

The Pony Connection

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from MCO!



The Board of Directors and Officers of The Mustang Club of Ohio wish everyone the happiness of the Christmas Season and best wishes for a healthy and prosperous New Year! Best wishes from Pat and Betsy Todoran, President, Seamus Nicholson and Bonnie Martin, First Vice President, John and Lisa Evans, Second Vice President, Marilyn Black, Secretary, Steve and Maryann Vagnier, Treasurer, Sabrina Hall, Membership Director, Dan and Becky Trapp, Immediate Past President, Ron and Vickie Gallagher, MCA Regional Representative, Doug and Linda Yoder, Web Master.

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NEW MEMBERS WELCOMED!



The Mustang Club of Ohio is happy to welcome new members, Charlie Fulton from Marion, Ohio and James Sanders from Columbus! These new members turned in their applications to Membership Director, Sabrina Hall at the November Monthly Meeting. Welcome

gentlemen. If you know someone who would like to join in the fun, you'll find an application on the MCO web page or contact Sabrina Hall. (See the Officer's information on page 4 of this Newsletter. Thanks for joining in the fun!

PRESIDENTS CORNER:

Wow, can you believe that the holidays are just around the corner. We had a nice turnout for the last meeting of the year. It was our annual pizza party; if you weren't there you missed great pizza and homemade cookies baked by Lucien Fracasso.

At the meeting, The Club was awarded the President's Award from the Mustang Club of America for 2010. Jim and Rose Rouse were given the Mustanger of the Quarter Award and past president, Dan Trapp was presented an award from the Governor of Ohio for 6 years of outstanding service to MCO and the community. The members discussed the upcoming MCO/MCA show in 2014. We as a club are going to

move forward with this project even though the Mustang Club of America hasn't made a decision on whether there will be a Grand National Show in 2014. (All MCA shows in 2014 will be special because it will be the 50th anniversary of the Mustang. Al Hammond, John Evans and Chris Kennedy are working on the show so let's all show support for making 2014 a special year.

We have the rest of the year planned with the UFO Swap meet on Saturday and Sunday November 26th. and 27th and the annual Gladden House volunteering on December 14th. See you at those events.

HAPPY Holidays

- Pat Todoran, President, MCO

GLADDEN HOUSE CHRISTMAS FOOD BASKETS EVENT

Wednesday, December 14, 2011 is the date for this years event in cooperation with Diamond Innovations, Mt Carmel Hospital and O'Brien Associates. Last year the combined efforts of all groups were able to fill over 300 food baskets.

Volunteers are asked to assemble at the Gladden Community Center by 9 a.m. Those with strong backs are asked to be there at 8 a.m. to help unload the food trucks. The Gladden House is located at 183 Hawkes Ave., on Columbus' west side. The food baskets will be distributed to under privileged households in the Franklinton area so that they can have a happy holiday.

Did I mention, there is usually free pizza for lunch. Please join in this important community event. Contact President Pat Todoran or V.P. John Evans to volunteer.

- - Seamus Nicholson

**Mustang Club of America
Announces Special Pricing
Plan!**

Ready to buy a new Mustang? A new Ford of any type? Now through a special partnership MCA members can receive X-Plan pricing on up to two new Ford vehicles each year. Sign



on to the Mustang Club of America for full details and to receive your special pin number. Our Spon-

sor, Krieger Ford is a participating dealership in this program. Who knows, you could be showing off your new 2012 Mustang in the St. Patrick's Day Parade!

- - Seamus Nicholson

UNITED FORD OWNERS ALL FORD FALL SUPER SWAP IS IN YOUR FUTURE

Thanksgiving weekend will be the 25th Annual Fall Swap Meet on November 26th and 27th. This is the largest indoor Ford Swap Meet in the nation. The Meet takes over 4 buildings at the Ohio Expo Center Including the Car Coral.

There are acres and acres of new, used and after market products. All are for Ford powered vehicles and include Ford, Mercury, Lincoln, truck and lots of Mustang parts. You'll find 5.0, 4.6 high performance, classic, restoration, literature, NOS, trim, vintage, collectible, die-cast and

more.

This is also the largest fund raising event for MCO. Traditionally, MCO members work in the Voinovich Building working admissions and entrance security. Because of the success of the show there is an increased need for workers. MCO divides their activity into four hour shifts that go by very quickly. The Club also needs personnel for the MCO booth in the Voinovich Building.

Please volunteer to help your Club. Contact Pat Todoran with your availabilities.



FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER

Membership Director, Sabrina Hall, reports that Ron Whalen has been released and returned home. He still has a long way to go in his recovery and will be undergoing extensive physical therapy. Ron was hoping to attend the November meeting. His new goal is to help work at the UFO Super Swap Meet. We're rooting for you, Ron!

NOW YOU CAN BUILD A NEW '64 1/2, '65 OR '66 CONVERTIBLE!

It is now possible to build a 64 1/2, '65 or '66 Mustang convertible from the wheels up using the all new Ford approved and officially licensed body shell.

The body shell for the original Mustang convertible, now in production and available is a Ford licensed reproduction part. It gives the purist the opportunity to put their rag-top back on the road and the hot-rodder, a whole new fun experience.

The new body shell is made of virgin metal and uses modern welding techniques. It is a higher grade steel than the original Mustangs. Pricing starts at \$15,000 for the shell. What it ends up costing depends on what you dream up to put in it.

Just more proof that America's love affair with the Mustang is still going strong after 50 years. Thank you Mr. Ford and Mr. Iococca.





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PO BOX 1959
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NEXT REGULAR MEETING
January 11, 2012
7:00 PM

Come Out and Support Your Club

Where Every Mustang Is A Classic

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Directions To The Meeting Location

Krieger Ford Dealership
1800 Morse Road
Columbus, OH 43229

From the North: Take I-71 South to the Morse Road exit. Take Morse Rd eastbound, approximately 2 miles. Krieger Ford is on the left.

From the South: Take I-71 North to the Morse Road exit. Turn right onto Morse Rd, eastbound approximately 2 miles. Krieger Please park behind and to the West of the of the Used Car Building.

MCO meeting is in the Used Car building on on the second floor.

Newsletter Articles

Do you have an article for the Newsletter?
How about pictures?

Please forward all information to your

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IN MY OPINION:

Editorial removed per instructions of Club President.

From my extended family in Alaska to Virginia, Happy Hanukkah! Merry Christmas! Happy New Year!

- Seamus Nicholson, Editor

Calendar**December 2011**

There is NO Monthly Meeting in December!

December 20, 2011 -

Happy Hanukkah!

December 25, 2011 -

Merry Christmas!

January 1, 2012 -

Happy New Year

January 11, 2012 -

MCO Monthly Meeting - Krieger Ford Used Car Conference Room - 7 p. m.

February 8, 2012 -

MCO Monthly Meeting - Krieger Ford Used Car Conference Room - 2nd floor - 7 p.m.

March 14, 2012 -

MCO Monthly Meeting - Krieger Ford Used Car Conference Room - 2nd floor - 7 p.m.

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