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Rocket City Mustang Club

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RCMC Web Site

Our web site is: <u>www.rocketcitymustang.com</u>. If you would like to put information on our web site please contact our webmaster Donathan Hutchings at dlcomp@msn.com. Pictures of club member cars in whatever condition are always welcome.



Officers Note

Our next monthly meeting will be held on 15 November 2005 at Beef 'O' Brady's Restaurant.

The Christmas party will be held on 20 December 2005 at Lonestar Steakhouse at Madison Square Mall and is for members only. This party will be in place of the monthly meeting at Beef 'O' Brady's. Bring a Dirty Santa gift (\$15-\$25). If it is gender specific, please label it so. If you want your kids to have a gift to open, please bring one for them. It's possible you will end up with your own gift, so pick something you might like.

Club Notes

18 Oct. 2005 Attendees	s		
Ralph Bischof	Madeleine Bryant	Patrick Bryant	Mark Dorner
Mike Foley	Mike Gosch	Billy Hammonds	David Kelley
James Lambert	Rob Maciel	Scott McCusker	Andra McEwen
Bill McEwen	Britney McEwen	Brandon Smith	Allen Spencer
Bill Tucker	Patrick Turner	Rick Underwood	Vic van Leeuwen
Chad Whisnant			

Call to Order at 7:15 PM

- Welcome new members Madeleine & Patrick Bryant (05 Legend Lime convertible), James & Natalie Lambert (05 Mineral Grey GT), Josh Pippin (71 Red Mach 1), and Allen & Vicky Spencer (98 Atlantic Blue Cobra; 97 White GT convertible).
- BOD Report no report
- Bill McEwen will setup a location & date for the club to make its donations and generate some publicity. Charity Donations

Total donation at this time will be \$5,000. \$2,500 to Operation Golden Rule (Alabama specific charity for Katrina relief) and \$2,500 to Children's Advocacy Center.

- Website Phase #2 Update Donathan Hutchings, not present, no report
- Club Roster, 70 active members
- No additional old business

New Business

- A new webmaster is needed. Donathan Hutchings will continue as webmaster until a suitable replacement can be found.
- Possible November Activity Cruise-In to DeSoto Caverns, Childersburg, AL. Scott McCusker will look into getting this set up.
- The club would like to sign up for the WAAY-31 Christmas Parade on December 3. Deadline for registration is November 10.

- Beef 'O' Brady's has not been very accommodating for our monthly meeting place. We would like to find a new location for next year.
- The new trailer still needs to be fixed up and repaired. A tree branch fell onto it and caused some minor damage.

Trivia by Chad Whisnant, won by David Kelley, 6 of 11 correct! Did You Drive Your Mustang? \$10, won by Patrick Turner, next month's pot \$10.

Adjourn, 8:00 PM

Activities

If you attend an event, send an email with a description to <u>scott mccusker@hotmail.com</u>.

Oct. 15, 1st Annual Buckhorn High School Car/Truck/Bike Show & Poker Run, New Market AL No report.

Oct. 15, Remlap Scout Troop 97 Open Show, Oneonta AL

No report.

Oct. 21, RCMC & SVTOA Drag Night, Huntsville AL

Brandon Smith headed up this event. He also hosted a BBQ at his house for his friends from SVTOA in Tennessee. Brandon unfortunately destroyed his rear end during one of his passes, but an SVTOA member had a replacement at his house. He brought it down the following day and they had Brandon's car up and running again.

Oct. 22, Hooters Car Show, Huntsville AL

No RCMC members participated in this event. Pictures can be found at <u>www.hutsvillecarscene.com</u> courtesy of Samir Darji.

Oct. 22, Covered Bridge Festival and Car Show, Oneonta AL

No report.

Oct. 29, Valley Vettes/RCMC Autumn Cruise

We met at the Wal-Mart on South Parkway. After a brief driver's meeting where the rules of the Scrabble[™] rally were clarified, we headed out at 1 minute intervals. The route directions were fairly simple to follow which allowed us to enjoy the scenery. A small typo in the mileage threw a few people off course, but was easily corrected and everybody made it to Baxter's Steakhouse in Cullman (our destination) without incident. We were to receive an envelope with two Scrabble[™] letters at each waypoint along the route which we could then use to spell a word at our destination. The person to spell the word worth the most points (our very own Mike Gosch) won a Scrabble[™] game board. Thank you to Vic van Leeuwen and his wife Ann for putting on this great event.

Oct. 29, Halloween 2005 Cruise-In, Sonic Drive-In, Oneonta AL

No report.

Oct. 30, Westmeade Baptist Church Car & Motorcycle Show, Decatur AL

No report.

Nov. 2, Dairy Queen Cruise-In, Madison AL

A huge Mustang turnout this month. Mustangers are the diehard car crowd willing to stand around in the cold to shoot the breeze. Remember this event takes place every month throughout the winter no matter the weather.

Nov. 3 - 6, Alabama International Auto Show, Birmingham AL

No Report

Upcoming Events, please check our website for details

If anyone knows of an upcoming event please send the information to Donathan Hutchings and me.

Nov. 12, Warrior Day Car Show, Warrior AL

\$25 registration. Info: LaDon Emerson @ 205-647-0253 or Wayne Bailey @ 205-590-1580.

Nov. 13, 19th Annual Ho! Ho! Ho! Christmas Show, Cullman AL

At City Park by the Cullman Depot. Registration is donations with proceeds going to the Christmas Love program. Door prizes, top 25 vehicles, and an auction at the end of the event. Hot dogs & cokes and portable restrooms available (permanent restrooms to come next year). Burl Smith (256) 734-8726.

Dec. 3, WAAY-31 Christmas Parade, Downtown Huntsville AL

Registration is closed, but come down and enjoy the parade.

Dec. 7, Dairy Queen Cruise-In, Madison AL

Monthly cruise in to the Dairy Queen on 72 in Madison. Every month on the first Tuesday 6-9 p.m. Inclement weather moves the cruise-in down the street (West) to the covered parking of the Sonic Drive-In.

Jan. 7 - 8, 2006, National Parts Depot's 12th Annual Ford & Mustang Roundup, Silver Springs FL

Free registration to first 1000 cars before Jan 1. Visit www.nationalpartsdepot.com for more information.

November Birthdays

Happy Birthday to members and their families:

Susan Beam Mathew Bryan Mike Foley Savannah Lambert Andra McEwen Rick Underwood Chris Brown Kimberly Bryant Mike Greene Rob Maciel Matthew Miller Margaret Weyler

Chloe Bruder Sherry Dorner Jarrett Kaempfer Jacob Maclachlan Steve Patton

<u>Classifieds</u>

Any RCMC member who wishes to place a free ad in the classified section, please send information to Scott McCusker <u>scott mccusker@hotmail.com</u>. RCMC promotional items available on our website. For those listing adds, please advise when the add can be deleted.



Set of 289 heads (large valves) ready to bolt on. \$500

1965-1966 Coupe back glass. \$250



65 – 66 Mustang front bench seat. \$200

Ford 8" rear end (5 lug). \$100



65 – 66 Fiberglass Shelby style front valance. \$100

1965 Mustang hood (small dent in center). \$150
Stock 289 heads. \$100
Front and rear (coupe) window chrome. \$75
C4 Transmission (may need rebuild). \$75
Stock 289 cast manifolds. \$50
1965 front bumper. \$50
289 Crankshaft (ground 0.010" undersized). \$50
Contact Chad Whisnant (256) 566-6298 cawhiz@charter.net for all these 1965-1966 parts.

65 Mustang Convertible K Code, Gene (765) 934-8245. Very good condition, no rust or body filler only reproduction parts on the car are the hood and the floor pans, we warped the hood sand blasting it but the repo fits and looks good. The engine and tranny are from a 65 Hi-Po but not the one that came in the car, the engine was not in the car when I bought it back in the mid 80's, (I think it probably died on a drag strip some where) so I found a rusted out 'K' code coupe and bought it for the Hi -Po engine and parts the coupe was built on March 25 and the convertible was built on April 10 so the build dates match ok. The car has less than 5000 miles on the engine and other resto parts.

1966 Mustang Coupe, \$8000 obo, Daniel James. Restored original 6 cyl. auto 45k miles copper with tan interior show winner appraised \$12000.00 day time 256-332-3757 ask for Daniel, night (256) 332-0193

1967 Mustang Coupe, \$11,000. Ed Morfenski. 289 V-8, Automatic, power steering, factory A/C, deluxe interior, new paint, new vinyl top, new tires, excellent conditions, complete maintenance records. Contact Ed phone 256-883-8245, email morfenskie@bellsouth.net.



1967 Mustang Convertible, 6 Cyl. Becky Tillery, 256-489-4425. Restored around 1991.



70 Convertible. Scott. 90% restored Optioned to the hill and an all original car with factory add-ons only. \$15,000.00. Website <u>http://web.infoave.net/~snonneman/</u>

1988 Mustang GT. \$5500. Mark Dorner (256) 655-3045, dorner_mail@yahoo.com.



93 Mustang Convertible. Trying to help my stepson sell a 93 Ford Mustang Convertible. He purchased it on e-bay a few years ago. He has driven it a few times but it does need some work. It is really a fixer - upper for someone. He needs to sell it in order to pay off college loans and a new baby. Contact Jay Gordon Pelham, AL 35124 phone 205-613-6550, email mjgflash2538@charter.net.

Wanted

68 ½ Mustang fastback 428CJ. It must be an original matching numbers car. Willing to pay market price for a car of driver quality or better. Contact Gabriel DeFeo at 401-241-7538, email mrgqguy2001@cox.net

Funnies

SUCCESS:

At age 4 success isnot peeing in your pants.At age 12 success is . . . having friends.At age 16 success is . . . having a drivers license.At age 35 success is . . . having money.At age 50 success is . . . having money.At age 70 success is . . . having a drivers license.At age 75 success is . . . having friends.At age 80 success is . . . not peeing in your pants.

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Newsletter

The Rocket City Mustang Club regularly meets the **THIRD TUESDAY** of each month at a location to be announced. The meeting starts at 7:00pm.

Next Meeting: Nov. 15, 2005

Next month's meeting will be at Beef 'O' Brady's Restaurant 7429 Hwy 72 Madison AL, phone 489-3084. The meeting will start at **7:00pm**

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