

Pony News

April 2018
Pierce County Mustang Club

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Mustang of the Month Roger Britten



Ford Peanut Butter Drive—Start Collecting



See page 3 for CPR/1st Aid information.

Don't forget the Daffodil Parade April 7th. We need convertibles and coupes.

<u>Don't forget the following club events this</u>

month:

Daffodil Parade

EFN

National Mustang Day Cruise

FNDC

As well as the Board, Car Show, and Gen. Club Meetings

See Calendar

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



2018 Board

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don't know about you but there is lots going on around our house as winter ends and spring comes rolling in. It seems the sun just energizes everyone and brings a smile to almost every face.

We had a great turn out for the March Poker Cruise. As usual, Kathy and Jerry Murphy did a fabulous job organizing it. You can read all about it later in the newsletter. Friday Night Dinner Out was at Brank's BBQ in Sumner. Again, photos later in the newsletter.

I am seeing more and more of our beautiful Mustangs on the road as I travel around my neck of the woods. Don't forget that it is Mustang etiquette to wave when you see a fellow "Mustanger." Sometimes I wave and people look at me like, "Do I know you?" And then I realize I am in the Fusion rather than the Mustang. Oh well, it's a Ford!

As we turn the calendar from March to April, life gets even crazier. In April we have:

- 1st Saturday—Daffodil Parades
- 2nd Saturday—Club 1st Aid/CPR training
- 3rd Saturday—Club at Emergency Food Network
- Following Sunday—National Mustang Day Cruise to America's Car Museum to hang out with other Mustang Clubs and friends
- And of course, mixed in among all those events are our usual Board Meeting, Show Meeting, Club Meeting and Friday Night Dinner Out.

Don't forget that at April's Club Meeting we will be celebrating the Mustang Birthday!

It is time to start collecting peanut butter for the Ford Peanut Butter Drive. Bring it to the May meeting for a photo but if you can't be there, any event will do. Let's beat last year!

We really need to look for things to do....

Trivia: Thanks, Burt!

Q—When was the last factory built 302 used in the Mustang GTs?

Life is always an adventure.....

Let's enjoy the ride together

Heidi Geise

PCMC President

Charity Involvement

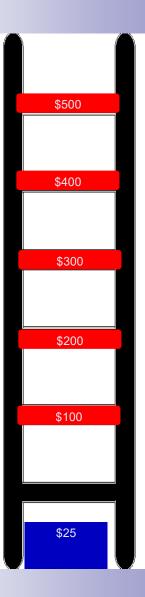
50/50 Raffle

50/50 tickets for 2018 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: \$25

2018 Charity Running Total

| Cash Donations | \$41.25 | EFN—April | Ford Pea- nut Butter April/May | |
|--|---------|--|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Back- packs & school supplies | | EFN—Oct | Coloring Books & Crayons Feb | 65 books and boxes of crayons |
| Toys for Santa's Castle July | | Pet Food for Local Shelters May | | |



First Aid and CPR Training

April 14th



Come join us for a 3 hour CPR/1st Aid training on Saturday, April 14th from 9:30 to 12:30 at Lakewood Ford. We will be getting certification cards and some important training to keep us all safe and well informed.

Afterwards, we will find a place nearby to grab a no host lunch.

Please sign-up by March 13th so we can plan for numbers.

PCMC General Meeting Minutes—March 20 Meeting

Call to Order - Heidi Geise, president

Welcome Visitors and Members

Approval of February General Meeting Minutes

1st Wayne Pistella, 2nd Pam Pistella Membership Accepted and Approved.

Committee Reports

Membership Report – Nancy Freeman – Pierce County Mustang Club currently has 100 memberships – 6 new for 2018, we ended 2017 with 116 memberships.

MCA Report – Nancy Freeman & Bob Frender – MCA has listed the shows for 2019, they are still filling in the places for 2020. If you would like more info on MCA, check out their website.

Treasurer's Report - Nancy Freeman

Car Show - Revenue - Sponsorships

Expenses – Window IDs, T-shirts

Club – Revenue – Membership Dues, General Raffle, Merchandize, Donation, Car Show

Expenses – Club Supplies, Postage, Publicity, Entertainment, Car Show

1st Jerry Althauser, 2nd Paul Geise, Membership Accepted and Approved

Board Report – In the Works – Missy Willert – The Committee discussed who would deal with an issue, if during a cruise we had an issue with someone. It was decided it would be the Event Planner and Event Coordinator together. If the Event Coordinator is not at the cruise then any board member who is available will help. We are still working on the updated membership application, looking for artwork for the front page.

Car Show – Charlene Rivera – We have the early bird show shirt order forms available – save yourself a few dollars and order your shirt or if you want a tank top or vneck, this is the only time these 2 are available. Please see the order form for more info. If you or a business you know, might be interested in sponsoring a class – please let Charlene or a committee member know. We are collecting items for the raffle – it can be anything. Bring it to any PCMC event and we will store it until the show. We are in need of a Raffle Chair and a Volunteer Chair. If you are interested or would like more info, please let Charlene know. April's Car Show meeting will be at Paul & Heidi Geise's.

Old Business

Cruise/Event Thank You – Heidi Geise – Thank you to Kathy and Jerry Murphy for organizing The Poker Run last month.

First Aid/CPR Training Day – Heidi Geise –PCMC has set April 14 for the class. Ken Brown at EM Safety Service will be teaching the class. Cost is \$45 a person. Lakewood Ford has offered PCMC the use one of their conference rooms for the class.

Please sign up with Heidi.

National Mustang Day – Heidi Geise – On April 22, PCMC will cruise to ACM and host 3 clubs – Mt. Hood Mustang Club, Mustangs West, and Pacific Cascade Mustang Club. Thanks for visiting with us Pacific Cascade Mustang Club. Tickets for ACM are \$10, see Heidi to purchase. No cost to go on the cruise, optional entry to ACM. For more info, please see the flyer or web site.

Emergency Food Network – Nancy Freeman – On April 21 from 8:45 to 12:00, PCMC members will be repacking food for local food banks. If you are interested in helping, please sign up with Nancy.

Daffodil Parade – Missy Willert & Heidi Geise – If you are interested in being part of the Daffodil Parade, please sign up with Missy. PCMC will be ONE Unit this year – with the convertibles carrying the Educators of the Year. The parade has 4 legs – Tacoma, Puyallup, Sumner, and Orting. You can participate in all 4 legs or pick which ones that work best. This is a long day if you decide to do all 4 legs. We still need 8 more convertibles.

New Business

Upcoming Events – Missy Willert

Friday Night Dinner - Brank's at 7 pm

3 F Cruise – Hank & Margie Deck – Join us for 3 stops – Snoqualmie Falls, Camlann Medieval Village, and Remlinger Farms. The Village will cost \$5. There will be a nohost lunch at Remlinger Farms. Driver Meeting at 9:30, leaving at 10 – meet at McDonald's I-5 & 512. We will be collecting Dog and Cat Food for Noah's Pet Project. For more info, please see the flyer or website.

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PCMC General Meeting Minutes—Continued

Leavenworth 1 Day Cruise – Monika Kirkland – Leavenworth is a popular place to visit. We will have a nohost lunch/dinner in Leavenworth. More info to come.

Vintage Vehicles – Missy Willert – There will be racing this year, waiting for more information.

Rainier's Game – Paul Geise – On June 17 PCMC members will be setting out to celebrate Father's Day with a day at the ball park. Join us for a Rainer's Game.

Cost is \$13 or \$19 if you would like a hat. Parking is \$10. You will need to purchase your tickets by May 15. Please see Heidi or Paul for more info.

Mustang of the Month -

Congratulations to Roger Britten and his 2001 True Blue Coupe.

Adjourned - Submitted by Charlene Rivera

Car Show Update

Hi PCMC Members!

We 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 July's General Meeting. You can bring it to any PCMC event – any Committee Member will gladly accept it. If you can not make it to any event and plan to bring the raffle item to the car show – Please let Charlene 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.

Thanks for all the great items and help,

Charlene

Car Show Etiquette Reminders

Every year about this time we review etiquette at car shows. This actually could fit for a lot of occasions: shows, cruises, life.... But here we go, just some reminders.

- 1. Do you love hearing about what is wrong with your car? I didn't think so. Others don't either.
- Be respectful. Most shows are intended to be family friendly. Talk cars, talk imagination, talk detailing, talk positively.
- 3. Driving into and out of shows obviously needs to occur and we must be courteous and careful. There are children, pets, and some that don't move as quickly as others. Keep that in mind as you are entering and leaving. Don't burn out, rev your engine, etc. We all have loud engines. The hybrid Mustang isn't out yet.
- 4. People put a lot of hard work into organizing a fun, safe, respectful show. Respectfully follow the directions of the organizers on where to park, what classification to enter, etc. Every show is a little different so just because you were in a particular class in one

show, doesn't mean it will be the same in all.

- 5. Speaking of parking! If you and your friends are not in the same class or don't arrive at the same time, park where you are told and move your chairs together somewhere they are not in other people's way and visit. Don't save spaces or expect others to move for you.
- Respect the show organizers enough to let them know if you must leave early, before you drive out.
- We are guests at the venues but in addition we are driving beautiful cars with lots of power. Most shows, certainly for ours, there is no alcohol or drug use at the show.
- 8. Leave the venue cleaner than when you arrived. That was my mother's motto and my mother was always right.

These events are supposed to be fun, social events. Let's keep them that way!

Car Show Volunteer Sign Up 2018

Saturday, August 11th 10:30 am at Storage Unit, 160th – 1 block East off Canyon Road Sunday, August 12th 6:00 am at Griot's

| Truck Pick Up/Return-Rick Nordlund Truck Loading (Saturday 10:30 am) Driver: Rick Nordlund 1. Burt K. 2. Pete F. 3. Nancy F. 4. | Registration (7:30 am-Noon) DOE: 1. Kristen E 2. 3. Pam Pistella PRE: 1. Nancy Freeman |
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| 5. Missy Willert 6. Larry R. 7. Charlene R. Fent & Table Set Up (Sunday 6 am) 1. Paul G 2. Missy Willert 3. Nancy F 4, Bryan Z 5. Harley E 67 | Ticket Sales (7:30 am) 8-10:00 1 2 10:00-12 1 2 12-2:30 1. Hank D 2 |
| 39 Stanchion Layout (6 am) 1. David Ringlee 2. Sam O 34 MC (9am-12pm) 1 | 50/50 Raffle (10 am-2:00 pm) 11:00 12 2:00 12 |
| MC (12am-3pm) 2. Paul Geise Raffle Set Up (6:30 am) 12. | Tack Shack (8-2:00pm) 8-10:00 1. Tim Gwyn 10:00-12 1. Greg Robbins 12-2:00 1. Pete F. |
| Frophy Set Up (6:30 am) I. Karen Edwards 2. Nancy Freeman | Ballot Counting (11:30) 1. Bryan Z 2 34 |
| Garbage Cans/Banners (7am) 2 | BOS & Specialty Ballots- 1. Nancy Freeman 2. Missy Willert |
| Computer/Printer Set Up (7am) 12 PA system (9am) Paul Geise | Truck Unloading - Driver: Rick N. 1 |
| Hospitality Area (7am) Set Up-Renea Martin 11:00 Check 12:00 Check | Freebie Table Re-stocker |
| 1:00 Check Clean Up 2:00 | Show Photographer-Heidi Geise |
| Car Wrangler's (7:30-10:30 am) Entry Gate: 1. Charlene R. 2. Burt K. 123 | Kids Voting/Ballots Paul Geise |
| 456 78. Larry Rivera | Voting Guest Greeter/Instructions Missy Willert |

PARKING LOT CLEAN UP ALL PCMC MEMBERS (4PM)



Griot's Garage

3333 South 38th Street Tacoma, WA 98409

Gates Open 8am Voting 10am to 1pm

Pre-registration \$15 by August 3rd 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.

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











| A 64 1/2-66 Coupe | P *Non-Factory Specials All | AA Boss All |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| B 64 1/2-66 Convertible | Q **Factory Specials 64 1/2-98 | BB Mach 1 All |
| C 64 1/2-66 2+2 | R **Factory Specials 99-2018 | CC Cobra All |
| D 67-68 Coupe | 5 64 1/2-78 Modified | DD Roush All |
| E 67-68 Convertible | T 79-93 Modified | EE Saleen All |
| F 67-68 Fastback | U 94-04 Modified | FF Stock Fords/Non-Mustang |
| G 69-78 All | V 05-09 Modified | Pre 1980 |
| H 79-93 Coupe/Hatchback | W 10-18 Modified | GG Stock Fords/Non-Mustang |
| I 79-93 Convertibles | X Shelby Pre 2006 | HH Modified non Fords |
| J 94-98 All | Y Shelby 2006-2009 | & Hot Rods including |
| K 99-04 All | Z Shelby 2010-2018 | Non-Ford powered |
| Lo5-og All | | II Ford Trucks All |
| M 10-12 All | | ル Teen Driver |
| N 13-14 All | | KK Under Construction |
| O 15-18 All | | |

From NORTH or SOUTH via I-5 Take the West 38th Street exit

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



A limited number of shirts will be available for sale at the show. To guarantee a shirt, please pre-order by August 3rd.

- * Includes: Shelby SS, Shelby KR, Shelby 1000, McLaren, & 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.

1 Car Per Form Please

Pre-registration discount payment must be received by August 3rd

| Name: | |
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| Address: | |
| City: | |
| State: | Zip: |
| Phone: | |
| Email: | |
| Club Affiliation: | |
| | Make: (Ford) |
| Model: | |
| Body Style: (Cou | pe) |
| Class: | (see table above) |
| Modified or Pers | onalized? YES NO |

| PAYMENT WORKSHEET | | | | |
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| T-Shirt | | | | |
| Quantity / Size | Price Each | 9 | Subtotal | |
| Small | \$19.00 | | | |
| Medium | \$19.00 | | | |
| Large | \$19.00 | | | |
| XL | \$20.00 | | | |
| 2XL | \$21.00 | | | |
| 3XL | \$22.00 | | | |
| 4XL | \$24.00 | | | |
| Pre-Registration Fee | \$15.00 | | | |
| Day of Event Fee | \$20.00 | | | |
| TOTAL AMOUNT | DUE | \$ | | |
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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.

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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 - April

Rick & Joanie Nordlund 2007

Robert King & Clay Concannon 2009

Scott & Pam Leach 2012

Jay Roney 2015

ROSTER UPDATE AS OF March 31, 2018

98 Member #s — 137 Members

Among Our Own—In Our Thoughts:

- Vickey Olson—Wishing you a quick recovery from the aches and pains of your auto accident and your knee.
- Bob Frender and family for the loss of Bob's brother.
- Congratulations Clay Concannon for having your 1992 Fox Body Mustang in the Late Model Mustang Magazine. (102,000 miles on it!)
- **George Ftikas**—You are in our thoughts as you deal with cancer and all the treatments.
- Paul Nee—Had Triple By-Pass surgery March 23rd at Tacoma General after having a heart attack. Get well soon.

On the lighter side:

 It was "heard through the grapevine" - "The Freemans can't figure out where they went wrong raising their kids....one just bought a CAMERO and the other a CHARGER." It's all in the muscle family. Be brave!

Purpose Statement

In the spirit of fun, community, and education, we are a social group promoting a stronger fellowship through cruises, shows, and charity involvement for our members and local communities. Additionally, we support the preservation and maintenance of all Mustang and Ford Motor products.

2018 CAR SHOW T-SHIRT & TANK PREORDER FORM

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| T-Shirt Size Quantity | Price | Subtotal | PREMICE CHUNTY |
| Small | \$17.00 | | |
| Medium | \$17.00 | | James and Mark |
| Large | \$17.00 | | |
| XL | \$18.00 | | |
| 2XL | \$19.00 | | August 12, 2018 |
| 3XL | \$20.00 | | |
| 4XL | \$22.00 | | |
| NO TANKS (MEN'S OR WOM | MEN'S) OR V-N | IECKS WILL | BE AVAILABLE AT THE SHOW. |
| Men's Tanks | | | |
| Size Quantity | Price | Subtotal | |
| Small | \$18.00 | | |
| Medium | \$18.00 | | |
| Large | \$18.00 | | |
| XL | \$18.00 | | |
| 2XL | \$20.00 | | |
| 3XL | \$22.00 | | |
| 4XL | \$24.00 | | |
| Women's Tanks & V-Neck | | | |
| Tank | | | V-Neck |
| Quantity Price | Subtotal | Quantity | Price Subtotal |
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Last day to order is April 17, 2018. Make checks out to PCMC. Pay at a general membership meeting or mail to PCMC, PO Box 44853, Tacoma, WA 98448



Mustang of the Month

Roger Britten 2001 True Blue Coupe



The 2001
Ford Mustang is part
of the 4th
generation of
Mustangs.

This generation went from 1994 to 2004.

Ford has had a variety of blue's over the years. In 2001 the blue was this gorgeous True Blue that Roger Britten drives. In 1964 it began with Guardsman Blue, Caspian Blue, and Skylight Blue. I tried to name all of the blues by year but it filled the page. Just note that there have been everything from Acadian,

Brittany, Cadet, Deep Impact.....to Vista and Windveil and so on through the alphabet.

According to mustangandfords.com,17% of Mustangs have been some shade of blue. That said, I don't know if that includes all the turquoises, aquas, and teals.

We were not able to connect with Roger for a personal story but, "Congratulations Roger! It is a gorgeous car whatever they name the color."

New Members

Photos not available last month:

Blair Hamrick & Leah Merrit—Gig Harbor 1970 Red Boss 429 2013 Black GT 500



Troy & Ginger Benedict—Puyallup
2008 Black GT



John Hardin—Yelm

1967 Triple Black Coupe



Bill & Suzanne Morchin—Orting

1977 Tangerine Hatchback 1965 Red Coupe



In the News

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

From the March *Mustang Times*:

Several newsworthy topics in John Clor's column. If you didn't get a chance to read it, here are the topics:

- **A) Classics beside the New**—What can we learn from looking into the past? What does it say about the future?
- **B)** Future MACH I—May not be a Mustang? Is that good or bad?
- C) Ford's "recently established Team Edison electric car division" How is Ford joining/leading the future of electic and self drivers? What role will Mustangs play in that?

John certainly gave us some things to think about in this article. My opinion is that it is a <u>must</u> read.

There were also 2 articles about 2 classic movie Mustangs, The Bullitt and Eleanor. The original Bullet, driven by McQueen was brought out for all to see when the 2019 Bullet was unveiled. Interesting story about the ownership of this one which is the car used for the closeups. The story of Eleanor, "a modified 1967 Mustang fastback," is told by Donald Farr (editor of the *Mustang Times*. He talks about the new, the old, the developer, and the owner. Makes me want to rent a couple of movies....

While we are talking about the Bullitt, did you know there was a red prototype Bullitt? I was looking for factual information to put into this newsletter and re-discovered performance.ford.com/enthusiasts/newsroom/2018 where there was an article about this 2008 vehicle. They built it in red thinking as they were driving it to test it people would think it was a Mustang GT and not a new Bullitt.

Keep sending me interesting news you have found.

Save the Date and Future Events

National Mustang Day: April 22 is the Cruise (see flyer)

Tickets for America's Car Museum are now available for those that would like them. Remember these are discounted and can be used on the day of the event, later, or can be gifted. They will be good until July 1, 2019. You may purchase as many as you would like at the \$10 discount price.

See Heidi if you want to take advantage of this opportunity and say thanks to ACM for letting us celebrate on their grounds for free.

What does your Father's Day Plan Look Like?

Plan on spending the day with PCMC again as we watch the Rainiers and soak up the sun.

See the flyer in this newsletter.

New Technology Coordinator:

So here is a basic description of this role.

- Support members in their DIY efforts
- Connect members with resources to find parts and services for their projects
- Help coordinate tours and/or workshops for members around building, maintaining, detailing, etc Mustangs and other vehicles

Thank you **Sam Olson** and **Chuck Botsford** for stepping up to this task for this year.

Sam—mr.sam.olson@gmail.com

Chuck—ceb_iii@yahoo.com

Information Article: Car Show Season is Upon Us

By Heidi Geise

I love car show season for a number of reasons. One is that it means spring is here and the weather is improving and we have had some beautiful days in the tail end of winter this year.

Another reason is that people are out-andabout mowing lawns and detailing those gorgeous cars, old and new. I love the smell of freshly cut grass and car cleaning waxes, polishes, and car wash.



I spent over an hour taking photos of my husband's 1956 Ford F100 today. That is another reason I love this

season, taking pictures of all sorts of beautiful

cars from all sorts of angles and getting all sorts of details. It is great to have the right weather and the time to play with the shots to get whatever



that unique look is for the vehicle. As a photographer, it is also about playing to find that unique photographic style.

What an amazing treat it is when the shows start to emerge. You get to photograph, if that is your thing, or talk engines and detailing, if that is your thing. All kinds of vehicles all in one place. In the open shows, it is all makes and models. I have seen the oldies out showing off their original style. My husband and I even got caught in a road cruise of old hot rods one day. What a thrill!

Most of the shows we go to are Ford shows, especially Mustangs of course. To see the imagination of owners, the technical expertise of owners and specialists as they put their own twists and turns into the tuning of their Mustangs is sometimes jaw dropping.

When we all get our beauties out in the sunshine and spiff 'em all up, what a sight. It doesn't matter if it is a Ford or Chevrolet, Mustang or an old truck, Model T or the newest Hennessey, Roush, Saleen, Shelby, or whatever specialty vehicle it is. They are all amazing looking vehicles when they are taken care of with the love and passion of a devoted owner.

See you on the road....don't forget to wave!

Got a topic you are curious about or know about?

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

Send to: pcmceditor@gmail.com

For Sale

GOT A MUSTANG OR RELATED ITEM TO SELL?

Classified Rates

Member:

No Charge, 2 consecutive months, 1/4 page

Non-Member:

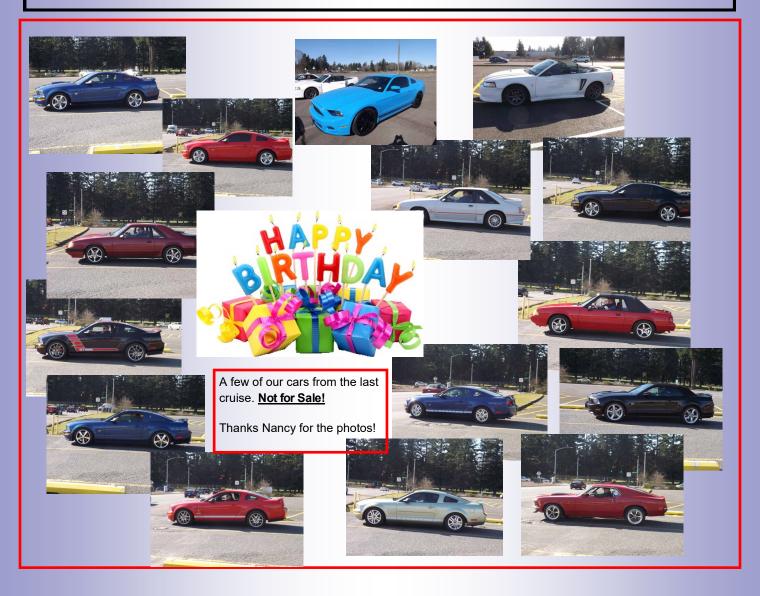
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March Club Events

Cruising with the Club:

Mustangs Not Required, Enthusiasm Is!

St. Patrick's Day Poker Cruise

Organizer: Kathy & Jerry Murphy

March 10

Well, it was an early "Top o' the Morning" to the Mustang club but what a gorgeous day. Jerry and



Kathy must have worked hard to get the leprechauns on our side for this one!



As always, there were trophies and awards and the distribution of money from the poker run that went on throughout the cruise. Blair Hamrick, a new member, walked

away with the winning poker hand. Lori Rochefort

came in 2nd and Dennis Willert 3rd.

There were awards for the wearing of green. Pete and Nancy Freeman took that trophy as a couple with Joanie Nordlund and Marantha Os-



borne right behind.

Special awards went out to Missy Willert for spirit and Rick Nordlund for the hard luck story. Jerry says we need to ask him what happened.

We must not forget the other end of the poker hands. Nancy Freeman got Bad Hand, Missy Willert got A Very Bad Hand, and Troy Benedict (another new member) got The Worst Hand. So our



new members bookended the Poker end.



Jerry thanks Rick and Joanie Nordlund for their help with registration.

Jerry had some great raffle prizes, 2 bracelet watches and 2

pocket watches.

Jerry says "There was not as many participants this year as there have been in past years, but there was still a lot of fun had by all. The route had a few twists and turns but overall the trip was fairly easy and we had great weather. We had time during our stops for some good conversation and getting to know one another as well. We did have an incident due to a mishap with the serving of food and Rick Nordland and since I had handed out the hard luck award before we ate, WELLLL I will make another Hard Luck trophy and present it to him. You will have to ask him what happened."

Jerry and Kathy did a great job planning the cruise with a stop in Dupont for pizza at Farrelli's. Thanks for a great day!

FNDO—Brank's BBQ

March 23 Photos by Heidi & Dallas



2018 Events

Nothing to Do...Not Us!

Club Cruises

April 22 National Mustang Day Cruise

May 19 3 F Cruise: Falls, Feudals, Farms

June 9 Leavenworth Cruise (overnight optional—book on your own, no host motel)

Sept 15 Yakima Canyon Drive / Show

Oct 27 Treasure Hunt

Nov 11 Veterans Day Cruise

Dec 15 Fantasy Lights Cruise

* Bold and blue are changes or additions

FNDO

April 20 Carr's

May 18 Aversano's

June 22 Elmer's

July 20 Old Spag. Factory

Aug 24 Round Table 160/ Meridian **8pm**

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Sept 21 Ben Dew's

Oct 19 The Hub (Puyallup)

Nov 16 Buttered Bisquit (Bonney Lake)

Dec 14 Main Garden (Main in Puyallup)

Other Club Events

April 7 Daffodil Parade April 21 EFN June 17 Rainiers Game

June 23 Korum Mini Show

July 28 Toy Drive & BBQ at Murphy's

Aug 12 PCMC Car Show

Aug 26 Club Picnic

Oct 13 Glass Blowing—Tacoma

Oct 20 EFN

Nov 3 Planning Mtg for 2019

Dec 1 Santa Parade

Dec 8 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.)



April 2018

See website for details www.piercecountymustangclub.com

Garden Month and Straw Hat Month

| Sun | Mon Ford I | Tue Peanut Bu | Wed tter Drive - | Thu – Start Co | Fri llecting | Sat |
|--|--|--|---------------------|--|--|---|
| 1 Sourdough Bread Day Easter | 2 Children's Book Day | 3 PCMC Board Meeting 6:30—Korum | 4 Vitamin C Day | 5 Read A Road Map Day (also Carmel Day) | 6 Carmel Pop- corn Day (2 in a row!) | 7 Daffodil Parade Caffeine & Gasoline |
| 8 Draw a Picture of a Bird Day (last year I got no pictures) | 9 Cherish An Antique Day (Honey, I don't count.) | 10 Car Show Meeting 7pm—Geise's | 11 Bookmobile Day | 12 Grilled Cheese Sandwich Day | 13 Scrabble Day | 14 1st Aid/CPR Training -9:30 Lakewood Ford |
| 15 Take a Wild Guess Day (I practice all year for this) | 16 Eggs Benedict Day | 17Ford Mustang Day!!! PCMC Club Meeting 6:30—Korum | 18 Banana Day | 19 Hanging Out Day | 20 FNDO—7pm Carr's | 21 EFN—Freeman |
| 22 Nat'l Mustang Day Cruise to ACM | 23 World Book Night and while reading it is Talk Like Shakespeare Day | 24 Pig in a Blanket Day | 25 Golf Day | 26 Thank you Thursday | 27 Tell a Sto- ry Day | 28 Go Birding Day |
| 29 Zipper Day | 30 Interna- tional Jazz Day | | | | | |

85th Annual Daffodil Parade Traditions in Bloom



saturday, April 7, 2018

Doesn't matter what you have, all Mustangs are welcome! We need 12 convertibles to carry dignitaries and the Teachers of the Year and lots of coupes to fill out our entry this year.

We will be meeting at Burger Ranch on 38th and Yakima, near Lincoln HS in Tacoma at 8:30 am. We will leave for our staging area in the parade at 8:45 am.

There are 4 legs of the parade.

Tacoma — 10:15 start time

Puyallup — 12:45 start time

Sumner — 2:30 start time

Orting — 5:00 start time

Contact Missy Willert @ maryhelenwillert@yahoo.com, (253) 732-0647 (C) or (253) 565-0592 (H), if you would like to be a part of this fun filled fabulous parade day.

National Mustang Day

Event Day: April 22, 2018



Cruise through the backroads of the Pacific Northwest to America's Car

Three of Washington's finest Mustang Clubs and one from Oregon will do their own cruises and then meet at America's Car Museum (ACM) in Tacoma at 11:30ish. Lunch will be available for a minimal cost at the museum. Afterwards there will be plenty of time to mingle, meet new friends and catch up with old ones and / or tour ACM.

Ask event coordinators for \$10 admission tickets to ACM. Tickets are good for 1 year. Explore the museum day of, later in the year or give away as gifts.

Meet at McDonald's off Hwy 512 at 9:00 am Driver's meeting at 9:15 am

Leave at 9:30 am

Pit stops along the way \$10 ACM tickets available Commemorative decals fun, fun, fun

For more information contact
Heidi Geise (253) 863-1850 geiseph3612@gmail.com

Missy Willert (253) 732-0647 maryhelenwillert@yahoo.com









Pierce County Mustang Club/May 19,2018/9:30 AM

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| 1st stop: Snoqualmie Falls | free |
|--|--------|
| —a two-acre park, gift shop, observation deck, the Salish | |
| Lodge and the famous 270 foot waterfall | free |
| —free parking is across the street, with pedestrian bridge | parkin |



2nd stop: Camlann Medieval Village

| —a living history museum project portraying rural England in | \$5 per |
|---|---------|
| the year 1376 | person |
| —Camlann events are peopled with portrayals of medieval | entry |
| life; Village Demonstrations may include archery, blacksmith- ing, textile production, animal care, artwork, gardening, can- | |
| dle making, hearth cooking, shoemaking, spinning, weaving, | free |
| clothing design, and other household skills | parking |
| —The Craft Shops will be open | |



| 3rd stop: Remlinger Farms | No host |
|--|---------|
| Lunch/ Shopping on your own | lunch |
| —200 acre tourist center offering a full service restaurant, | on your |
| bakery, ice cream parlor, large picnic areas | own |
| —Shops will be open | |
| —Some special activities may have an entrance fee; no group | free |
| activities scheduled | parking |

*Driver Meeting 9:30 AM; Cruise departs 10AM

*Meet McDonald's 512/South Tacoma Way

*?s: Hank 253-875-5956, spanawaydeck@yahoo.com

*Family friendly

Charity Drive: 3-5lb bags of dog/cat food for local shelters

'3Fs: Falls, Feudals, and Farms' Cruise

May 19, 2018

We will be collecting pet food/supplies/\$ donations

for



ABOUT NOAH'S PET PROJECT—

"Our mission is to provide preventative and/or occasional health care for pets of low income and elderly residents of Tacoma and Pierce County; help control pet overpopulation and provide education to our clients. Noah's Pet Project began as an part of St. Leo's Catholic Church's Outreach Ministry Program in 1998. We are now a Public Charity under IRS Guidelines. We are a non-profit clinic run completely by volunteers. Our budget is completely dependent on donations. Area veterinarians, pet supply stores and individuals are generous in their support. We purchase only the most basic of supplies, vaccines, antibiotics and flea protection."

Please help us help Noah's on May 19! Questions?

Hank 253 875 5956/ spanawaydeck@yahoo.com

Leavenworth Cruise

Just the 9th unless you want to stay on your own.



June 9th When:

Where: Panera S. Hill Mall

3610 S. Meridian

Puyallup, Wa.

9:45 AM, leaving @ 10 AM Time:

Any questions, please contact:

Monika (253) 376-5964 Greg (253) 227-4006

Are you wondering whether you want to do the cruise to Leavenworth in June? Here are a list of some of the possible activities.

NO HOST HOTEL—Please book your own, if staying.

Leavenworth Activities

Cruise June 9

The Audubon Society listed Leavenworth **Birdwatching**

As one of the best birding hot spots in Wa

Golf **Multiple 18 hole Golf courses**

Fly fishing, bait fishing and trolling **Fishing**

Hiking Over 700 miles of hiking trails.

(2 blocks from downtown is Waterfront

Park with 2 miles of trails along the river)

Horseback riding Or horse drawn carriage rides

Through town or the woods

Miniature Colf 18 hole course @ Icicle Junction

Paddle boarding Guided lessons, hourly or daily rates

Tubing, Rafting Float the river as it meanders into town

Rafting and kayaking opportunities

location!

Winetasting There are over a dozen wineries that offer wine

Tasting

Don't forget Photography in this beautiful Ziplining Between forested ridgelines and above rocky

Cliff sides

Kids run the bases after the game

Pregame autographs on the Concourse

Pierce County Mustang Club

Event Night: Sunday, June 17th—1:35 PM

Join your fellow Pierce County Mustang Club members, friends and family for a night at the park.



Meeting: Griot's Parking Lot Time: 12:00 PM

Leave for Cheney Stadium: 12:30 PM

Parking at Cheney: \$10



If you can't meet to cruise to the game with us, come to the ball park and pick up your tickets at Will Call.

Group Express \$13.00 Per Person

- Reserved Seat Game Ticket
- Ballpark Meal: Hot dog, Tim's Cascade snack & beverage
- Complimentary "The Dirt" game program

Group Double Play \$19.00 Per Person

- Reserved Seat Game Ticket
- · Ballpark Meal: Hot dog, Tim's Cascade snack & beverage
- . Complimentary "The Dirt" game Program
- Limited Edition Tacoma Rainiers hat

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT: Heidi Geise

(253) 569—1135 or pcmceditor@gmail.com

Ticket Order Information

| Name: | Group Express Tickets@ \$13.00—\$ | | | |
|---|--|--|--|--|
| Phone: | Group Double Play Tickets@ \$19.00—\$ | | | |
| E-mail: | Total Enclosed: \$ | | | |
| Please bring form and payment to a club meeting or event, | | | | |
| DCMC | To ensure all seats are together, please return your order forms | | | |
| Or mail it to: PCMC | at your earliest convenience. | | | |

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Website: www.lvars.com

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Address: 5618 S. Tacoma Way, Tacoma WA 98409

Phone: 253-777-1927

Website: metalmagicnw.com

In Memory of Eric Cobb

On September 9, 2013 club member Eric Cobb lost his fight with cancer. He was only 26. Eric had a gentle heart and a kind smile. He was a Ford man. He enjoyed showing his 2003 Black Cobra and his 2013 Blue with Black stripes GT500 (Best of Show at the Korum Mini Show 2013). Eric and his dad, Dan restored his grandpa's 1967 F100 that they showed together. He loved to talk cars and work on them with 1988 Fox Body and 1964 Galaxie 500 projects. Eric loved to humor me as I told him about

all the Pierce County Mustang Club adventures coming up, and he even let me drag him to some like the Poker Run and Relay for Life. He made a large impact in all of our lives and hearts.

We miss you, Eric.

Charlene & Larry Rivera

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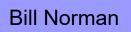
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Have items for the club newsletter? Email your articles to the club Newsletter Editor by the 28th of each month. Send all newsletter items to our editor, Heidi Geise, at

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: April 17, 2018 at Korum in Puyallup-6:30pm—Happy Birthday Mustang!

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





