

Hi Ho Mustangers, 12/29/11

Well this is the last newsletter of 2011 and I hope this finds all of you in great health. The work goes on for the car show and I have locked in the Milwaukee Mustang Cheerleaders to come to the show. They will be signing posters and mugging for photos. It should be a hoot. With that being said I am putting an outing together to go to one of their games in April. I will keep you all posted as thing firm up. At all the home games the mascot will be brought in by one of our members and they will help promote our show. We are in talks about doing a show and shine at one of their home game most likely in May.

I still have to firm up the details for the pizza party but I think there will not be a problem. It will be the same as last year in Racine and call Sue or myself so we can track the count of members attending. This is important as they need to know for staffing.

Next month the bio's for Mustanger of the year will be in the newsletter. If you have any one you wish to be considered, Please let a board member know. We will post about 4 members to vote for. The members will make the selection and no write-ins will be counted. I know this is a short cover letter as not a lot is going on so, I will write more next month. HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL!!!!!!!!

Yours in Stangdom,

Tom

The Wisconsin Early Mustangers

From the Pres. (Retired, that is)

December 26, 2011

This is the start of a year in transition. Our secretary and vice president are brand new. They have quite some shoes to fill. Jeff Searing, our exiting vice-president and Joan Searing our exiting secretary/newsletter editor are stepping down. Please join me in expressing our gratitude for jobs well done.

Thanks also go out to Tom Miller our returning president. He has agreed to serve us for one more term. His enthusiasm and continuing efforts should continue to drive us to a great future.

Sharon Doria (yes, my wife) is returning once again as our treasurer. We don't mention much about her job as treasurer. That's because we've been fortunate that she has worked in that position for most of the club's life span. It is a job that takes constant attention, especially at dues time. Plus, every club function, every accessory sale and every expenditure goes through her. Thanks much, Shar.

Jim Sommerfeld is our new vice-president. He brings much enthusiasm as well as a great hands-on technical background. The same can be said of John Falkner. He is relentless in his search for answers, technical and otherwise. We look forward to working with both.

We are excited about the coming year. In addition to our normal activities, we would like to do a few more technical seminars. Your input on items of interest would be appreciated. See me at the meetings, or just drop me a phone call or e-mail. If it's possible we'll try to do it.

Coming up quick is the Pizza Party, the Model A Swap and the annual Club Dinner. Keep your eyes on the newsletter for more details. Then come on and join us.

Sharon and I were blessed this Christmas. All of our family was here starting Christmas Eve Day. That included our favorite Marine, Jonathan and our daughter and grand children from Florida.

We hope that all of you had a wonderful holiday season too. We look forward to spending time together throughout the coming year. May you have a happy, healthy and prosperous new year.

"Keep on 'stangin'".

Dick Doria

From Your NEW V-P

Hello, I'm Jim Sommerfeld, my wife's name is Judy, and we have been members for 9 years. I started my love for car when I was about 12 years old working on them every chance I could get. My first car was a 1962 Falcon Futura and our most recent was a 1966 Mustang 2+2. I look forward to being the VP & learning all there is to my duties.

GOD Bless

Jim

From Your NEW Secretary/Editor

Hi.

I'm John Falkner and would like to introduce myself to members that maybe don't know who I am.

I married Chris in 1967, live in Waukesha, and we have two adult children; Jane and Greg. I was teaching math at Brookfield Central HS in 1971 when we ordered a new Mustang for Chris at Griffin Ford. When the Mustang was about five years old and the gas crunch hit, cars with V-8's weren't worth much, so we decided to keep it rather than trading it in (little did Chris know the money pit it would become and continues to be over the years). I discovered the Wisconsin Early Mustangers early on, became a member (#168), and won a number of WEM Show trophies with our unique and original bone stock coupe in the late '80's.

I left teaching in 1979, and got into industrial sales only to become a workaholic to survive as a salesman. Because of work demands and living in Waukesha, I didn't make many club meetings until retirement in 2007, but the '71 was always a hobby. After about 20 years of TLC care, I got bored with it but wanted to keep the unique stock original appearance, so it has been treated to many annual performance upgrades.

Now that I'm retired and have the time, I usually make monthly club meetings and the post meetings for custard, so when nobody seemed to have the time to become the club secretary, I volunteered. After a tough campaign, I surprisingly won ...the fact that I was unopposed probably helped. So now, in addition to boating, riding our Harley, and various outdoor activities, I'll have the secretary and newspaper editor jobs to fill my day.

In my opinion, our club diversification of old to new Mustangs (I've had several Fox bodies and my brother had a '73 Grande but now has an '07 C/S), stock vs. modified, do it yourself vs. pay to have it done, etc. is what has kept this club surviving for so many years. In my case, our Mustang has been new, stock, and evolved into whatever you want to call it now, but after 41 years and over 100,000 miles, it still fits into the same car club because it's a Mustang ...wow! We are each members of the Wisconsin Early Mustangers because each of our Mustangs are special to *us*, so I feel it is paramount that we understand and honor each other's passion for *their* individual cars and views.

John Falkner



...at Whitefish Dunes State Park during the 2011 Door County trip.

A special thanks to Joan Searing for the hard copy printing and "snail mailing" of this and next months newsletter ...while I'm off being a Florida snowbird for a couple of months. Newsletter deadlines are unchanged for any flyers, letters, articles, dates, classified ads, etc. to be in the newsletter. Send to jfalkner@wi.rr.com, or call (262) 547-7822.

2012 Dues Renewal Notice

If you haven't already done so, your 2012 annual dues are now <u>past due.</u>
Please send renewal to club headquarters immediately, and make sure you <u>fill in and return the attached form</u> along with your \$15.00 renewal fee.

PLEASE SEND IN PAYMENT ASAP

SEND TO:

WISCONSIN EARLY MUSTANGERS 2511 W. CARRINGTON AVE OAK CREEK, WISCONSIN 53154

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-2012 CLUB CALENDAR

JANUARY

WEM monthly club meeting, 7:00 P.M. at Waterstone Bank www.wemustangers.com

FEBRUARY

- WEM Pizza Party, Sue Miller coordinating (see flyer in the newsletter for details)
- 17-19 World of Wheels at Wisconsin State Fair Park www.autorama.com/shows/attend/milwaukee-2012
 - Model A Swap Meet at the Washington County Fairgrounds

MARCH

- 25 WEM Club Dinner Party, Sharon Doria coordinating (see flyer in the newsletter for details)
- WEM monthly club meeting, 7:00 P.M. at Waterstone Bank www.wemustangers.com

APRIL

- 14 Dick Doria technical seminar, topic TBD
- 27-29 Madison Classics Spring Jefferson at the Jefferson County Fair Grounds www.madisonclassics.com
- Monthly WEM Club meeting at Waterstone Bank www.wemustangers.com

MAY

- WEM Ice Breaker Cruise and Lunch, Wayne Mudek coordinating
- WEM Show set up, Jack Winter coordinating
- WEM Annual "All Ford" Show at Venus Ford on East Layton Blvd. (No Club meeting in May)

JUNE

- 2 Marsh Run, Steve and Kitty Klein coordinating
- 17 Fox Valley Mustang Club Show www.FVFMClub.com
- 25 Monthly WEM Club meeting at Waterstone Bank <u>www.wemustangers.com</u>
- WEM road trip? Details TBD

JULY

- 12-15 Iola
 - 15 Soerens Ford "All Ford" Show on West Capitol Drive in Brookfield

AUGUST

- 4-5 Madison Classics Summer Elkhorn at the Walworth County Fair Grounds www.madisonclassics.com
- 12 WEM Club Picnic
- 27 Monthly WEM monthly club meeting, 7:00 P.M. at Waterstone Bank www.wemustangers.com

SEPTEMBER

- 2 Oak Creek Lions Club
- 3 Shamrock / Racine Shopko Car Show
- WEM monthly club meeting, 7:00 P.M. at Waterstone Bank www.wemustangers.com
- 28-30 Madison Classics Fall Jefferson at the Jefferson County Fair Grounds www.madisonclassics.com

OCTOBER

- 5-7 WEM 31st Annual Door County Trip, Dick & Sharon Doria coordinating
- WEM monthly club meeting, 7:00 P.M. at Waterstone Bank www.wemustangers.com
- 10/30-11/2 SEMA in Las Vegas, NV

The Ninth Annual Wisconsin Early Mustangers

Pizza Party



Sunday February 12, 2012 4:00 PM

Mike and Angelo's 6214 Washington Ave. (Hwy 20) Racine, Wisconsin Please R.S.V.P. Sue Miller by Feb. 7th 414 764-6726 or Oakmill66@att.net



W.E.M Annual Club Dinner

Sunday, March 25, 2012

Pulaski Inn3900 E. Pulaski Avenue

Cudahy, Wisconsin 53110

(Upper Hall this year)

4 pm. Social Hour/Cocktails

5 pm. Dinner

Cost per person: \$18.00 (Children 5-12 \$9.00)

RSVP by March 15th (E-Mail Rodknock@aol.com)

(414761-2267)

Please send check payable to:

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2511 W. Carrington Avenue

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- •Ads should be car related, and limited to a *maximum* of four lines of 12 pt. print.
- To place ads, email ad to <u>ifalkner@wi.rr.com</u> or call 262-547-7822 with details by the Friday night following the last Monday of each month (club meeting).
- •Ads run for three months, so please call when bought/sold to remove ads.

For Sale: Fiberglas: '65-'66 GT 350 PARTS: Hood w/ Scoop. Front "R" valance. Rear brake scoops. Rear

valance Grille and Miscellaneous Parts. Jim 414-529-2109 or jjsommerfeld@att.net.

For Sale: 1960 Falcon Ranchero. Fuel injected 302 automatic trans. In decent shape, needs finishing work. Carpet in box, have extra parts to go with car. \$3,495 O.B.O. Mike Doria 414-301-9102

For Sale: Parts! 3 fan blades. Water pump . needs rebuilding 1. 3 pass high off radiator. then a bunch of small parts for front shocks trunk gasket and other parts from 66 and 68 fixed idler pulley 289 engine call Tom 414-541-7934 or email blunite56@att.net

For Sale: 2 Goodyear 245/45ZR 17 tires. Tires have only 11,000 miles on them. Replacement cost \$245. Will take \$100 for the pr. Located in Burlington. ttess1@wi.rr.com 262-534-5786

For Sale: (8)-14" tires- on 1965 steel 5 lug wheels (sell just tires or rims or together) Jim Sommorfeld 414-529-2109 or <u>jjsommorfeld@att.net</u>

For Sale: Mustang Cobra GTA Convertible. It is white with black racing stripes and has 70,000 miles. The body is in excellent shape - the interior has a few cigarette burns in the upholstery. Only 7000 of these were built - motor was specially hand built by two Ford engineers. The valve cover is signed by the engineers. Any one interested can e-mail Tony at buckmanent@gmail.com.

For Sale: 53-56 Ford F-100 Rear Fenders, '69 Dual Master Cyl. for Drum Brakes, '68 302 V-8 Starter, Dual Point Breaker Plate for Ford V-8 Distributor, Mallory Voltmaster Mark II Ignition Coil, Mallory Dual Point Distributors for 332-428 Cu. In. Ford V-8 and 223 Cu. In. Ford 6 Cyl. Ron Wishman 414-421-8812

For Sale: Mustang Parts for 1965 - 1966 model years. Too many to list. Also have Wisconsin Early Mustangers club Jacket(size L) with lots of Mustang pins included. Please contact ... Wayne Kabitzke (920) 206-0464 Thank you.

FOR SALE: ZDD Plus oil additive...It will save our members a few dollars. This is the additive Zinc Phosphate for pre roller lifters engines. Club Members price for 3 bottles is \$25. Anything over 3 bottles is \$7.50 each. Call or e-mail Dick Doria. 414-761-2267 or rodknock@aol.com

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