the loss of two of our great friends. With the passing of Mikey Lanigan and Mama Sha it reminded me of the importance of staying in contact with people that matter in your life. We can get so wrapped up in our own trials and tribulations of life that we forget to stop and connect with people. Please reach out to someone you might have lost touch with and reconnect. It is important. We love our cars, but they will always take a back seat to the people. I think of this club as a family and we should always remember <a href="People">People</a> make the cars, the cars don't make the people.

Thank you to Butch and Jay Jay for a fabulous Mystery Cruise. It was your first time organizing a cruise with the club and you did awesome. Can't wait until the next one. Who could ask for a better Father's Day then to spend it with family and friends at a baseball game. Thank you Paul and Heidi, for a great time at the Rainier's game. A special thank you to Griot's for the awesome items for the raffle.

#### Coming up:

- July-1 is the club day at the Vintage Races. If you purchased car corral
  passes, we will meet at 8:00am, leaving at 8:15 from the Panera Bread
  parking lot at the South Hill Mall.
- Make sure if you are attending the Picnic at the Velasco's on July 8 that
  you send them an RSVP @ <u>sueval@wildblue.net</u>, as they are making their
  secret recipe for homemade hamburgers on the grill. Please see the flyer in
  the newsletter for more information.
- July 23, we will celebrate "Christmas in July" with a cruise and toy drive to benefit Santa's Castle on Joint Base Lewis McChord.
- July is also a very busy car show month. Please check the Non-Club tab on the events page for a list of shows and watch for email alerts from Nancy on meeting location and times.

Hope to see you all soon,

Greg Robbins

**PCMC President** 

#### Trivia Question:

Q—Who was the first woman to serve as chief engineer for the Mustang? What year(s) did she hold this position?



## **Charity Involvement**

## 50/50 Raffle

50/50 tickets for 2017 are on sale NOW. You can purchase the winning ticket from Missy Willert at any club event. Half will go to a club member in December and half goes

to Santa's Castle.

**Goal: \$500.00** Currently: \$156.00

## **Next Charity Items**

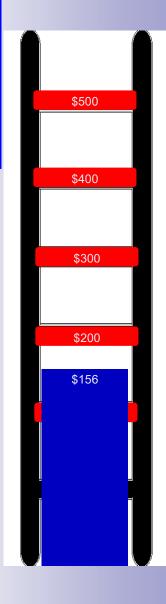
Toys for Santa's Castle—July Cruise: Christmas in July

Be looking for sales for pasta and seasoning and pasta sauces for another food drive coming in September.

## **June Cruise Charity Items**



Thank you PCMC again for stepping up. .We collected 50 pounds of cereal and \$35 that will all go to the Puyallup Food Bank.



## **2017 Charity Running Total**

Socks	328 Pairs	Hats/scarfs	42	Gloves	38 pairs	Cash	\$146.33
						Donations	
EFN—	4124 lbs of	Peanut Butter	317 lbs	Cereal	53 pounds		
April	toilet paper				and \$35		
	(about 10,800				cash		
	rolls)						

## **Charity Involvement: Continued**



Dear Pierce County Mustang Club,

On behalf of the Santa's Castle Board and its many volunteers, thank you for your generous donation to our gift giving program. Your contribution and support has made it possible for Santa's Castle to provide gifts to military children from Joint Base Lewis-McChord and military communities throughout the Pacific Northwest.

In 2016, we served 2210 children from 999 military families. This would not have been possible without your support

We appreciate your continued support of Santa's Castle, our soldiers and their families and look forward to another great year.

Sincerely,

Irace Jones

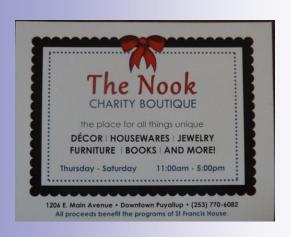
Tracey Jones, Secretary

Samla's Castle is 100% donor funded and staffed by volunteers.

Mailing address: P.O. Box 33277, JBLM, WR 98433-0877 Physical address: 2094 Bitar Ave Phone: 263-966-2355 Web: jblmsantascastic.org Email: secretary@jblmsantascastic.org

Santa's Castle is a private, 501(c)3 non-profit organization and is not a part of the Department of Defense or any of its components and has no governmental status.

Filling the Trunk for Food Banks





## PCMC General Meeting Minutes—June 20, 2017

Welcome Visitors, New Members, and Members

Call to Order – Greg Robbins, president

Membership Report – Nancy Freeman – PCMC has 102 memberships totaling 167 members. Welcome new member Brad Chesson. Mike Lanigan: The family has asked that people make a donation to St. Francis House in Mike's name in lieu of flowers. Nancy Freeman made a motion for PCMC to donate money instead of sending flowers to St. Francis House in Mike's name 1st Burt Kreidler, 2nd Bill Norman, Membership Accepted and Approved.

Approval of April 2017 General Meeting Minutes as they appear in the "Pony News"

1st Jerry Murphy, 2nd Paul Geise, - General Meeting Minutes Accepted and Approved.

Treasurer's Report - Nancy Freeman

**Car Show** – Revenue – Sponsorship, T-shirts, Pre-Registration, Vendor Fee, Non-Cashed Check

Expenses – Window Class IDs, Trophy Art Work, Dash Plaques, Mailing

**Club** – Revenue – Membership Dues, General Meeting Raffle, Hats, Cash Donated to Charity, Pass Through Funds, Car Show

Expenses – Printing, Postage, Cruises, General Meeting Raffle, Photobucket, Pass Through Funds, Storage Shed Deposit, Car Show

1st Bill Norman, 2nd Jerry Murphy Member Accepted and Approved.

#### **Old Business**

Car Show – Missy Willert & Charlene Rivera – If you have any questions about the PCMC car show – please join us on the 2nd Tuesday of each month – please check the web site as to where we are meeting. We are looking for raffle & goodie bag items – even one or two items help to fill goodie bags. If you have an item to donate, we would like to have them by July's General Meeting or you can bring it to any PCMC event. If you cannot bring it to the General Meeting, please let Charlene or Joanie know that you are bring a raffle item to the show so we can be prepared for it. Also, we are in need of empty baskets, if you have one or two, please bring to any PCMC event. We still need Volunteers! Please don't forget to sign up to Volunteer to help at the show – we

have some empty spots to fill, please see the list and let Missy know where to add your name.

Rainier's Game – Paul and Heidi Geise – Father's Day was a great day for a ball game. PCMC had 32 members join in. Thank you to Griot's for the donated raffle items and the 50% discount on additional raffle items purchased. Unfortunately, the Rainier's lost.

**Vintage Races –** Tom Alpert & Tim Gwyn – The tickets are here. On Saturday Only – we are meeting at Panera Bread at South Hill Mall at 8 am, leaving at 8:15.

JBLM July Car Show – Rick Nordlund & Jerry Murphy – JBLM has made some changes for the show this year; they are planning the show to be on July 3, not on July 4. You will need a current Passport, Enhanced Driver's License, or current Military ID to get on the base.

Guest Speaker – Missy Willert – At July's General Meeting, Lance Lambert will join us to share a few chapters of his new book. In the past, Lance has brought copies of his book for purchase, please bring cash or check if you wish to purchase his new book. Date Change—August Meeting

Christmas in July Cruise – Nancy Freeman – PCMC will be collecting toys and gift cards early this year for Santa's Castle. Join us for a cruise in July. Wear your ugly sweater and bring your toys. Please check out the flyer, website, or talk to Nancy Freeman for more info.

**Mystery Cruise** – Butch and JJ Blodgett – Great day for a cruise. PCMC had 16 Mustangs cruising to Rockridge for some great Rootbeer and then to Golden Dynasty for a yummy lunch. We collected 53 pounds of cereal and \$35 in cash. We had yellow ribbons "In Memory of Mike Lanigan".

**Fox Body Picnic** – Charlene Rivera – Awesome day for a Picnic. There was lots of Fox Body Mustangs, great food, fun games, raffles, and a few PCMC members.

Picnic at The Velasco's – July 8, RSVP by July 1st with Dave and Sue. Show up between 1 & 2, we will be eating at 3 pm. We will have games and possibly a fire in the fire pit. Please bring a side dish to share.

Good Guys Car Show – Dave Ringlee – The Good Guys Car Show needs some volunteers to help at their show. If you put in 4 hours of volunteering on one of the days, you will receive a free t-shirt and admission into the show for all 3 days. The show is July 28, 29, 30, please see Dave to sign up.

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## PCMC General Meeting Minutes—continued

#### **New Business**

Friday Night Dinner at IHOP on Hosmer at 7pm.

Resignation of Robert Bailey from his Director Position – Greg Robbins – Robert's work schedule has changed to working nights and he is no longer able to attend the meetings.

New Committee Member – Greg Robbins – Butch Blodgett volunteered to fill the empty position of Robert Bailey. Motion to accept Butch as the new committee member: 1st Pam Pistella, 2nd Jerry Althauser, Membership Accepted and Approved. Welcome to the Board, Butch.

**Mustang Round Up** – We will meet at Panera Bread at South Hill Mall on Sunday July 16, watch for an alert for time.

**Mustangs on the Waterfront –** We will meet at Safeway on 6th, leaving there at 7 am.

Moving the Storage Shed – Nancy Freeman – Due to all the vehicles that are parked around our storage shed it makes it hard to drive the rental truck to load/unload it for the car show. We are moving to a new shed in the same location with plenty of room. We will need PCMC members to help on July 9th at 9 am.

Car Show 4 Kids Open Show – Pam Pistella and Jerry Murphy – Please join with other local Mustang clubs to help have a large turn out of Mustangs at this show. It is for a good cause. Please see Jerry or Pam for more info.

**Mustang of the Month –** Congratulations to Robert Brown and his 2016 Black California Special Mustang.

Submitted by

Charlene Rivera

## Car Show Planning Update



#### Hi PCMC Members!

We are getting closer to our 25th car show in August.

We are in need of empty baskets of all sizes, if you have one or two that you are willing to donate - Thank You!

We still need your help collecting items to fill up our awesome goodie bags. Keep on the look out for **anything** you would like to find in your goodie bag at a car show. If you only see one or two items bring it in — we will add it to the growing collection of awesome goodie bag items.

Keep cleaning out your closets for all the great raffle items.

If you have an item you are donating for the raffle, please try and have it to us by the July's General Meeting. You can bring it to any PCMC event – Missy or Charlene or any Committee Member will gladly accept it. If you cannot make it to any event and plan to bring the raffle item to the car show – Please let Charlene or Joanie know so we can be prepared for it.

Don't forget to see Missy to sign up to help at the show - we still have some empty spots to fill.

We only have 35 Goodie Bags left; if you want one make sure you pre-register for the car show.

If you have any questions about the car show, please ask Missy or Charlene

Thanks for all the great items and help,

Charlene

#### Volunteer Sign Up 2017

Saturday, August 12<sup>th</sup> 10:30 am at Storage Unit, 160<sup>th</sup> – 1 block East off Canyon Road Sunday, August 13<sup>th</sup> 6:00 am at Griot's

<pre>Iruck Pick Up/Return-Rick Nordlund Iruck Loading (Saturday 10:30 am) Driver: Rick Nordlund</pre>	Registration (7:30 am-Noon)  DOE: 1. Kristen E 2. Gaiser 3. Pam Pistella  PRE: 1. Nancy Freeman
1. Burt K. 2. Pete F. 3. Nancy F. 4. Chuck Botsford 5. Missy Willert 6. Larry R. 7. Charlene R. <b>Fent &amp; Table Set Up</b> (Sunday 6 am) 1. Paul G 2. Missy Willert 3. Nancy F 4, Bryan Z 5. Harley E 6. Roger B 7. Chuck Botsford	<b>Ticket Sales</b> (7:30 am) <b>8-10:00</b> 1. JayJay 2. Dennis Willert <b>10:00-12</b> 1. Vickey O 2. Renea Martin <b>12-2:30</b> 1. Hank D 2. JayJay
Stanchion Layout (6 am)  1. David Ringlee 2. Sam O  34  MC (9am-12pm) 1. Jerry Murphy	<b>50/50 Raffle</b> (10 am-2:00 pm) <b>11:00</b> 1. Cathy \$ 2. JayJay <b>2:00</b> 1 2
MC (12am-3pm) 2. Paul Geise Raffle Set Up (6:30 am)  12. Joanie Nordlund	<b>Tack Shack</b> (8-2:00pm) <b>8-10:00</b> 1. Tim Gwyn <b>10:00-12</b> 1.Greg Robbins <b>12-2:00</b> 1. Pete F.
Trophy Set Up (6:30 am)  1. Karen Edwards 2. Nancy Freeman  Garbage Cans/Banners (7am)  1. Jordan Blodgett 2	Ballot Counting (11:30)  1. Bryan Z 2. Jim C  3. Louanna Gaiser 4. Vickey Olsen  BOS & Specialty Ballots-  1. Nancy Freeman 2. Missy Willert
Computer/Printer Set Up (7am)  1. Roger B 2. Dan Alpert  PA system (9am) Paul Geise, Jerry Murphy	Truck Unloading - Driver: Rick N.  1. Pete F 2. Paul G 3. Chuck Botsford 4. Dan Alpert  5. Larry R. R. 6. Jordan Blodgett 7 8 8.
Rick Nordlund (back-up)	
Hospitality Area (7am) Vickey Olson/Linda Rasmussen	Freebie Table Re-stocker
Car Wrangler's (7:30-10:30 am) Entry Gate: 1. Charlene R. 2. Burt K. 1. Rich E 2. Jerry Althauser 3. Robert B	1. Jay Roney Show Photographer-Heidi Geise
4. Gary S 5. Butch B 6. Jim B 7. Chuck Botsford 8. Larry Rivera	Thanks for Coming  1. Missy Willert 2. Sam O 3  456
Voting Guest Greeter/Instructions  Missy Willert	Kids Voting/Ballots Paul Geise

PARKING LOT CLEAN UP ALL PCMC MEMBERS (4PM)



## Sunday, August 13, 2017

Griot's Garage 3333 South 38th Street Tacoma, WA 98409

Gates Open 8am Voting 10am to 1pm

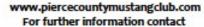
Pre-registration \$15 by August 5th Day of Event \$20 Pre-register early...first 60 will receive a goodie bag

Bring a backpack with school supplies to be entered into a Special Drawing.

Backpacks will be donated to Caring for Kids.

50/50 Raffle will be donated to St. Francis House.





Charlene Rivera Sho (360) 459-3993 riveralarrycharlene@comcast.net

Show Co-Chair

Chair Missy Willert (253) 565-0592 maryhelenwillert@yahoo.com







A 64 1/2-66 Coupe	N 15-17 All	AA Boss All		
B 64 1/2-66 Convertible	O *64 1/2-04 Non-Fact. Specials	BB Mach 1 All		
C 64 1/2-66 2+2	P *05-17 Non-Factory Specials	CC Cobra All		
D 67-68 Coupe	Q **Factory Specials 64 1/2 -98	DD Stock Fords/Non-Mustang		
E 67-68 Convertible	R **Factory Specials 99-2017	Pre 1979		
F 67-68 Fastback	S 64 1/2-78 Modified	EE Stock Fords/Non-Mustang		
G 69-78 All	T 79-93 Modified	FF Modified Fords/		
H 79-93 Coupe/Hatchback	U 94-04 Modified	Non-Mustang All		
I 79-93 Convertibles	V 05-09 Modified	GG Hot Rods including		
J 94-98 All	W 10-17 Modified	Non-Ford powered		
K 99-04 All	X Shelby Pre 2007	HH Ford Trucks All		
L 05-09 All	Y Shelby 2007-2009	II Teen Driver		
M 10-14 All	Z Shelby 2010-2017	JJ Under Construction		
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\*Includes: Shelby SS, Shelby KR, Shelby 1000, Saleen, McLaren, Roush & AC Cobra.

\*\*Includes: Bullitt, Pace Car, California Special, MCA Edition & 50th Anniversary

Modified/Personalized: 5 or more non Ford Factory installed components.

If you have questions regarding what we count as personalized or mod, please email the car show chair. From NORTH or SOUTH via I-5
Take the West 38th Street exit

ALL LEGS OF CANOPIES, TENTS & SPORT UMBRELLAS MUST BE WEIGHTED DOWN.

2017 T-shirt Design



A limited number of shirts will be available for sale at the show. To guarantee a shirt, please pre-order by August 5th.

## 1 Car Per Form Please Pre-registration discount payment must be received by August 5th

Name:
Address:
City:
State: Zip:
Phone:
Club Affiliation
Year:
Make: (Ford)
Model:
Body Style: (Coupe)
Class: (see table above)
*Modified or Personalized ? YES or NO

PAYMENT WORKSHEET					
T-Shirt Quantity / Size I Small	Price Each \$18.00		Subtotal		
Medium	\$18.00				
Large	\$18.00				
XL	\$19.00				
2XL	\$20.00				
3XL	\$21.00				
4XL	\$22.00				
Pre-Registration Fee	\$15.00				
Day of Event Fee	\$20.00				
TOTAL AMOUNT	DUE	\$			

Mail completed form and check to: Pierce County Mustang Club, PO Box 44853, Tacoma, WA 98448

Liability: in consideration of acceptance of the right to participate, entrants/participants/spectators, by execution of this release discharge Pierce County Mustang Club, Korum Ford and affiliates, Griot's Garage, and Mustang Club of America of and from any known or unknown damages, injuries, judgments/claims from any cause whatsoever that may be suffered by an entrant to his or her property. Participants are liable for all guests associated with registered car.

SIGNATURE	(Guardian if under 18 years of ag

## Membership News

The Pierce County

Mustang Club is open to any person or family interested in the PCMC Purpose.

All Ford cars are welcome.

Ownership is not required...
Enthusiasm is!!!
Dues: \$25 per year

Membership dues are payable in January of each year.

New Membership is prorated according to the month joined.

#### **CLUB**

#### **MERCHANDISE**

Ball Cap \$15
Car Pennant \$10.00
Lapel/Cap Pin \$4.00
(stick or magnetic)
Parade window clings \$20.00
Name Tag \$8.00 each
(stick or magnetic)
Club Window Cling \$2.00

Items can be purchased by mail, please add an extra \$3.00 to cover postage.

OR

Stop by a meeting to save the extra shipping cost and visit with friends.

To order: Nancy Freeman pnredride@msn.com

#### **PCMC CLUB ANNIVERSARIES – July**

Tom & Dori Alpert 2001

**Bryan & Donna Zimbleman** 2004

Bob & Dee Frender 2007

Renea Martin 2007

**Lenville Sutherland** 2007

#### **ROSTER UPDATE AS OF May 31, 2017**

102 Member #s — 167 Members

## Among Our Own—In Our Thoughts:

Dan Cobb as he fights cancer again.

Dennis Willert as he recovers from back surgery.

The family and friends of **Mike Lanigan** as they remember their friend.

Our thoughts go to **Robert King** and **Clay Concannon** for the loss of Mama Sha, mother and Mustang Club friend.

## Mission Statement

A social group whose purpose is to promote a better understanding and stronger fellowship in the preservation and maintenance of all Mustang and other Ford Motor products.



## Mustang of the Month

#### Robert Brown

### 2016 Black California Special GT

Most of my adult life I have had at least one Ford in the driveway from my first '65 Ford Ranchero to my present '16 Mustang California Special. This Mustang is my third, the first one was a '98 Mustang GT, the second was a '13 Mustang Premium 6 cylinder. My present Mustang is by far my favorite. Even the black interior with the orange stitching is a kick as it is the iconic Harley colors so I have the best of both worlds as my other passion is my Harley. Even my wife who is not a Ford fan says this Mustang is her favorite one.



## New Members



Ken Woolcott— Seattle 1966 GT Embergio Convertible Brad Chesson—Tacoma 1967 Bronze Fastback

#### Trivia:

Q—Do you know why the new Mustang push-button start button pulses 30 times a minute?

A—It matches the resting heart beat of a real mustang pony

#### (2016's Early Best of Show)

## **Using Photobucket**

Go to the website—Events—Past Events and view our library of photos in photobucket!

What you will find on the site?

This is where we have our photo history. When you get there, you will see our most recent uploads.

Go to the library. The first page will be a few of the months event photos. Look off to the left and you will see the folders by years. If you want to see all of the photos from an event, select the year and the month and then the event you want to see should be there. Open that and you will have all the photos that have been posted from that particular event from whomever has posted any photos.

Enjoy!

## **MICHAEL "LITTLE MIKE" "MIKEY" LANIGAN**



It is with great sadness that we must say good-bye to a dear friend of our Mustang family, Michael Lanigan.

Mike joined PCMC in August of 2007 and was an active member up until his unexpected death in June. He could always be counted on to help out in

any way and over the years coordinated cruises, served on the board and was a wonderful ambassa-

dor for the club.

As word of Mike's death spread to those both in and outside the Mustang family many of the same phrases were written about him: infectious giggle, big, big heart, joy of getting together with others, he loved to play cards, his extensive car knowledge.

One member remembers that "when we

first joined the club, Mike was very welcoming and could always be counted on to be happy and help us navigate this amazing world of car clubs."

Mikey loved cars and particularly Mustangs. One member wrote, he was a "guy who loves Mustangs and fast cars." At this time a gathering to remember Mike is still in the planning stages. However, the family has suggested donations to St. Francis House in Puyallup would be welcome.

#### **Donation Information:**

St. Francis House PO Box 156 Puyallup, WA 98371

#### Request acknowledgement to:

The Family of Mike Lanigan 15610—100th Ave NW Gig Harbor, WA 98329





## For Sale

#### GOT A MUSTANG OR RELATED ITEM TO SELL?

#### **Classified Rates**

Member:

No Charge, 2 consecutive months, 1/4 page

Non-Member:

\$20.00 per issue, 1/4 page

Commercial:

business card reprint: \$30.00 per issue or \$300 annually

Send payment to:
Pierce County Mustang
Club
P.O. Box 44853
Tacoma, WA 98444

Email text and photo (optional) in JPG format to: <a href="mailto:pcmceditor@gmail.com">pcmceditor@gmail.com</a>
Deadline is the third Friday of each month for the next issue.

## 1967 Mustang coupe parts for sale:

Front and rear bumpers \$20 each - front is in good condition, rear needs to be re-chromed
Front and Rear valances \$10 each—rear has backup lights attached, front has one parking light attached
Grille \$5

Chrome oil pan for V8 \$20

**Contact Mark and Linda Arsenault if interested:** 

253-875-4460 or sndchanz@msn.com

## 1965 Mustang Convertible for sale:

Runs well - Looks beautiful

Factory installed air conditioner

German rolled top (plus tonneau cover)

All restoration & upkeep records since 1975

All parts kept since 1975

\$29,000 OBO

Contact: (206) 406-2563



## In the News

Trying to keep up with the Mustang news? Here are a few items to check out.

#### In Mustang Times:

- Want some summer reading, KAR-KRAFT: Race Cars, Prototypes, and Muscle Cars of Ford's Special Vehicle Activity Program. This is the story of the company that helped build Ford's Total Performance program. Let me know if you read it and want to review it for the Newsletter.
- Mustangs as Art—from my perspective as a former public school educator (because aren't we all educators?) I thought "what a great idea." This article is about an Art Teacher who inspired his students to draw Mustangs.
  - In the National Fish and Wildlife Department there is a Junior Duck Stamp program where kids draw ducks and their habitats. Wouldn't it be interesting to have students draw cars, Mustangs in our case, and display them at our shows. Maybe we could keep the young Mustang enthusiasts going, show students another view of the potential for jobs that combine their interest for cars and art, maybe sell some of them.....just some random thoughts as I read this great article.
- For history buffs, there was a review of a documentary, The 24 Hour War, in an article by Marcus Anghel. According to Anghel it is a "great watch" about, what else, the 24-Hour Race at LeMans. Specifically, the Ford—Ferrari competition of the 60's. I looked it up and it is available on Amazon as well as other places. Again, if you watch it, let me know and I will save space for your review.

If you can get a copy of the *Mustang Times*, June 2017 issue, John Clor has an interesting article about Mustang enthusiasts (that would be us) and how we keep the spirit going regardless of the "generational gaps," social media experiences or lack their of, or other issues of our day. It is about how important Mustang Clubs are and particularly our shows. It is the beginning article with more promised for July. It really is a great look at how important our work is for many reasons. It is not just about raising money for charities, which is important. It is not just about adding another trophy to the collection, which is cool. It is also about inspiring and educating another generation of Mustang enthusiasts, which is amazing!

#### In Hagerty Newsletter:

Nicole Jacque, Apple engineer, trades her minivan for a few Mustangs. According to *Hagerty*, in their Special 2017 Edition newsletter about Mustangs, she likes driving fast behind the wheel of a Mustang. She owns 5: a 2000 Mustang GT convertible, 2011 Shelby GT500 convertible, 2012 Boss 302 Laguna Seca, 2005 Mustang Spec race car, and a 2011 Mustang Touring 2 race car. Wow! What fun!!

Keep sending me interesting news you have found.

Life is always an adventure.....

Enjoy the ride!



Ideas for Future Articles: Send me your stories or ideas by the 25th of the month! What do you want to know about?

Send to: pcmceditor@gmail.com

## **June Club Events**

## Cruising with the Club:

## Mustangs Not Required, Enthusiasm Is!

## **Mystery Cruise**

### June 11



June 11 we were told was the 2nd best Mystery cruise....just ask Clay.

We started the drive with an honor to Mr. Mike, by carrying yellow ribbons in or on our cars.

Next came the cereal collection, that prohibited Nancy and Pete

from putting their top down as both trunk and back seat were filled. All went to the Puyallup Food Bank. We certainly are a giving bunch of people.

18 cars were present, with a total of 28 people + 1 beautiful baby. (Not you Paul!)

The weather was a nice surprise. Tops were down and windows too. This allowed the fresh country air in and great photos. Please check photo bucket provided by Goddess Heidi. There may have been more than a few directional mishaps, blame Butch, he had ME do the directions!!!

Rockridge Orchards was happy to have us visit. The first raffle of Balsamic Vinegar was won by Pete (go figure). The fresh made root beer was killer, with a great taste of cider as well. Smiles and laughter filled the air. The kicker was when they stopped all traffic just so we could pull out in one long pa-

Rockridge Orchards and CIDERY

rade.. They are very interested in having us do a car show there at some point, and he's already got a line on a great BBQ vendor....food for thought.

We had a well needed

rest stop, the next Rockridge Balsamic vinegar went to Paul. A chance to stretch, and laugh some more before we headed out to the Golden Dynasty in Kent.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy provided us a wonderful buffet. It must have been because he said it got so quiet he wanted to turn on music! Butch created his outstanding Korean BBQ pork, Mrs. Andy made her homemade hot mustard to go



with it. Take home containers we provided so very little food went to waste!

The last raffle was a giant fortune cookie dipped in chocolate, our Miss Dallas won that and Grammy was happy too!



Thank you JJ and Butch for a great cruise and the write up. The next cruise is Christmas in July. Dig out those holiday sweaters!

## Rainier's Baseball Game

## June 18

I for one was a bit concerned that we would have rain for this one. Not only did it not rain, but the weather turned out just right for a baseball game, a little overcast in the beginning and not too hot.

We had about 32 people purchase

tickets for this Father's Day Game. Rhubarb even

brought his father, Rhubob. It sure seemed like all had a great time.

We started at Griot's

Garage where once again they provided us with a couple of raffle prizes and a great discount to get a few more. Every member car went home with something. Thank you Griot's.

After a short drive to the stadium, we parked, met up with a few more, took the required group photo,

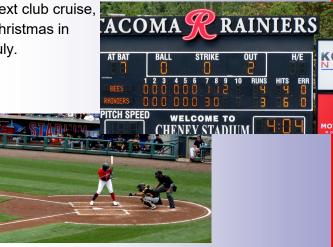


and went in to enjoy the game.

The Rainiers played the Salt Lake Bees. It was a close game right up to the last

couple of innings when the lead went back and forth ending in a Bees win.

Next club cruise, Christmas in July.



## FNDO—IHOP on Hosmer



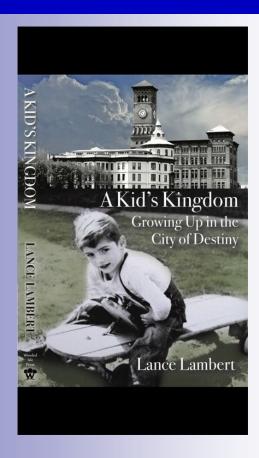


Come join us next month at the Old Spaghetti Factory.

## **Club Special Alerts**

#### Guest Speaker for August 15th Meeting: Change in Date

Lance Lambert will be at our August 15th meeting to share come readings from his new book. Bring cash if you are interested in purchasing a book from him that night.







Come meet

Lance Lambert

host of the

Vintage Vehicle Show

## Planned Events for 2017 – Nothing to Do...Not Us!

#### **Cruises**

July 23—Christmas in July Cruise

Sept 9—Hood Canal Cruise

October 15—Fall Cruise

November 4—Progressive Dinner

November 11—Veteran's Cruise

#### **FNDO**

July 21—Old Spaghetti Factory

Aug 18—Brank's

Sept 22—Tonala

Oct 20-Ben Dew's

Nov 17—Buttered Biscuit

Dec 15—Sizzler

#### **Other Club Events**

July 1—Vintage Vehicles

July 8—Picnic in Roy

Aug 13—PCMC Car Show

Aug 27—PCMC Picnic

Oct 21—EFN

Oct 28—2018 Planning Mtg

Dec 2—Santa Parade

Dec 9—PCMC Holiday Party

(Lots of other clubs put on shows that we attend as a group. See the calendar each month or look at the website for a listing of shows and other events we support.)

## July 2017

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Ice Cream Month & Picnic Month

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 Zip Code Day Caffeine/ Gasoline Vintage Races
2 Build a Scarecrow Day Shinefest— Griot's	3 Compliment Your Mirror Day	4 Independ- ence Day	5 Bikini Day (Right) PCMC Brd Mtg 6:30	6	<b>7</b> Strawberry Sundae Day	8 SCUD Day (Savor the comic unplug the drama) Picnic in Roy
<b>9</b> Sugar Cook- ie Day	10 Teddy Bear Picnic Day	11 Cow Appreciation Day PCMC Car Show Mtg 7:00	12 Etch A Sketch Day	13 French Fries Day Round-up in Bellevue	14 Round-up in Bellevue	15 Pet Fire Safety Day Round-up in Bellevue
16 Guinea Pig Appreciation Day Round-up in Bellevue	17 Get Out of the Doghouse Day	18 PCMC Club Mtg 6:30	19 Daiquiri Day	20 Space Exploration Day	21 Lamington Day (???) FNDO—Old Spaghetti Factory	22 Mango Day
23 Parents' Day Christmas in July	24 Tequila Day	25	26 Coffee Milk Shake Day	27	28 Milk Chocolate Day	29
30 Paperback Book Day Port Orchard Show	31 Uncom- mon Instru- ment Aware- ness Day					



#### Pride & Perfection Car Show Series

Vintage Tin to Tuners, Hot Rods to Supercars

#### - SHINEFEST SHOW DATES -

May 7 • June 4 • July 2 • August 27 • September 3

11 a.m. - 2 p.m., Winners announced at 1:30, Store closes at 3 p.m.

#### REGISTRATION —

All entrants will receive a \$10 coupon for Griot's Garage products, a free T-shirt, and a free swag bag. Each show is limited to 200 cars. We strongly suggest pre-registration online!

\$15 Pre-Registration: The FOAT - thefoat.com, then go to the tickets page. \$20 On-Site Registration: Via cash or credit card.

#### JUDGING —

Show judging is conducted by show participants. Entrants will receive a dash ID card and ballot. The ballot will be arranged in categories and a ballot box will be conveniently located in the concours area.

#### - TROPHIES AND PRIZES IN EIGHT CATEGORIES -

Best Truck
Best Orphan

Y Best Classic
Y Best Detailed

Best Import
 Best Exotic
 Best Hot Rod
 Best Muscle Car

# PICNIC AT THE HOMESTEAD COUNTRY ESTATES

HOME OF CLUB MEMBERS DAVID & SUE VELASCO

Location: 32710 14th Ave. S. Roy, Wa.

98580



Please bring a food item to share such as a side dish.

Date & Time: July 8th

2 p.m. eat at 3 p.m.



Activities:

**BBQing** 

Ladder Ball Game

Fire Pit (weather permitting)

Please RSVP to SueVel@wildblue.net so I can get a count so I can get enough meat.

## GET OUT YOUR SANTA CAP....IT'S CHRISTMAS IN JULY

#### ANNUAL TOY DRIVE TO BENEFIT SANTA'S CASTLE

Join us for a relaxing cruise through
Steilacoom, University Place and Point Defiance.
A festive holiday no host lunch will be held at
Round Table Clubhouse.

Sunday, July 23rd
10:30am, leaving at 11:00am
McDonald's at the west end of Hwy 512.

So gather up your toys or gift cards, put on your holiday sweater, sprinkle tinsel in your hair, leave the bah humbug at home and join in the fun of *Christmas in July*.

Questions? Reach out to "Elves" Pete & Nancy Freeman, pnredride@msn.com 253-531-4624

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Ages newborn to 18 years.

# PIERCE COUNTY MUSTANG CLUB Western BBQ Picnic

SUNDAY, AUGUST 27, 2017
11 to 4
RAIN OR SHINE
FRONTIER PARK
217<sup>TH</sup> & Meridian, Graham

Bring your favorite BBQ side dish to share



#### **Put on your Western Attire**

Bring your chairs and pop up tents

CLUB WILL PROVIDE BEVERAGES, MAIN DISH, PLATES AND UTENSILS

THERE WILL BE SLOW DRAGS & A BLIND DRIVER OBSTACLE COURSE BOUNCE HOUSE FOR THE KIDS

Questions

Charlene Rivera - RiveraLarryCharlene@comcast.net or 360-292-8806

Or

Joanie Nordlund - RJNordlund@comcast.net or 253-848-0386

## 2017 Sponsor Highlights

#### **Griot's Garage**

Griot's sells everything an automotive enthusiast would want and items that they didn't even know existed! They focus on quality. They make all their car care products. Griot's is constantly "striving for

perfection". Stop in and see the Griot's crew and find out what they have for your mustang.

Phone: 253-922-2400

Address: 3333 South 38th Street, Tacoma WA

Web Site: GriotsGarage.com

#### **Burger Ranch**

When you are hungry for a burger, fries, and milkshake – stop in and see Terry and his crew. Burger Ranch has been cooking burgers for – well forever! If you went to Lincoln High School – you probably stopped in a time or more. They make a

real milkshake – just like you used to get as a kid. Stop by and give Burger Ranch a try!

Address: 820 S 38th St, Tacoma, WA 98418

Phone: (253) 472-3069

## In Memory of "Duke Robbins" by Greg Robbins

My father grew up in the late 50's ~ early 60's. This was the start of the modern car culture. As I grew up, I would listen to his stories of the cars he had and how he would modify them to go faster or look better. His favorite was his 56 Merc with a flathead V8 and shaved door handles, Persimmon and White. I heard stories of street races and cruising. When I was about 10 he bought a 1969 Ford Bronco. We would take it all over the mountains of Northern California. I can remember crossing streams so deep water was coming into the cabin. Us kids probably logged 50,000 miles in the back of the Bronco. One of the first modifications to the Bronco was the installation of a roll bar with 2 inches

of foam padding to protect our heads as we bounced around in the back. Each year we would pack our camping gear and head down to the sand dunes at Pismo Beach for the Forth of July weekend. Each year he would push that Bronco to its limits on the sand and inevitably, something would break. That meant, get it home and make it bigger and stronger. My dad's final years were spent in Reno, Nevada and he would always talk about the Hot August Nights Car Show. His love of everything cars is why this sponsorship is in his honor. He would have loved to be involved in this club with me.

Greg Robbins

#### **Triple X Root Beer**

Triple X serves up 1950's style hamburgers and dairy concoctions in LARGE serving sizes, plus some awesome root beer. They host frequent gatherings of vintage automobile and motorcycle enthusiasts. Triple X is a family-owned business by Jose

Enciso and his wife. Take a drive to Issaquah, and stop in for a Root Beer Float.

Phone: 425-392-1266

Address: 98 NE Gilman Blvd. Issaquah, WA

Web Site: TripleXRootbeer.com

#### Rick and Joanie Nordlund

Thank you for all you do, from helping with the picnic, the holiday party, driving the county executive, planning events, and the car show.

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Be sure to thank these businesses & individuals for their support of our club & charities.



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Jay Jay & Butch Blodgett

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Paul & Heidi Geise







Rick & Joanie Nordlund

#### **NEWSLETTER AND PHOTOBUCKET**

Have items for the club newsletter? Email your articles to the club Newsletter Editor by the 28<sup>th</sup> of each month. Send all newsletter items to our editor, Heidi Geise, at

#### pcmceditor@gmail.com.

To see photos from past club events, go to the website—events—past events and view the library

www.piercecountymustangclub.com

## Next Meeting: July 18 at Korum in Puyallup—6:30pm

**Guest Speaker: Lance Lambert for August Meeting** 

Don't forget to respect the business needs at Korum by parking in the back.



Parking at Korum During Meetings
Please help us assist Korum.

