



# HOOF BEATS

*The Monthly Newsletter of the GRMC*

**\*\*\* Club Dues are due by March 8th! \*\*\***



Just some of the 35 cars to participate in the Frozen Pony Show.  
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FIRST ANNUAL FROZEN PONY SHOW

The Frozen Pony turned out to be one hot number. I said a car show in February could expect maybe 10 cars if the weather was good. Patrick said 20 would be closer. Very little advertising, limited trophies, small club....boy were we wrong. 35 cars entered the show, five more were there and not entered. We were blessed with a great February day. Mazzy's was caught off guard and short of staff for all the folks. Thanks to everyone for their patience with the waitresses. Evidently lots of Mustang lovers read out newsletter because half the folks were not members. I enjoyed talking with people I had not seen in at least 5 years.

The show was rich in stories, I was catching up on old times. Let me tell y'all about a black 65 2+2 out Stone Mountain way. The owner worked in the shop facilities at Delta. He installed a Chevrolet engine in the car and a plexiglass hood so everyone could see it. The air cleaner stuck up out of the hood, very slightly. It had more trick, custom machined parts and unique engineering than most of today's street rods. Tom took a test ride in the car, no doors or seatbelts as it was still being finished. When the driver shifted to second, the windshield trim popped off as the body twisted under the torque. Tom was holding on for dear life. Well, the unnamed owner of the car was at the show. It has a Ford motor now and is being re-restored. I had only met him briefly in the early 80's, but he was at the show and remembered me. Tom? He passes a year or so ago so the incriminating names shall remain a mystery.

I ran into several other old friends and shared some neat stories. One gentleman has two Shelys. One has been in storage for years, maybe decades. The other was restored and he drove it once in a while. When I asked where it was, he said in the top of the barn with the other cars cause folks were bothering him about it.

They are making a new movie in South Georgia. Takes place in the mid 70's and the movie company was looking for 4 door 75 – 76 four door LTD's.

Did you see the:

- GT 500 KR Limited Edition
- Jason's racer
- Black Widow Custom

If not, check out the GRMC website for pictures.

Trophies were presented to three winners:

- Greg Zelazak won Mazzy's Choice
- Calvin Pate won President's Choice
- George Gast won Popular Vote

Mazzy's wants another small show at the March meeting and is on board for a bigger one this summer. Let's call it Spring Mustang Warm- up show. How about the same format? The year is starting out great, lets keep the momentum.

- Lee Mathias



FROM THE GARAGE

I would like to start out by thanking everyone who came out to our Frozen Pony Car Show. I would also like to give a "Big Thank You" to Lee and Gail for setting the show up and Rivers Carroll for Hosting us at Mazzy's Sports Bar. The turnout was great and I enjoyed talking to everyone. The March Meeting was changed by the board members to **Sunday March 8th at Mazzy's in Marietta**. The NASA event at Road Atlanta March 14-15th will be an optional event for any members interested. Saturday they are hosting a car show as well as the open track events. Jason and I will be there running and would love to have folks join us. Road Atlanta is a great facility so pack a picnic and join us for the day. The club is also looking for people to set up a display at AJC Autoshow at the World Congress Center. We were invited to set up and display some of our cars. Anyone interested please get in touch with Calvin Pate. The Drag Day at Atlanta Dragway was rained out Feb. 28th, but fear not we'll have another drag day here soon. I have been in negotiations with Calhoun Club about co hosting an event at Paradise Dragstrip. More details to follow.

I am very pleased with the direction of the club at this point. The officers have made a strong commitment to the club and have been working hard to turn the corner and get this club on the right track. I hope the strong turnout in February was the membership showing approval. The officers of the club would love to hear your suggestions for upcoming events. I have made the request that the club try and plan all events at least 3 months in advance. I also want to encourage people to speak up in the meetings. This is your club and I would be willing to bet someone else is sitting in the meeting thinking the same thing. The change of meeting locations this month was in part made due to the lack of enthusiasm from the club members at the meeting. We need to know what you would like from the club.

Lee has received the GRMC Decals and they look great. We will be handing them out at the next meeting. One free with each paid membership and additional ones will be \$1.00 each and will *only be available at meetings and GRMC events*.

Anyone headed to the Barber Event, I encourage you to post your itinerary on Facebook so other folks can possibly caravan or meet up with you in Alabama. For those new to the hobby, the Barber event will be 3 days of roughly 5,000 mustangs – both show cars and race cars, in one of the most beautiful places built. The Barber Motorsports Park is a beautiful place and makes for one heck of a show. Fun Ford or Battle of the Brands will also be here soon. If your planning on attending please post that as well so others can join in.

Happy Mustanging!!!

- Patrick Kelley

GRMC TREASURY UPDATE

*What We've Deposited To Date:*

\$1095.00            Many Renewals, 6 New Members, & Proceeds from the Frozen Pony Show

*We've Spent:*

\$42.63            Re-Order Club Checks

\$378.23           GRMC Crest Decals

\$420.86            Total Expenses for February 2009

MARCH MEETING MADNESS

Due to all the events going on this month, we have moved the March meeting to **Sunday, March 8th**. The meeting will be held at Mazzy's in Marietta at 3:00. *However*, we will be having another impromptu show as well as NASCAR games! If you are interested in entering this meeting's show, participants are asked to show up at 12:30. This is also the weekend for the *100th race at the Atlanta Motor Speedway* and members are welcome to watch the race on the myriad of TVs Mazzy's has. This is the last chance to participate in a GRMC shindig like this until **June!**

MEMBER SPOTLIGHT



This month our spotlight is on George Gast. Originally from Brooklyn, he and his wife Yvonne now reside in Douglasville, Georgia, along with their dog "Rocky". George works as a machinist, and Yvonne is an interpreter for the hearing impaired.

George's current pride and joy is a 1987 Saleen Mustang (1 of 24 with it's gray color combination that year). The car underwent a total ground-up restoration in only 6 weeks, thanks in large part to the help of Patrick Kelley. It is an occasional driver and show car, but don't let it's pretty face mislead you. The supercharged engine turns out 510 rear wheel horsepower, without using the nitros.

George is a very active member, and really enjoys his Mustangs and Saleens.

- Randy Moore

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 FEBRUARY MEETING NOTES & OTHER CLUB BUSINESS

Pioneer Ford in Bremen has stepped forward to possibly sponsor the club and provide a new show location. A tentative date around the first weekend of October has been proposed.

June 20th is the GRMC "Dega Day" at Little Talledega road coarse. Contact Jason Swenk ([jason@atlantamustangclub.com](mailto:jason@atlantamustangclub.com)) if interested.

The GRMC will be participating in the Barber Motorsports 45th Mustang Anniversary celebration. Volunteers are needed. Please contact Joe Krumpelman ([jkrumpelman@att.com](mailto:jkrumpelman@att.com)) or Patrick Kelly ([pbkelley@bellsouth.net](mailto:pbkelley@bellsouth.net)) if interested. Details on caravans and meeting places are forthcoming. There will be a drive-in on Friday, April 17th: *"Save the date to socialize with other Mustang enthusiasts, view movie-themed Mustangs, and watch up to four Mustang movies like Gone in 60 Seconds, Bullitt, Death Race, and Transformers. The event will be catered and there will be a cash bar. I'll keep you posted!"*

*Brad Barnett.*

[The Mustang Source](#)  
205.936.2583"

**Club dues of \$15 are due by the March meeting.**

**We will NOT be having an April Meeting due to the events @ Barber.**

If you have any **pictures of past Mustang events** you want displayed on the club website, please email them to Liz Reeder ([lizreeder@gmail.com](mailto:lizreeder@gmail.com)). If you have them on a disk, you can also drop them by the regular monthly meeting.

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 GRMC MARCH EVENTS

**MARCH MEETING**

*March 8th @ 3:00pm.*  
Mazzy's Marietta

**POT-O-GOLD (SEE PAGE 9)**

*March 13-15*  
NASA/Road Atlanta  
Car Show Sat. 15th  
Admission \$10  
Patrick Kelley  
[pbkelley@bellsouth.net](mailto:pbkelley@bellsouth.net)

**AJC AUTOSHOW (SEE NEXT PAGE)**

*March 14-22*  
Georgia World Congress Center  
Calvin Pate  
[cpate@harrisoncontracting.com](mailto:cpate@harrisoncontracting.com)

**13th Annual Cherry Blossom Festival**

*March 28th*  
Macon, GA  
Calvin Pate  
[cpate@harrisoncontracting.com](mailto:cpate@harrisoncontracting.com)

**CHATTANOOGA AUTO CROSS**

*March 28, 2009*  
Test and Tune  
Dade County High School  
*March 29, 2009*  
March Madness Solo  
Dade County High School  
[www.rivergate5speed.com](http://www.rivergate5speed.com)  
Lee Mathias  
[shelbysailor@yahoo.com](mailto:shelbysailor@yahoo.com)

There will be a caravan leaving the McDonald's @ I-75 & Exit 288 *precisely* at 8:00am **both days**. Contact Lee Mathias if you have any questions.

## AJC AUTO SHOW

We are proud to announce that GRMC has been asked to participate in the 27th Annual AJC Autoshow sponsored by the Metro Atlanta Automobile Dealers Association (MAADA). This show is recognized as one of the Top 10 Auto Shows in the United States with a display floor covering approximately 600,000 square feet. This year's event opens on Saturday March 14 at the World Congress Center and will include over 600 automobiles representing 38 different manufacturers.

On display will be concept cars, 2010 vehicle debuts and a host of new and exciting attractions. GRMC has committed to displaying 6-7 of our member's vehicles for the show which runs until Sunday March 22. As of this release we still have 2 spots available. For those that are interested in showing their cars, please email Calvin Pate ([cpate@harrisoncontracting.com](mailto:cpate@harrisoncontracting.com)) Any member displaying their vehicle will be given 10 passes to the show. Setup for the show will occur on the afternoon of March 12 and the vehicle will have to be displayed until the show closes on March 22. We would like some members to be present to help keep eyes on things and be there to answer any questions about the club or MCA. Free Tickets for workers!

1. Security is handled in the building by actual police officers and not security guards. People are prevented from touching the cars by use of a tensa barrier. Dave Tribble with Metro Atlanta Automobile Dealers Association will be our contact.
2. All cars need to have an 1/8 of a tank of fuel or less and the battery must be disconnected once inside the building. We will also need to leave a key to our vehicle with Dave in case of emergency.
3. The display card will be approximately 8"x10". A name and short description of vehicle (i.e. 2007 Shelby Mustang GT500) is recommended.

If anyone is interested in attending the show as a group, contact Lee Mathias ([shelbysailor@yahoo.com](mailto:shelbysailor@yahoo.com)/678-986-1656).

For more information on the show please visit their website at [www.ajcautoshow.com](http://www.ajcautoshow.com)

AREA CRUISE-INS & EVENTS

**Area Cruise-Ins:**

**Every Saturday:**

*Chamblee, GA*

Donut Derelicts at

Dandy Donuts. 8:30am-11:00am.

Info: Mike Dailey 770-458-3262

**First Saturday:**

*Villa Rica, GA*

Ingles Shopping Center.

Info: Paul Debick

770-832-9857

*Cartersville, GA*

Town Square

Downtown Cartersville

5pm –9pm

Usually has live music and most of the restaurants are open.

**First Sunday:**

*Marietta, GA*

Caffeine & Octane

"The Avenue" in East Cobb.

8:30am -11:00am.

Info: Frank 770-565-2281.

**Second Saturday:**

*Bremen, GA*

Tallapoosa St downtown.

Info: Raymond Priest

770-537-9157

*Marietta, GA*

Wendy's at Dallas Hwy &

Barrett Pkwy.

Info: Randy Cline

404-925-5099

**Third Saturday:**

*Canton, GA*

Riverstone Shopping Center.

Info: Ted Thomas

770-479-7637

*Villa Rica, GA*

Main Street downtown.

Info: Danny David

770-328-9663

Matt Careins

770-459-4628.

**Fourth Saturday:**

*Dallas, GA*

Downtown Dallas.

Info: Larry

770-445-1481

*Cartersville, GA*

Hwy 41 and Main Street.

Info: Ken Barrett

770-424-7639

Richard Chatham

770-974-0327

**MCA Regional Events:**

**45th Anniversary**

*Birmingham, AL*

Barber Motorsports

April 16-19, 2009

<http://www.mustangevents.org/>

*Indianapolis, IN*

June 4-7, 2009

*Raleigh, NC*

July 3-5, 2009

**GRMC Calendar:**

**MARCH MEETING**

*March 8th @ 3:00pm*

Mazzy's in Marietta

**APRIL MEETING**

No meeting scheduled due to the Anniversary events @ Barber.

**MAY MEETING**

*Saturday May 16th*

Gene Evans Ford

Tara Mustang Club Car Show

**JUNE MEETING**

*June 14th @ 3:00pm*

Mazzy's in Marietta

**GRMC TRACK DAY**

*Saturday June 20, 2009*

Talladega Grand Prix Raceway

[Sign Up](#)

Jason Swenk

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CLUB CLASSIFIEDS

FS Tremec 3550 Used Standard  
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 Patrick Kelley 404-966-4004  
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 \$50. 00  
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1" Addco front sway bar, fits 67 - 70 Mustangs, all  
 body styles. Low miles, one owner, includes all  
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 show car \$80  
 Lee Mathias 678 986 1656  
 (02/09)

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**T-SHIRTS: \$10. 00**  
**SWEATSHIRTS: \$15. 00**  
**HOODED SWEATSHIRTS: \$20:00**

MARCH EVENTS (CONTINUED)

*The Pot~O~Gold  
Car Show  
NASA HPDE & RACES  
March 13~15 2009  
Road Atlanta  
Car Show Saturday the 14th*



All Vehicles Welcomed

Cars and trucks before 1949, Stock, Restored, Modified, Full Custom.  
 Cars and trucks before 1959, Stock, Restored, Modified, Full Custom.  
 Cars and trucks before 1979, Stock, Restored, Modified, Full Custom.  
 Cars and trucks 1980 to 2010, Stock, Restored, Modified, Full Custom.  
 Special Corvette club show event.

\$30.00 entry fee per show car.  
 Support personnel of the car owner (limit 3) \$5.00 each.  
 Spectators \$10.00 each. Children under 10 free with a paid adult.  
 Vendor fee no power, \$25.00

Camping Available  
 Covered Displays and  
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NASA WEB SITE <http://www.nasa-southeast.com/2009Mar13.jsp>

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