



The Pony Express

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MCT Members:

Our fall shows are getting close and will be here before you know it. In addition to our Annual Mustang and Ford Roundup at MOSI we will assist at the Mustang Mini-Meet at Lake Mirror and we will work to again help make the Mason Dixon Best of the Best show a success in raising money for Christmas Wish. Please read the newsletter as it contains articles about each event and our involvement as a club. I also strongly suggest you preregister for these events soon and have one less thing to worry about at the shows.

Calling all show volunteers. Our shows are successful and have a good reputation because of the great help we have from you club members. Our show is well organized by our show chairman Chris Meyer, but it takes a small group of club ambassadors on show day to actually keep things organized and running smoothly for our guests. While we always get everything done, the more help we can get on the day of the show, the easier the task is for each, so please volunteer. I guarantee you will enjoy the time and make some new friends. Our primary areas of need are directing and parking cars, registration, and judging. All of those areas are easy, even judging. Come on out with your Mustang and get involved.....Mark



HELP WANTED-MOSI

Calling all club members this is a call to arms, we need your help!

Our annual Mustang show at MOSI is fast approaching. Your board of directors just met and all is on schedule for another fantastic show!

We need as many club members as we can get to show up extra early, (6:30 to 7:00 am), and help us with the show.

We need help with general setup, registration, check-in, judging and parking. Please, please, please try to show up early and we will put you to work making this our best show ever!!!!!!



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Regular Monthly/Weekly Open Cruise-in's and Shows

This info and much more available from www.motoringtampabay.com

Every Friday-Dairy
Queen across from Citrus
Park Mall 6-9PM

1st Saturday-Courtside
Grill. 13901 Nine Eagles
Drive, Tampa (at Race
Track Road and Nine
Eagles/Countryway
Boulevard on the north-
west corner) 5-8PM

1st Saturday – Ronnie
Setzer's Best of the Best
Show, Burger King,
Anderson & Gunn Hwy,
7pm to 10pm

1st Saturday – Dade City
Cruise-in

2nd Saturday –Murrays
Speed Shop, 5801 S.
Dale Mabry, 11am-2pm

NEW-2nd Saturday—The
Shops at Wiregrass,
28211 Paseo Dr, Wesley
Chapel. 4-9PM

3rd Saturday – Northpoint
Village Cruise, Suncoast
Pky and Hwy 54, SE
Corner, 5 to 8 pm

NEW-3rd Saturday-
Advance Auto Parts,
8317 Rustic Drive,
Tampa (off Waters Ave
across from the Wal-Mart
near Hanley Road) 5-
8PM

3rd Saturday – Straw-
berry Classic Show, Plant
City, 4 – 9pm.

4th Sunday – Oldsmar
Flea Market, 11am to
3pm, W. Hillsborough
and Race Track

Please keep your
email updated with
Chris Meyer



Club meetings at Bill Currie Ford the fourth Tuesday of every month. Located in the conference room on the 2nd floor of the showroom

Lake Mirror Classic

This unique high quality show is in downtown Lakeland on Saturday October 17th. The show has around 500 cars in the downtown area and a **Concours D'elegance** around adjacent Lake Mirror. This is a beautiful event and for the second year our club will co-host a Mustang Mini Meet with the Imperial Mustangs of Polk County. The Concours part of the show will feature some truly beautiful antique and unique

cars that are seldom seen outside of museums. Show organizer Ford Heacock of Heacock Classic Insurance is heavily involved in vintage racing so you will generally also get to see some very rare and unique race cars with true racing heritage. This show has a wonderful reputation and pulls a large crowd of spectators. To enter your car you must pre-register in advance. To do that go to www.lakemirrorclassi

c.com where you can easily register on-line.

Don't miss our Mustang Mini-Meet. Last year we had about 60 beautiful Mustangs and gave out awards to the top cars. Some of you can also assist us at the event with parking briefly and possibly judging cars if needed.

Mark

Mason Dixon's Best of the Best Car Show – Nov 1, Bright House Networks Field

This is an open car show with 400 cars attending last year and a Mustang Mini-Meet. **It's really** one of the nicest local shows and usually draws some very high quality cars.

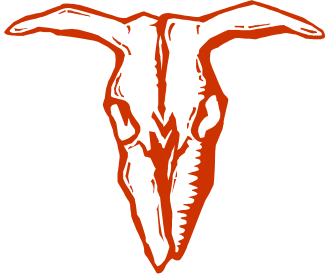
MCT members, here's our chance to make this show bigger and better, and help some people in the Tampa Bay area have a Christmas that they might not otherwise have. If you ever listen to Mason Dixon in the mornings the last couple of weeks before Christmas they go through some of the stories of those who are having a

tough time. We don't realize how difficult it must be for a parent to tell their kids there will be no Christmas. Last year the show raised \$15,000 and we would like to hit \$20,000 this year.

Last year we were asked to get involved to run the show. While time was short I think we still had a positive impact. We improved the smoothness of parking and registration and we helped significantly raise revenue by several thousand dollars. I need some help with registration, parking

and selection of winning cars, (as usual). I would really like someone to take charge of the registration process and oversee that operation on the day of show. If you can do that I will assist closely in preparation. The station has set up on-line discounted registration this year so this process should be easier than last year.

Spread the word about this show to your **friends. I'm also inviting** all car clubs to use this venue to hold a mini-meet or simply a club gathering for the day.
Mark



Club membership is now 102

FREE CLUB VENDOR SPOT AT OUR MOSI SHOW

For several years the club has been providing a FREE vending spot for our members. Years ago we realized that many of our members **don't have** enough parts to fill an entire vendor spot at our show, so we decided to offer a spot for the collective parts of our members.

The idea is to look through your Stuff to see if you have anything you would like to sell. They do not have to be Mustang parts, but they do have to be car related (like Tools, Model cars, Old Car Magazines, etc.).

Figure out your asking price, and the lowest price you would take for each item. Mark your asking price on the item, and give us a list of the bottom price you would take for each item. Bring the parts to the show, and let us sell them for you.

Did I say that all of this is FREE to members? You **don't have to pay for the spot, you don't** have to sit at the spot all day, and you **don't have to work** the deal to sell them. You just collect the money at the end of the day. We usually have a good turn out

of vendors, and **we're hoping for** even more this year.

Mark Lasota

Club meetings at Bill Currie Ford the fourth Tuesday of every month. Located in the conference room on the 2nd floor of the showroom

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Some Things We Learned While Restoring a 1979 Mustang Pace Car....Part 2

By Bob and Jonathon Powell

This is a rather interesting compilation of information assembled by past MCT president Bob Powell and his son Jonathon who served as our club secretary. Bob moved about 4 years ago back to Alabama and resides outside of Birmingham. Several of us were in Birmingham for a show a few years ago and Bob had us over for breakfast to see his place and his garage. Bob is an excellent restorer and struggles for space in his crowded garage. LOL. The article is simply notes on the restoration of their 79 Pace Car, which incidentally got started several years ago with another Pace Car acquisition at auction held at our annual show at MOSI.

Mark

Editors Note: This article will be done in 3 parts over the coming months.

A 1979 Mustang Pace Car has more decals than any other Mustang. Generally they are not difficult to install except for the decal across the rear of the roof. The roof decal is one of the larger decals and we got a wrinkle in it so we left the orange portion on and took off the black portion. I assumed that I could get a single replacement decal from the supplier. I will not mention the supplier (not parts supplier who sells a full kit but the actual producer) but if you need any decals, use Graphic Express; they provided a single decal replacement at a very reasonable price.



When installing decals on a pace car or probably any car, it is a two person **job with two smoothing paddles. It's easier to install the side decals on a lift rack at eye level.** Be patient, measure and re-measure. To help line up the decals correctly, put a mark with a removable marker at key measurement points. Use a correct mix of liquid soap and water per the instructions.

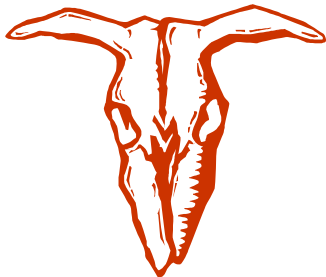
Stripes on the side molding are ingrained paint from factory. 3M Scotchcal striping tape 1/8 in x 40 ft bright orange is an exact replacement size and matches the orange on the decal. It takes about 70 feet if you do it perfect the first time. Cost is about \$6.00 per roll so I got 4 rolls but only used two

The door glass installation is also a two person job. At first, you think the glass will not go in the opening but it does. The opening on the door has to be pushed opened about 3/8 inch for the bottom of the glass to go in.



We decided to stay with the odd-size metric wheels and tires which came on the Pace Car to keep a total original look so we had the wheels restored by Wheel Wizard in Atlanta and were very pleased considering how bad they had deteriorated. Coker tire in Chattanooga has the rights to reproduce the Michelin tires in the U.S. but they are expensive.

Just a warning – a lot of vendors advertise certain parts fit 79-93 Mustangs but we found there seems to be a lot unique about 1979 Mustangs and other years advertised do not fit so check carefully.



Newsletter ads and articles
welcome

The dash on these Fox body Mustangs is super fragile, if you can get it out without cracking it, reinforce all the critical support areas and mounting points with epoxy; you will be glad you did.

SMS Auto Fabrics in Oregon is the only company that reproduces the interior seat material and it is excellent in quality.

The Recaro seats and headrests on the 79 Pace Car are unique. The headrests have a netting material that will probably be torn or missing. The headrests seem to be made with the net material installed around a support bar then the plastic is molded around it. Our interior shop would not attempt to repair them so Jonathon separated the plastic at the bottom with a utility knife, purchased fish net material that was a perfect match in shape and size from Bass Pro Shop, reinstalled from the bottom of the plastic, and then glued the seam he cut at the bottom. A very innovative solution.

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email updated with
Chris Meyer

These Fox body Mustangs are weak in the floor pan at the rear of the front seat. Even if there is not a crack or sign of damage, reinforce the floor around this area either with a 1/8 inch plate you can make or purchase. I purchased the plates and trimmed them to fit.

There are a lot of approaches to re-wiring. If you feel lucky, you can just re-install the old wiring and hope everything works. At a minimum, check all wiring for damage and clean the connections. We unwrapped all the wiring, checked each wire for damage, made necessary repairs, wiped and cleaned all wires and connections and re-wrapped all wire bundles which took about a week. Then we laid out all the wire generally how it goes in the car and re-installed from rear forward. We had problems with the taillights/brakelights/turn signals with bad sockets and getting everything to work on the dash (which we are still working on).

We were fortunate to have a complete, running second pace car to refer to. This was invaluable especially because we had not done a restoration on a Fox body Mustang before and it was 1-1/2 years between when we disassembled the car and did the reassembly. We found there are differences in the Pace Cars depending on where they were made.

Our 2-1/2 inch exhaust pipes really look good and helps the engine breath.

Something that I like to do is take the car to a muffler shop right after the motor and headers are installed and have them make the exhaust system before the engine is started. Yes, you need a trailer but, it is worth it in my opinion.

I don't like to start a new motor with open headers because you cannot hear unusual engine noises. I don't want to make a temporary makeshift exhaust if I am going to have a system fabricated anyway. Of course if you are buying a preformed exhaust kit, you can make that installation yourself but I do recommend installing it before starting the engine.

To Be Continued Next Month-Thanks Bob and Jonathan

Hello,

We just wanted to let you all know that we are having another show October 17, 2009 in Old Palm Harbor; this one will benefit The Jessica K. Dover Foundation for the "Natural treatment of Autism".

We are also very pleased to announce that www.palmharborcarshow.com , has a brand new look that will help us communicate our new events, shows in the area and offer a place for you all to communicate with other car enthusiasts in our new forums area.

Please log in and take a look, if there are any new shows that you wish for us to post please send us an e-mail and we will update the site. We want this site to be a great place to communicate with others and get all the car show information so that we can all stay connected.

Thank you for your support of our past event and I am looking forward to seeing all of you at the next event. Remember space is limited so print those registration forms and get them in.

Suzann Painter

Palm Harbor Car Show

Old Palm Harbor Car Show
Proceeds Benefiting
The Jessica K. Dover Foundation
"Treating Autism Naturally"
Saturday Oct. 17th, 2009 10 AM - 5 PM

Name _____ Phone _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Make _____ Model _____ Year _____ Color _____
Club _____ E-mail _____



Live Entertainment all day!!!
50/50 Drawing
Great Vendors
Special Appearances by Team E Indy light Racing Team

Help us
"Make a bold move to give everyone a Lifetime!"

\$20 Pre-Registration (Must be Received by Oct. 15th)
\$25 Registration (Day of the Show)

Make check payable to:
Palm Harbor Car Show
P.O. Box 304
Palm Harbor, FL 34682

For more information contact:

Suzann Painter
727-458-9452

Or visit:

WWW.PalmHarborCarShow.com



LIABILITY: In consideration of the acceptance of the right to participate; entrants, participants and spectators; by execution of this form release and discharge Palm Harbor Car Show and any show sponsor or affiliate and of and from any and all known or unknown damages, injuries, judgments, and/or claims from any cause whatsoever that may be suffered by any entrant to his or her property. Participants are liable for all guests registered under their name.

Signature of Entrant (and Guardian if under 18) _____
Signature required



Present the 28th Annual

Mustang, Shelby & Ford Roundup

Saturday, October 24, 2009

at the Museum of Science & Industry (MOSI) - 4801 East Fowler in Tampa

All Mustangs, Shelbys & Ford-powered Cars & Trucks welcome!

Two free tickets to MOSI provided to each show registrant. (Free tickets do not include IMAX Dome Theatre.)

First 100 to pre-register get 28th Anniversary Show T-shirt!!

Only pre-registered cars will be judged!!

Day-of-Show entries will enjoy a Top 20 popular vote selection!

Show Hours: 8:00 am - 4:00 pm; Registration 8:00 am - 10:00 am; Awards at 3:30 pm.

No charge to simply come and view the cars!!

Car PRE-REGISTRATION: \$25.00 per car (must be received by October 17, 2009). **Day of Show:** \$25.00 per car. **Vendors:** \$25.00 per 10'x20' space. All displays & parts must be neat and arranged in a neat and orderly manner; tables required for small parts. **Car CORRAL:** \$15.00 per vehicle to display cars for sale.

Payable to: **MUSTANG CLUB of TAMPA** and mail to: Kevin Riley, 10106 Sadler Way, Tampa, FL 33626

JUDGING & CLASSES: Simplified MCA judging format will be used. See rear of form for judging guidelines and car classes. Classes may be adjusted based on number of registrations.

For additional Show information: call Chris Meyer 813-961-3223, Mark Morley 813-891-1304 or Frank Cossota 813-376-8979, or email: info@mustangcluboftampa.com. Or visit us on the internet at www.mustangcluboftampa.com. A portion of show proceeds will be donated to MOSI's Kids in Charge educational programs.

MCT Roundup Registration Form

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ ST _____ Zip _____

Car: Year _____ Make/Model _____ Body Style _____ Color _____

Club Affiliation _____ Pre-registration \$25 or Day-of-Show \$25 _____

Car Classification: _____ See rear of form for judging guidelines and car classes.

Vendors: _____ 10'x20' Spaces @ \$25 = \$ _____ Car Corral: _____ Vehicles @ \$15 = \$ _____

Additional tickets to MOSI: _____ tickets @ \$ 5.00 each = \$ _____ Total enclosed: \$ _____

I ACCEPT AND ASSUME FULL LIABILITY FOR ANY INJURY OR LOSS TO ME OR MY PROPERTY, AGENTS OR EMPLOYEES AT ANY TIME, FROM ANY CAUSE IN CONNECTION WITH THIS EVENT. I EXPRESSLY RELEASE THE MUSTANG CLUB of TAMPA, INC., BILL CURRIE FORD and MUSEUM OF SCIENCE & INDUSTRY FROM ANY LIABILITY FOR SUCH LOSS OR INJURY AND AGREE TO PROVIDE AND PAY FOR MY OWN INSURANCE.

Signature _____ Date _____

Email (for confirmation): _____

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VILAGE**

Presents:

MASON DIXON'S
CHRISTMAS WISH FUND, INC.



Hosted by:

MUSTANG
Club of Tampa



MASON DIXON

Best of the Best Car Show

Sunday, November 1, 2009



Bright House Networks Field
in Clearwater, US 19 & Drew St *

Open To All Vehicles

REGISTRATION 9 AM TO NOON
CARS \$20 PREREGISTER BEFORE 10/27/09,
CARS \$25 AT SHOW, VENDORS \$25

Free Admission
to Spectators!

Car Clubs
Welcome

Various Specialty Awards

Mason Dixon's Choice....City of Clearwater
Orphan Trophy....Best Graphics....Best Engine Best
Paint....and more!

Plus! \$250.00 Cash - Top Five Overall Cars

Special thanks to....



Mini Meet for
All Mustangs

Sponsored by:

The City of Clearwater & The Clearwater Threshers

* Show Vehicles Enter From Drew Street, West of US 19

Use the Easy Online Registration at:

www.masondixonchristmaswishfund.com

For More Info Call Mark (813) 417-2483 or Kevin (727) 430-9545

Judged Classes

Daily Delivery - Mustang

- (1", 2", & 3" in each)
- 1964 1/2 - 1968 1994 - 1998
- 1967 - 1968 1999 - 2004
- 1969 - 1973 2001 - 2008
- 1974 - 1993

Modified Mustangs

- (1", 2", & 3" in each)
- 1994 1/2 - 1978
- 1979 - 2008

Occasional Drivers - Mustang

- (1", 2", & 3" in each)
- 1964 1/2 - 1968 1974 - 1993
- 1967 - 1968 1994 - 2004
- 1969 - 1973 2001 - 2008

Concours Trailered or Driven: 1", 2", & 3"

- 1964 1/2 - 2005

Pro Street or Street Rod, 1st Only

Ford Powered and Ford Body

Special Interest: 1", 2", & 3"

- 1/ Stock, Ford Product with a Ford Engine
- 1/ Modified, Ford Product with a Ford Engine

Thunderbirds - All Years: 1", 2", & 3"

Popular Vote: 1", 2", & 3"

- 2009 - 2010 Ford Product

Special Awards (All vehicles automatically entered)

- Sarasota Ford St. Armands Mayor of Sarasota
- Mustang Times, Editor/Chair
- Mustang Monthly, Editors/Chair
- National Parts Depot
- Jerry Overholt Memorial Award

Our Sponsors:

- Sarasota Ford
- Todd Johnston Homes
- DG Hardware
- DaRuma Japanese Steak House
- Columbia Restaurant
- National Parts Depot
- Just Gents
- Town & Country Limousine
- Andrick: The Bulk Mail Company

You should know:

- Due to a limited show field we only have space for 150 pre-registered cars.
- Check-in is 8-10 A.M., judging starts at 11 A.M., Awards at 3:00
- Grand Raffle tickets are on sale in advance and day of show for \$10 each
- Day of show 50/50 drawing.
- No Vendors
- There are many eating establishments on St Armands Circle for you dining needs
- Life Beach is about 5-10 minutes away on foot
- Water and shade will be available within the car show area
- Due to the unique setting, cars will not be able to leave the show until after the awards
- For comments and questions please contact: Duke Clancy at 941-927-7284 or call 941-356-1136
- *The Pony Card* or *For Sale* signs are permitted (St Armands Circle rules)

Mustang Club of West Central Florida
Duke Clancy, Show Chairman
3391 Gulf Watch Court
Sarasota, Florida 34231
941-927-7284 or call 941-356-1136
www.mccwcf.org

NOVEMBER 22, 2009



Proudly Supporting:

- TideWell Hospice and Palliative Care
- and
- Southeastern Guide Dogs



**Super Sunday
November 22nd, 2009**

Dear Mustang, Shelby and Ford Friends,
It is with great pleasure we pleasure we once again present our annual Super Sunday Mustang, Shelby and Ford Car Show to Nov. 22, 2009 on beautiful St. Armands Circle in Sarasota. With this venue comes the best in comfort, beauty and fun that Sarasota's St. Armands Circle has to offer, including the beautiful and spacious Lido Beach within walking distance, a multitude of specialty shops and wonderful dining establishments. Another plus is that the show field is the center of attention in the middle of the circle with plenty of shade and 1000's of spectators. You will definitely have plenty to do in this beautiful setting.

The show will be conducted on the inner circle of the shopping district. Check-in will occur as you approach the circle and parking attendants will guide you on to the shaded show field. We are limited to 150 cars.

Directions

From I-75, take Sarasota Exit 210, then travel west on SR 780 (Fruitville Road) to US 41. Turn left onto US41 and keep right. Turn right at the first traffic light and travel over the Ringling Causeway Bridge to St. Armands Circle.



WOW WHAT A RAFFLE!

This year we are offering another outstanding Grand Raffle prize to some lucky winner. It's a package deal that includes gift cards for two nights at the Ritz Carlton, lunch at the Columbia, dinner at DaRuma, spa services at Just Gents, plus a special gift for the ladies. Also included is Town & Country Limousine Service, round trip, from the Ritz Carlton to DaRuma for a special dining experience. Tickets are available in advance at \$10 each. You do not have to be present to win.

Additional raffle items plus a 50/50 drawing will be held on the day of show that you will need to be present to win.

ABOUT OUR CHARITIES:

TideWell Hospice and Palliative Care

Serving more than 1,200 patients a day in Sarasota, Manatee, Charlotte and DeSoto counties, TideWell is one of the largest programs of its kind in the U.S. Home-based palliative care is the basic premise of the program, involving the support of physicians, registered nurses, social service counselors, home health aides and volunteers, all following a prescribed plan of care. TideWell's services are available to everyone, regardless of ability to pay.

Southeastern Guide Dogs

Southeastern Guide Dogs' mission is to create and nurture a partnership between a visually impaired individual and a guide dog, facilitating life's journey with mobility, independence and dignity.

Established in 1982, Southeastern Guide Dogs currently has more than 800 active guide dog teams across the country and continues to create more than 70 new guide dog teams annually.

They provide all of their services - including Paws for Independence, Paws for Patriots, and Gifted Canines - free of charge.

Registration Form

Sign up for:	Price
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Registered, Judged (Postmarked By 11/16/09)	\$20.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Advance Sale Raffle Tickets	\$10.00/ea
	TOTAL

Name, please print _____
Address _____
City, State, & Zip _____
Phone _____

Make/Model _____ Color _____
Body Style _____ Year _____

- Concours Trailered or Driven 1964 1/2 - 2003
- Occasional Driven 1964 1/2 - 2008
- Daily Driver 64 1/2 - 2008
- Modified 64 1/2 - 2008
- Popular Vote 2009-2010
- Pro Street or Street Rod (Ford Powered and Ford Body)
- Special Interest Stock (Ford Product with Ford engine)
- Special Interest Modified (Ford Product with Ford engine)
- Thunderbirds, All Years

I agree to abide by all rules of the show and that I am responsible for my car and merchandise. I agree to release from all liability the Mustang Club of West Central Florida and all participating companies.

Signature _____
Wine presented to each pre-registered car please select
 non-alcohol alcohol (ID required)

Mail to:
Mustang Club of West Central Florida
Duke Clancy, Show Chairman
3391 Gulf Watch Court
Sarasota, Florida 34231
941-927-7284, or call 941-356-1136

16th Annual Ford Mustang Roundup

January 9-10 2010 at
SILVER SPRINGS
Nature's Theme Park

NPD[®]
NATIONAL PARTS DEPOT

Mustangs
of
Fords

Mustang
Specialty

First 1,000 cars to preregister get 2 FREE passes to Silver Springs!



Set your sights on the year's largest gathering of Mustang, Shelby and Ford enthusiasts on the east coast.

The 2nd weekend of 2010, come join us at Florida's Nature Theme Park - Silver Springs, home of the world-famous Glass-Bottom Boats. Bring the entire family and you'll experience not only a top-notch automotive event, but exciting attractions like the Lost River Voyage, Fort King River Cruise, Endangered Species Carousel, Lighthouse Ride, Ross Allen Island, World of Bears and Panther Prowl.

See free-roaming native & exotic animals! The one car show of 2010 the kids may enjoy more than you!

You'll have even more fun at Big Gator Lagoon, the Wings of Springs Bird Shows and kids will go crazy over the Kritter Korral Petting Zoo!

The largest east coast Mustang & Ford event of 2010!

No judges, no tech, no "leave your top and windows up!" Just a relaxing weekend in a natural setting to visit with fellow hobbyists and friends. Silver Springs is more than a show... it's a tradition. Mustang Monthly and Modified Mustang & Fords will be covering the event for their April 2010 issues. If you're on hand Friday A.M. we hope you'll join the Mustang Monthly Pony Trails cruise! NPD[®] will be on hand with its latest hot products, and seminars will be conducted by Mike Eaton from Eaton Detroit Spring and Ray Gorman from Stainless Steel Brake Company. (Scheduled to appear)

Be sure to get there early as parking space is limited in park. Overflow parking available.

THIS SHOW IS TOTALLY FREE to the first 1,000

to preregister cars by January 1, 2010!

FREE show package includes:

- Vehicle show registration!
- Passes for 2 for the weekend to Silver Springs!

****You must enter a Ford in the show to receive the free show package****

This is a just for fun event! Judging is people's choice. Ballots due by 5:00pm Saturday and awards presented at 3:00pm Sunday; you must be present at award ceremony to receive your award. Please join us for both days, cars will be allowed to leave immediately following awards presentation. All Show entrants may purchase additional park entry tickets for only \$20/general admission, \$15/child (ages 3-10). Entrants postmarked after 01/01/10, day of show, or beyond the 1,000-car threshold may purchase the show package for \$21.00 per car.

PLEASE NOTE: If you're planning to attend the event, but will not be showing a car, you'll be subject to the standard park entrance fee of \$34.99/general, \$24.99/children (ages 3-10). For more information call: Derek Putnam ☎ 352-861-8701 (ext. 4207). You may also email information requests to: dputnam@NPDlink.com. **Need a hotel?** Visit our web site for more information at www.nationalpartsdepot.com

Except bottled water, NO outside drinks, food or coolers allowed in park! NO PETS ALLOWED.

Show Dates & Times
Main Show Event:

Saturday-Sunday, January 9-10, 2010

• **FREE show registration deadline Jan. 1, 2010**

- **Day of Show registration: 7am-10am, NO LATE ARRIVALS!**
- **Silver Springs park hrs: 10am to 5pm. NO EARLY DEPARTURES**
- **No overnight RV camping in Silver Springs parking lot.**

Official Roundup Registration Form

FREE Preregistration entries must be received at NPD[®] no later than January 1, 2010!

Please mail all entries to: **Judging Classes**

National Parts Depot c/o Silver Springs 2010
900 S.W. 38th Ave - Ocala, FL 34474

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Daytime Ph #: (_____) _____

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|---------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mustang | <input type="checkbox"/> 48-79 Truck |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cougar | <input type="checkbox"/> 80-present Truck |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Maverick | <input type="checkbox"/> Cobra Replica |
| <input type="checkbox"/> & Comet | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-1948 Ford |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pantera | <input type="checkbox"/> Post-1948 Ford |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Shelby | <input type="checkbox"/> Street Rod |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Saleen | <input type="checkbox"/> 55-57 T-Bird |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Roush | <input type="checkbox"/> 58-Newer T-Bird |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Falcon/Comet | <input type="checkbox"/> Exotic* (Real Colors, 2000, Paper also) |

Vehicle Info: Year: _____ Model: _____ Color: _____

Additional Ticket Reservations:

(Tickets for 2 already included w/ registration)

Park entry tickets

\$20.00/ General admission # _____

\$15.00/ children (ages 3-10) # _____

Do not send payment! Additional tickets will be paid for at registration the day of show. Reserve your tickets here by noting number needed above.

Signature required: _____

By signing, I agree to abide by show rules & understand I am solely responsible for my vehicle & merchandise. I agree to release Silver Springs, Palace Entertainment, Inc., all sponsors and event organizers from liability for personal injury or loss or damage to property.



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If My Body Was a Car

If my body was a car, this is the time I would be thinking of trading it in for a newer model. I've got bumps and dents and scratches in my finish and my paint is getting a little dull....

But that's not the worst of it.

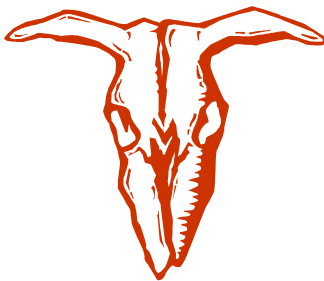
My headlights are out of focus and it's especially hard to see things up close.

My traction is not as graceful as it once was. I slip and slide and skid and bump into things even in the best weather.

My whitewalls are stained with varicose veins. It takes me hours to reach my maximum speed. My fuel rate burns inefficiently.

But here's the worst of it....

Almost every time I sneeze, cough or laugh...either my radiator leaks or my exhaust backfires



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One pair of door speakers. They will fit 1965 through 1968 Mustangs. New in box's \$20 save \$8.

One pair of door panel speaker grills. They will fit 1965 & 1966 Mustangs. New \$25 save \$10.

For more info contact:
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hgbarker@gtefcu.net

1987 Mustang convertibl For Sale. 4 cylinder, automatic, new convertible top. Good project car. Car runs. Make Offer

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