



October 2014 Newsletter

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Coming up

Hi all

Can you believe we are nearly 3/4 of the way through the year! Christmas will be upon us before we know it. Speaking of Christmas, it was discussed at our last meeting that we would extend and elaborate the Poker Run from last year and make it even bigger and better becoming our official Christmas event for this year. There will be more cards to collect, challenges along the way, questions to answer and Santa may even play a visit. The club will pay for a BBQ style dinner and members will be asked to bring a desert. More is being planned so there will be further info in the next newsletter but make sure you put the 14th Dec in your diaries.

The committee is busy planning our All USA Day which is on the 16th November. Our charity this year is Waipuna Hospice. Things are slowly coming together but as always we need the help of all members on the day to make the event a success. The main things we as are asking for help with are GATE DUTY, JUDGING (no experience needed) RAFFLE TICKETS and generally helping to set up at the beginning of the day. Can you please email Duncan - landcounsell@xtra.co.nz if you can help judge or email Geoff Church - geoffc@cdsl.co.nz if you can do a small stint on the gates. Please note if you put your name down we will rely on you being there on time to relieve others so everyone gets a break. At the end of the day after judging a BBQ will be provided to thanks all those that have helped. It is a great day so we hope to see you all out in support of our yearly event.

We will be putting the signs up advertising the event shortly, please let us know if you have any suggestions on high volume areas to place these.

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.

Whakatane Run

Awesome Turn Out for the EBOP Mustang run.

It was Sunday Sept 7th and for some of us it started at the EBOP classic car breakfast at the Red-Barn before we moved down the road to the Whitehouse. We had an awesome turn out of over 25+ Mustangs from all over the BOP they came from Tauranga, Opotiki and Rotorua . We took a change in that we moved the Whakatane run forward, why? Because for the last 3 years it has rained 'cats & dogs'. But guess what it didn't rain this time. I think numbers may have been down due to 'fathers day' but we still had a fantastic turn out. After a quick [well not so quick] coffee at the Whitehouse we all headed for a cruise to the Matahina Dam for a visit. Some got there a little faster than others and enjoyed the long straight country

roads leading to the dam, but Paul doesn't have much luck with our Whakatane runs as his car did the 'I don't like EBOP and broke down again'. We had a very quick look and I told a few facts about the dam [Thanks 'Dr Google'] before we headed off to Subway Whakatane for lunch. Susan and Steve [Owners of Subway] did a fantastic job of feeding all of us and doing a special discount for the club. After lunch and a chat we headed to Watchorns truck museum. The owners of Subway joined us and went for a ride in Kelvin's car out to the museum. Bevan did a talk about the museum and we all spent time looking around and remembering those old trucks from days gone by. The day ended around 3pm and most headed back home. What a fantas-tic day we all had and I would like to thank Bevan for helping us by organising the visit to Watchorns.

I got stopped by so many people after the day and asked about all the Mustang's in town and did I know anything about it. And also what a great sight with all these vehicles heading down the sunny coast highway back to Mt Maunganui.

Dave Sells Whakatane.



Whakatane 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*
- \$250 to BOP Mustang Club
- Free refinance service

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(All discussions are confidential.)

When	What	Who/When
3-5th Oct	Te Aroha Cruise	3 day weekend event, see below
11th Oct	Whakatane Rod & Custom Spring Fling Mystery Cruise	\$25p/p include breakfast and lunch
19th Oct	Te Kuiti Swap Meet	Waitete Rugby Grounds \$2 entry
24-27th Oct	Convention	Glen Fitzpatrick - 5433543
25th Oct	Wheels on Mainstreet	Down town Mt 9-2pm
26th Oct	Stranded Sunday	11am-1pm
2nd Nov	Eastern Bay Of Plenty Classic CAR Breakfast.	Red Barn Bakery & Café, 8am
9th Nov	Wheelie Fun Day -Tga Race Course - Greerton	BETHLEHEM/TE PUNA LIONS CLUB 11-3pm
16th Nov	All USA Day	Committee - 7am At Wharepai Domain
23th Nov	Stragglers @ Karapiro	More info to come
30th Nov	Hamilton Classic Motor Show	Hamilton Classics Museum by 10am - FREE
14th Dec	Poker Run	Details TBC - Murray (V.P)
Jan	New Members Run	Details TBC
18th Jan	Rotorua Vintage and Veteran Car Club	Rotorua Village Green 10-4pm
24-26th Jan	Overnight Run	Details TBC - Paul (TBC)
14-15th Feb	Coromandel Gold Rush & Gum-diggers Charity Cruise	Register Now - Details below
13-15th Feb	Raglan classic Car & Rock n Roll Festival	Registrations being taken now please check their website as numbers are limited

Wheels on Mainstreet

Held on 25th Oct from 9-2pm.

Entry is \$10 (have sent out these forms) and you get a Harbour cruise, meal discounts and trophies are up for grabs. Please note there is a breakfast event for \$15 if you would like to participate.

More info will come with details on going as a club for those interested, we must be at Victoria Avenue ready to go by 7.30am - Prize giving is at 1.30pm

Stranded Sunday with Phoenix Bar

The road between Wharf St and Hamilton St will be closed to display cars. Entry is free and in return for displaying your car, Phoenix will provide drivers and crew a private area where they can chat and also include some complimentary food platters for all to share and a couple of drinks per person.

SOUNDS LIKE A GOOD DEAL TO ME!

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

Rotorua Vintage and Veteran Car Club

They are holding a car show in conjunction with the craft markets. Free entry with money raised from the public going to St Johns. Event is held between 10am-4pm, bring a picnic or stroll to local eatery.

Coromandel Gold Rush & Gum-diggers Charity Cruise

Starting in Thames, there will be activities organised in Tairua, Whitianga, and Coromandel, then back to Thames for prize-giving diner and closing ceremony.

This will be a 2 day event, so entrants will need to make accommodation plans now, before the summer rush starts descending on these resort areas.

Each town will have something different, but the format will be the same.

The event will be an open class event, including hotrods.

Registration will be \$50.00 per entry, which includes the driver and passengers.

Registration is now open and will close on the 15th December 2014.

New Members

Peter & Marilyn Addison

2008 Shelby GT500 / White with 2 Navy Stripes

Welcome, Hope to see you on our next run