

SUN COUNTRY MUSTANG CLUB  
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April 2022

EVENT DATES TO REMEMBER

| Month        | Date                                 | Event  | Location                       |
|--------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| <b>April</b> | 17 <sup>th</sup>                     | National Mustang Day ( <i>Happy Birthday Mustang</i> ) | World                          |
|              | 24 <sup>th</sup>                     | Old Steel Car Show                                     | Fullbright Park, Union Gap, WA |
|              | 30 <sup>th</sup>                     | Spring Opener Car Show (Benton City middle school)     | Benton City, WA.               |
|              | 30 <sup>th</sup>                     | Sunnyside High School Car Show (8am-3pm)               | Sunnyside, WA                  |
| <b>May</b>   | 15 <sup>th</sup>                     | American Reflections Car Club Open Car Show            | Moxee, WA                      |
|              | 20 <sup>th</sup>                     | Selah Show and Shine, Carlon Park                      | Selah, WA.                     |
|              | 29 <sup>th</sup>                     | Pacific Northwest Mustang Club Show and Shine          | Richland, WA                   |
|              | 13 <sup>th</sup> -14 <sup>th</sup> ? | Zillah Community Days Parade (day of parade?)          | Zillah, WA.                    |
| <b>June</b>  | 4 <sup>th</sup>                      | Ellensburg open car show                               | Ellensburg, WA.                |
|              | 18 <sup>th</sup>                     | Hot Rods on First Street                               | Selah, WA.                     |
| <b>July</b>  |                                      | ChillAxle Classic Car Show                             | Ellensburg, WA.                |
|              | 3rd                                  | WA State Hot Rod Hall of Fame Car Show                 | Issaquah, XXX Drive In         |
|              | 9 <sup>th</sup>                      | Goldendale Community Days Show-n-Shine (9am – 4pm)     | Goldendale, WA.                |
|              | 10 <sup>th</sup>                     | All Mustang and Shelby Car Show (9am – 3pm)            | Issaquah, XXX Drive In         |
|              | 31 <sup>st</sup>                     | Mustangs on the Water Front                            | Port Orchard, WA.              |
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## General Meeting:

Round Table Pizza, 1300 N 40<sup>th</sup>  
Avenue, Yakima. 7:00pm 4<sup>th</sup>  
Tuesday of every month

(between the freeway and Fred Meyers)

## Board Meeting:

Bob's Burgers and Brew, 121 N. Fair Ave., Yakima.  
(across the street from Target) 6:30 pm, 3rd  
Tuesday of every month

### Deadline for newsletter submissions is 7 days after the event,

If your 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: \$20.00 Family \$25.00

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## SCMC Board Meeting Minutes

### March 15, 2022

Attending Members:

President-Bruce Docken, Vice President-Craig Schenk, Secretary-Jan Anderson, Past President-David Mitts, Guests: Guy Anderson, Gerene Sadberry, and Velda Welch.

- Treasurer's Report: Checking- \$5,265.54, Savings-\$2,017.18
- Next General Meeting: Tuesday March 22, 2022, (7 pm) at Round Table Pizza.
- Christmas Party/Banquet: Do we want them to stay combined or separate? Advisory meeting vote was to stay combined, have it in December, and have a general meeting in January.
- Charities: We had an advisory vote to keep both Children's Wishes and Dreams and the YVCC Automotive Program. Maybe have the presentation in October after our Car show?
- Cruise-Ins: Starting in April, the 2nd Tuesday of each month. Suggestions made were Majors Drive Inn, Dads Drive Inn in Toppenish, Stop & Go, Peppermint Stick, and Kings Row. Any other suggestions?

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<sup>1</sup> For those looking for security, be forewarned that there's nothing more insecure than a political promise

**Upcoming Events:**

- 4/2- Cars and Coffee every Saturday (7-9am) at Tieton Village, Yakima.
- 4/3- Cars and Coffee 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month, at Country Mercantile, Richland
- 4/24- Old Steel Car Show at the Agricultural Museum in Union Gap
- 4/30- Sunnyside High School car Show
- 5/15- American Reflections Car Show in Moxee
- 5/20-21-Selah Car Show and Parade
- 5/29- PNW Mustang Club Spring Show at Columbia Park in Kennewick
- 9/17-18 Ponies in the Sun Car Show at Sarge Hubbard Park in Yakima

Meeting Adjourned 7:15 pm

Secretary, Jan Anderson

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*A doctor examined Lena after she was rushed to the emergency room, and then took Ole aside and said, "Ole, I don't like the looks of your wife at all."*

*"Vell, me neither Doc," said Ole, "but she's a great cook and really good vit da kids."*

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| Happy Birthday to the following members: |               |                  |       |                 |                  |
|--|---------------|------------------|-------|-----------------|------------------|
| March                                    | Deann Kingman | 7 <sup>th</sup>  | April | Marci Mitts     | 2 <sup>nd</sup>  |
|  | Joe Jorgenson | 9 <sup>th</sup>  |       | Bruce Docken    | 8 <sup>th</sup>  |
|  | Harold Austin | 14 <sup>th</sup> |       | Audrey Haynes   | 15 <sup>th</sup> |
|  |               |                  |       | Lonnie Epperson | 22 <sup>nd</sup> |

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You can tune a piano, but you can't tuna fish  
 To write with a broken pencil is pointless.  
 When fish are in schools, they sometimes take debate.  
 A thief who stole a calendar got twelve months  
 When the smog lifts in Los Angeles U.C.L.A.  
 The batteries were given out free of charge.  
 A dentist and a manicurist married. They fought tooth and nail.  
 A will is a dead giveaway.  
 With her marriage, she got a new name and a dress.  
 A boiled egg is hard to beat.  
 When you've seen one shopping center, you've seen a mall.  
 Police were summoned to a daycare center where a three-year-old was resisting a rest.  
 Did you hear about the fellow whose entire left side was cut off? He's all right now.  
 A bicycle can't stand alone; it's just two tired.  
 When a clock is hungry, it goes back four seconds.  
 The guy who fell onto an upholstery machine is now fully recovered.  
 He had a photographic memory which was never developed.  
 When she saw her first strands of grey hair, she thought she'd dye.  
 Acupuncture is a jab well done. That's the point of it.  
 Those who get too big for their pants will be totally exposed in the end.

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<sup>2</sup> "The inherent right in the people to reform their government, I do not deny; and they have another right, and that is to resist unconstitutional laws without overturning the government." *Daniel Webster*

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| <b>August</b>  | 4 <sup>th</sup> -7 <sup>th</sup> | Vintiques   | State Fair Park, Yakima, WA.     |
|                | 13 <sup>th</sup>                 | 5th Annual Car and Bike Show                          | Thorp, WA.                       |
|                | 14 <sup>th</sup>                 | Pierce County Mustang Club Show (8am – 4pm)           | Griot’s Garage, Tacoma, WA       |
|                | 21 <sup>st</sup>                 | Mustang Round-Up and All Ford Show                    | Kent, WA. (ShoWare)              |
|                | 27 <sup>th</sup>                 | Test of Time Car Club Hot Rodder's Car Show           | Shelton, WA.                     |
|                |                                  | Cool Cars at Coulee City                              | Coulee City, WA.                 |
| <b>Sept</b>    | 17 <sup>th</sup>                 | Power in the Park car show                            | Kennewick, WA,                   |
|                | 17 <sup>th</sup>                 | Sun Country Mustang Club Pony Trails (Free of charge) | Meet at Sarg Hubbard Park        |
|                | 17 <sup>th</sup>                 | Sun Country Mustang Club Cruise In (Free of charge)   | Majors’ Drive In on Lincoln Ave. |
|                | 18 <sup>th</sup>                 | Sun Country Mustang Club, Ponies in the Sun           | Yakima, WA.                      |
| <b>October</b> |                                  | Un-Run  | Fullbright Park, Union Gap, WA   |
|                |                                  | Concours De Maryhill                                  | Goldendale, WA.                  |
|                |                                  | Pacific Northwest Mustang Show                        | Patterson, WA.                   |

(The events listed without dates corresponding to them, I have yet to look up the date. D.H.)

### **SCMC General Meeting Minutes 3/22/22**

**Welcome to our guests Steve and Laura Potter and their son.**

**Treasurers Report;** Checking; \$3,765.54 (minus \$1,500. Paid to Children’s Wishes and Dreams), Savings; \$2,017.18.

**Christmas Party/Banquet;** The members voted to stay combined and change the constitution to keep it open to change if we wish to in the future.

**Our two Charities** will stay the same for next year, Children’s Wishes and Dreams and the YVCC Automotive Program.

**TriCities Camaro club meeting;** Dave and Craig attended and report that there were representatives from many different car clubs. They shared information, ideas, and ways to build up membership. Dave is going to make cards to put on cars to promote our club.

➤ **Upcoming Events:**

- 3/25 - Kings Row every Friday through September 5<sup>th</sup>.
- 4/2 – Chrome and Coffee every Saturday (7-9 am) at Tieton Village starting in April
- 4/3 – Cars and Coffee 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month at Country Mercantile, Richland
- 4/12 – Cruise-In to Reno’s on the Runway, 2012 S. 16<sup>th</sup> Ave., Yakima (By McAllister’s Museum) 5:30 pm
- 4/24 – Old Steel Car Show, Agriculture Museum in Union Gap
- 4/30 – Sunnyside High School Car Show
- 5/15 American Reflections Car Show in Moxee
- 5/20-21 – Selah Car Show and Parade (more info next month)
- 5/29 – PNW Mustang Club Show and Shine Car Show, Columbia Park, Kennewick
- 9/17-18 –SCMC Ponies in the Sun Car Show, Sarg Hubbard Park

The 50/50 drawing was won by Jan and Guy Anderson, and the door prize by Duffy Webb.

Meeting Adjourned 8:15 pm

Jan Anderson, Secretary

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**SCMC Merchandise – Show Your Pride in Our Club**

See David Mitts for:

Nametags: Free to members      Club sew on patch: \$5.00@ or 2 for \$  
Window Decals: \$3.00 (blue, yellow, orange & green)      Club hats: \$10.00  
Antenna Flag: \$7.00

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<sup>4</sup> “When government fears the people there is liberty; when people fear the government there is tyranny.” *Thomas Jefferson*

**PARADES:** These can actually be enjoyable. There are some “down sides” to attending a parade.

- 1) The registration for a parade needs to put in the earlier the better. Usually, the earlier you register for a parade the lower number you receive and you get to leave the staging area earlier. (Therefore, your trip home gets to also start earlier than those who registered later.)
- 2) If you wish to attend a parade as a group you need to know a group will be attending AND someone in that GROUP has filled out the registration form. If not, there might not be any room for you in the parade or you will be dead last with the street sweepers behind you.
- 3) For non-profit groups there is no entrance fee to participate in a parade.
- 4) Some parades have a quite in-depth registration form and might need the form in earlier than anticipated.
- 5) You might think that, why not just fill out the registration form each year and if no one shows up as registered for the parade, no harm no foul. Wrong. Some parade organizers actually watch for this type of thing and can bar you from registering for the next years’ parade.
- 6) When you finally get to a staging point you have the opportunity to talk with others putting in their time waiting for the parade to begin.
- 7) If you get registered early and arrive at the staging point on time there is usually judging of the entries. This is not individual judging, but group judging.
- 8) On the early parades the weather can be chilly. Might even need to turn on the heater for a little comfort. But, always, always, always remember; those people who came out to see the parade has been waiting in the cold, JUST TO SEE YOU; well maybe not just to see you, but they waiting in the cold/heat/rain none-the-less.
- 9) Because of those people, clean your car. At least dust it off for the 10 seconds or so that each of those on the street will have the chance to see it. My thoughts are that the vehicle should be just as clean as if you would be showing it at a car show. (respect the crowd they respect you)

**CAR SHOWS:**

- 1) Unfortunately, there are a lot of people who don’t think their vehicle is a “show worthy” vehicle. But you would be surprised at the attention your vehicle might get because someone might be attending the same show wondering how a part attaches to their vehicle and your vehicle gives them that example.
- 2) There are “OPEN” car shows, which is what the name implies, the show is open to all makes and models. The show might include up to a certain year of vehicle. The show might lump years together in 10-year increments or some other type of classes, but don’t plan on parking with your class to “size-up” your competition. Just as the name implies the parking is also OPEN, you park where you can find the room. If it is a very big open show, it might be hard to determine the cars in your class so you can “see” your competition.
- 3) This type of show can be interesting because; 1) you might own different vehicles and you have other interests instead of with one model of vehicle; 2) you find that one car nut is just as much of a car nut no matter the type of vehicle they own, just look over the rat-rods.
- 4) Now when you take your car, let’s say a car that has not been modified, to an “OPEN” car show and win a trophy, that my friend is a very special trophy in my book.
- 5) Now when you take your car (Ford Mustang) to a car show that only shows your make of vehicle, a Ford Mustang car show and your vehicle wins a trophy, write somewhere on the base of the trophy how many was in your class. If you were the only one in your class or if there were fifteen the trophy might mean something different as time goes by.
- 6) You might have an “unusual” vehicle or a low number of a certain type made. Might always be a trophy winner because of its rarity, but when does winning a trophy because it happens to be the only one in its class begin to get “old”?