

# MCCNE MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES

## OCTOBER, 2014

### Meeting Information

- Date - October 2, 2014
- Meeting Time – 7:35 PM with 17 Members Present
- Location – Sturbridge Host Hotel, Southbridge Room

### Officers Attending:

- Jim Silverman - President
- Malcolm Keery - Secretary
- Michelle Grahn - Vice President
- - Treasurer

### Board of Directors Attending:

- Paul Breault
- George Valeri
- Bob Grahn
- Fil Ferrauto
- Paul Groppi
- Arnold Holland, Jr
- Gary DeSantis
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### Members at Large Attending:

- Nancy Ferrauto
- Andy Balthazar
- Mel Vanden Akker
- Bill Watkins
- Robert Collari
- Bob Luipold
- Jack Gahr
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### Reports

- October meeting attendees approved minutes from the September meeting as read.
- Treasurer's Report – No Report
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- Membership Report –Michelle Grahn
  - > Members as of August, 2014 - 244
  - > Members Added - 9
  - > Members Renewed - 10
  - > Members Lost - 15
  - > Total Membership as of September, 2014 - 238
  - > Membership as of September, 2013 - 264.
- Webmaster's Report – No report
- MCA Corner - George Valeri
  - National Show coming up in Savanna in one week.
- Judges Corner – Paul Gropi
  - Paul will purchase 24 MCCNE towels for the judges.
  - Jack Gahr will try to get enough spots at the Frank Marata Show for the MCCNE top ten cars.

Respectfully Submitted: Malcolm Keery, Secretary, October 7 2014

## **Old Business**

- National Show Report - Michelle Committee will make site visits on Nov. 18 and 25. Ellen Melvin has agreed to chair the national show committee.
- Mustange Unlimited Show very well attended with 155 cars..
- Jim will take an MCA grill medalion to Joe Rainbow so he can see what we are looking for. .

## **New Business**

- Annual Fun Run to the Village Restaurant will be on November 8. Club will meet at Paul Gropi's house, 387 Lincoln St. Lexington, MA. Contact Paul for reservations and details.
- Michelle is setting up our holiday dinner for January 17. Watch this space for upcoming details.
- The club only provided escort for the 2014 Wounded Warrior Projrct, but plans to drive again next year.

## **Show schedule for 2014:**

- 34th Annual Mustang & Fords and American Iron Fall Round-Up & Swap, October 5, 2014 (rain date October 12th), at New England Tech Center for Automotive Technology in Warwick, RI.
- Jack Gahr,s annual cruise show will be held on October 18 in Broad Brook, CT. Check with Jack for details or see flyer on website.

## **Proposed Show Schedule for 2015**

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- 4th Annual MCCNE American Iron Cruise, Saturday, May 16, at the Solomon Pond Mall, 601 Donald Lynch Blvd, Marlborough, MA.
- 38th Annual Mustang Spring Round-Up, Sunday, June 14, (rain date June 21), at Mustangs Unlimited, 440 Adams Street, Manchester, CT
- 31st AnnuaK Mustangs and American Iron Summer Round-Up, Sunday, July 19th, (rain date July 26), at the Solomon Pond Mall, 601 Donald Lynch Blvd, Marlborough, MA.
- 37th Annual All Fords and American Iron Car Show, Sunday, August 16, (rain date August 23), at the Auburn Mall, 385 Southbridge St, Auburn, MA.
- 36th Annual Mustang Power Show, Sunday, September 13, (rain date September 23, at Mustangs Unlimited, 440 Adams ST, Manchester, CT.
- 35th Annual Mustangs and American Iron Fall Round-Up and Swap, Sunday, October 4, (rain date October 11), at The New England Tech Center for Automotive Technology, 100 - 110 Access Rd, Warwick, RI.

**Next meeting will be held on November 6, 2014, at the Sturbridge Host Hotel,  
Seminar Room 1, at 7:30 PM.  
Meeting adjourned at 9:28 PM**

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