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MAY 2026

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of the Orange County  
Mustang Club*

## ***MUSTANG ANNIVERSARY CRUISE TO RUBY'S DINER***



## **NORTH MEETS SOUTH POKER RUN & LUNCH**



## The Orange County Mustang Club

In 1987, a group of individuals who appreciated the beauty and performance of the Ford Mustang joined together to form the Orange County Mustang Club. Their purpose was to promote the restoration, preservation and enjoyment of the Ford Mustang. With this goal in mind, members get together monthly, promote car shows, hold social activities, cruise together, attend parades and join in other activities to foster the love of the Mustang. Any person who appreciates the Mustang, no matter what model or year is welcome to join our club. If you'd like to meet new friends and have fun, inquire with any member or go to: [OCMustangClub.com](http://OCMustangClub.com) for information about joining the club.

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Finances	
<b><u>As of May 2026</u></b>	
Starting Balance	\$19,043.57
Income	\$1,046.85
Expenses	\$754.28
Ending Balance	\$19,336.14
2026 Donations in Bank	\$112.00

**Charity Donations in 2025 = \$10,005**

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## MONTHLY EVENTS

- 1st **Sunday** - Cars & Coffee - Segerstrom Shelby Event Center - Irvine 7:30-9:30am
- 1st **Friday** - Elks Lodge Car Show - 7212 Melrose, Buena Park 4-8pm
- 3rd **Sunday** - Hwy 39 Event Ctr - Car Show & Breakfast - 1563 S State College Blvd, An: 10am-1pm
- Every **Friday** – Garden Grove Main Street - Car Show – Historic Main Street 5-8pm
- Every **Saturday** – Donut Derelicts - Corner of Adams & Magnolia, HB 6-8am

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

June 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026

40<sup>th</sup> Annual  
Huntington Beach Concours d' Elegance  
Family Car Show, featuring Classic Automobiles  
and Motorcycles.

The beautiful venue is at the HB Central Park directly behind the HB Library at 7111 Talbert Ave. The event will feature Dave Kunz, KABC-TV Channel 7 automobile expert, as Grand Marshal, live entertainment by Aprile Deanne DJ/Vocalist, model trains for the kids, good food and interesting vendors.

*Saturday and Sunday will feature Classic Cars, Motorcycles, Hot Rods, and Custom Cars.*

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UP COMING EVENTS	
5/16	Shelby Tribute car show at Segerstrom
5/17	MOCC Car Show at Warner Center Park
5/20	Chat 'N Chew at Denny's, Santa Ana
5/23	Strawberry Festival Parade
6/6	Huntington Beach Car Show
6/7	Steve McQueen Car Show at Boy's Republic
6/10	General Meeting at Zito's Pizza, Orange
6/13	Ford Cars & Coffee, Long Beach
6/17	Chat 'N Chew at Denny's, Santa Ana
7/8	General Meeting at Zito's Pizza, Orange
7/15	Chat 'N Chew at Denny's, Santa Ana
7/18	Lake Arrowhead Poker Run
8/12	General Meeting at Zito's Pizza, Orange
8/19	Chat 'N Chew at Denny's, Santa Ana

# MEMBERSHIP

Your membership supports the club so we can offer activities and events for you.

If your membership is due, you can send a check payable to the Orange County Mustang Club.

**OR** Pay online at: [OCMustangClub.com](http://OCMustangClub.com)  
Questions: Sharron Hennings (714) 222-1309

## MEMBERSHIPS DUE NOW OR SOON



### Tamara & Robert Sauer

#### 2 Sons: Robert Jr & Tanner

Tamara is enjoying her new Classic 1967 Coupe in an awesome Emerald Green. The entire family attended our annual picnic and met many of our members. They're looking forward to more fun with us.

### Alan Beezley

I'm looking forward to seeing Alan's 2024 Mustang GT Premium. The color is Caramelized Metallic Grey with matching silhouette dark grey stripes.

He also has a 1966 Mustang GT Fastback in Raven Black.

### Tom Correia

Tom has a 1967 Mustang. He found our website on the internet. Hopefully we'll see him and his pony soon.

Member Name	Mem #	Renewal Date
Bernard Alvano	1811	5/1/2026
Cindy & Tom Brenneman	1814	5/1/2026
Ron Burnette	2104	4/1/2026
Michael Castillo	2164	3/1/2026
Marcel Fuerst	2165	4/1/2026
Michael and Rosalind Kanter	2079	5/1/2026
Daniel Morgan	2062	2/1/2026
Tim & Gale Osborn	242	3/3/2026
Bill Rader	2171	5/1/2026
Thomas & Angie Reddick	1917	2/1/2026
Heather Risner	2170	5/1/2026
Juan & Yasmin Ruiz	2128	2/1/2026
Seth Sakamoto	2166	4/1/2026
Mark & Pamela Selawski	1605	5/1/2026
Bobbie & Haylie Sento	2021	4/1/2026
Les & Mary Zoller	2172	5/1/2026



**NEWS FLASH**

**MAY 16, 2026**



**OFFICIAL CARROLL SHELBY TRIBUTE  
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9:00am-1pm on Saturday May 16th. Streets of Irvine, California - 1-5 Whatney Irvine, CA

Hosted by the **Segerstrom Shelby Events Center**  
and **Hillbank Motors.**

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**Sunday**



**May 17th**



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# PRESIDENT'S THOUGHTS



What a way to kick off the year! Our rescheduled New Year cruise to Ruby's rooftop on PCH in Laguna was an absolute win—blue skies, perfect temps, and that gorgeous Pacific Ocean view.

The very next day, a bunch of us hit the Hi39 Event Center - such a fun spot. Quick reminder: if you're still figuring out Father's Day plans, Hi 39 has a full Prime Rib Brunch for only \$25. Yum!

The next weekend we headed North for a Poker Cruise hosted by the Mustang Owner's Club of California. After admiring Galpin's Private Collection, we cruised over to the Galpin Speed Shop. From there we cruised to a very private collection. This collector does not open to the public but let us visit his awesome collection of Cars, Neon Signs, Guitars, Hood Ornaments, and more. The third stop was at the Valley Relic Museum and equally as impressive. Hard to believe we've been doing cruises together for 20+ years, and the stops this time were seriously amazing.



First weekend of May was a double-feature: OCMC entered Orange May Parade, and then we followed it up with the annual OCMC Picnic the next day. Can't wait to share the highlights (and a few good stories) in the next issue!

Teri Sulser

Rudy and Deborah Zibes are the proud new owners of a 2026 Ford F150 Lariat 4x4 with FX4 package.



I just returned from the adventure of a lifetime. We spent three wonderful days in Washington, DC, where we watched the changing of the guard at Arlington National Cemetery, visited the war memorials and went to Fort McHenry. The Honor Flight Southland hosted the trip and took excellent care of us, assigning each veteran a wheelchair and a guardian for assistance. My daughter, Kelly, was my guardian. Best of all, the trip is free for all armed service veterans. The trip was amazing and wonderful and all veterans should consider putting it on their bucket list. I also want to thank all of my friends who contributed letters to my MAIL CALL.

Tom Sulser, US Navy veteran

# Annual Lake Arrowhead Poker Cruise

Poker hands are \$10 each. Members Buy 2, get one FREE!

**July 18, 2026, Saturday**



Enjoy lunch with the beautiful lake view from the deck at  
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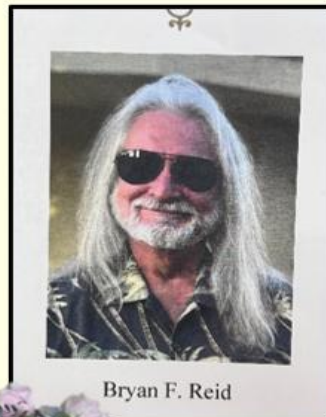
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Heather Lewis  
"Candy Corn"

*Rest in  
Peace,  
Dear  
Friends*



Bryan F. Reid



# CHAT and CHEW

## The 3rd Wednesday of each month

Chat and Chew 4/15/26

By Barb DeLong

We had a decent crowd for our April breakfast. They sat us indoors because a large group had the patio. The Denny's staff was challenged to keep up with a full restaurant, and they did very well. Jeff and Jeannie shared their latest edible arrangement—a gorgeous bouquet of “flowers” made from various colorful veggies with a cute little radish mouse among the blooms.

Be sure to join us next time on Wednesday, May 20<sup>th</sup> at 9 am, Denny's, 2314 E. 17<sup>th</sup> St., Santa Ana (the 55 and 17<sup>th</sup>).



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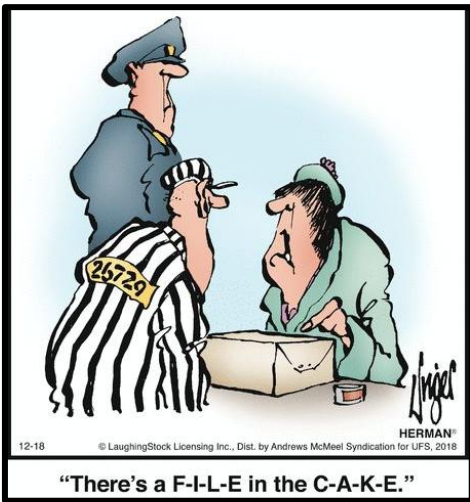
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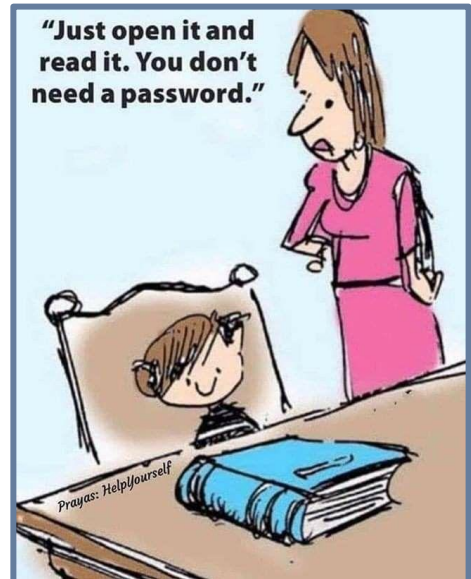


**Also fitness lessons with  
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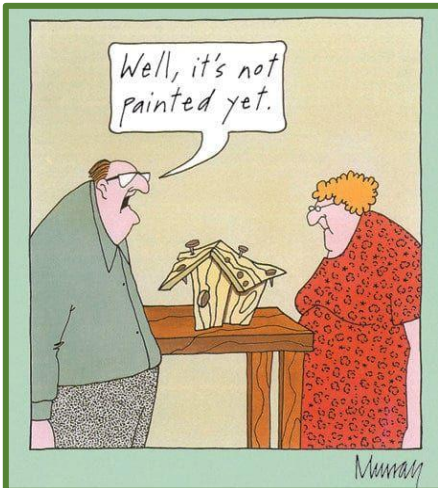


**LAUGH-A-LOT**

The boss was complaining in the company staff meeting the other day that he wasn’t getting any respect. The next day, he brought in a small sign that read: I’m the Boss! He then taped it to his office door. Later that day, when he returned from lunch, he found that someone had taped a note to the sign that said: Your wife called; she wants her sign back.



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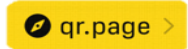
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- \* Meet new Friends that share the love of great cars
- \* Get FREE and DISCOUNTED entrance fees to events and picnics.
- \* FREE access to our Platform/Website with information and shared forums.
- \* EXCLUSIVE notification when companies need a specific car for their advertisements, product install, parades...
- \* Enjoy the best cake – FREE at our General Meetings

Orange County Mustang Club meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month @ 7pm  
at Zito's Pizza, 2036 N.Tustin St., Orange

**APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP**

Annual Membership Dues: \$35.00 (1 year) - \$60 (2 years). Membership includes a Primary and an Associate Member.

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Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #:(     ) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #:(     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Tell us about your CAR(S): \_\_\_\_\_ VET/Branch: \_\_\_\_\_

Car Year/Engine/Model Body/Color: \_\_\_\_\_

Car Year/Engine/Model Body/Color: \_\_\_\_\_

From whom or where did you hear about OCMC? \_\_\_\_\_

*All members are required to observe The Orange County Mustang Club bylaws and are required to comply with the Financial Responsibility Laws as prescribed by The State of California. The OCMC reserves the right to refuse membership to any person.*

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Register online: [www.OCMustangClub.COM](http://www.OCMustangClub.COM)

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