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## THE FEEDBAG

" A Few to Preserve the Best "

From the Prez.

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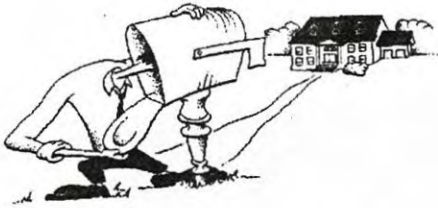
So has anyone been reading the headlines in all of the Mustang magazines lately ?

### Help Save the Mustang !

Boy it seems like the end of the 80's all over again. Well from what I read , this is not just a joke. Even with the Mustang outselling the Camaro and Firebird combined , all is not well. With more and more sports utilities and trucks being sold , the market for sports cars is dwindling. Ford can make two to three times the profit on a SUV or Truck than it can on the Mustang. I have my doubts that Ford would kill off the Mustang but that is just my feeling. They have a lot to loose if they do not have a Mustang in their product line. So what can we do you ask ? Well, for one thing, Mustang Monthly is starting a letter writing campaign to save the Mustang. I would encourage everyone to spend a couple of minutes writing a letter to Ford about your feelings on the Mustang. You never know what the power of the pen can do ? Send your letters to . . . .

Mustang Monthly Magazine  
c/o Save the Mustang  
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I will be sending out my letter shortly. On another note, the Midwest Ford Club had their annual show on August 15th. While mother nature did her best to put a dampener on the day, everyone in attendance had a great time. The turn out was lite , but all in all it was another great show. I have to tell you , normally we have a few more members in attendance at the show. This year they gave out a plaque for the most club participation. We lost by one person. We'll have to do something about that next year. I also wanted to say " Great Job " to Matt on the WEM Ice Cream run on the 8th. We had a great turnout and everyone had their fill of food, if such a thing is possible. We look forward to Matt setting up another run soon ! Well that's about all for now, I hope all is well with everyone and we'll see you all soon. Take care and keep on Stangin !



## From Your Editor

### Brake Seminar

It's time once again for one of Dr. Doria's infamous technical seminars. Dick has agreed to share with us the art of converting from the standard drum brake system to the more modern disc brakes. He will also be replacing ball joints. This will all be done on his '65 convertible. The date for this is set for September 27th, at 9:00AM at his house, located at 2511 W. Carrington Oak Creek. The total time will be about 3 hours. If you would like to learn more about your Mustangs front end this is a must seminar. Call Dick at 761-2267 if you plan to attend.

### Crusin the Strip

Hats off and a job well done goes to Matt Nugent, our youngest and one of our newer members, for setting up our cruise that took place on August 8th. A group of 12 cars met at MacDonalds on Moreland road and set off for Oscars custard stand on highway 100. It was nice to see this caravan of Stangs rolling down the open road. Many heads were turned as we rolled on by. Matt will soon be announcing the date and time for our second cruise. This destination will be to Mullens custard stand in Watertown. It was particularly encouraging to see this event be so successful with such short notice. Mullens was recently purchased by members Ron and Gloria Luepke.

### W.E.M. Breaks the 100 Mark

It has been approximately 6 years since our organization was over the 100 active, dues paying membership mark. This past year has brought in 17 new members to the corral. This annual jump in membership is quite substantial. Over the history of our organization there have been 450 card carrying members that have been actively a part of the Wisconsin Early Mustangers. We will rely on the new members, of our organization, to take an active roll in helping organize annual activities.

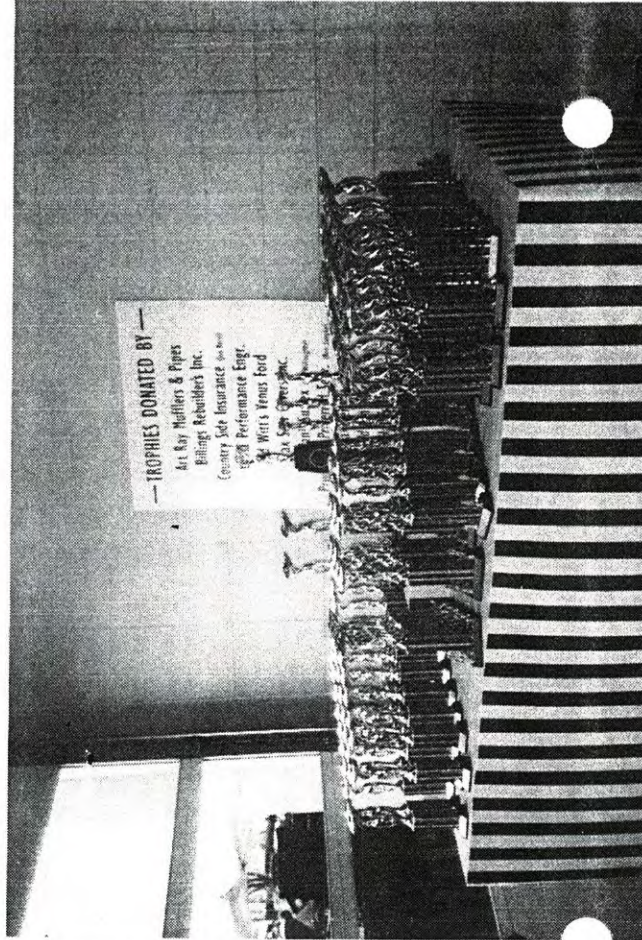
### Welcome New Members

Art Figge	Milwaukee	Dan Wartinbee	Mequon
Dawn Lalk	Milwaukee	Michael Bickler	Hartland
Cy White	Milwaukee	Matt Nugent	Greenfield
Dave Bybee	Racine	Mike Podskarbi	Kenosha
Peter Reinhard	Milwaukee	Larry Ross	Franklin
David Mulder	Fredonia	Dave Poltzer	Pewaukee
Karen Loppnow	Oconomowoc	Dick Kadlec	Greendale
Joe Bukal	Milwaukee	Kym Charney	Australia

## MINUTES FROM MEETING HELD AUGUST 25TH

- The meeting was called to order at 7:00PM by president Moen.
- New members Don & Rita Larson and Dick Kadalac were introduced.
- Dawn Raduchel read the minutes from the July meeting
- Dick Doria gave the clubs financial report.
- There was a good turnout for our cruise night held August 8th. 12 cars met at McDonalds on Moreland Road and Bluemound. From there the group headed for Oscars custard stand on highway 100.
- A few of our members attended the show and swap in Elkhorn. The Ford Mustang was the featured car. There was a large swap area as well as many cars for sale.
- The Midwest Ford show ran into some rainy weather for their annual show. There was only about 100 cars entered which is well below there normal participation..
- Seems like this is the year for rainouts at car shows as the Dells show ran into a bit of the heavy precipitation. They did manage to draw 160 cars..
- The group was reminded of the upcoming Badgerland show which will be held on September 6th.
- Fritz Dowe reminded the group of the day trip to Manitowoc which will take place on September 20th. He asked that you give him a call if you plan to attend. There will be more information in the newsletter.
- Dick Doria reminded the group to get their Door County room reservations in soon as only a few rooms remain. There has been a great response to this annual trip. A flier will be placed in the newsletter.
- Dick Doria has Mustang Museum decals for sale. They sell for \$5.00 each and the proceeds will go towards the development of the Mustang Museum.
- Scott reported that Ed Witt is selling his Ford dealership. He has accepted a position with Ford on the West coast. Scott felt this would not have any impact on our annual show as all management personnel will be retained.
- Dick Doria plans to hold a tech seminar on Sept. 27th. Details in newsletter.
- The meeting was adjourned at 7:45.

# 1997 W.E.M./VENUS FORD CAR SHOW



# DOOR COUNTY GETAWAY

## **OCTOBER 3,4,5**

Last chance to secure a room. They are going fast. The remaining rooms will be given on a first come first served basis. A deposit of \$75 is required to hold a room. A side trip to the Onidea Casino Friday evening is an optional outing for those wishing to attend. Dinner at the Nightengale Supper Club is an optional event for Saturday evening.

### Travel Itinerary

Leave from Wauwatosa Savings Bank at 9:00AM Friday Oct. 3. Stop at McDonalds on I-43 and Brown Deer Road to pick up the North siders at 9:30AM.



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SEND AD TO:  
BOB ZIMMERMANN  
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## **WISCONSIN EARLY MUSTANGERS 1997 CALENDAR**

SEPTEMBER 6		Badgerland Club car show.
SEPTEMBER 7		Pleasant Valley Car, Truck and Cycle Show. Grady Park Saukville, WI. For info call 675-9098
SEPTEMBER 20		Day trip. Manitowoc WI
SEPTEMBER 27		Tech seminar on drum to disc brake conversion and ball joint installation. call 761-2267 for info
SEPTEMBER 27	SEPTEMBER 28	Lake Geneva Poker Rally
SEPTEMBER 27	SEPTEMBER 28	Northwoods Shelby Club Road America
SEPTEMBER 29		Monthly club meeting 7:00 PM Wauwatosa Savings Bank
OCTOBER 3	OCTOBER 5	Annual over the road two niter to Door County.
OCTOBER 27		Monthly club meeting 7:00 PM Wauwatosa Savings Bank
NOVEMBER 24		Planning meeting 6:30 PM followed by monthly club meeting

## COMING SOON

Our first cruise night turned out to be quite success. So much so we plan to run another one in late September or early October. This time the planned destination will be Mullins custard stand in Watertown. Members Ron and Gloria Lupke recently purchased this business and have invited our group to cruise on down. We wish Ron and Gloria all the best in their new venture.

# DAY TRIP????

LAST CALL FOR SIGN UP

Mark your calendars for Saturday September 20 for we are taking a cruise to the North. Our first destination will be Zunkers car museum in Two Rivers. The Zunkers have a private vehicle collection and for \$3.00 they will be more than happy to tell us about it.

After the auto museum we will drive southward, down the lake shore, and stop for lunch at the Lighthouse Inn.

Our second and final destination Will be the Word War II submarine museum in the Manitowoc harbor.

No money needed. We will pay as we go.

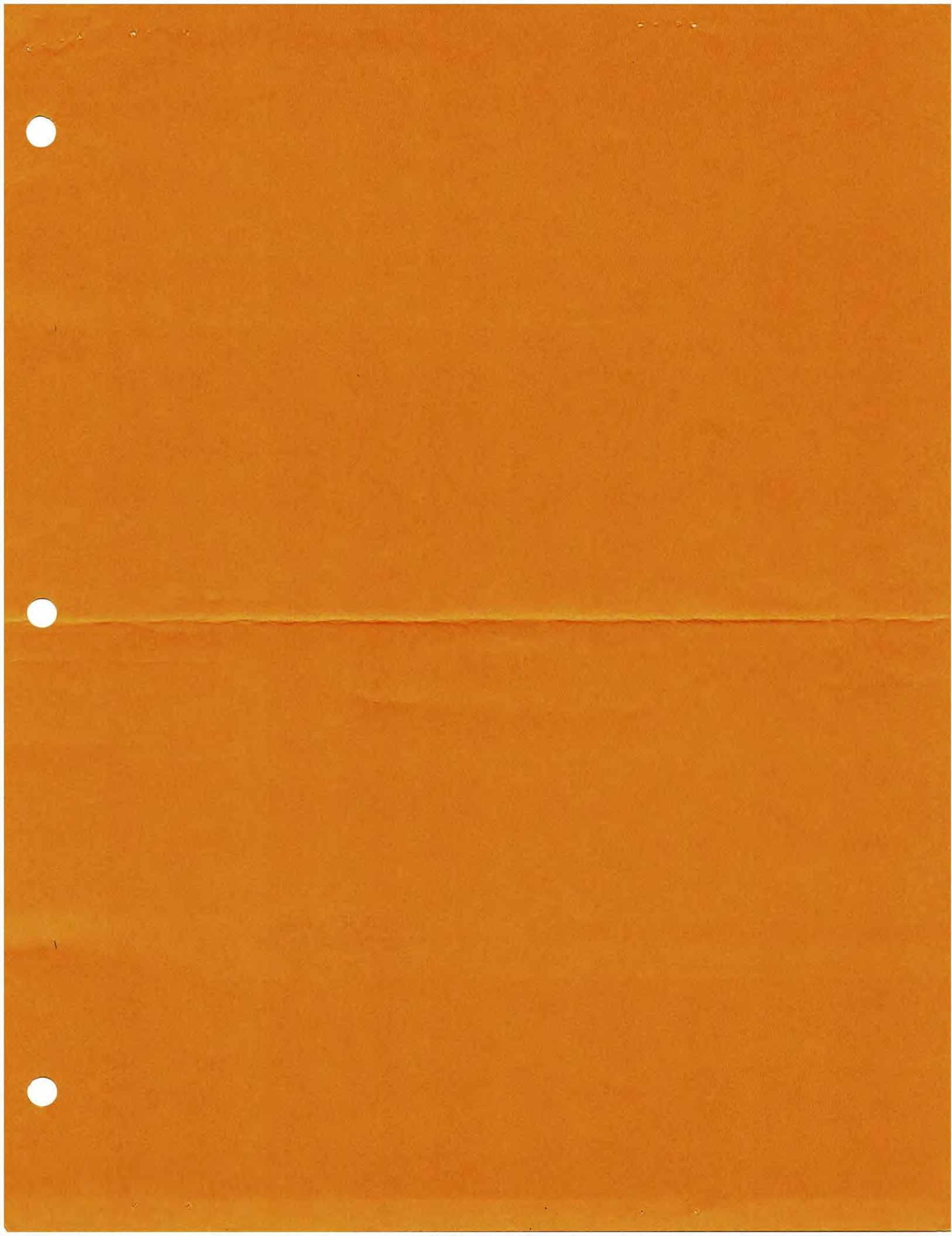
Our planned meeting place will be the north side of Port Washington. Exit at highway 84 / exit 100. Meet in the park and ride across the street from Allen-Edmonds shoe bank. We will leave from there approximately 9:00AM.

If you plan to attend this outing please call me before September 20th so I can get a headcount.

Any questions can be directed to Fritz Dowe 414-268-0147

PS I am always looking for suggestions as to other trip destinations. If you have a place in mind please pass it along





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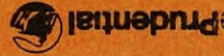


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