



MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Another year is ending and it has been a wonderful one with the Roanoke Valley Mustang Club! Wishing everyone a blessed Christmas and a prosperous New Year! Have ideas for future newsletters? Send them in to Michelle at gotgreyhound@yahoo.com and you may see it in a future issue! Hope you enjoy this issue!

Mustang Messenger

RVMC Newsletter



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2015 ROANOKE CITY CHRISTMAS PARADE

This year's Roanoke City Christmas Parade was held on Friday, December 11th, 2015. With excess of one hundred entries, the Roanoke Valley Mustang Club had a nice turnout of participants for the event. With wonderful weather and a fairly warm night, the parade was enjoyable for all! With a total of eight cars, RVMC was represented in a festive way with a variety of styles and colors! Thank you to everyone who came out to participate and help in making it an enjoyable evening!



A variety of Mustangs were part of the RVMC participation in the Roanoke City Parade.



Lights and Bows!



DID YOU KNOW???

When the Ford Mustang was released, there was no such thing as a "pony car." But once Ford's sporty automobile was introduced, a new class was born. Dubbed the "pony car" with reverence to the Mustang's equine roots, this class of sporty coupes have long hoods and short rear decks. These vehicles are typically affordable, compact, and highly styled with an image that reflects performance.

Since its debut in 1964, the Ford Mustang has continued to be in production, which is unlike other close competitors like the Chevrolet Camaro, Dodge Charger and Pontiac Firebird. In 2004, Ford produced the Mustang GT convertible 40th anniversary edition: the 300 millionth car to be produced by the manufacturer.



MCA NEWS

Happy Holidays fellow Mustangers! I know it is that time of year when we have no idea what gifts to get for others. If your loved one is a Mustang lover, don't forget to check out the gift giving guide in December's issue of Mustang Times. There are great ideas at almost any price point. MCA's 40th Anniversary official merchandise is also presented. There is also a list of companies that offer discounts to MCA members listed on page 82 if you are looking to help someone with their project by giving parts or accessories for their ride! One more perk of being a member of MCA is the weekly newsletter that is sent out via email. This newsletter keeps you up to date with current Mustang news and information. The last several editions have included discounts on holiday gifts as well. Taking advantage of these savings makes your MCA membership work for you! If you haven't become a member of MCA yet and would like more information, please contact me. I would enjoy the opportunity to tell you more about MCA and what it does for our beloved Mustang nation. Don't forget that a membership to MCA would be a great idea for a gift. Have a wonderful holiday!

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UPCOMING EVENTS.....SAVE THE DATES!

RVMC CHRISTMAS PARTY

Saturday, December 19th

The Roanoker Restaurant

6:00pm

If you would like to participate in Dirty Santa, bring a wrapped gift of \$20.00 or less 😊

BOWLING

January 16th, 2016

Lee Hi Lanes, Salem

Noon – 2:30pm

MONTHLY MEETING

Tuesday, January 19th, 2016

Famous Anthony's Vinton

6:00 if you would like to eat, 7:00 meeting begins

BOARD MEETING

January 14th, 2016

Please contact Bobby for more information.

ANNUAL CAR SHOW

May 7th, 2016

Magic City Ford



ANNUAL FOOD DONATIONS

The annual food donations that were collected during the months of November and December were presented to both the SPCA of Roanoke and the Roanoke based Feeding America. Over 100 pounds of pet food was donated to the SPCA, with over 200 pounds being donated to Feeding America. They were very appreciative of our donations. Thank you to everyone who made donations in support of these local organizations!

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Merry Christmas Everyone! I would like to take a moment to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! We have started to plan events for the upcoming year and I look forward to another fun year!

Bobby LaPrade

RVMC President

To start 2016, I would like to feature a member's Mustang each month. Step forward and show off your ride! What does your Mustang mean to you? Share some pictures and tell your story! I am looking for participants to start off the New Year. Please contact me at gotgreyhound@yahoo.com or 540-494-2234 if you are interested!

Wishing you and yours a Merry Christmas and a blessed year to come!

Michelle

