

## May 2011 Minutes

May's meeting was called to order at 7:35 p.m. and adjourned at 8:28 p.m. Clark, our treasurer, reported a current balance of \$2602.48.

Old business was the April meeting held at Mike's Classic Cars in Blair. Amber talked to Mike at the first Coffee Cruise In and Mike suggested having the meeting at his residence next year as he has several "new" classics stored there.

New business included club sweatshirts that are now available to order. Order forms were also available for the polo's, t-shirts and hats for those who wished to order any club attire.

Amber discussed the 2011 Veteran's Day Parade to be held November 5<sup>th</sup> in Bellevue. A raise of hands was shown to see if the club had enough interest to participate. Several hands were raised therefore Dean will work on registering the club to participate in the parade.

Amber spoke regarding selling Ford licensed merchandise at the club show in September on consignment. Acme Apparel contacted her and is offering Ford and Mustang apparel such as shirts and hats. The cost of the shirts runs \$10 and the club is able to determine how much they want to sell them for. Anything received over \$10 is purely club profit. The club only pays for the items sold. Any leftover merchandise is shipped back to the manufacturer free of charge as the manufacturer covers the shipping to and from the destination. A couple members would like to see samples of the merchandise they have to offer. Amber will contact them and report back at the June meeting.

Dale was approached at the Ashland car show on May 7<sup>th</sup> by a spectator passing out show fliers for the Maryville, KS car show. He was told that our club would be welcome to come and view their extensive Mustang "Boss" collection anytime. Several club members seemed interested and it was suggested to possibly do this on our annual fall cruise. Amber will get a little more information to see what dates and times work best.

The Sioux City Ford and Mustang show will be held on Saturday, May 21<sup>st</sup>. Members who would like to caravan to the show can meet at Hy-Vee on 156<sup>th</sup> and Maple (Coffee Cruise In location) at 8:30 a.m.

Amber spoke on the Midwest Ford and Mustang show Speedway museum tour. For those who register prior to June 30<sup>th</sup> you can attend the tour at a discounted cost of \$5 per person which is \$10 off the original price. The tour takes place Friday, July 8<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m.

The club received a letter from Zotwave car care products offering to come to a club meeting and do a demonstration on how their products work, pass out samples and coupons. Amber asked for a raise of hands to see how many members would be interested. Several, if not all, expressed interest in this so Amber will contact them and arrange a time during one of the future meetings to have them come out.

The 32<sup>nd</sup> annual O'Reilly's Auto Parts Hot Rod Super Nationals will be held May 27<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> at the Lancaster event center in Lincoln.

Duane updated everyone on legislation 698 regarding changing labeling requirements on gas pumps across the state. The legislation was shot down therefore labels will remain on pumps informing consumers of what they are putting in their vehicles or gas tanks.

Dan reminded those at the meeting that the Cubby's show n shine held in Bennington starts Friday, May 20<sup>th</sup>. The show is free and not judged but rather a get together of beautiful cars/bikes from 4:30 p.m. to dusk. Those who bring a car will receive free tickets for a brat or burger and drink. You are free to show up when you want and leave at your leisure. Cubby's puts this on once per month through August.

Tommy inquired as to if anyone planned to attend the Rocky Mountain Mustang show and Rally held in June. No one at the meeting planned to attend this year.

Rod inquired about the Freedom Cruise taking place in June. A local vet will possibly be in Omaha driving a 2011 Mustang GT. Details for those who are interested can be found on the MCA website.

Duane asked members if there are any particular events or outings they would like him to schedule. Many members expressed interest in going to the Midwest Motor Plex track on a Friday night and running their cars. Several other members expressed an interest in going to watch rather than participate. Jason will look at the schedule and report back to Duane regarding a day that would work best.

Dennis reminded members that dues are due in June for MCA. Membership runs \$50 per year and with that you will receive their monthly magazine. MCA provides insurance for 3 shows a year. Dennis also reminded members that we will be helping to park cars at the Midwest Ford Show in July. A sign up sheet will be available at the June meeting.

New members present at the meeting included Jack Siefers who owns a 1994 GT convertible, Jeff and Shawna Williams with a 1967 fastback and 2008 GT and Ron Hedeberg who owns a 2003 GT. John Christensen was also a guest at the meeting and owns a 1972 convertible that is currently for sale.