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# **MAY 2018**















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Membership renewals are due and payable on the 1st July each year.

Should payment not be received by 31st August, those Members will be deemed "un-financial" and removed from the Club database. Full application procedure and costs will be required to rejoin the Club.

20 & 30 year Membership Recognition Awards for Members reaching these milestone will be provided and awarded at the September meeting.

Regional members will be contacted and have their award posted to them.

#### **CLUB MEETINGS**

Monthly Meetings are held on the 4th Wednesday of each month (unless notified) at the Clubrooms in Jean-Howie Drive, Morningside (off Bennetts Road). A sausage sizzle is available from 6.30pm and meetings shall commence at 7.30pm.

#### **CLUB MERCHANDISE**

We have a selection of men's and ladies shirts in various sizes and many other types of Mustang related Merchandise. To purchase or enquire about such items, contact the Merchandising Officer. Alternatively merchandise is available for purchase at Club Meetings and on some Club Runs.

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#### MUSTANG OWNERS CLUB AUSTRALIA QLD INC

#### **GENERAL MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES 18th APRIL 2018**

#### MEETING OPENED......7.32pm

**PRESENT......** As per attendance sheet 35 members

**APOLOGIES ....** Russell & Sandra Whitney, Marg Moran, Errol Gordon, Garry Carmady, Eric Dithardt, Wayne Hall, Harry Steinhauer.

NEW MEMBERS/GUESTS .... Greg And Nicole Itoy from Camira, 1967 Metallic Brown Coupe

MINUTES MARCH MEETING PASSED 1st. Dave Irving, 2nd Robyn Messenger and passed by a majority

#### BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES... None

#### **TREASURERS FEBRUARY REPORT & TREASURERS MARCH REPORT**

Ric .... The report for March has not been completed as yet due to a problem with my computer. Chris .... Proposed to carry acceptance of both reports across to next meeting in May. 1st. John Smith, 2nd Brett Hodson. All in favour by majority.

INWARD CORRESPONDENCE - None - carry across to next meeting in May

#### OUTWARD CORRESPONDENCE - None - carry across to nest meeting in May

**RUN REPORT** ... Neil ...Run to Alexander Hills was a good event. The brewery was closed as it was a long weekend. The Mothers Day run is not on Mother's Day and is to Mountain View Café at Maleny. The run in June is to the back of Toowoomba to Ravensbourne. Bring jackets and binoculars. July run will be to Rathdowney to the "Shed" where there is an olive grove. Other upcoming events include – August- car show at a local school, Festival of elegance at Gold Coast and Beachfest at Coolie.

Barry.... Events- This Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> April - Willowbank Auto spectacular, Festival of Elegance on 20th May and Red thunder air show on 27<sup>th</sup> May. Then Brisbane backyard bonanza on 27<sup>th</sup> May at Brackenridge, All ford day at Willowbank on 15<sup>th</sup> July, and Peak Crossing event for charity on 26<sup>th</sup> August. Emails have been sent out to those who have passed on their email addresses to me. Please pass on your email address to me if you wish to be receive email notification of future events.

Les... Mid month run was to IndigiScapes Centre. There were 11 cars and 19 people. We were the first car club to attend and we were treated like VIP's. The next mid month run is to Green Frog Hollow at Yarabilba. Meet at Coffee Club Springwood. June run is to Mt French for a self-catered picnic. Bring your binoculars.

**MAGAZINE REPORT** ... Robyn...Please send more articles in to be included in the magazine. Thank you to Marice for her article about participation in the club.

MERCHANDISE REPORT... Yo ... There are still some broad brimmed hats for sale \$40.

**BAR REPORT**... Ray...Plenty of stock & beer is on special for \$2.50

**SOCIAL DIRECTORS REPORT...** Marice ... Robyn and Gordon are away until next meeting. Thank you to Ray Saunders, Linda and Kevin Abraham for helping out tonight. We have some great raffle prizes. The possible venue for Christmas party will be Norths Devils leagues club at Nundah on Sat 24 November and possibly a buffet dinner. Thank you to Robin Bath from Mustang Auto parts for donating a Pink Mustang cap for the raffle. Thank you to Martin Schmidt for donating a 2018 nationals bag as a raffle prize.

**NATIONAL DELEGATES REPORT**... Martin ... The Nationals Concourse has been held, run and won. It was excellent and a great venue, accommodation and great nights out. The number of entries for judging was low. There were 190 cars on show day. The event set a good trend for future concourses.

#### LUCKY MEMBERS DRAW ... Winner is ... Peter Buckingham

#### **GENERAL BUSINESS**

Chris... To speak about the proposed changes to our Constitution, we have a guest speaker David Irving. There is legislation we have to comply with, things to think about and voting for all of us to do over next few months.

David .... Our Constitution along with resolutions and decisions passed at our AGM's and GM's are the guiding documents of our Association and thanks to the input and efforts of you, the members, at all levels, our association over the past years has increased our membership and contributes significantly to our core objectives as stated in our Constitution.

The Constitution was last fully updated in 2012 so to keep pace with change and to ensure our Association is progressive and relevant we now need to start looking more closely at club membership criteria. In 1980 they were quite valid and relevant to those few people who formed the Mustang Club of Qld and those criteria transposed into the Constitution which was first approved at the Club's Incorporation in 1986.

Times have changed, member numbers have increased, new model vehicles are now pouring into the market resulting in competition clubs such as the S550 which is growing steadily in all states. These are just a few of the challenges we face, and there will be more. We need to address the current times, but let's not allow our history to be lost in the scramble.

At the Sep 2017 GM I was asked to investigate the concept of Honorary Membership. Based on a range of discussions with club members and non-club members alike it has become apparent that we need to address our current 'Classes of Membership' to reflect our history whilst being a modern, outward thinking organization which is driven not only by the marque of vehicle we own, but for the social interaction derived by its members.

Keep in mind that any change made to our Constitution must pass the scrutiny of the Dept. of Fair Trading and the Qld. Liquor Act. At this meeting I would like to discuss an option that a 'Special Resolution' to change the Classes of Membership be voted on at the 23 May 2018 General Meeting as an initial step forward and also present to the meeting an outline of proposed changes to the Constitution should the vote for the 'Special Resolution' be in the Affirmative.

David...We have a window of 3 months to implement any changes to our Constitution. This notice will be passed on to Robyn to include in the magazine and at the next meeting on 23<sup>rd</sup> May, club members will be asked to vote.

The vote must be passed by 3/4 of members at meeting, and in accordance with legislation there will be no postal or proxy votes, so I encourage members to attend the next meeting to vote.

There are 3 proposals, and these will be printed in the magazine.

Chris... The original aim of changing the constitution was if a member of the club, for health-related reasons could no longer drive and therefore sold their Mustang but still wished to remain active in the club, why would we discourage that. The process is complicated, but we are reaching our goal.

John Green... If one member of a couple passes away, can the other partner receive honorary membership. Chris replied that we would treat each situation on merit.

Les ...Do members at the meeting have the right to vote on behalf of all members. David Irving and Chris replied, yes, we do according to the legislation administered by the QLD Dept of Fair Trading.

Carolyn Irving...Is it enough notice to members. Robyn Messenger replied, yes, the magazine will be sent out a week before the next meeting.

John Greene .... I have arranged a guest speaker to come to the next meeting, shall I change the date. David replied, no, the vote will not take long so no need to change speaker date.

David Irving...We do not want the MOCA club to lose its identity and history as there are a lot of clubs out there. We should be encouraging owners of new vehicles to join our club. You don't need an old Mustang to be a member, just own a Mustang.

#### MEMBERS PRESENT AT MEETING WITH BIRTHDAY THIS MONTH WERE GIVEN A FREE RAFFLE TICKET IN

TONIGHTS RAFFLES... Allan Rogers, Paul Cooper, Peter Buckingham, Martin Schmidt, Simon Parr, John Smith

Chris... Any other business? None

**QHMC REPORT**...John Green...There has been no meeting since the MOCA meeting. There will be a guest speaker coming to the next MOCA meeting on 23<sup>rd</sup> May to speak about importation of cars regarding asbestos.

#### RAFFLES

1st. Marice Saunders 2nd.Barry Lane, 3rd John Binge, 4th John Smith, 5th Ray Saunders, 6th Ian Fagernes

Next meeting .....23<sup>rd</sup> May2018

#### MEETING CLOSED ... 9.05pm

Minutes taken by Marice Saunders

### President's Report – May 2018

#### Hi Everyone,

I have been taking a bit of time away from club activities and commitments recently, although most of this has not been by choice. Work and other things in life have been busier than usual so I'm just barely keeping up. Yo and I have missed the last couple of club runs which is a little unusual. We don't go on every run, but we hardly ever miss two in a row. Hopefully we will be able to do better soon.

This edition of the magazine includes information about the proposed change (or changes) to our club constitution to extend the types of membership to include Honorary and Life members. The next step will be taken at the May General Meeting where the members present will be asked to vote on the proposals in the form of a Special Resolution. A majority of not less than 75% of the members present is required to proceed to the next step, which is a postal vote open to all members. Please take a few minutes to read the notice elsewhere in this magazine so that you are all aware of the pros and cons.

The end of financial year is fast approaching. EOFY brings many things, including membership renewals. The early-bird draw will run again as usual – renew no later than 30 June 2018 for a chance to win free membership at the next renewal.

Elections are also approaching. September seems a long way off but it is not too early to think about the form of the club's next committee. The experience is a bit like the Curate's egg – although the vast majority is good with very few bad bits. There will be positions vacant that must be filled to keep the club operating so please take your turn, step up and do your bit.

I'll see you at the next meeting and hopefully at a run or event soon.

Cheers, Chris.

# **NOTICE:**

It is proposed to introduce a 'Special Resolution' to amend the Constitution of the Mustang Owners Club of Australia (Queensland) Inc., at the General Meeting to be held on 23 May 2018.

The 'Special Resolution' to read:

"To request all Ordinary Members present to vote on a proposal to amend the Constitution of the Mustang Owners Club of Australia (Queensland) Inc., to change 'Classes of Members' to also include 'Honorary Member' and/or 'Life Member' or both, and the governance of such members shall be in accordance with the Rules of the Association as amended."

In accordance with the Department of Fair Trading Regulations, the following rules apply:

a. Members must first be notified in advance, in writing of the time and place of the vote.

b. There must be a <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> majority of members <u>present at the meeting</u> vote in favour of the 'Special Resolution' for it to be approved.

c. Postal Voting for a 'Special Resolution' is not allowed.

If the voting result is in the 'Negative', the Minutes of the meeting will record 'No Further Action'.

If the voting result is in the 'Affirmative', then the proposed amendments will be published in the June 2018 Newsletter in such format that offers all members the opportunity to vote on each of the amendments.

Details of the Draft Amendments will again be available for discussion prior to the presentation of the 'Special Resolution'.

# **NOTICE FOR ALL MEMBERS**

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL IS DUE BY THE 1st JULY EACH YEAR THIS YEAR ALL MEMBERS WILL BE SENT AN INVOICE VIA EMAIL WITH YOUR PAYMENT OPTIONS.

AS IN PREVIOUS YEARS MEMBERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO RENEW EARLY TO BE IN THE RUNNING FOR A CHANCE TO WIN YOUR NEXT YEARS' MEMBERSHIP FOR FREE.

ALL MEMBERS ARE REQUESTED TO ENSURE THAT ALL PERSONAL AND VEHICLE DETAILS ARE CORRECT AND IF NECESSARY EMAIL THE MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY AT <u>mocaqld.membership@gmail.com</u> WITH ANY CHANGES A RENEWAL FORM IS AVAILABLE ON THE WEBSITE AND IN THIS MAGAZINE.

SHOULD PAYMENT NOT BE RECEIVED BY 31st AUGUST, THOSE MEMBERS WILL BE DEEMED "UNFINANCIAL" AND ALL DETAILS WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE DATABASE.

#### FULL APPLICATION COSTS WILL BE REQUIRED TO REJOIN

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#### MAY RUN REPORT

Hi Members, the chill of winter was around this morning when I arrived at the meeting point, I had to change the meeting time and venue for this run as the original venue would not agree to the use of a safe area to park our cars.

The cars rolled in, one needed a little encouragement and was pushed in, a little care from willing helpers and the motor was purring again, with that sorted we headed off. The route for this run would have a very short motorway section, as we were to exit onto Dohles Rocks Road, up urban roads through Kallangur, Burpengary and Morayfield where we met up with the "bump ins" and continue on through Elimbah, Beerburrum to the Pitstop at the Glasshouse Mountains lookout ... we managed to squeeze 23 cars up here!

We were using the two radios on this run to keep the herd together and it seemed to work well, if you have a set of your own you're welcome to bring them along on the runs.





With the Views taken in it was round up time as we had more motoring to do, we head off down the narrow road and turned left onto Old Gympie Road. It's hard to believe that this was the major northern road until the motorway was built.

We drove through Peachester along the top of the ridge, great views opened up as we travelled, we arrived at the Orangery for lunch. The cars found spaces to park and 53 of us made our way into the restaurant. Heather the owner had allocated a great area for us, the food was fantastic, there was a bit of a wait as this was order on arrival, and Heather had prepared for us with extra staff, however one of the Chiefs' had to leave to attend to a family issue ... Sometimes even the best of plans can have unexpected issues,

I would like to thank Heather and the staff for an excellent effort in getting the meals out hot and as quickly as they did,

Prize winners for the day were,



Lucky Car - Glenda & Jack Hall I<sup>st</sup> Harvey de San Miguel 2<sup>nd</sup> Marice Saunders 3<sup>rd</sup> Georgina Elliot Nelson Mums' Draw: Rebecca Fridge, Jan Singleton, Glenda Hall, & Julia Longton

> Neil.de San Miguel Run Coordinator See you on the next run

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# **CLUB RUN CALENDAR**

The Club calendar is designed to assist members planning ahead for designated runs and Club related activities. Clubman of the Year points are assigned for these events. The Club Run is generally held on the 1st Sunday of each month with a "rain date" set for the following Sunday. If for any reason there is a change to an advertised run, details will be in the Coming Events page on the Club website at <u>www.qld.mustang.org.au.</u>

The Club Calendar lists designated events / activities and these are therefore recognised as sanctioned Club Runs. Points towards Clubman of the Year are only awarded for attendance at the official 1st Sunday of the month Run (or Saturday where appropriate).

APRIL 2018	MAY 2018	JUNE 2018
		Sunday June 3rd - Details below
	Wednesday 23rd MOCA Qld Club Meeting	Wednesday 27th MOCA Qld Club Meeting
JULY 2018	AUGUST 2018	SEPTEMBER2018
JULY 2018 Sunday 1st - Club Run to Rathdowney (Details to follow)	AUGUST 2018 Sunday 5th - Club Run to Glenview State School -Details in this Magazine	SEPTEMBER2018



## 3rd JUNE - CLUB RUN Ravensbourne Cafe

Meeting Point - BP Archerfield, Cnr Randolph Street and Boundary Road. Meet at 8.30 am for a 9.00am Departure



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### **Member Profile - Ray & Marice Saunders**

- Ford Mustang 1965 Convertible White, auto transmission, 200cui engine, Power Brakes, pony interior bucket seats.
- Ford Mustang GT Auto 2015 Oxford white
- Ford Mustang GT Auto 2017 Brilliant white
- 1968 S code coupe our restoration project



#### So, when and where did you purchase your Mustang?

"Ray found the brand new 2015 on Gumtree. We met the seller at his chambers at North Quay & signed up to take over his pre order purchase. He ordered the car when they were released & now he had nowhere to keep it. Three weeks later we took delivery at Metro Ford and have loved every minute of owning her. We loved her so much we bought a new 2017 model in Brilliant white and now have a His and Hers.

The passion grew and the 1965 convertible was found on the net in Melbourne & after a lengthy phone call we flew to Melbourne and bought the car & drove her home over a couple of days."

#### What motivated you to buy your Mustang?

"Ray always wanted a classic Mustang but Marice didn't like the fact that old cars didn't have the mod cons & have the old car smell etc. So when Marice said "If you are getting a Mustang it's going to be a new one". And the rest is history. Ray found the 2015 within 30 minutes.

The 65 was different. After seeing the older classic cars in our club, Marice began to appreciate them & we decided to get a convertible for run days, which we really enjoy driving.

The next Mustang indulgence is Ray's project car for when he retires- a 68 S code coup which has been stripped & the body modified when we bought it. He will build it up as a show car as it would take a lot to bring it back to a standard Mustang."

#### "Work in Progress – what have you done to your Mustang?

"The 15 & 17 are our daily drives & we are happy to enjoy driving them & leave them as they are". The 65 convertible, we are just doing things that have been neglected for a while & things to make it more driveable-Rubber kit to try and stop the rain from coming in & suspension. The 68, will be a full rebuild."

#### What do you enjoy about your Mustang?

"The freedom, the feel and the joy of driving a classic Mustang and the appreciation of other drivers on the road, especially when we are on a run with other members"

#### When and why did you join MOCA Qld?

"We joined in July 2015 and were eager to participate in the runs and events and meet new people. So the first event we attended was the 3 day run to Hervey Bay which included whale watching. We were fortunate to spend quality time with club members and get to know what the club is all about."

#### What do you enjoy about being in MOCA Qld:

"Being a member of MOCA gives us the pleasure of driving and socializing with people who share the same passion for Mustangs."

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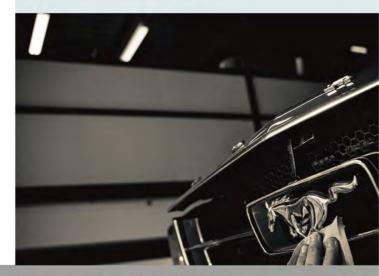
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Darryll and Colleen Ashby

# EVENTS OF INTEREST CALENDAR

This calendar is designed to assist members in planning ahead for events that have been sanctioned by the Club, other than designated Club Runs and not necessarily orgabised by the Club. Club Person of the year points are not assigned for these events. There is more detail about each events on the following pages, including the location and time to meet and the contact details for the club member who has volunteered to organise the Club's participation in the event. An RSVP to the organiser and / or the Run and Events Coordinator will make their job easier and is the classy thing to do.

APRIL 2018	MAY 2018	JUNE 2018
·	Wednesday 16th May - Mid-Week Run to Green Frog Hollow 18th, 19th & 20th - Festival of Elegance (Gold Coast) 27th - Lakeside Chrome Bar Day 27th - Macleans Bridge, Belmont 27th - Backyard Bonanza, Bracken Ridge	6th - 10th Beachfest at Caloundra 6th - 10th - Coolie Rocks On Wednesday 13th - Mid-Week Run to Mt French for a Picnic Lunch Details in this Magazine
JULY 2018	AUGUST 2018	SEPTEMBER 2018
8th Lakeside All American Day 15th - All Ford Day	Sunday August 26th - A Day in the Country - Peak Crossing. Details in this Magazine & on Web	



#### MID-WEEK RUN WEDNESDAY 16, 2018

We are going to The Green Frog Hollow in the Yarabilba/Logan Village area. Come and Enjoy some Country Hospitality and a nice range of meal choices after which a tour around the Gardens & Nursery will leave you with the WOW factor! We will meet at the Coffee Club Springwood 10.30am for an 11.00am departure

> RSVP by 9th May of your attendance Many Thanks Les - 0422 692 438

MOCA Sanction # S18135052



### June Mid Week Wednesday 13th June to Mt French (THIS IS A PICNIC RUN)

This will be a sort of a double header as we will be stopping at Flavours Cafe at Boonah for morning tea and then proceed up to Mt French for a picnic lunch.

Bring your own lunch and drinks and your own chairs and tables if you have them, as there is limited seating available.

We will meet at BP Truck stop Archerfield at 9am for a 9:30 departure.

Please let me know by Saturday 2nd June if you are coming.

Many thanks Les 0422 692 438

P.S Bring your own Binoculars if you have them and cameras as the view from the lookout on Mt French down across the Fassifern Valley is breathtaking.

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#### Mustang Owners Museum / Charlotte USA

The Mustang Owners Club of Australia (QLD.) Inc is now a founding member of the Mustang Owner's Museum in the USA thanks to the efforts of Jack Hall.

Jack gave the May Run members an early look at the Banner



The Club banner is a part of the package of goodies the Museum sends each club that is a 'Charter Club Member'. The attached scan from their WEB site lists the other items that form part of this package, they are:

- A plaque
- Six passes for Museum entry / Obviously only of use to anybody visiting the Museum with in the first year
- A 'Charter Club' membership card

On behalf of the Queensland Members, Thanks Jack!

Cheers, Neil

#### Mid-Week, Mid-Month Run Wednesday 18th April 2018 Indigiscapes/My Horizon Bush Pantry Cafe, Capalaba

Heavy rain didn't deter us, but rag tops were up! We ventured out from the club house in torrential rain. However, within half an hour the rain had eased to light showers and by the time we pulled into Indigiscapes, the rain had stopped. Two more ponies joined us at the venue so we had a total of 11 beautiful Mustangs. We had a mixture of new, prospective and established members and our enthusiastic group lapped up the warm welcome provided by the staff of the recently built "My Horizon" building that houses the new Bush Pantry Cafe. MOCA Qld made history by being the first car club to visit this new venue. Quite appropriate with it being the 54th birthday of the Mustang (it still being the 17th in the US). Meals were quick to come out (as did the sun) and it was great to eat, drink and talk Mustangs with such a great bunch of people. Really good to have Lesley and Peter McIntyre join us.



Thank you Les for organising another wonderful run. Next mid-week run is on Weds 16th May to Green Frog Hollow Cafe & Garden Centre, Logan Village. ... Jean vincent



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MAY 18th. 19th & 20th - 2018



Wheels Wings Concorse, now in it's fourth year continues to deliver on the traditions of similar past events. Enjoying a long and successful connection with Fort Lauderdale USA a Gold Coast 'Sister City' the CNGC

Saturday morning gather again, for a classic half day scenic trivia tour, through wine country, stopping for delightful refreshments and fun and games with trivia and a time trial hill climb to Mt Tamborine. Sunday's

stunning trophies, at the end of a really fun day. It's common for displayed vehicles to be offered for sale, so come along ... you may pick up a bargain, or the start of your collection or the missing model in a series.

YouTube Please watch - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7N5ZTUQiBbY&feature=youtu.be



# A DAY IN THE COUNTRY **PEAK CROSSING** Sunday 26th August 2018



**Mustang Owners Club (Qld)** members are invited to a Charity Day on Sunday 26th August 2018 at Peak Crossing from 10am onwards.

All funds raised go to The Rotary Club of Fassifern Valley.

This is a unique opportunity for selected car clubs to mix with other like minded car enthusiasts, without general public, to view a spectacular range of cars whilst supporting a great charity.

Rotary Club will be serving refreshments including morning tea (the lamingtons are scrumptious) and a bbq lunch at nominal cost. Your support of their efforts is greatly appreciated. A mobile coffee van will also attend.

Entry fee at the gate will be a donation of \$20 per car.

Please RSVP before Tues 31st July 2018 to:

Contact: Jean Vincent Email: jean.vincent3@icloud.com

In you acceptance please advise the vehicle you will attend in, year of manufacture, colour and how many participants.

Entry is restricted to 200 cars on a first come basis. An early reply ensures you don't miss out on this great event and we look forward to your acceptance as soon as possible.

MOCA Sanction No. S18265084

# Willowbank Auto Spectacular – 22<sup>nd</sup> of April.

What an awesome day out. MOCA Qld was represented by nine Mustangs at this event. The weather was predicted to be 70% chance of rain for the day. Luckily the weather bureau got it wrong again. We arrived at 7am and it promised to be a beautiful day. Clouds on the horizon – not a drop of rain in sight. It remained that way all day.

Auto-Spectacular! Wow – cars of every breed (classic and new). Must have been nearly 1000 cars / bikes! We arrived and parked our ponies alongside a fellow member (Ken March) who had travelled all the way from Bundaberg via Stanthorpe. Ken said his 66 red coupe did not miss a beat on the journey. Ken was made feel welcomed and was introduced to all members who attended on the day. Great to see a regional member join with us on the day. We wandered through the myriad of cars and were in awe of the amount of money that some people spend on their vehicles.

There was an entrant who displayed his classic, the first car I ever had, a Datsun 1600 (this is where my love affair with cars all began) and I relived the memories of this classic car. First cars are like first girlfriends / first boyfriends – you never forget them!

Attached to the acres of display vehicles was a "SWAP" meet – we wandered through the maze of car parts and memorabilia – bargains galore!

Heaps to see and do - a great day out.

Keep on Mustanging!

Barry Lane.





### More Lexophile Trivia

This girl today said she recognized me from the Vegetarians Club, but I'd swear I've never met herbivore

I know a guy who's addicted to drinking brake fluid, but he says he can stop any time.



Ford Mustang will return to the Bathurst Prod Mustang will return to the Bathurst Ford Australia announced it will officially rejoin the Supercar championship next year: Campaigned by the Dick Johnson Racing Team Penske and Tickford Racing in next year's championship, the Mustang will start the season at the Adelaide 500. For Ford racing legend Johnson, it is a returion of sorts, as he drove a Mustang to fourth place in the J986 Bathurst 1000 under Australian Touring Car Championship regulations. Ford withdrew from Supercars in 2015.

Ford withdrew from Supercars in 2015. The return to the track was announced in tandem with the launch of Ford Australia's new performance division, which will sell sportier versions of the Mustang, Fiesta and Ranger.

The brand has resisted calls from Supercar teams to allow the Mustang to race in Australia but local boss Graeme Whickman says he launched the plan after regulations were



amended to let two-doors race in the series. "There's been a lot of speculation and calls for Mustang to be on the track, and as a Ford Performance model that's raced around the world, it's fitting that Australia's most popular

The Mustang was a familiar sight at

sports car should be on our race tracks,"

Whickman said.

Australian racetracks in the 1960s when Ian Geoghegan won three successive titles piloting the original Pony Car in 1967-69. Alan Moffatt then had an amazing strike

rate with the Trans-Am Mustang in the improved production ATCC, winning 101 of 151 races from 1969 to 1974.

Its return will add lustre to the performance brand, which will fettle the Ranger Raptor (inset) dual-cab ute that goes on sale late this year and the Focus ST hot hatch due in 2019. On arrival in Australian showrooms in 2016,

the Mustang immediately became our most popular sports car. Ford has sold more than 1600 examples so far this year, accounting for nearly half of the under-\$80,000 segment's sales. The Ranger has also been a standout success

for the brand. Last year, it was the second-best selling vehicle in the country, more than filling the gap left by the locally made Falcon. The Ranger Raptor will join the Mustang on

the track next year as the official recovery vehicle for the Supercars series. The Fiesta ST uses a 1.5-litre three-cylinder

(147kW/290Nm) and six-speed manual gearbox to drive the front wheels, making it an obvious competitor for the Volkswagen Polo GTI.

Ford Performance aims to fill our appetite for performance cars — Australia is among the leading markets for Mercedes-AMG and BMW M performance cars and VW's Golf GTI makes up roughly a quarter of Golf sales.

Ford Performance uses using lightweight components, aerodynamic kits and engine enhancements to produce sportier versions of regular road-going cars.

Dick Johnson says the Mustang deal is "music to my ears... It's great to be back in the Ford fold, and we'll continue to ensure that we give Ford — and its millions of fans something to cheer about." Craig Duff and Richard Blackburn

# We better start drinking petrol! Get out and drive!

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### Think a gallon of petrol is expensive?

This makes one think, and also puts things into perspective. Diet Snapple, 16 oz,  $$1.29 \dots $10.32$  per gallon! Starbuck's Reg. Coffee 16 oz,  $$2.10 \dots $16.80$  per gallon! Lipton Ice Tea, 16 oz,  $$1.19 \dots $9.52$  per gallon! Gatorade, 20 oz,  $$1.59 \dots $10.17$  per gallon! Ocean Spray, 16 oz,  $$1.25 \dots $10.00$  per gallon! Brake Fluid, 12 oz,  $$3.15 \dots $33.60$  per gallon! Vick's NyQuil, 6 oz,  $$8.35 \dots $178.13$  per gallon! Pepto Bismol, 4 oz,  $$3.85 \dots $123.20$  per gallon! Whiteout, 7 oz,  $$1.39 \dots $25.42$  per gallon! Scope, 1.5 oz,  $$0.99 \dots $84.48$  per gallon!

And these are the REAL KICKERS. Evian water, 9 oz , \$1.49 ...\$21.19 per gallon! \$21.19 for a gallon of WATER!! and the buyers don't even know the source!! (Evian spelled backwards is Naive.) Ever wonder why computer printers are so cheap? So they can hook you up for the ink. Someone calculated the cost of the ink; you won't believe it but it's true: \$5,200 a gal. \$5,200 A GALLON!!!

So, the next time you're at the pump, be glad your car doesn't run on Water, Scope, Whiteout, Pepto Bismol, NyQuil or, *God forbid*, Printer Ink!!!!!

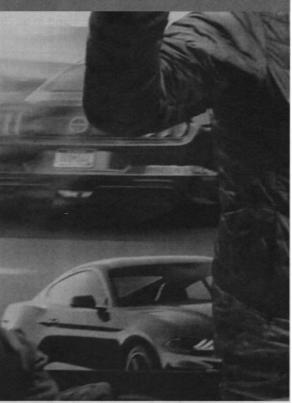
# The Rock inadvertently leaks existence of future 2018 Ford Mustang Bullitt

W ill there be another **Bullitt Mustang** in the near future? There could be, if we base our conclusions on the recent accidental leak of the new Ford Mustang Bullitt's existence.

Hitting the big screen in 1968, Bullitt is definitely one of the epic and classic films ever shown. Its iconic importance has been cemented by the fact that it was selected in 2007 for preservation in the United States National Film Registry by the Library of Congress, as Bullitt is "culturally, historically, or aesthetically significant."

Sharing the same legend as the film's main protagonist (Police Lieutenant Frank Bullitt, played by Steve McQueen) is the car that he drove during the now epic car chase – a 1968 Ford Mustang GT. Commonly called as the Mustang Bullitt, this epic car has been resurrected many times in forms of commemorative editions in 2001 and 2009. Ford built 5,582 examples of the Mustang Bullitt in 2001 and followed it up with 816 units in 2009. Because of its epic status, it is no wonder that motorists from a whole new generation are still excited about the prospect of a new Mustang Bullitt appearing in the near future. However, Ford has been silent on whether there is indeed an endeavour to recreate a Mustang Bullitt, as derived from the latest generation of the Ford Mustang.

Here came **Dwayne Johnson** -- who is better known as **The Rock** – and his usual antics. Johnson recently uploaded a short video clip (running for around five minutes and 40 seconds) in his YouTube channel describing his experience at a Ford facility in Detroit. The video is essentially some sort of behind-the-scene clip for Johnson, who is



shooting some scenes for a couple of commercials for Ford. But it turned out that his clip inadvertently leaked the existence of an upcoming Ford Mustang Bullitt – thanks to a member of the Mustang6G forums.

If you want to see the leak, please jump to the 3:07 mark of the video. From there to the 3:13 mark, you could notice some posters on the background. A few of these posters show a dark green Ford Mustang. This Mustang seems to be the current model, judging from its front and rear ends. At first, you may think that this is regular Mustang just wrapped in a colour similar to that of the 1968 Bullitt Mustang. But, a closer inspection on the badge mounted on the centre section of the car's rear end reveals a familiar logo. Yes, it is the crosshair-style Bullitt badge!

If indeed this is the new Mustang Bullitt, the question would be when Ford might commence its sales. The answer could never be simpler – 2018. Why? It is simply because 2018 marks the golden anniversary of the Bullitt film, thus that epic car chase will soon be celebrating its 50th birthday. For now, Ford might be silent about it, but we believe that it is planning to launch the new Mustang Bullitt as a commemorative 50th anniversary model.

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