



# Horsin' Around

Mustang Club of  
Mid-Michigan

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## Member Profile: Jeff & Lori Amo

**M**any of you have seen Jeff's car before... '91 Fox body, lights under the hood... well, Jeff and his wife Lori have a new toy now. A 2006 Roush with 13,586 miles that he recently purchased from eBay. It's an automatic five speed that Jeff added wheels and a decal scheme.

body, under body red, white, and blue lighting. Along with these upgrades, he added a larger radiator, turbo blankets, and exhaust wraps.



*Keep an eye out for Jeff and Lori's newest*

*addition at any of our summer events!!*

Along with this new addition to the corral, Jeff has recently added more to the light scheme that he has in his '91 Fox



## Club Mourns Loss of Longtime Member

Gregg J. Glaviano, age 58, from Flushing, Michigan died suddenly March 19<sup>th</sup> at his winter home in Surprise, Arizona. He was born June 2, 1952 in Corry, Pennsylvania where he resided until September of 1976 when he moved to Saginaw, Michigan to work for GM Saginaw Steering Gear. He retired from GM in 1996. He was a volunteer for the Citizens Patrol Group of the Surprise Police Department for 10 years. He had a great love

of Mustangs and has served as club Treasurer as well as Car Show Chairman.



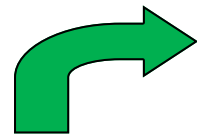
Gregg's wonderful unique sense of humor and big

heart will keep him in the memory of his many friends in Arizona, Michigan and Pennsylvania. He will be forever missed.

In lieu of flowers the family has asked that memorials be made to the Juvenile Diabetes Fund.

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### Looking Forward...

Mustang Modifications

A redux of this newsletter?

## President's Corner: Busy 2011!

It is with great sadness that we report that fellow member, Gregg Glaviano passed away on March 19th. We express our condolences to Mary, and all of Gregg's family.

Gregg was one of our long-time members, and served the club well through the years, including executive board positions like Car Show Chairman. Gregg was passionate about his Mustangs and the club, always looking for ways to make us a better club. Please see Gregg's obituary, elsewhere in the newsletter. God gives, and He takes away, sooner than we want, but always in **His** time. We will miss you, Gregg.

As we wake up from this long winter, and turn our thoughts to Spring and getting out our steeds (for those of you lucky enough to be able to store yours over the cold season), we are anxious to get ready for the show season. Keep an eye on our Web site and our Facebook page for full information on events that we have coming up. There is a LOT going on this year to get involved in!

First, at our April membership meeting on the 18th, we are planning to have as our guest speaker, Karen Gatlin, news co-anchor at TV12. She will be filling us in on her experiences with Flint's Back to the Bricks and the Lincoln Highway tour. As part of the program, she

plans to have some video of last years' events. Plan to come early to get a good seat - you can have dinner! We will have an Executive Board meeting at 6:00.

Next, we're getting ready for the 7th Annual Armed Forces Day Show and Shine, sponsored by Saginaw Valley Ford, Culver's Restaurant, and our MCMM. The date is May 21st (10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.) at the new location in the Culver's parking lot on Bay Road, Saginaw.

Then, looking farther ahead, there is the Be Cool Show on July 8th and 9th. The MCMM will be in charge of the pre-cruise and post-cruise parking on Friday night. We'll need a good turn out to help with this event.

Finally, we are including in the newsletter, and on the web site, the 2011 Sponsorship form and Letter. Make copies, take them to area businesses that might be able to support our show or the club in general. See what you can do to get at least one local business as a sponsor.

What a start to the fun part of the year. Ladies and Gentlemen, start your Mustangs!!!

**President Tom Welsh**

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## Annual Frostbite Tour Heads South!

This year our frost bite tour is scheduled for May 7th. and we're heading South to Ypsilanti where we will visit not one but two different museums. The first museum we stop at is the Ypsilanti Automotive Heritage Museum located in the last Hudson dealership in the world. After visiting this museum we just walk across the street to the Sidetrack Bar and Grill for lunch. This restaurant has a very colorful history and is one of the oldest establishments in the area. Here you will get a 15% discount on your meal and beverages. After lunch we can either walk the two blocks to our next destination or drive to the Michigan Firehouse Museum. The firehouse has vintage fire trucks and equipment galore and you will be amazed what you'll learn on this guided tour. If you're not interested in visiting the second museum you can visit some of the local shops in the area.

Here is the itinerary:

Meet at the Clio McDonalds at 9:45am....we leave here at 10:00 so don't be late.

Arrive at the Ypsilanti Automotive Heritage Museum at 11:15.

Lunch between 12:00 and 1:30

Arrive at the Firehouse Museum approximately 1:45.

We'll leave the Ypsilanti area around 3:00 pm.

The last stop will be at the M-59 exit to gas up and maybe get a coke and rehash the trip.

Both museums charge \$5.00 per person, but I'm working on getting a reduction in the cost of the Firehouse museum. To RSVP, contact Lon (248) 521-1390 or Quentin, (989) 553-5766

*Now, get out in the garage and change the oil, check the tire pressure, and dust off the old Stang for our first stampede of the year!*

## April 2011 Meeting Agenda (4-18-11)

Call to order 7 p.m.

**Guest Speaker Karen Gatlin (ABC News Channel 12)**

Introduction of new members

Proxy Report

Receive Treasurer's Report

### COMMITTEE REPORTS

Property Report

OPEN

Membership

OPEN

Historian

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MCA Regional Directors Report

Quentin Levitte

Bylaws / Constitution

D. Lebsack / T. Welsh

Social Activities Chairperson

Lon Hetchler

MCMM Annual Show

Del Zimmerman

MCMM Sponsorship Program

Tom Welsh

Adjourn and 50/50 drawing



## Member Birthdays

April 13	Nancy Grahl
April 14	Midea Porterfield
April 15	Linda Kabobel
April 17	Nita Johnson
April 18	Robert Clark
April 19	Ray Coats
April 16	Jim Ostrom



**What year is this "car"? Do an online search for "[Lego Mustang](#)" and click on the first picture you see to find out more!!**



## Membership Meeting Minutes (March 21, 2011)

**M** **EETING CALLED** to order by President Tom Welsh at 7:00 pm. Those in attendance were: Dell Zimmerman, Brett and Midea Porterfield, Diane Williams, Quentin and Pat Levitte, Susan and Dean Campbell, Dave Baker, Larry Blymer, Gary Strappazon, Bob and Gina Dillenbeck, and Steve Caesar. A proxy was accepted from Dick Lebsack to Tom Welsh.

We are sorry to report the death of long time MCMM member Gregg Glaviano. Gregg was a loyal supporter of the Mustang Club of Mid-Michigan. He contributed many hours of his time and labor to the club. He helped get the club back on a good financial base serving as Treasurer and car show chairperson. He will be missed.

*MCMM FEBURARY 2011 MINUTES APPROVED AS WRITTEN.*

**COMMITTEE REPORT:** We have three positions open: Club Property, Historian, and Membership Chairman.

**MISCELLANEOUS:** KAREN GATLIN NEWSPERSON FOR ABC

CHANNEL 12, WILL BE AT OUR APRIL 18<sup>TH</sup> MEETING. She will be talking about the 2011 Back to the Bricks Car Show. She will also be covering the Back to the Bricks Michigan Mitten Tour on June 17<sup>th</sup> to June 26<sup>th</sup>.

**NON-PROFIT:** Tom Welsh, Lon Hetchler, and Midea Porterfield have been putting in many hours to straighten this out. We are incorporated in the State of Michigan as a non-profit corporation in good standing; however we are not recognized by the IRS. There were more papers to be filed with the IRS. Tom and Lon are working with Wilson W. Hall & Assoc. in Bay City to fix this problem.

*Annual Frostbite Tour:* May 7<sup>th</sup> Meeting in Clio at McDonald's (off of M-57 and I-75) at 9:45 a.m., and go to Ypsilanti. We will visit two museums and also have lunch. On the way back, a pit stop will be made at the M-59 interchange. Both museums are \$5.00 each. Contact Lon at (248)-521-1390 or Quentin at (989)-673-4514.

*Annual "Armed Forces Day" Show and Shine:* May 21<sup>st</sup>, Culver's Restaurant, 5369 Bay Rd. Saginaw. We welcome cars, trucks, vans and

SUVs. For more information, call Ron at (989) 482-1648 or Dick at (989) 631-9536.

E-MAIL from Car Show in WAWA Ontario July 22-23. For more information, please see Tom Welsh.

*Back to the Bricks, Flint, August 16<sup>th</sup> to August 20<sup>th</sup>.*

**MCMM 2011 ALL FORD CAR SHOW, DIXIE MOTOR SPEEDWAY 10945 DIXIE HWY. BIRCH RUN. SUNDAY SEPT 18<sup>TH</sup> 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** Advanced Auto Parts expressed an interest in participating with our 2011 show. They offered many ways to help us with advertising the show that would be very advantageous to our club. Advance Auto is very active in the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation. A motion was made and carried to make the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation the MCMM's charity for our annual car show.

Meeting adjourned at 8:30

Secretary Diane Williams



**Hey... check this out!!!!  
Thanks Tom for the link!!**

<http://www.richhumor.com/wp-filez/PerhapstheBestFordCommercia.wmv>



## MCOMM Treasurer's Report for March 2011

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ment:  
February  
2011

	INCOME	EXPENSE	BALANCE
Beginning Balance			11232.67
<b>Income Deposits</b>			
Dues	120		40
Dues	50		80
Dues	20		40
BALANCE OF DEPOSITS			190
<b>Expenses</b>			
Seattle Seven	Web Site Management	487.50	
State Farm	Trailer Insurance	22.00	
TOTAL OF EXPENSES		509.50	
February Balance			10913.17

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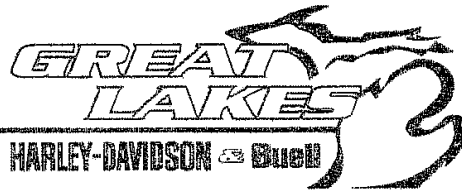
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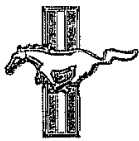
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# Wheels & Walleye Weekend



**April 29th & 30th 2011**

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**7:15 p.m. Line Up At**

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**Saturday 9a.m.**

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## Classifieds

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Business Card advertisements cost \$25 per year and start during the month of the first ad.

**For Sale:** 2011 Mustang Convertible, **LOW LOW MILE-AGE**, MCA Package (billet grille with tri-Pony badge), six speed auto, SIRIUS, call (989) 791-5020 for details.

**For Sale:** 1990 Convertible LX 5.0, Stock, 28,000 miles. E-mail Cornal Ridgell at [Ridgelldmd@sbcglobal.net](mailto:Ridgelldmd@sbcglobal.net).

**For Sale:** 1997 Saleen, moonlight blue exterior/grey interior, S35 IR C.I., Saleen Modified Cobra Intake, Crane Gold Roller Rockers, number 10 out of 39 made, **MANY extras!!** \$31,900. Call 989-894-0790 for more information.

**For Sale:** 1965 Coupe, six cylinder, three speed, factory air, forest green (black & red interior), \$8,700. Call Duane Shugart at 231-223-3419 or [dorseys-gl@charter.net](mailto:dorseys-gl@charter.net).

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