



December 2008 Newsletter

Next Club Meeting

December 19th, 6PM Dinner & 7PM meeting
El Corral Restaurant, 4907 Southgate Drive

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Meeting Agenda

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Treasurer's Report
Old Business
New Business

Upcoming Events

International committees
Club Elections at the
December meeting
January club party!

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The Changing of the Guard

Well, it's December, and we all know what happens in December. (Okay, besides that!) It's election time! The yearly elections will be held at the December meeting, so you'd better BE there - or who knows what'll happen? At any rate, the people volunteering (so far) to fill the jobs are as follows: President: Monte Steffan; Vice President: Ryan Wittman; Secretary: Jody Bohlin; Treasurer: Randall Richert; Board members: Scott Hecker and Derek Dicks.

But volunteers or not, in order to fulfill the by-laws, these people will still have to be voted on. That means it's not too late to throw your hat in the ring! If you or anyone else would like to be considered for an office, please let Tom Secor know immediately, so we can get your name on the ballot! After the elections, of course, the new officers will take over in January.

Time to Re-Up

That's right. It's time to renew our yearly memberships. We're including a copy of the application form, so all you've got to do is fill it out, include your yearly dues, and then drop it off at the December meeting or mail it to the club at the address above.

The January Car Club Party

Well, you know the old saying: the more things change, the more they... change? Well, whatever the heck they say, the location for the January "Christmas" party has "moved" on us. This time, the decision was to meet at The Golden Phoenix, located at 527 West 24th Street. The party will be held on Saturday, January 17th at 6:00 PM. The menu is huge and even has an American food section. Prices range from \$7.95 to \$15.95. Also - please remember to bring a wrapped "white elephant" gift (one per person) to exchange. All in all, we're looking forward to a great night of visiting with great people, so please join us! But if you plan to attend, PLEASE let us know! Just send Sandy an email at sandjmueller@bresnan.net or call one of the officers.

"The Word" from The Prez

As outgoing President, I want to say "Thank you!" to everyone for all your help and support. I welcome the new officers and wish them the best in the coming year. Our club is growing and with the help of all of our members, our next big event will be a tremendous success. Work on the International is progressing nicely, and we have interest from people all around our region. There is still much to do, but we are on the fast track with just eight months to go, and we all should be proud of what has been accomplished to date. Again, good luck to all the new officers and board members!

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all!

A Strange Christmas Eve!

It was the night before Christmas, and all through the place.
Not a creature was stirring, except our cat, "Ace."

I was heading for bed when I heard a loud roar.
So I threw on a jacket, and dashed out the door.

Then I looked to the sky, and I saw a bright glow.
It circled the town, like a loud UFO.

In a burst of white snow and explosion of light.
It stopped over my house - an incredible sight!

As the snow cleared away, there appeared, holy cripes!
A GT500! Red with white stripes!

The ragtop was latched down, the front seats set back.
And on the back of the car sat a gigantic sack.

It was packed with real goodies, at a glance you could tell.
There were toys and nice presents, but car stuff, as well!

The driver was dashing. His expression was cheered.
He wore a flashy red suit, and a fluffy white beard.

"Yeah, baby!" he yelled, and he patted the dash.
Then hopped out the car door, to the roof in a flash.

With something like magic, he bagged up some gifts.
Then dropped down the chimney, like a willow-the-wisp.

I could see him inside, zipping here and then there.
He was finished in no time, with minutes to spare.

Then back in the cockpit, he delayed not a while.
Just stepped on the throttle, and gave me a smile.

He sped out of sight, and yelled something twice.
What it was I can't say - the pipes sounded so nice!

I just stood there in awe, but I guess you'd see why.
Heck, I never knew... that Mustangs could **fly!**



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