

SUN COUNTRY MUSTANG CLUB  
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**EVENT DATES TO REMEMBER**

Month	Date	Event	Location
<b>April</b>	14 <sup>th</sup>	Drive In	Major's Drive In-Lincoln Ave./Yakima WA @ 6:00 pm
	18 <sup>th</sup>	Liberty Christian School	Richland Wa
	21 <sup>st</sup>	Sunnyside HS Show & Shine	Sunnyside HS, Sunnyside WA
	25 <sup>th</sup>	Zillah Spring Fling Car Show	Zillah WA/Old Warehouse Event Center (509-314-1093)
	26 <sup>th</sup>	Old Steel Rod Run/10:00 AM	Fullbright Park/Union Gap WA
<b>May</b>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	"We are giving it all to charity" Car Show	Yakima Eagles, Yakima WA
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Tri-Cities Swap Meet/Antique Car Display	Kennewick WA
	6 <sup>th</sup>	Drive In	King's Row, Selah WA 6:00 pm
	17 <sup>th</sup>	American Reflections Open Car Show	Moxee, WA

March 2015

# The Galloping Gazette



**General Meeting:**

4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of every month  
Magic's Pizza, Selah  
7:00pm

**Board Meeting:**

Wednesday before the regular meeting  
TBD, Selah  
7:00

**Deadline for newsletter submissions is 7 days after the event.**

If you're submission is not received by that date,  
it could be put off until the next month's newsletter.

**Membership Requirements:**

- \*Attend 2 meetings or club functions per year
- \*Have a valid driver's License
- \*Own a Mustang or Cougar
- \*Provide proof of liability insurance
- \*Be 18 years or older or join with parents as a family membership

**Annual Dues**

Single: \$17.00 Family \$20.00

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**SCMC Board Minutes**

**Sun Country Mustang Club Board Meeting**

03/18/2015

The meeting was held at Vice President Velda Welch home. The meeting was brought to order at 7:00 pm by President Ray Fletcher. Others in attendance were Vice President Velda Welch, Secretary Jan Anderson, Treasurer David Mitts, and Guy Anderson.

Treasurer Mitts reports that we have a balance of \$1,797.64 in checking and \$2,009.64 in savings. He deposited \$20.00 from the 50/50 raffle (last club meeting) and we had an expenditure of \$59.29 for the plaques given at January dinner.

Velda received a list of cruise- in, (drive in) dates and times from Jim Dukes who has a group that has old cars that meet once a month at different places. We had problems last year of being at the same place at same time and not enough parking. This will help to solve that problem. We also discussed asking for volunteers to form a committee for event planning and lining up this year's cruise- in for each month. This will be brought up at next general club meeting. Some suggestions from the board for future events were as follows: cars meet at Renegade Raceway, Ellensburg day trip, Roslyn day trip, summer picnic in a park.

We discussed our car show that is in September (on the 19th & 20th), and David said that he is getting the registration forms made up.

The board discussed having members and non-members sign a waiver before going on any road trips we do. Everyone should have car insurance on their car.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:35 pm and Velda brought out homemade cookies for everyone. Yum-yum.  
Jan Anderson, Secretary

## SCMC General Membership Meeting

March 25, 2015

President Ray Fletcher brought the meeting to order at 7:04 pm at Magic's Pizza in Selah, WA. In attendance were the following board members: Vice President-Velda Welch, Secretary-Jan Anderson, Treasurer-David Mitts, and Alternate-Marci Mitts.

Last month's General Meeting minutes were approved. We have a new member to our club tonight, welcome Robert Bolich and his 2006 mustang.

Treasurer David Mitts reports that we have a balance of \$1,797.64 in checking and \$2,009.64 in savings. The only liability we have so far this year is the club insurance to be paid of \$319.00. The treasurer report was accepted.

Club member Richard stated that only two mustangs were at the Central Washington Custom Car and Cycle show at Yakima Convention Center on March 14th & 15th. He stated he was disappointed that only he and David Mitts showed for our club. We as a club need to be more involved.

We discussed the clubs insurance and what it covers. We also talked about having a waiver for members and non-members to sign before any club event or cruise, and checking car Insurance. This was voted on and passed.

The club talked about our car show in September and some changes being made to the registration form. The 67 & 68 mustang hardtop will be together as one class, split 2010-2014 hardtop/convert. into separate classes, and add a new class for 2015-2016 mustangs. It was brought up that we will need a new vendor for food for our car show this year, so if anyone has any suggestions please let the club know.

We voted and passed a new design for our shirts this year. Velda Welch and new member Robert Bolich will be in charge of ordering and picking up new shirts.

As a reminder the club has stickers for your car (\$5.00), flags for your car (\$7.00) and patches for you (\$5.00).

### Upcoming Car Shows:

- April 14th, (Tuesday) **Cruise In at Major's Drive In** on 1705 W. Lincoln Ave. at 6 p.m. Let's show our ponies off.
- April 18th, a car show at Liberty Christian School in Richland WA. for more info call Ray Fletcher.
- April 25th, (Saturday) Zillah car show, 10 a.m.
- April 26th, (Sunday) Old Steel Rod Run at Fulbright Park in Union Gap, WA. for more info call 509 949-0791
- May 2nd, "We are giving it all to charity" Car Show at the Yakima Eagles, Yakima WA. for more info call 509 728-6306.
- May 2nd, Tri-Cities Swap Meet/Antique Car Display at Kennewick, WA. for more info call 509 582-4297.
- May 17th, American Reflections Open Car Show at Moxie WA. for more info call 509 965-2547.

Meeting adjourned at 8:34 pm  
Jan Anderson, Secretary

### Message from Doug and Amy

Amy and I are still in Florida. We have been working in three different projects this last four months. We will finish this project at the end of this week and then will head north into Indiana. We both miss the club and the activities greatly and we try to see as many car shows as we can during our travels. Although in Iowa most of the "car shows" were in fact "Tractor shows", but you know it really didn't matter cause the love of the older modes of "transportation" run deep in this good ole U.S. of A.

Thanks for keeping us on the e-mail list of club activities.

Doug and Amy Heilman

### **CUSTOM CAR & CYCLE SHOW Under the Lights March 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> 2015**

If you did not go to the Yakima Convention Center on March 14<sup>th</sup> or 15<sup>th</sup> you missed a great show. A lot of beautiful cars and motorcycles were on display. It cost \$40.00 to have your car in the show, but it was two days indoors under the lights. You received a t-shirt and dash plaque and also two passes for two days. For spectators, it cost \$10.00 to get into the show, so the \$40.00 isn't a bad deal.

I and Richard Rettig were the only club members to show their cars. Wish we had more cars but I understand it's early to have your cars ready. Rich won first place in his class and I won second for the exotic class. The Corvette Club had to give us a bad time for only having two cars. Those Chevy people can eat my tire smoke.

David Mitts



## Board Members & Chairpersons

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### Happy Birthday to the following members:

March		April		May	
Deann Kingman	7th	Marci Mitts	2nd	Judy Mangum	9th
David Hawkins	26th	Audrey Haynes	15th	Tom Dittmar	12th
		Nita Hinman	18th	Dennis Duffield	13th
		Bill Hinman	20th	Amelia Epperson	13th
		Lonnie Epperson	22nd	Doris Humann	18th
		Sandy Linse	25th	Tracy Ratliff	19th
				Roberta Eaglespeaker	23rd

If I've missed anyone's birthday, please give me a call at 576-0588 or contact me by email @ [jtratliff@charter.net](mailto:jtratliff@charter.net)



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