



# PONY TIMES

*The Hoof Prints in the Sand National Mustang Show*  
The Mustang Club of America's National Car Show  
Held August 13,- 14, 2010 at Pembroke Mall, Virginia Beach, VA.

**Hoof Prints in the Sand**  
**National MCA Event**  
**August 13 ~ 15**  
**2010**  
**Virginia Beach**

The Southeastern Virginia Mustang Club hosted the Mustang Club of America's National Car Show "Hoof Prints In The Sand" held August 13-15, 2010 at Pembroke Mall in Virginia Beach. 350-500 participants were expected from across the country. All proceeds collected went to benefit Children's Miracle Network, Stand Up For Kids and Virginia Beach Police Foundation.



Just got home from the Mustang Club of America National Show, Hoof Prints in the Sand 2, held in Virginia Beach. I have to say that it was an awesome weekend. The Mustangs were plentiful and the

weather could not have been better; although very hot, the three days provided a great backdrop for the show. There were well over 300 Mustangs along with a dozen or so special interest cars.

**REMINDER! Next RVMC Meeting is September 20th**  
**See page 2 for further meeting information.**



**CARS OF INTEREST**



Photos courtesy of autoMedia.com

This year has to be one of the most exciting ever to be a Ford Mustang fan. Why? The legendary 5.0 has made its return, for starters. The base Mustang coupe pumps out over 300hp with insane fuel economy metrics. Now, we can focus our eyes upon one more fantastic Ford news bite: the 2012 Ford Mustang BOSS 302 is a reality! We'd hinted at the return of a BOSS when we saw the [BOSS 302R Mustang](#) variant released & figured Ford was doing some initial viral marketing to test the waters. So, here we are, looking down the barrel and we've got the 2012 BOSS Mustang in our sights. This is simply **awesome!**

Virtually every single vehicle system has been upgraded to legendary BOSS performance standards. The engine, brakes, suspension, interior, exterior—the whole package has been geared up with one thing in mind: track performance & domination. Not since 1968 have we seen Ford get this pumped up about a track terror and road machine, all wrapped into the same package. We've gotta say, it's been *well* worth the wait.

The preceding article was acquired from: <http://www.stangnet.com/> Aug 21, 2010

**CLUB NEWS AND INFO**

*Roanoke Valley Mustang Club* is a chartered, regional group of the Mustang Club of America.

If you would like to join the *Roanoke Valley Mustang Club*, please check out our *Memberships Page*.

The *Roanoke Valley Mustang Club* meets the third Monday of each month at Corned Beef & Co. Restaurant on Jefferson St. in downtown Roanoke.

Dinner begins at 6:30pm and the meeting begins at 7:00pm. Membership in the Mustang Club of America is suggested for all RVMC members.

**Officers:**

- Mike Beels - President
- Linda Gardner - VP
- Sherman Jones-Secretary
- Suzanne Beels - Treasurer & MCA regional Director
- Bob Leary - Membership Chairperson
- John Beels - SEMA Liason
- Doug Lenna - Editor

October 2, Roanoke, VA, 10-4 p.m.

**Dogtoberfest**

This is a fundraiser to support St. Francis of Assisi Service Dog Foundation. RVMC is an event sponsor of Dogtoberfest. Dogtoberfest is an annual fundraiser for St. Francis of Assisi Service Dog Foundation. We will have a booth at the event. We need volunteers who can bring out their car and work the booth. We can have up to 6 cars to show at the event.

Our booth will have club membership information and club apparel for sale. Free admission. Bring your dog!

To download a flyer go to <http://www.saintfrancisdogs.org/pdfs/2010-Dogtoberfest.pdf>

Let Suzanne Beels know at [fun1pony@hotmail.com](mailto:fun1pony@hotmail.com) if you are interested in helping at the event.

## This month's Article of Interest and Commentary



wrecked 2010 mustang gt

The article has been posted and commented on in the "MustangBlog", the source of the original article from July 2009 was retrieved from <http://www.autoevolution.com/news/teens-destroy-a-2010-mustang-in-crash-8766.html>.: article date and author: 14th of July 2009 | 12:05 GMT | **Alina Dumitrache, retrieved August, 23, 2010**

### Teens Destroy a 2010 Mustang in Crash

The Five Star Safety Rating was given to the 2010 Ford Mustang GT for various safety features found on the car and here is one example of how three 19-year-olds tested out the rating first hand. The story goes three 19-year-olds were given the keys to a 2010 Mustang GT to test drive. Sometime during the test drive the driver crashed the brand new Mustang GT with one of the occupants being ejected from the car. All three teens were not wearing their seat belts and somehow managed to survive

the crash with minor bumps and bruises. What's more amazing is how badly damaged the new Mustang GT is in the photos and all three teens walked away from the crash. Most of the damage to the Mustang is concentrated toward the front end of the car and the cab is still pretty much intact. This is definitely evidence the new Mustang and its Five Star Safety Rating are well deserved.

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## This month's Article of Interest Commentary -

Written by: **D. Lenna**

I came across this article while researching articles of interest for the August news letter. While this article talks about the safety aspects of the Mustang and more importantly the "Five Star" rating, it also stirred some unpleasant thoughts and memories as well. The picture reminded me of how, in an instant, this type of resulting scenario plays out all too often and does not usual end in the driver or occupants being as fortunate as the teens in this article.

Having the unfortunate experience of being in a horrific crash resulting in my vehicle looking very similar to this one due to a drunk driver, (the other vehicles driver) I am reminded of how

vulnerable we all are. I have a rising teen driver and am constantly remembering that no matter how good of a driver we "believe" we are, driving is an opportunity of risk. If not about yourself, think of those inexperienced teen drivers, as well as everyone else, be attentive and please don't drive impaired, and more importantly drunk.

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The preceding is a personal commentary and not meant to be represent the views of any other persons.

Doug Lenna 8/23/2010.

## UPCOMING NATIONAL EVENTS

September 3-5, 2010

### Mustangs at the Mansion 2010 Mustang National Event

#### **Asheville, North Carolina**

Hosted by Blue Ridge Mustang Club of Asheville at Biltmore Estate/ Asheville, NC. Event hours are TBD. Registration fee is TBD (pre-registration TBD). Host hotel: Doubletree Inn. Co-host hotels: Marriott Residence Inn, Sleep Inn, Quality Inn & Suites, Asheville Hilton. Hotel reservations accepted beginning 9/02/2009. Show participants MUST purchase tickets to Biltmore Estate. Special 3 day pass is \$30 per person (reg. price is \$50-\$55 per day)! No charge for spectators, but are limited to show site only! Registration form (available late 2009) will contain information on all fees. For more information, call Joe Grace at 828.667.9213; email [mustangsatthemansion2010@gmail.com](mailto:mustangsatthemansion2010@gmail.com); or visit <http://brmcoa.org>.

## UPCOMING REGIONAL EVENTS

September 5, 2010

### MCCPA Mustang Roundup

#### **Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania**

Hosted by Mustang Club of Central PA at Applachian Harley Davidson. Event hours are 9-3 with check-in running 9-12. Registration fee is 15.00 (pre-registration 12.00 before August 15, 2010). For more information, call Dale Warner at 717-582-3343 or email [cardale@ptd.net](mailto:cardale@ptd.net) or call Kevin Buecher at 717-433-1094 or email or visit the website at [http://http://www.pamustang.org/2010-7th\\_Annual\\_MCCPA\\_Flyer.pdf](http://http://www.pamustang.org/2010-7th_Annual_MCCPA_Flyer.pdf)

September 10-12, 2010

### September in the Park

#### **Carrollton, Kentucky**

The Groovy '70s hosted by Derby City Mustang Club at General Butler State Park. Event 8am - 5pm; check in 8am - noon. Registration \$3 5 (\$30 before August 1). Friday - Pony Trail at 9am; Welcome Bash 7pm. Saturday - car show noon - 5pm, Banquet 7pm. Sunday - Awards 10am. For more information, call Roger Goodin or Donna Goodin at 502.231.1348; email [gention9@bellsouth.net](mailto:gention9@bellsouth.net), email [dsgoodin9@bellsouth.net](mailto:dsgoodin9@bellsouth.net), or visit <http://derbycitymustangclub.com>

September 11, 2010

### 26th Annual Fall Spectacular

#### **Winchester, Virginia**

Hosted by Shenandoah Valley Mustang Club at Jim Barnett Park. Event hours are 12:00 - 3:00 with check-in running 9AM - 12pm. Registration fee is \$15.00 (pre-registration \$15.00 before September 9, 2010). The show is open to all makes and models of cars and trucks. Dash plaques to first 100 registered. Top 40 awards, also Best of show car and Best of show truck. Judging by popular vote and best of shows picked by club officers. Rain date of show is Sunday Sept. 12th 2010 For more information, call Tommy at 540-662-0584 or email [mustangtommy64@comcast.net](mailto:mustangtommy64@comcast.net) or call Bob at 1- 304 -876-6830.

September 11, 2010

### The Mustang Club of Maryland and Bob Davidson All Ford Show

#### **Baltimore, Maryland**

Hosted by Mustang Club of Maryland at Bob Davidson Ford. Event hours are 9:00 am - 2:00 pm with check-in running 9:00 am - 11:30 am. Registration fee is \$10 for members \$15 for non members. The 5th annual MCOM / Bob Davidson All Ford show. Rain Date

is October 9th. For more information, call Father Lou at (443) 417-0973 / (410)817-9651 or email [MustangLJN@comcast.net](mailto:MustangLJN@comcast.net).

September 18, 2010

### 17th Annual Mustang & Ford Powered Car Show

#### **Morrisville, North Carolina**

Hosted by Heart of Carolina Mustang Club at Morrisville Outlet Mall. Event hours are 9 a.m. - noon with registration 9 a.m.. Registration fee is \$20, Judging 10-11:30, Trophies presented at noon. Show magnets for first 100 entries, door prizes, 50/50 raffle with proceeds going to Wounded Warriors and the Food Bank of Central and Eastern North Carolina. Food, shopping, AC and restrooms close by so bring the whole family. For more information, [www.HCMCstangs.com](http://www.HCMCstangs.com). Questions? [chairman@hcmcstangs.com](mailto:chairman@hcmcstangs.com)

September 25, 2010

### 36th Annual Mustang, Shelby and Ford Show

#### **Maggie Valley, North Carolina**

Hosted by Northeast Georgia Mustang Club at Eaglenest Entertainment. Event hours are 8am to 4pm with check-in running 8am till Noon. Registration fee is \$20.00 (pre-registration \$15.00 before September 1, 2010). Rain date will be September 26th For more information, call David Osborn at 770-356-9431 or email [srr281@windstream.net](mailto:srr281@windstream.net) or call David Johnson at 678-357-8615 or email [modifiedmerc@bellsouth.net](mailto:modifiedmerc@bellsouth.net) or visit the website at <http://www.negeorgiamustangclub.org>.

September 25, 2010

### **4th Annual Mustang Round-Up**

#### **Owensboro, Kentucky**

Hosted by Crazy Horse Mustang Club of Owensboro at Champion Ford, 140 Southtown Blvd. Event hours are 8:00 AM to 3:30 PM with check-in running 8:00 AM to Noon. Registration fee is \$15 (pre-registration \$15 but includes free T-shirt before September 8, 2010). Open only to all years and models of Ford Mustangs. The first 75 Mustangs receive dash plaques and goody bags. 1st, 2nd and 3rd Place Trophies by year and class. 100+ trophies, including Club Participation and Honorable Mention. For more information, call Robert Barron at 270-298-7151 or email [barbarron@aol.com](mailto:barbarron@aol.com) or call Debbie Coons at 270-315-9026 or email [debbie@OwensboroMustangs.com](mailto:debbie@OwensboroMustangs.com) or visit the website at <http://www.OwensboroMustangs.com>.

September 25, 2010

### **Carolina Regional Mustang Club's 30th Annual Mustang & All Ford Show**

#### **Charlotte, North Carolina**

Hosted by Carolina Regional Mustang Club at Keith Hawthorne Ford Lincoln Ford Mercury. Event hours are 8AM-4PM with check-in running 8AM-11AM. Registration fee is \$25.00 (pre-registration \$20.00 before September 5, 2010). 19 Judged classes including Concours and specialty classes. awards for best of show, best paint, best interior, best engine, and best unrestored Ford 1973 or earlier. Work in progress and display are non judged. Pony corral and vendor/food spaces available. Show parking limited to 250 spaces, dash plaques to first 150 entrants. Trailer parking available, show date rain or shine. For more information, call Ray Michue at 704-617-3696 or email [raymond.michue@cms.k12.nc.us](mailto:raymond.michue@cms.k12.nc.us) or visit the website at <http://www.ponytales.org>.

September 25, 2010

### **The 26th Annual Mustang & Ford Show**

#### **Richmond, Virginia**

Hosted by Central Virginia Mustang Club at Virginia Center Commons Mall. Event hours are 8:00AM to 5:00PM with check-in running 8:00AM to 11:00AM. Registration fee is \$25.00 (pre-registration \$20.00 before September 1, 2010). Come and join us at the Best Mustang & Ford Show in Virginia! They come from all over Virginia, North Carolina, Maryland and beyond! Many Awards, Door Prizes, 50/50 and more. Benefits the Simon Youth Foundation. Virginia Center Commons Mall; 10101 Brook Rd Glen Allen, Va; For more information, call Larry Noble at 804-426-9094 or email [show@centralvamustang.com](mailto:show@centralvamustang.com) or call Tommy Wilson at or email [show1@centralvamustang.com](mailto:show1@centralvamustang.com) or visit the website at <http://www.centralvamustang.com>.

## **UPCOMING DRIVING EVENTS**

September 17-18, 2010

### **High Speed Fun in Music City - Fall V**

#### **Lebanon, Tennessee**

hosted by Music City Mustang Club at Nashville Superspeedway. Event 8am - 5pm; check-in 6 -8am. Registration \$135. Be a part of the Fifth Annual, MCA Sanctioned, Fall event at the Nashville Superspeedway. Put your car through the paces at near race speeds and truly experience what only a few will ever have the opportunity to do. High Speed Action - Your Car - It doesn't get any better than this. Space is limited, so Register Early This event is open to all Makes and Models. For more information, call Jim Chism at 615.799.8300; email [jim@tradewindinc.com](mailto:jim@tradewindinc.com); <http://www.musiccitymustangclub.org>.

## **UPCOMING NON-MCA EVENTS**

September 18, 2010

### **All Ford Show**

#### **Henderson, North Carolina**

Hosted by Kerr Lake Fords at Advantage Ford. Event hours are 9a.m. to 3p.m. with check-in running 9a.m. to 12p.m.. Registration fee is \$10.00. For more information, call J. H. Hamm at 252-492-4648 or email [hammjohanny@yahoo.com](mailto:hammjohanny@yahoo.com) or call Charles Deese at 919-693-6116 or email [www.cdeese@yahoo.com](mailto:www.cdeese@yahoo.com).

September 26, 2010

### **Bluegrass & Backroads**

#### **Frankfort, Kentucky**

Hosted by Frankfort Mustangs Club at Kohl's at I-64 & U.S. 60. Event hours are 9:30 a.m. to 4:00p.m. with check-in running 9:00a.m.. Registration fee is None. This is a cross-country drive and a non-competitive show being held in conjunction with the Alltech FEI World Equestrian Games. The whole world is coming to Kentucky to see the horses. Show them your Mustang!! For more information, call Mr. Nicky Hughes at 502-229-9064 or email [frankforthisory@yahoo.com](mailto:frankforthisory@yahoo.com) or call Mr. Tom Fugate at 502-682-1964 or email or visit the website at <http://frankformustangsclub.org>

If anyone has an event they wish to have listed in the Pony Times, Please email to be before the 10 of the month for inclusion to the monthly news letter.

I WILL ATTEMPT TO HAVE IT LISTED.

Doug

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