

SUN COUNTRY MUSTANG CLUB

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July 2022

EVENT DATES TO REMEMBER

Month	Date	Event	Location
July	2 nd	Toppenish 4 th of July Parade	Toppenish, WA.
	2 nd	Manny's Classic Cruise in at Imperial Gardens Fruit Stand (11am-3pm)	Lateral A & West Wapato Rd.
	3 rd	WA State Hot Rod Hall of Fame Car Show	Issaquah, XXX Drive In
	9 th	Goldendale Community Days Show-n-Shine (9am – 4pm)	Goldendale, WA.
	9 th	Mike's Family Friendly Car Show (no other information)	Cle Elum, WA.
	10 th	All Mustang and Shelby Car Show (9am – 3pm)	Issaquah, XXX Drive In
	12 th	Club cruise in at Peppermint Stick (starts at 5:30pm)	Union Gap, WA.
	31 st	Mustangs on the Water Front	Port Orchard, WA.
August	4 th -7 th	Vintiques	State Fair Park, Yakima, WA.
	13 th	Kittitas County Fire District Car & Bike Show (no info)	Thorp, WA.
	14 th	Pierce County Mustang Club Show (8am – 4pm)	Griot's Garage, Tacoma, WA
	20 th	East Valley Reform Church Car Show (only room for 125 cars) (need to pre-register)	Moxee/Yakima, WA.
	21 st	Mustang Round-Up and All Ford Show	Kent, WA. (ShoWare)
	27 th	Test of Time Car Club Hot Rodder's Car Show	Shelton, WA.
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General Meeting:

Round Table Pizza, 1300 N 40th
Avenue, Yakima. 7:00pm 4th
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 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: \$20.00 Family \$25.00

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SCMC Board Meeting Minutes June 21, 2022

Attending Members:

President-Bruce Docken, Vice President-Craig Schenk, Secretary-Jan Anderson, Treasurer-Jim Herriman, Past President-David & Marci Mitts, Opal & Dennis Duffield. Guests: Guy Anderson, and Velda Welch.

- **Treasurer's Report:** Checking; \$2,319.51, Savings; \$2017.28
- **Procedure for receiving car show entries;** entries will be sent to our PO box in Moxee and Dave will pick up the mail, and Treasurer will collect and deposit the money. For club members who will have their cars in the show, please pre-register.
- **Board recommendation for sale of T-shirts;** club members \$20., at our show; s-xl \$22., xxl and up \$25.
- **Car show info:** Dave has ordered dash plaques and plaques for the trophies. We have received in the mail 11 pre-registrations so far. Board recommends cut off time of 1:30 pm for the show Raffle

Cruise-Ins:

- **July12th Peppermint Stick**

- **August 2nd Stop & Go**
- **September 6th Kings Row in Selah**

Upcoming Events:

- Cars and Coffee, every Saturday (7-9am) at Tieton Village, Yakima.
- Cars and Coffee 1st Sunday of the month, at Country Mercantile, Richland
- Cruise Yakima Ave only on the following Saturdays: June 11th & 18th, July 9th & 16th, August 10th & 17th.
- **7/2 Manny's Car Show, Imperial Garden**
- **7/17 Mustang Roundup, Mustangs Northwest**
- **8/14 Mustang Roundup, Pierce County Mustang Club**
- **8/21 Ponies in the Park, Pacific Cascade Mustang Club**
- **9/17-18 Ponies in the Sun Car Show at Sarge Hubbard Park in Yakima**

Meeting Adjourned 7:22 pm

Secretary, Jan Anderson

Happy Birthday to the following members:					
June ¹	Doug Heilman	5 th	July	Karen Filippi	2 nd
	Primo (Roger)Filipp	14 th		Zee Carlstrom	6 th
	Mark Sires	23 rd		Leroy Dukes	6 th
	Gerene Sadberry	29 th		Cherokee Frazier	13 th
	David Haynes	30 th		Randy Stewart	13 th
				Duffield Eric	19 th
				Opal Duffield	22 nd
				Jan Anderson	24 th
				Lisa Duffield	27 th
				Jim Kingman	29 th
				Mary Pooler	29 th

SCMC General Meeting Minutes 6/28/2022

Manuel Imperial, one of our new members is hosting the First Farm Car Show at Imperial Gardens, Saturday, July 2. It will begin at 11 AM to 3 PM. It is at 4817 Lateral A Road, Wapato. No entry fee or trophies, just a time to visit and enjoy. He will provide two spit roast pigs, with Filipino and Mexican dishes. Bring your own drinks (alcohol okay). Bring a dessert if you would like.

In previous years, we were able to get our t-shirts with no sales tax. That option is no longer available to our club. This is adding \$90 to \$100 to cost of the shirts. We were possibly not going to make any money on the

¹ Rather than love, than money, than fame, give me truth.

t- shirt sales. After discussion by members, Heinz made a motion, it was seconded and unanimously passed to charge \$25 for all sizes including for members.

A Corn Hole Game is going to be setup for the Car Show. Details to be figured out.

The next Cruise-In is 7-12-2022 at Pepp’rmint Stick in Union Gap. (starts at 5:30pm)

Members were reminded that items for the Goodie Bags can be smaller quantities. If someone offers you 10-20 key chains, pens, etc., we can still use them.

The 50/50 Prize of \$15 was won by Bruce Docken.

Sandy LeBret won the door prize: \$20 AutoZone certificate.

Meeting adjourned at 7:44 PM (by Doris Humann)

RECENT CAR SHOWS:

May 29th, Pacific Northwest Mustang Club Show held in Kennewick, WA.: Five members of our club arrived at this show a little on the wet side. Unfortunately, it sprinkled a little on and off at the beginning of the show and finally tapered off and quit by the end of the show. Even though Amy and I had attended this show before, when you change location, all bets are off as to being familiar with the show. So, in a way, it was sort of like attending a new show. Anyway, of the five club members in attendance, three received a trophy.

June 7th, Majors Drive IN on Lincoln Ave. in Yakima: This was a club cruise in and several members showed up and enjoyed the fantastic food, fellowship and weather.

June 11th, Yakima Elks Car Show held in Selah, WA.: I received no information as to any club members attending this show.

June 18th, Hot Rods on First Street also held in Selah, WA.: There were several members in attendance with, I believe, 3 or 4 trophy winners. The weather was a little overcast at the start but then the clouds parted, sun came out and there was a slight breeze on and off throughout the afternoon.

June 29th, Coulee City Cruise and Car Show held in Coulee City, WA.: I received no information as to any club members attending this show.

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Sept	10 th	Naches Sportsman’s Days parade	Naches, WA.
	17 th	Power in the Park car show	Kennewick, WA,
	17 th	Sun Country Mustang Club Pony Trails (Free of charge)	Meet at Sarg Hubbard Park
	17 th	Sun Country Mustang Club Cruise In (Free of charge)	Majors’ Drive In on Lincoln Ave.
	18 th	Sun Country Mustang Club, Ponies in the Sun Car Show	Yakima, WA. (Sarg Hubbard Park)
October	1 st	Un-Run	Fullbright Park, Union Gap, WA
	1 st	Concours De Maryhill	Goldendale, WA. (MaryHill Museum
	2 nd	Pacific Northwest Mustang Show	Patterson, WA.

In order for the parking crew to get some idea as to allow for the parking of the various classes of cars for the show all of our club members who will be attending the show need to pre-register as soon as possible. The registration forms can be located on the club’s web page.

² To pretend to know when you do not know is a disease.

BEFORE I FORGET; IF YOU HAVE ANYTHING FOR THE: RAFFLE, DOOR PRIZE, OR GOODIE BAGS; BRING THEM TO THE NEXT MEETING OR CRUISE. There are only two more regular meeting dates prior to our show, and some of the items for the raffle, door prize or goodie bags can take a little time to organize so let's try not to leave these items to the last minute. Might want to use each one of the meetings left to make sure all is on schedule and to see if anyone needs assistance with the show duties they agreed to perform. If anyone has any questions or concerning regarding their assignments, please ask.

There are jobs for our car show that require walking, there are jobs that require very little walking or no walking at all, and there are jobs that you need to handle money, anyway, you get the point. There are jobs for everyone. Since none of our members really need to "sit" with their vehicles.

What are the specific tasks for the following (no particular order and not the entire list)

Gate person	Parking	Registration	Sound system	50/50
Goodie bags	Door prizes	Raffle prizes	Trophies	Pony Trails
Pre-show Coffee and goodies	t-shirt sales	Pop & water sales	MC	Vote counting

At this point, what I am aware of is that Velda would like some help with the Door and Raffle prizes. She would not only like to have more of them, but she would also like some help putting together those prizes she currently has acquired.³

This is the information I have that of those whose name(s) have been listed for certain jobs concerning our show:

Saturday pony trails:	Doug & Amy Heilman	Saturday cruise in:	Velda Welch & Virgil Clark
Show Chairperson:	Dave Mitts	Show Program:	Dave Mitts
Goody Bags:	Doug & Amy Heilman	Gazebo Coordinator:	Dave Mitts & Velda Welch
Balloting Trailer:	Jim Kingman?	Early Coffee:	Dick & Sandy LeBret
Music Equipment:	Heinz Humann	Set up gazebo:	Craig Schenk
T-Shirt, water, pop & food drive booth:	Jan Anderson & Deborah Mertell	Gate:	Virgil Clark & Craig Schenk
Parking:	John Mertell, Jim Kingman, Bruce Docken, Guy Anderson, Dennis Duffield	Registration:	Marci Mitts, Opal Duffield, Ray Fletcher, Doris Humann
Food:	Dennis & Opal Duffield	M.C.:	Randy??
Raffle:	Velda Welch	50/50:	Doug & Amy Heilman
Ballots:	Mark Sires	Balloting:	Mark Sires, Pam Larin, Shelley
Hand out water and thank you for coming while show cars are leaving:	Doug & Amy Heilman		
Tables, canopies for t-shirt booth:	Bruce Docken (tables),		
Corn Hole Game?⁴	Velda Welch?		

Please ask yourself: **DO I SEE MY NAME ON THIS LIST?** Just because you see your name listed does not mean you are not needed (all club members are needed). Contact Dave Mitts (phone number and e-mail address on page 6 of this newsletter to get your name on this list). Remember; after you come through the gate, get parked and registered you have the time to help put on this show (your show).

³ In all affairs it's a healthy thing now and then to hang a question mark o the thigs you have long taken for granted.

⁴ My friend and I were playing chess and he said "Let's make this interesting." So we stopped playing chess.

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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⁶ America is great because America is good. If America ever ceases to be good, it will cease to be great.

⁷ Those who can make you believe absurdities can make you commit atrocities - *Voltaire*

New club members

Gary & Mary Lou Staples	Yakima	1971 Cougar convertible, 2003 Mustang Cobra
Andy & Maricella Benfiet	Yakima	1965 Mustang Coupe
Todd & Michelle Wells	Yakima	2008 Mustang Shelby G4
Manuel (Manny) Imperial	Wapato	2020 Mustang Shelby GT/ 1965 Mustang

There may be as many reasons to join “any” club as there are members. When I look back on my own thoughts when I first joined (many moons ago), my thoughts (and wants) concerning this club were very selfish. It really took me too long to realize that each of us is a needed piece of the jigsaw puzzle in order to get a clear and full picture. We have no “time-out” chair.

Okay, I don’t think I can, cajole, beg, or twist arms anymore. I just know that by being this close to our show date and knowing how much more “behind the scene” work that still need to be done it is not the time to look at the list of tasks needing to be filled to sit back and wait for the show.

Let me try to end with a little humor:

1. When one door closes and another door opens, you are probably in prison.
2. To me, “drink responsibly” means don’t spill it.
3. Age 60 might be the new 40, but 9:00pm is the new midnight.
4. It’s the start of a brand-new day, and I’m off like a herd of turtles.
5. The older I get, the earlier it gets late.
6. When I say, “The other day,” I could be referring to any time between yesterday and 15 years ago.
7. I remember being able to get up without making sound effects.
8. I had my patience tested. I’m negative.
9. Remember, if you lose a sock in the dryer, it comes back as a Tupperware lid that doesn’t fit any of your containers.
10. If you’re sitting in public and a stranger takes the seat next to you, just stare straight ahead and say, “Did you bring the money?”
11. When you ask me what I am doing today, and I say “nothing,” it does not mean I am free. It means I am doing nothing.
12. I finally got eight hours of sleep. It took me three days, but whatever.
13. I run like the winded.
14. I hate when a couple argues in public, and I missed the beginning and don’t know whose side I’m on.
15. When someone asks what I did over the weekend, I squint and ask, “Why, what did you hear?”
16. When you do squats, are your knees supposed to sound like a goat chewing on an aluminum can stuffed with celery?
17. I don’t mean to interrupt people. I just randomly remember things and get really excited.
18. When I ask for directions, please don’t use words like “east”.
19. Don’t bother walking a mile in my shoes. That would be boring. Spend 30 seconds in my head. That’ll freak you right out.
20. Sometimes, someone unexpected comes into your life out of nowhere, makes your heart race, and changes you forever. We call those people cops.
21. My luck is like a bald guy who just won a comb.⁸

⁸ The other day I turned on the TV and the first ROBO COP was on and didn’t realize until then that he drove a Mustang.