



September 2014 Newsletter

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Cure Kids Thankyou

Thank you so much to everyone that participated and supported our Cool Cars for Cure Kids on Saturday 16th of August. We had more cars than anticipated, a bigger crowd than hoped and raised more money than I could wish for. The weather was perfect, the cars looked amazing, great entertainment, and the crowd LOVED it. Above all else, we will proudly be handing over \$2,580 to Cure Kids Red Nose Day ... thanks to you! I am so grateful, and hope that you enjoyed the day as much as I did. I can think of some improvements, but all in all, an awesome inaugural event... bring on 2015!

To view the photos of the day visit the Facebook page. Feel free to tag yourselves if you LIKE our page. Cool Cars for Cure Kids Photos on facebook

Thanks again for your support for Cure Kids. We'd love to see you again soon at Bethlehem Town Centre ...

Leanne Brown



Informative Oil Info

I found out some time ago that most modern oils are not really suited to older engines like Mustangs as due to environmental reasons the Zinc content has been removed. Mustang engines up to I think late 1980s {when they went to roller type cam followers} were the flat tappet type cams that require Zinc additive for long life. However there are a couple of oil companies still making it, ELF oil have one called Retro 20w50 it contains higher levels of ZDDP & EP additives ELF's sister company Total have it also. If any members wanted some & had trouble finding it I can get it through my work as they are ELF agents.
Regards Ron Jones.

Mystery Run & Trivia

What a beautiful afternoon for a short run and then a chance to bend your brain with the trivia quiz. It is one of the rare occasions when we decide to have an afternoon run, but it does allow the blokes to earn a few brownie points and get a few chores done on a Sunday morning before giving the Mustang a wash or polish.

17 cars departed from the lakes for a short run to Te Puna to view a different type of car collection, different because of the 10 or so cars that he has they are all what he calls daily drivers. Each car has its turn of being the chosen for one for either a short run around town or for his regular weekend run to Whangamata.

Must be a hell of a hard decision on what to choose out of the Ferrari's, Alfa Romeo's, Jag's, or the special 67 Shelby.

Mark spoke about each of the cars and why he as an enthusiast bought each one and the history behind them. I can see why he is so passionate about all the cars as each had a very individual story or characteristics about how it drove.

The Mustang was amazing as it was a 1 owner when he bought it and that owner had kept a log book of every detail of every check or inspection (even weekly tyre pressure and oil checks). This log which has been beautifully prepared had detailed every cent that had been spent on the car. The car is in original condition in every way.

After admiring this beautiful collection of cars and the impressive garaging he has accommodated them in, we cruised back to the Greerton RSA where we settled in for the trivia quiz session. After drawing a number each person was teamed up with 3 others (a great way to meet and chat with new members). We had 7 teams participating, the quiz was made up of 9 rounds of 10 questions from a wide and varied range of subjects.

While there are always participants who will question the answers it was the round on Mustangs I was worried about, but in hind site I believe everyone was there for a fun night out and the debate was light hearted.

On completion of the quiz we totalled up and was very surprised to find the results were very close with only a couple of points separating the first 4 teams. Prizes were handed out to the winning team and a lot of lucky spot prize winners.

Names of winners have not been included in this report as at the end of the day I believe everyone was a winner as we all got to mix with different members and I am sure we all went away a lot more knowledgeable about a wide range of subjects.

From the positive feed back I received I will endeavour to run another of these afternoons next year.

Dave Flett



Mystery Run



KIWI BANK



Kiwi Bank Offer to benefit Club

For every new to Kiwibank home loan customer that is referred by a BOP Mustang Owners Club Member, Kiwibank will provide \$250 to the BOP Mustang Owners Club, on settlement of the loan.

- \$2500 Freedom Furniture voucher for borrowers*
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(All discussions are confidential.)



When	What	Who/When
7th Sept	EBOP Classic Car Breakfast	Red Barn Cafe - Whakatane 7.30am
7th Sept	Whakatane Run	Bay Park @8.45am
7th Sept	Meremere Fathers Day Drags	Meremere from 7am, \$20 entry
14th Sept	Taupo Track Day	Ford Muscle Car Club
21th Sept	Mt Maunganui Swap Meet	7am Cherokee Pl \$5 entry
27th Sept	Street Machine & Customs	Main St Greerton, Chadwick Rd 9am
3-5th Oct	Te Aroha Cruise	3 day weekend event, see below
24-27th Oct	Convention	Glen Fitzpatrick - 5433050
25th Oct	Wheels on Mainstreet	Details TBC - Jolene
16th Nov	All USA Day	Committee
23th Nov	Stragglers @ Karapiro	More info to come
14th Dec	Poker Run	Details TBC - Murray (V.P)
Jan	New Members Run	Details TBC
24-26th Jan	Overnight Run	Details TBC - Paul (TBC)
13-15th Feb	Raglan classic Car & Rock n Roll Festival	Registrations being taken now please check their website as numbers are limited

Whakatane Run

If we meet at bay park at 8.45am 7th September ready to leave at 9.00am, we can pick the Te Puke ones up as we go through.

Morning tea is 10am at Whitehouse Cafe 8B Thornton Road (corner of Thornton Rd & SH30)

Dave Sells can lead us on from there and will confirm the destination for lunch

Taupo Track Day

On Sunday September 14th the Ford Muscle Car Club has hired the Full Taupo Motorsport Track.

They are running a Dual Sprint Event. Basically 6 cars are on the track at a time, they are let go in pairs and it's up to the driver to set his/her own time. It's not a race, but a fun timed event, with a small prize giving at the end of the Day.

If you require any further details or entry forms please feel free to check out the website www.fordmusclecars.org.nz

Te Aroha Cruise

Another fantastic weekend of cars, bikes, prizes & rock and roll. There is an addition of a swap meet and Fletch has been confirmed as being there filming.

Checkout the website for more info www.cruisein.co.nz. You can register and look for accommodation options.

Raglan classic Car & Rock n Roll Festival

Registrations being taken now as numbers are limited. It is meant to be a great event but books out fast. Also book accommodation now as it is limited.

Check out their website www.ragclassiccars.co.nz

Just for Fun

2013 Ford Shelby GT500 Chases 200 MPH!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NRuE38BI5Mo>

