

CELEBRATING THE FORD MUSTANG

Pony Cruise | All Ford Fall Festival Show | Award winners



Introduction

Welcome to our first monthly newsletter. This newsletter will chronicle the activities of the *Hoosier Mustang Club* that has its members centered in and around Columbus, Indiana. Articles for this newsletter will showcase the Ford Mustang both within and outside of our club. We hope you enjoy reading the *Hoosier Pony Times*.

Our Sponsors

Thanks go out to our main sponsors of our activities and our Car Show. First we want to acknowledge **Master Power Transmission** for once again being so generous to host our Fall Festival Car Show. Thank you for being such great hosts for the HMC activities. Second, we like to thank **Centra Credit Union** for the financial support of our show and other activities. Their support helps us provide trophies and awards for our show and give funds to our charities. Finally, we want to show our thanks for **Ford of Columbus** for their financial support, their mutual love for Ford Mustang and for bringing this year the 60th Anniversary car to our show.



Fall Festival - Pony Cruise

On Friday September 26th the Hoosier Mustang Club hosts their 1st *Fall Festival Car Show Pony Cruise*. We had awesome weather and a great turnout of cars from within our club and other cars from Madison and Indianapolis joining us. The club cruised from Master Power Transmission parking lot to Clifty Falls State Park near Madison Indiana. Once in the park we had the ponies slow trot through the park to the Clifty Inn restaurant where we had a wonderful meal from their salad and main course bar. After lunch we went outside to overlook the vista of the beautiful Ohio River. Then we saddled back up in the ponies and cruised to downtown Madison and the river front for a photo op.

Finally we resumed our cruise on a beautiful twisty road, Indiana SR 62, through the little towns of China and Canaan, then making a final stop in Friendship before heading back to Columbus. Everyone had a great time on the cruise. Something to consider for future shows!





Charities

Once again this year the Hoosier Mustang Club is providing financial support to the **Love Chapel** and the **Salvation Army** local chapters. With \$1000 donations going to each charity, the members of the club hope that these funds can help someone in need that these organizations support. We appreciate their hard work in making our community a better place by helping those in need. From all of us at HMC, a big THANK YOU for all you do! Weblinks:

<https://columbuslovechapel.com/>

<https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/columbusIN/>



Fall Festival - Car & Truck Show

Saturday September 27th opening up with a beautiful clear Indiana day, and it just kept getting better as beautiful Ford vehicles rolled into our show. We once again welcomed anything Ford! We had a wide variety of Fords ranging from a 1936 4 door sedan to a 2024 Dark Horse Mustang. We not only had Mustangs from each decade era since the 60's, but we also had Ford Broncos and F-100s and F-150s. Our "Feature Car" this year, in celebration of 20 years since its inception, was the Gen 5 Mustang 2005-2014. We split the category to 4.6L and 5.0L cars.

Fall Festival - Awards

Winner of the *Best 5th Gen 2005-2010* was a beautiful 2005 Roush Mustang owned by Scott McGloshen, and winner of the *Best 5th Gen 2011-2014* was a 2013 Boss 302 Mustang owned by Gary & Katie Stoffel.

Presidents' Choice winner was a 1971 Lincoln Mark III Sport Coupe owned by Jerry Sullivan.

Club Participant went to Falls City Mustang Club, with 8 other clubs in attendance.

Best in Show went to an beautifully displayed Red 1969 Boss 429 Mustang owned by Gene Thompson.

We also gave out *Top 40* and many *Era of Time* awards.

Thank you to all participants for coming to our show this year!

