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ROANOKE VALLEY MUSTANG CLUB NEWSLETTER

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October 13-14, Knoxville, TN

SVT Cobra Mustang Club hosts a show at Ted Russell Ford. Show hours 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. with check-in running 8:00 a.m. to noon. Registration fee is \$25.00 day of show or on \$20.00 before October 1. On Sunday, there will be cruise through the Great Smoky Mountains. For more information, contact Steve Lorah at (865)216-3176 or email brightsnake@comcast.net, or Jason Lorah at (865)216-3843 or email jason.lorah@uscellular.com, or see www.svtcobraclub.com.

October 12- November 3

Great American Pony Drive Fall Foliage tour, a 3 week tour through the northeast and mid-Atlantic states. See www.pon-drive.us for schedules and updates.

October 21, Mooresville, NC

Sons of Italy present their 1st Annual Car Show and Shine, located on Church Street in Downtown Mooresville. Open to all vehicles; year classes for muscle cars. Ferrari Club will be on display. Free T-shirt with \$20 entry; Italian food vendors. Registration 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.; awards 3:00 p.m. For more information, contact Frank DeFeo at (704) 241-6561 or 3fd@adelphia.net.

October 27, Savannah, GA

Savannah Mustang Club presents their 18th annual Shelby, Mustang, and Classic Ford show at the Armstrong Atlantic State University Campus (GA Hwy 64, 7.5 miles north of I-95). Registration \$27 in advance, \$32 day of show, \$7 discount for MCA or SAAC members. All registrations include two passes to the Saturday evening "low country shrimp boil". Drawing for 1996 Mustang GT convertible to benefit Ronald McDonald House and many other items for auction. For more information, see www.savannahmustangclub.com or contact Mark Davis at (912) 352-3666 or Mark68gtcs@aol.com.

March 28-30, 2008, Pensacola, FL

MCA presents first national show of the season, www.mustang.org.

June 20-22, 2008, Columbus, OH

MCA presents a national show, www.mustang.org

August 1-3, 2008, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

MCA presents its first national show in Canada, www.mustang.org

October 24-26, 2008, Phoenix, AZ

MCA presents a national show, www.mustang.org.

RVMC Annual Holiday Dinner

Home Place Restaurant -

Sunday, December 16th at 3:00 p.m.

We will do our annual gift exchange. If you wish to participate, bring 1 gift per person, such as a couple would bring 2 gifts (\$10 limit per gift). This will also serve as our December meeting. For more information contact Butch Cook at Myred64stang@aol.com or 540-387-1979.



RMVC Outing at the Buchanan Theatre Saturday, September 29th

If you weren't there, than YOU WERE SQUARE, everyone present had a great time! We had 18 cars that joined us in the cruise up to Buchanan. Members from Hill City Cruisers and Star City Cruisers joined in on the fun.

Susan Davis, Board Chairman of the Theatre, told us how the museum was originally an 'Open Air' theatre in the early 1900's.

It was turned into an indoor theatre in 1919. The flood in 1985 completely drowned the theatre and put it out of business along with many others businesses in Buchanan. The locals loved their theatre so much that they formed a group to renovate their town jewel and bring it back to life. It re-opened in November 2002 with up to date video and sound equipment. While renovating, they found that when the doors closed on the theatre, nothing had been removed or cleaned up. Still in place was a movie on the film reel that had been showing just nights before. This original film and reel are located in the control room, close to where they were once the heart of the theatre. The 50's era popcorn machine was even renovated and is now being used. They tried to use and keep as much of the former theatre as possible during the renovation.

The Buchanan Theatre now shows movies each weekend. The cost is only \$4 or adults and \$2 for children. Concessions are only \$1.00 each! You can't find that in any other theatre. Our cruise-in was used as a promotion for their theatre. Many of the town's locals came out to see our rides and join in on the theatre

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RVMC MEETING UPDATES

Our next meeting will be on Tuesday, October 16, at 7:00 p.m. at Corned Beef & Company Downtown Roanoke. Arrive at 6:30 if you would like to order food.

experience of a beloved old movie flick. Our cruise-in was advertised on the Buchanan Theatre's website (www.buchanantheatre.com) and in the Fincastle Herald's newspaper.

Our event created a lot of business for the towns' restaurants that evening. Different members of our group sought out a tasty pre-movie meal at every one of the Buchanan Restaurants. (That didn't stop us from buying movie junk food too though!) The movie shown was the late actor Steve McQueen's Bullitt.

Many of us had never seen it on the silver screen before. What a difference it makes from watching it on a television. Bullitt was an Oscar award winning film in 1969. Because of our promotional event, our admission to the movie was free! The Buchanan Theatre offers a membership to support their future, for \$12. per person. Check out their website at www.buchanantheatre.com for more information on upcoming movies and events.

Don't forget to sign their guestbook and let them know how much you enjoyed our evening out! Here are some photos from the evening event!



Pictured above: Susan Davis, Board Chair of Buchanan Theatre, and husband Steve Davis of Grand Home Furnishings.



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See you on
the 16th at Corned Beer & Co.!

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