

Pony News

October 2019 **Pierce County Mustang Club**

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Fran & Harv Richardson

Mustang of the Month



Progressive Dinner!!!! Sign-up before it is too late. Email Hank & Margie for a fun cruise, food, and social event. See the flyer inside.

Don't forget the following club events this month:

EFN

Progressive Dinner

Planning Meeting (Nov 2)

As well as the Board, Car Show, and Club Meetings as well as Friday Night **Dinner Out.**

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



2019 Board

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know this is cliché but, the older I get the faster time flies. Fall is upon us already. There are only a few car shows left and the memories of many are already in the books. So what is next....

The club has a couple of fun cruises yet this year. October we have our Progressive Dinner. Thank you to all who are contributing to that one. If you haven't done one of these before, you basically get a multicourse meal, 1 course at a time, at different houses. You get a chance to socialize and enjoy great food with an break between each course to make room for the next. I wonder if one course should be the gym?

In November, Jerry and Kathy Murphy have planned another fun Veteran's Day Cruise. This one will be to the Flying Heritage & Combat Museum. Cool place!

Of course cruises aren't the only thing we do. We have 3 more Friday Night Dinners Out and another parade. No down time for our club!

Please don't forget to bring your ideas for next year to the October Club Meeting and then come join us the 1st Saturday of November to make the final decisions about what we want to do next year. All are welcome as are all ideas. Come get your voices heard!

Also remember, November Club Elections. Get your name in the hat if you want to run for a position. The ballots will be in the November Newsletter.

VROOM! VROOM!

Life is always an adventure.....

Let's enjoy the ride together

Heidi Geise



PCMC President

Charity Involvement

2019 Charity Running Total

Cash Donations	\$114.02	EFN (April)	13,200 lbs of misc items	Ford Pea- nut Butter	493 lbs
Backpacks & school supplies (Aug)	44 and \$265 (about \$1500 value)	EFN (Oct)		Show 50/50	\$734 (\$367 went to our charity—St. Francis House)
Pet Food for Noah's Pet Project					

Be the energy that you want to attract!

Unknown

Pet Food Collection at the Progressive Dinner

For Noah's Pet Project in Tacoma

Not a Requirement for Participation in the Progressive Dinner

If you want to contribute but can't attend the dinner, get your dog or cat food donation to Hank or Margie Deck by the next club meeting.

Random Acts of Kindness!

"Be somebody who makes everybody feel like a somebody."

Hplyrikz.com

Jerry & Kathy Murphy and their family for all of the hard work they do for Job's Daughters. They put on a great little show to support this chapter's work. The charity work the girls are doing goes to help individuals in need of hearing aids but can't afford them.

Well done Jerry/Kathy and the girls.

Did you see someone doing something that you believe deserves a shout out?

- Something "above and beyond"?
- Something kind to help someone out, maybe they knew them or maybe not?
- Something they did not expect recognition for?

Let me know!

Don't know the names?

Tell the story.

Club Meeting Minutes—Sept 17, 2019

Call to Order – Heidi Geise, president

Welcome Visitors and Members

Approval of Last Month's General Meeting Minutes As They Appeared in "The Pony News"

1st Greg Robbins, 2nd Jerry Murphy, Membership Accepted and Approved.

Committee Reports

Membership Report – Nancy Freeman – PCMC has 110 memberships and 178 people. Welcome new members.

MCA Report – Nancy Freeman –MCA elections – check your email for a ballot to vote. You can use the ballot or <u>The Mustang Times</u> to read up on the members running for the Board. They have listed 3 of the MCA shows for 2020 – AZ, NY, and FL. Sneak Peak at 2021 MCA shows – Mustang, OK (This is a great place for a Mustang Show), Bay Area, CA, and Kansas City, KA.

Treasurer's Report – Nancy Freeman

Car Show - Revenue - T-shirts

Expenses – N/A

Club – Revenue – Membership Dues, Raffle, Pass Through funds, Refund/Damage Deposits, Car Show

Expenses – Postage, Club Supplies, Misc, Supplies, Merchandize

1st Paul Geise 2nd Dennis Willert, Membership Accepted and Approved

Board Report – Heidi Geise – Most of what the Board discussed is on the agenda.

Raffle Report – Margie Deck – We are mixing up the raffle for the next few months. We will have fewer prizes; they will be worth more in value. It is becoming hard to find items that most Mustang members don't already have. Thanks – Margie and Hank for doing an awesome job with the raffles.

Old Business

Previous Months Events – Heidi Geise – Thank you – Charlene & Larry Rivera - for organizing the Grandparents Day Display and the Club Picnic.

Club Jackets, Vest, and Shirts – Nancy Freeman – If you would like to order a Club Jacket or Vest or the Mechanic's Shirt –Order form and payment are due September 17(tonight). The anticipated delivery date is October 15. Please see Nancy for more information or to turn in an order form.

EFN – Nancy Freeman – PCMC volunteer day is October 19, please see Nancy to sign up to help. Please be at EFN by 8:45, we work until 12 noon with a no host lunch after if you would like to join us.

Progressive Dinner – Margie Deck – We need members to RSVP. It is on October 25. In October, after you RSVP, you will receive the directions. If you would like to donated pet food, it would be greatly appreciated but not mandatory to attend the dinner.

Club Elections – Heidi Geise – If you are interested in running for a position on the 2020 Board, please let a current Board Member know and they will add your name to the ballot. All positions are available – President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary, and 4 Board members. Ballots are issued in the November "Pony News" and votes are counted at the November General Meeting.

2020 Planning Meeting – Heidi Geise – This year's Planning Meeting will be held on 2 days – First day is October's General Meeting and Second on November 2nd at Griot's Garage. We are trying to include as many ideas and people as we can to help plan 2020. If you have an idea, please share. Please fill out the Questionnaire and bring to October's General Meeting.

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Club Meeting Minutes—Sept 17, 2019 (cont.)

Santa Parade – Missy Willert – The Santa Parade is the first weekend on December. This is a fun night time parade where we put lights on the Mustangs to drive through Sumner and Puyallup. Please email a copy of your insurance and Driver's License to Missy by November 12th. Please use at least 100 lights, no Santa decorations allowed. We will meet at Sunset Stadium in Sumner at 1pm.We have invited the other PCMC to join us.

New Business

Kentridge Homecoming – Missy Willert – Kentridge is in need of 6 convertibles for their homecoming court on Thursday October 3 at 5:30. If you are interested in helping, please let Missy know.

Veterans Day Cruise – Jerry Murphy – We will be traveling up to the Flying Heritage & Combat Armor Museum at Pain Field on November 9. Cost for seniors \$16 and \$18 for adults. For more information please see the flyer.

Job's Daughter's Car Show – Jerry Murphy – September 21 at Elite Auto on Mountain Highway. Dash plaques and good bags for the first 50 to register. The Job's Daughters do the judging and awarding of the trophies. Time 9 am to 4 pm. Cost \$20.

Ponies in the Park Meet Up – at McDonald's I-5 and 512, leaving at 7:30.

Mustang of the Month Write Up & Picture – Heidi Geise – Please send the write ups to Heidi by the 25th of the month. When you are picking or taking a picture to send for the website – PLEASE send a horizontal one. This makes it fit on the website.

Friday Night Dinner Out is at Black Bear Dinner at I-5 & 512 at 7 pm.

Mustang of the Month – Congratulations to Fran & Harv Richardson and their 1966 Vintage Burgundy Coupe.

Adjourned - Submitted by Charlene Rivera

Parts and Autos 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: pcmceditor@gmail.com
Deadline is the third Friday of each month for the next issue.

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 \$9.00 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—October

Lee Windh 2013

Paul & Heidi Geise 2013

Brian & Betty Purves 2013

Leland Schiro 2015

Carl Taylor 2018

Jeff & Heidi McQuay 2018

ROSTER UPDATE AS OF Sept 30, 2019

110 Member Numbers

178 Individuals

Shout Outs

George Ftikas—We continue to keep you in our thoughts. Stay positive.

Paul Youngedyk—Hoping those "unfun" back pains go away soon

Cynthia & Rick Coombs—wishes for healing

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.



Mustang of the Month

Fran & Harv Richardson 1966 Vintage Burgundy Coupe



1966 Ford Mustang GT Coupe Vintage Burgundy Metallic – Perfect California Raisin

My dream of owning a Ford Mustang began in high school. A friend's parents had a 1965 coupe. I liked the design.

I ordered a 1968 Mustang Coupe, waited 3 months and the dealer could not tell me an expected delivery date. I desperately needed transportation for work. I cancelled the order and purchased the 1963 Corvair (I had been borrowing) from my parents. Two weeks later, my 1968 arrived; I had to say "no thank you".

In August 1998 Harv and I went to Hot August Nights in Reno. My dream of owning a Mustang was rekindled. In 1999, Harv & I joined the Sacramento Area Mustang (SAMC). At a Swap Meet, Harv purchased a 1965, Poppy Red Coupe. There had been several previous owners and several changes. Later we found two 1967 Mustang Coupes and a 1979 Mustang Ghia for future projects.

Still dreaming, I would occasionally check online and local newspapers for Mustangs. In early May 2001, a SAMC member received a "1966 GT Coupe for sale" email and shared the e-mail with members. It was June when I finally checked to see if the Mustang was still available. My answer-Yes, it is available. In 1982, the second owner, found this Mustang in a field. It was fully restored in 1991. This time, I could not resist the temptation.

Prepared with information on what to look for in a

used classic Mustang; I spent 2 hours checking the car over/under/inside and then a test drive. We negotiated the price and I became the third owner.

Factory air conditioning GT Rally Pak 289 cu engine 4-barrel carb. Automatic Power Steering Front disc brakes Wood steering wheel Chrome Steel Wheels

Since 2001, we have participated in several car shows (within Northern CA), as well as special events: Hot August Nights, Reno (2001-2013); AutoRama, Sacramento (2009); Hot Chili & Cool Cars, Rocklin; Eggplant Festival, Loomis. Special decorations include California Raisins and various stuffed horses. We look forward to showing our 1966 Pony here in Washington State.

Harv still has Ford trucks, especially F-1 trucks with flathead engines. Yes, we have a project truck.

Thank you for the honor of being PCMC Mustang of the Month, October 2019.

Fran & Harv Richardson



New Members

In the News

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

From the *Mustang Times*, September 2019:

You Roush owners, have you picked up your new toy yet? According to the *Mustang Times*, Acme Trading Company released a "1:18-scale die-cast of the 2019 Roush Stage 3 Mustang" in September. There will only be 500 estimated produced so don't wait.

If you want to know more about, "The Father of the Mustang," Lee Iacocca, there is a great spread about Mr. Iacocca in September's issue of the magazine. Don't miss his story as we all remember this "American Icon."

Wow! Did you see the story about Adelbert Enger? If you thought Mustangs were just an American phenomenon, read about him and his collection. According to the article in the *Mustang Times*, not only did he ship his Mustang from his home in Belgium for the 55th Anniversary celebration at Charlotte Motor Speedway, but he has a collection of over 8000 Mustang models.

This issue is full of people and car history and stories of how families/individuals got started with their Mustangs. If you don't already belong to MCA and get this magazine, I will say it is worth the money.

From **www.hagerty.com/** comes several articles about our Mustangs. Check out the site for more on these topics:

- An article covering the 25 Mustang facts that "every enthusiast should know" is included. An article by Scott Oldham in April of 2019 included:
- 1. First Mustang with 700+ hp = 2020 Ford Mustang Shelby GT500. Also the first Shelby Mustang "only offered with an automative transmission."
- 2. First Ford Mustang with sequential turn signals from the factory, 2010.
- 3, First Mustang with four cylinders = 1974 Mustang II. Ford sold "almost 386,000 the first year..."

Maybe there will be more of these facts to come?

November 14th. Remember that day! Saleens are coming to LeMay—Americas Car Museum. I

know no details other than that and have heard they will be on the Grand Gallery Floor (top). I can't wait to see what that exhibit looks like!



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

Pierce County Mustang Club at Other Shows

Yakima

Lacey

Job's Daughters

No photos available for Yakima.

Several members went to this show but when I asked for photos...."What happened in Yakima, stays in Yakima but Bobs Burgers and Brews has "THE BEST" onion rings!"

Kind of makes me wonder what we all missed??

were familiar vehicles from various other high school and college shows that we have done and some new ones that I haven't seen. Cute little show with great cars really showing off the beautiful design of automobiles through the years.

To see pictures of award winners and more, check out our photobucket page.

Here are a few award winners:





In spite of the potential for rain, the turn out from Pierce County Mustang Club was again a success. We tied for the Club Participation Award which mean our club will have additional funds to contribute to our charities.

Thank you to Mustangs West.



Job's Daughters

This was quite the collection of classic cars with several Mustangs represented. There



Past Events

Grandparents Day Car Display

Sept 7

Organized by Charlene Rivera

Solstice Senior Living at Point Defiance

A beautiful location and a great opportunity. We didn't have a lot of cars or a lot of spectators but it was very rewarding to talk with those that came out. They were incredibly appreciative and everyone of them thanked us for bringing out the "beautiful cars."

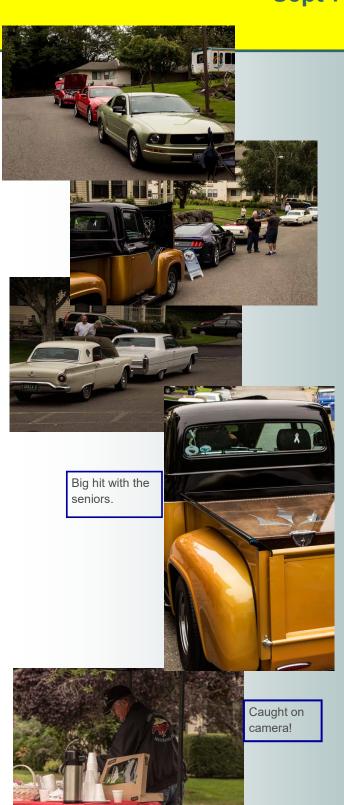
One 97 year old woman looked and then came back to look again after she got her hearing aids. She told me, "I can't wait to turn 102. I can renew my driver's license for \$6."

Another gentleman in a power chair couldn't speak well but he stopped me to tell me about his car, still has it, a Plymouth Hemi that he built and raced. Even scrolled through his photos to show me pictures of the car and the parts he put in it including the parts invoice. He communicated by speaking and when he couldn't get the words out, he had a pad and stylist, very high tech. He would show me a few pictures, then hold up his finger and say "hold on a minute" while he looked for what he knew was on his phone.

Another resident came by and every car, "I'll bet this one took \$100 to restore" and then gave me a little wink. I said, "just under that" and gave him a wink back.

I was reminded of the power of the automobile, the connection to memories and good times of the past. It is my hope, that with all the new technology, we never lose that.

When asked what her 1st car to ride in was, one woman said quickly and with a huge smile, "A Model A."



FNDO: Black Bear

Sept 20



See you @ San Blas Oct 18



Future Club Events

Cruising with the Club: Mustangs Not Required,
Enthusiasm Is!

2019 Events - Nothing to Do...Not Us!

Club Cruises

Oct. 26-Progressive Dinner Nov. 9-Veterans Day Cruise

FNDO

Oct.-San Blas

Nov.-Golden Corral

Dec.-Sizzler

Changes or additions

Other Club Events

Oct. 19-EFN

Nov. 2-2020 Planning Mtg

Dec 7-Santa Parade

Dec 14-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.)

October 2019

See website for details www.piercecountymustangclub.com

Month for: Pizza, Computer Learning, Breast Cancer Awareness, ADHD Awareness, Mental Health, Family History, and oh so many more....

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Intern'l Coffee Day PCMC Board Mtg Korum @ 6:30	2 Name Your Car Day	3 Techies Day	4 World Smile Day	5 Card Making Day Caffeine/ Gasoline
6 Mad Hatter Day Patterson Show	7 World Habitat Day	8 World Octo- pus Day	9 Canadian Beer Day	10 Cake Decorating Day	11 Egg Day	12 Pulled Pork Day
13 Train Your Brain Day	14 Dessert Day	15 World Students' Day PCMC Club Mtg Korum @ 6:30	16 Dictionary	17 Spread- sheet Day	18 No Beard Day PCMC FNDO San Blas @ 7pm	19 I Love Yarn Day EFN-Freeman
20 Office Chocolate Day	21 Apple Day	22 Smart is Cool Day	23 iPod Day	24 Bologna Day	25 Intern'l Artists Day And World Pasta Day	26 Make a Difference Day Progressive Dinner—Deck
27 Navy Day	28 Animation Day	29 Internet Day	30 Checklist Day	31 Magic Day		

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Emergency Food Network Repacking Project

Saturday, October 19th 8:45am – Noon

Emergency Food Network Warehouse 3318 – 92nd Street South Lakewood

Must be 18 years of age.

Able to stand in one place for 3 hours.

Layered clothing is suggested as we will be working in an unheated warehouse and comfortable shoes.

Please contact Nancy Freeman
By October 15th
253-531-4624 cezar6321@msn.com

"Be alert to give service.

What counts a great deal in life is what we do for others."

Anonymous

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2019

PIERCE COUNTY MUSTANG CLUB

2019 'Feast in the East' Progressive Dinner

RESERVE YOUR SEAT NO LATER THAN OCTOBER 5

To reserve your place and receive directions
you must RSVP to—

Hank Deck spanawaydeck@yahoo.com 253-875-5956

Doors open at 3:30 PM 4 Courses



You're Invited

- > Appetizers
- > Soup and Salad
- > Entrée
- > Dessert

A donation of dog or cat food for Tacoma's Noah's Pet Project appreciated but not required.



PCMC Planning for 2020

Want to help decide what the club events are for 2020?



⇒ Come to the October 15th Club Meeting with your ideas

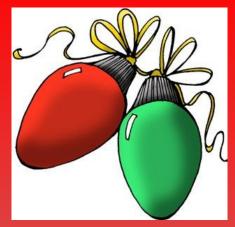
Beautiful Drives
Special Sites to See
Activities in join in
Whatever you think club members might enjoy

- → A list of options will be developed at the meeting so be prepared to share ideas and listen to those of others
- ⇒ On November 2nd come to Griot's Garage from 11– 1 for a no host lunch (pizza) to determine the events for the year

Each event that is chosen will need someone willing to organize it. If you are willing to organize an event or to help organize an event, please make that known.

Questions: Heidi Geise - pcmcpresident@gmail.com





100 lights required per car

Santa Parade 2019

Saturday, December 7th @ 3:00pm

Meet at Sunset Stadium in Sumner @ 1:00 pm Where we will stage the cars.

Sumner—3:00

Puyallup—5:00

RSVP with your WA state drivers license AND Proof of Insurance to Missy Willert at:

maryhelenwillert@yaho.com by November 12th

Holiday Potluck & Toy Drive To Benefit Santa's Castle

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14TH 5:30pm – 9:00PM

Puyallup Activity Center
210 W Pioneer
Puyallup, WA 98371
Parking is across the street from the Center by the funeral home.

Club will provide Ham, Turkey, Punch, Coffee, & Dessert Please bring a salad or side dish to share.

We will be collecting toys, cash & gift cards to benefit JBLM's Santa's Castle.

Option Gift Exchange: bring a wrapped gift (\$20) for each adult wishing to join in the fun. This is not a white elephant exchange.

For those bringing children, please bring a wrapped gift for them.

Consider bringing a "Hot Wheels" Mustang for the kid's goody bag.

Please contact Nancy Freeman with questions. pnredride@msn.com 253-531-4624

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The Blodgett Family

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Robert King &
Clay Concannon

The Robbins Family



NEWSLETTER AND PHOTOBUCKET

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: Oct 15, 2019 at Korum in Puyallup—6:30pm (Bring your ideas for next year)

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

