

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

Month	Date	Event	Location
April	5 <sup>th</sup>	Lunch w/ the Great American Pony Drive {contact Dave Mitts for info}	Miner's Drive-In, Union Gap WA
	12 <sup>th</sup>	Mustang 50th Anniversary Parade	
	16 <sup>th</sup>	SCMC Board Meeting	Magic's Pizza, Selah WA @ 7:00
	19 <sup>th</sup>	Zillah Spring Car Show	Zillah WA
	20 <sup>th</sup>	<b>EASTER</b>	
	23 <sup>rd</sup>	SCMC Meeting	7:00 @ Magic's Pizza, Selah WA
	26 <sup>th</sup>	Zillah Spring Car Show	meet at 8 a.m. at K-mart so we can drive down together
	26 <sup>th</sup>	Granger Cherry Festival Parade	Granger WA @ 11:00
	27 <sup>th</sup>	Old Steel Car Show	Fulbright Park in Union Gap (meet at the Bingo hall in Union Gap at 8 a.m.)
May	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Yakima Eagle's Car Show	4 <sup>th</sup> & Chestnut, Yakima WA
	10 <sup>th</sup>	Zillah Community Days Parade	Zillah WA @ 11:00
	11 <sup>th</sup>	<b>MOTHER'S DAY</b>	
	17 <sup>th</sup>	Selah Community Days Parade	Selah WA @ 10:00
	16-18	Moxee Car Show/Cruise on 5-17	Moxee WA
	25 <sup>th</sup>	Tri-Cities Car Show	Tri-Cities WA (meet at Kmart at 7:30)
	26 <sup>th</sup>	<b>MEMORIAL DAY</b>	
June	4 <sup>th</sup>	Cruise-In	Kings Row, Selah WA
	14 <sup>th</sup>	Old Town Days Parade	Union Gap WA @ 10:00

April 2014

# 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  
Magic's Pizza, 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 3/19/14

President David Hawkins brought the meeting to order at 7 p.m. at Magic Jack's Pizza Shack. Others in attendance were Ray Fletcher, David Mitts, Jan & Guy Anderson & Jeannette & Dave Biddle.

Treasurer reported \$1675.31 in checking after paying \$313 for insurance, \$51. For name tags and \$30 for copies of flyers. There is also \$2008.46 in savings.

The Zillah Spring Fling will be April 26

April 27 – Old Steel Car Show at Fulbright Park in Union Gap

May 3 – Yakima Eagles Car Show (4<sup>th</sup> & Chestnut)

May 16-18 – Moxee Car Show, cruise on the 17<sup>th</sup>

May 25, Memorial Day Weekend, Tri City Car Show

September 21<sup>st</sup>, our own Sun Country Car Show

Wednesday, June 4 will be a cruise at Kings Row in Selah at 5:30 or 6 p.m.

We need to encourage our members to attend as many as these shows as possible and invite all of the attendees to attend our own September car show. David Mitts will have some more cards printed up with our membership info that we can put on windshields to invite membership. He will also bring SCMC patches to our next meeting for us to put on shirts. He also reported that the hats & sun visors will cost \$5.25 with the design that we want.

Doug, owner of Better All Motors, would like to buy 50 hats to give with his Mustangs when he sells them. He was also discussing paying membership fees for anyone who buys a Mustang from him. We discussed some of the problems that might incur.

It was agreed that David Mitts would be Show Chairman.

Meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

Jeannette Biddle, Secretary

Fun Fact: 22,000 Mustangs were sold within the first day of its release.

# SCMC General Meeting

Sun Country Mustang Club  
General Membership Meeting  
March 26, 2014

President David Hawkins brought the meeting to order at 7 p.m. at Magic Jack's Pizza Shack.

Treasurer reported \$1675.31 in checking and \$2,028.46 in savings. Mid Valley Insurance premium of \$313 for the year has been paid, name tags were paid and all yearly bills have been paid. A few people still owe dues.

President David reminded everyone that our goal for our September car show is 200 cars, and we need to go out to other car shows and promote it. Upcoming activities include:

March 29 is a car show at Sunnyside High School at 10 a.m. \$10 registration

March 30 is a car show at East Valley High School from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. for \$5.00

April 26 – Zillah Spring Car Show (not the 19<sup>th</sup>) (meet at 8 a.m. at K-mart so we can drive down together)

April 27 – Old Steel Car Show at Fulbright Park in Union Gap (meet at the Bingo hall “old Layman’s Market” in Union Gap at 8 a.m.)

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David Mitts reported that he took flyers for our show to the Yakima Car Show at the convention center. Hats are still in limbo as he has not received the samples yet. Better-All Cars would like to buy 50 hats and give them to customers who buy their Mustangs. They also talked about buying memberships into our Mustang Club for new Mustang owners.

The Horse Heaven Mustang Club will be driving thru Yakima on the way to the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Great American Pony Drive. They will be at Miners on April 5 for lunch and would like us to join them and we could also join them on the drive down to the Tri Cities Hanford Observatory.

David Mitts has SCMC flags, badges, and let him know if you need name tags.

New member Roberta (sorry, did not get the last name) introduced herself. She has a red 1966 Mustang.

Still need people for the midnight to 6 a.m. shift for the Coffee Stop on June 8 (early Sunday morn). You need to bring any supplies to the next meeting. Need Coffeemate, Cocoa, water, lemonade, coffee, cookies.

Yakima Sportscar Club in Moxee will not be holding their car show this year.

We discussed our car show, and agreed to a \$15 pre-registration fee and \$20 registration at the door. We will stay with the same classes. Pony Trail on Saturday, at 9:30 a.m., to Tom Denschel Ford in Prosser with a barbecue is tentative. Saturday night, the cruise will be at Majors on Lincoln at 6 p.m.

Dave Biddle won the door prize, and Opal Duffield won the 50/50 drawing.

Meeting adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

Jeannette Biddle, Secretary

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*If you know of an upcoming event, parade or car show, please let me know and I'll make a calendar for this year's events ☺*

Fun Fact: The one-millionth Mustang was produced on February. 23, 1966.

# Coffee stop

Friday June 6th, to take down, Monday 9<sup>th</sup>

We are looking for someone to fill the time slot Saturday night midnight-Sunday morning, midnight to 6AM.

## We also need supplies.

4 members are supplying coffee. We need 8 more cans.

We need 1 can of decaffeinated coffee.

Here is the rest of the list

2 large creamers (Costco size) or 3 (about 22 oz.) no packets

1 lemonade (Costco size) or 2 of the smaller size

5 cocoa, (cans, not packages)

1 box of tea bags

5 cases of water

We will have to purchase cups, lids, and any other supplies that are not donated.

I also need cookies. Guy was going to look into that.

I know there are members that can't work a shift. You can be a part by helping with supplies.

If you want, you can give cash. I will do the shopping

If you have a question, PLEASE, give me a call.

I realize we have two meetings before the coffee stop, but I would like to start collecting now so that, I have a little time at the end to prepare.

Velda

## EAST VALLEY CAR SHOW (Sunday Mar29th)

We had 5 cars from our club. We counted 37 cars total. There was quite a variety of cars, old, restored, not so much, new, and newer. A participant trophy was awarded. This boy had really done his home work. They did a 50/50 (2--I think, for those that missed the first one) several prizes, including an overnight stay and dinner. Claude Johnson was the winner of that. Claude isn't one of our members but he participates in some of our activities. Judy won something (not sure what). He had meal deals including soda or water for \$2.00!! The money went to Children's Village. He announced at the end of the show he had \$600.00 to contribute. He also said he had no idea how much work it was to put on a show!

I was glad I went. It was a nice relaxing day.

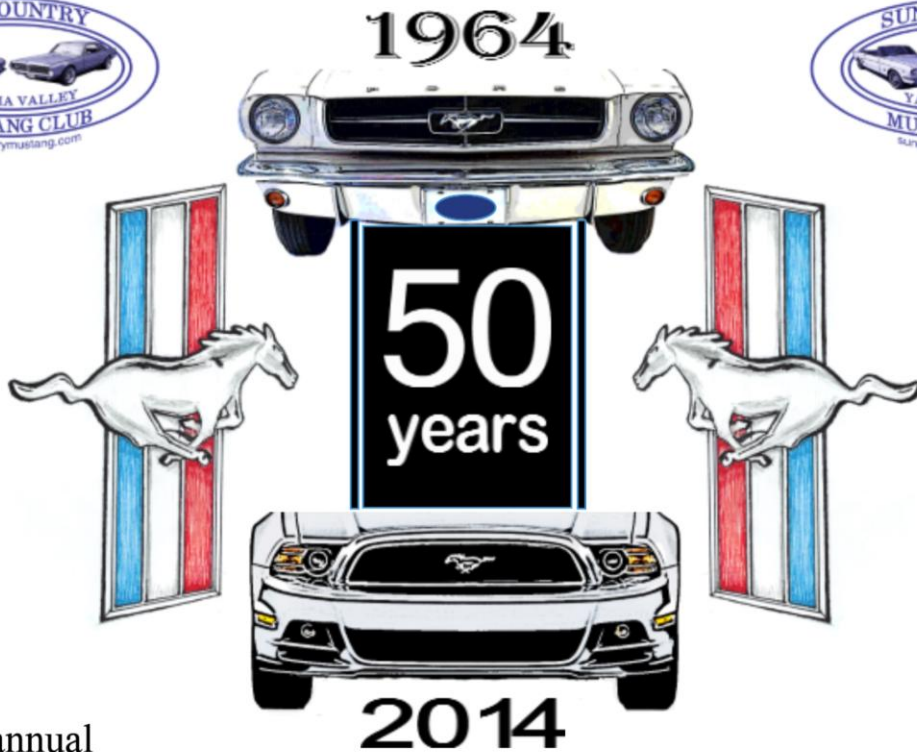
Velda

## Membership Dues

**This is a reminder that SCMC dues are past due. Please remember to pay Doris ASAP and renew your membership. Thank you ☺**

*Fun Fact:* -The 9 millionth Mustang, a GT convertible, was built in 2008 and sold to an Iowa farmer.

SCMC new flyer for our show on September 21, 2014....thank you Dave Mitts and Mark Sires for working on this... looks wonderful!!!



23rd annual

# Ponies in the Sun Car Show

**Sunday September 21, 2014**

**Sarg Hubbard Park, Yakima, WA.**

**Show Hours: 10 AM to 4 PM**

(CAR SHOW REGISTRATION GATE OPENS AT 8:30 AM AND GATE CLOSSES AT 11 AM)

**\*\*FREE TO SPECTATORS\*\***

**\*\*OPEN TO THE PUBLIC\*\***

**Also join us for our Saturday, Sept. 20th events!!**

**PONY TRAIL:** Starting at Sarg Hubbard Park at 9:30 AM

**CRUISE-IN:** To be determined. Please check the club website for further details.

*Celebrating*  
**50** years  
of **Ford Mustangs**

Proceeds from this show benefit:

**Children's Wishes and Dreams**

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Happy Birthday to the following members:					
April			May		
	Marci Mitts	2nd		Judy Mangum	9th
	Audrey Haynes	15th		Dennis Duffield	13th
	Nita Hinman	18th		Amelia Epperson	13th
	Bill Hinman	20th		Doris Heinz	18th
	Lonnie Epperson	22nd		Tracy Ratliff	19th
	Sandy Linse	25th		Sandy Daley	28th

*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)*