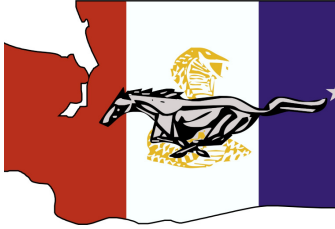


# IEMC MUSTANG



Stang of the Month: Heide Wehr's 2023 Mach-E

## Embracing the Future: The Ford Mustang Mach-E in Space White

In the realm of electric vehicles, the Ford Mustang Mach-E stands as a beacon of innovation, blending iconic design with cutting-edge technology to redefine the driving experience. As an owner of the Mach-E, it's not just a car; it's a revolution on wheels.

One of the first things that captivates attention is the stunning choice of Space White, a lustrous finish that elevates the vehicle's aesthetic to new heights. This metallic tri-coat finish not only adds a touch of sophistication but also accentuates every curve and contour of the Mach-E's sleek design, making it a head-turner on any road.

But beyond its striking appearance, the Mach-E delivers where it matters most – on the road. From the moment you press the accelerator, you're greeted with exhilarating performance that is synonymous with the Mustang legacy. The all-wheel-drive system ensures exceptional traction and stability, allowing you to confidently navigate various road conditions while experiencing the thrill of instant acceleration.



Comfort takes center stage inside the Mach-E's cabin, where every detail is meticulously crafted to provide a luxurious driving environment. Whether it's the white leather plush seating, ample legroom, or advanced climate control system, every journey is a testament to Ford's commitment to driver satisfaction.

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*In Memory of*

Carl Lind  
IEMC Founder

June 4, 1933 - January 22, 2024

## 'Stang of the Month (Cont.)

A tech enthusiast, like me, will find themselves in paradise with the Mach-E's array of cutting-edge features. From the intuitive infotainment system to the comprehensive suite of driver-assistance technologies, staying connected and safe on the road has never been easier. The seamless integration of technology not only enhances convenience but also elevates the overall driving experience to a whole new level.

And let's not forget the undeniable allure of the Mach-E's design. With its muscular stance, aggressive front grille, and aerodynamic profile, this electric SUV commands attention wherever it goes. It's a perfect marriage of form and function, blending style with practicality in a way that only Ford can deliver.

In conclusion, owning a Ford Mustang Mach-E isn't just about having a car – it's about embracing the future of automotive innovation. With its captivating Space White design, exhilarating performance, advanced technology, and all-wheel-drive capability, the Mach-E sets a new standard for electric vehicles, proving that going green doesn't mean sacrificing excitement behind the wheel.

- Submitted by Heide Wehr



## Ford Mustang Supercar Fetches \$300K+



If you're "on the list" or you "know somebody" you might have a shot at purchasing the new Mustang GTD, otherwise don't even think about it. The 800HP 5.2 liter V-8 monster isn't exactly available to the general public, but if you have the cash and a relationship with a qualified dealer you can fill out an application for purchase and take your best shot.

Look for future articles in this newsletter about the technical aspects of this race-inspired supercar, including specs on its engine and transmission, and details on its carbon fiber body, full race suspension and dynamic aero rear wing. This Mustang is truly the most awesome model Ford has ever built.



# ACTIVITY CALENDAR

## April

**2nd** (Tues) - Monthly Club Meeting at Darcy's in the Valley. Meeting starts at 7pm. All are welcome to come early to eat and visit. POC: Tom Seep (509) 953-3983.

**16th** (Tues) - Monthly Run to Longhorn BBQ - 2315 N Argonne Rd - Spokane Valley. Meet there at 5:30 PM. POC: Tom & Marcia Morris -- 509-924-5544

**27th** (Sat) Shakedown Cruise: See page 6. POC: Barry & Carol Samson - 509-262-8988

**29th** (Mon) - IEMC Board Meeting at Darcy's in the Valley. Meeting starts at 6:30pm. Come early to eat and visit. POC: Tom Seep (509) 953-3983.

## May

**7th** (Tues) - Monthly Club Meeting at Darcy's in the Valley. Meeting starts at 7pm. All are welcome to come early to eat and visit. POC: Tom Seep (509) 953-3983.

**19th** (Sun) - IEMC Silent Auction Dinner at Darcy's in the Valley. This is a fun get together to help raise funds for giving back to the community. Details to follow. POC: IEMC Board (509) 953-3983.

**21st** (Tues) - Monthly Run to Selkirk Pizza - 1224 N Division St Spokane. Meet there at 5:30pm. POCs: Tom & Catherine Eickmeyer (509) 863-5644.

FYI: We purposely leave open time each month so that we can do "spur of the moment" activities such as cruises, car shows, get-togethers, picnics and more that members would like to do at the last minute.

## April Birthdays

**3-Brennan Murphy**

**7-Misty LeBret**

**10-Jessica Barton**

**11-Sam Picicci**

**12-David Brink**

**12-JoAnn Grennell**

**14-Timothy Leary**

**16-Dale McBride**

**18-Pattiya Sontowski**

**19-Greg Brantner**

**27-Tracy Jones**



# The Prez Sez...

By **Tom Seep**



Soon we will be experiencing April showers which in turn will bring May flowers, car shows and of course your tax refund if you are lucky enough to get one. As for me I'm looking over my shoulder for the taxman!

It is still questionable if we as a club will have any cars in this years Speed and Custom Show April 12-14. There will be many beautiful cars on display, a good place to get ideas for your next project.

A reminder from the Treasurer (Bruce Butler), Club dues are now payable for the period April 1, 2024 through March 31, 2025. Bring your check or cash to the next meeting and save a tree and a stamp.

Start digging in your closets, storage units, sheds and garages for "treasures" that can be used for our Silent Auction coming up on Sunday May 19, 2024 at Darcy's.

Heard rumors that a "shakedown cruise" is being planned so stay tuned for details as they become available.

Carpe diem, Mustangers!

- Tom

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## Welcome New Members

Mike Reents - Returning Member

Heide Wehr - 2023 Mach-E, Space White

## 'Stang Of The Month Wanted

Want to see your car featured in the newsletter? It's easy to do. Just send a story about yourself and your car, including any relevant history and interesting details, to the email address below. Don't worry about grammar or spelling, the editor can handle that for you. Include several good quality pictures, or you can arrange to have pictures taken.

Send your items to: [kfrank@valley4th.com](mailto:kfrank@valley4th.com)

## IEMC Meeting Minutes

March 7, 2023

Darcy's Restaurant. 10502 E Sprague Ave, Spokane Valley, WA. 7:00 PM.

**2024 Board Members Present:** President Tom Seep, Vice President Jeff Larson, Greg Goeden, Dianne Harwood, Kelly Ryan, Barry Barton, Kim Frank, Bruce Butler, Gary Gunning..

**Meeting called to order** by President Tom Seeps. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by the membership.

### President's Comments:

- Tom reminded everyone that dues are due.
- Please take questions, suggestions, ideas to board members.
- Most chairperson positions are filled. A couple of opportunities to volunteer still exist.
- Hot Wheels show is officially a go. Franklin Park is secured with the City of Spokane.
- The INCCC Calendar of Events is printed. Copies available, see Jeff.
- No September 11th car show at the Fairgrounds this year.
- Please plan on participating in The Great Northwest Gathering Mustang Corral on July 19-21 at the fairgrounds. See Andy Kautzman.
- Tom turned the floor over to Barry Barton, Barry noted that Corwin Ford has stepped up and given \$1000 toward the Hot Wheels Show and is providing a basket for the auction.

### Guest Speaker:

Roy Mitchell brought several framed prints as samples of his artwork. He specializes in automotive and racing images using the skills of photographer Eric English of Seattle. His framed prints are limited to 50 each, and include many additional subjects including hydroplane and optical art. All prints are sealed and guaranteed.

**February Meeting Minutes:** MSC as published.

### New Members:

- Mike Reents has returned to the club after living out of the area. No mustangs right now, but working on a Mercury.
- Heide and Dan Wehr, have "space dust" color Mach-e

### Treasurers report

 by Bruce Butler

- Issues with the post office box and the STCU bank account have been resolved.
- Accounts are in good shape.

### COMMITTEE REPORTS:

#### Activities

 by Ron West.

- Last month's run to Tecate Grill was attended by 23 members.
- Please plan on attending Carl Lind's Celebration Of Life on Saturday March 9th.
- The run on March 19th will be to Moon's Mongolian Grill. Meet there at 5:30pm.
- The April run will be to Longhorn BBQ.
- The Shakedown Cruise will take place on April 27th. Details to follow.
- A sign-up sheet for the May 19th auction will be available at next month's meeting.

**Car Auctions** by Carl Sontowski. No Activity.

#### Health and Welfare:

 Vicki West.

- Vicki reminded the membership that the H&W Committee exists to keep the club informed on those who are experiencing health-related issues, i.e. surgeries, long-term illness, nursing home residency, etc.
- Cathy Eickmeyer has undergone a recent surgery.
- Vicki read a thank you letter from Lynn Lind and reminded everyone of the memorial service for Carl on Saturday.

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## Meeting Minutes March 7, 2024 (cont.)

- Vicki has set up a tour of Lighthouse for the Blind on March 27th at 2pm and asked for a show of hands for those interested. Approximately 20 people responded.
- Birthday names were read, and Happy Birthday was sung.
- Heidi presented a thank you card, with artwork from the kids from Sally's house, for the club's recent donation of \$400 in the name of Carl Lind. Pam Stotts commented that when she participated in giving the check to Sally's House/Salvation Army she was moved and encouraged by the "wonderful privilege" of supporting the organization that Carl was so invested in, and by the warmth of the reception she received there.
- Vicki restated that anyone who wants to participate in the delivery of the charitable giving checks at the end of the year is welcome to do so.

### **Carl Lind Memorials:**

- Barry Barton gave the details on the Celebration of Life for Carl Lind: Redeemer Lutheran Church in the Valley on March 9, 2024 at 11:00am. A pre-service meet-up will be arranged and the details will be sent out by Thursday March 7th.

### **Hot Wheels report:**

- Most "manager" positions have been filled and a sign-up sheet was sent around for volunteer workers.
- MSC: approved \$300 to pay DJ Ken Boone for PA services at this year's show.
- By popular demand, the Hot Wheels dash plaques will be metal magnetic rather than having a sticky-tape backing.

### **Membership. Members Draw** by Nadine Smith.

- Carl Sontowski won \$10

### **Newsletter report** by Editor Kim Frank.

- Thanks to Tom Seep for the idea to expand classified ads to include any and all items members wish to sell.
- Seeking more content, and 'Stangs of the month.

### **OTHER CLUB BUSINESS:**

#### **Club Apparel and Merchandise** by Ron West for Tom Eickmeyer.

- New hats are available for sale, \$16 ea.

#### **Facebook:** Rocky Gibbs

- More content please. FB is self-feeding when active.

#### **INCCC report:** Jeff Larson.

- Listed some new car shows this year, and highlighted several major shows, see the Calendar of Events for the complete listing.
- Show-No-Shine was good fun and IEMC members won great items. Jeff encourages everyone to participate next year.
- The INCCC Scholarship Show has moved to the Fair Grounds on July 18th for 2024

#### **Website report** by Barry Barton.

- The website is formatted for mobile phone use and info is printable/downloadable.
- Check the site for updates.

### **OTHER MEMBERSHIP BUSINESS:**

**New Ponies or modifications.** Harry Heilman installed fuel injection on his 1967 coupe and Tom Seep has new 19" wheels coming this week.

**Back Yard Mechanic** is still napping.

**HA Award:** No takers.

**Door prizes:** Five prizes were awarded by Ron West.

**50/50:** Marsha awarded \$69 to Ron West.

**President's Draw:** Barry Samson won a \$25 gift certificate to Tecate Grill and Stefani Hill won a \$25 gift certificate to Tecate Grill

**Meeting adjourned.**

**Next meeting:** April 2, 2024

Submitted by Kim Frank

# Mustang Stories, News & Events

## National Mustang Day Cruise Set for April 17th

IEMC, let's commemorate the 60th birthday of the Mustang on Wednesday, April 17th. We will cruise to Sandpoint City Park through Newport to showcase our Mustangs. The meeting point will be the S/E parking lot at Cabela's in Stateline, ID at 9:30 am, departing at 10:00 am.

Our route will take us to I53 to the 41 into Newport with a stop at the Albeni Falls Cove. Following a pit stop, we will head to Sandpoint for a picnic in the park. If you prefer not to pack a lunch, there are plenty of places to grab food. After lunch, we can either head south on the 95 back home or return the way we came.

Additionally, there will be a National Mustang Day celebration with clubs worldwide organizing activities for the Pony's 60th Birthday. For more information, visit the National Mustang Day website at:

[www.nationalmustangday.com](http://www.nationalmustangday.com)

They are offering National Mustang Day decals for \$1.75 with free shipping using the coupon code "FREE" during checkout. The proceeds from decal sales will support the Mustang Owner's Museum. I will register the IEMC to demonstrate our support.



- Doug Pickett

## Shakedown Cruise Set for April 27th

The IEMC Shakedown is scheduled for April 27th and we will meet at the Mountainside Middle School at 4717 E. Day Mt. Spokane Rd. At 11am and we will begin the run at 11:30am. The middle school is located on the north side of the road 2 blocks east of the Maverick gas station on E. Day Mt. Spokane Rd. And the Newport Hwy.

We will travel north on the Newport Hwy to Millers One Stop, take a right and head to Reflection Lake and on over to E. Blanchard Rd and over the "Blanchard Hump" on to the Stone Ridge Resort, Blanchard, Spirit Lake (wave to the people!) then just a few more miles to Georgi's in Rathdrum. We will see a few highway miles and some beautiful backroads country, all paved of course.

Georgi's is in the process of taking over the former O'Malleys restaurant. A huge menu and beverages awaits us. Electronic games and pool tables are available. Georgi's not only has breakfasts, burgers, sandwiches, Mexican fare, and more but is adding exotics which I hope someone orders so we can watch them devour Elk, Buffalo, Ostrich, Kangaroo (what?) or alligator Hmmm. The regular sandwiches, chicken, and deserts are really good.

I will have complete detailed map/instructions for our run when we meet on the 27th. Barry Barton & co. has agreed to be a "tail gunner" and Ron West & co. Will be the "middleman car" during the cruise, insuring no one gets lost.

- Submitted by Barry Samson

## Mustang Mugs Available for Purchase



Fully customizable Mustang / IEMC etched-glass mugs are available for sale through club member Denis Hill. \$15ea. Contact him directly at 509-879-4398.





# CLASSIFIED ADS

List your items for sale here. Send the info to the editor (kfrank@valley4th.com). All items are welcome, not just Mustang-related. Classified Ads are free to IEMC Members

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Submissions due by the 20th of the month. Classifieds: Free to members or brought forth by member. Renewable every three months. Business cards: \$20 for 12 months.

Send payment to the club Treasurer. E-mail ads to the Editor.

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### Hot Wheels Car Show:



# Club Purpose and General Information

## Inland Empire Mustang Club (IEMC)

Club Purpose: Our club exists to promote the enjoyment and preservation of all Mustang automobiles. There's no limit to how many Mustangs or other Ford-powered automobiles you may register. Ownership is not required. However, enthusiasm is definitely encouraged!

### Club Mailing Address: VIA Pony Express

IEMC

P.O. Box 13591

Spokane Valley, WA 99213-3591

### Monthly Stampede:

The IEMC holds a monthly get together the third Tuesday of each Month. Check the IEMC website, Activity Alerts and this newsletter for details.

### Club Website:

[www.inlandempiremustangclub.com](http://www.inlandempiremustangclub.com)

The site features contacts, publications, photos, stories, ads, an updated/current calendar of events and many other items of interest.

### Newsletter:

The award winning IEMC MUSTANG is the official club publication. An electronic version is sent monthly to everyone who has an e-mail address. A condensed black and white version is mailed to those members who "opt in" for a hard copy each month. E-mail your contributions (articles, photos, classified ads, business cards) and questions to the Editor by the 20th of the month.

*Advertising Policy:* Submission deadline is the 20th of the month. Business cards \$20 for one year. Classifieds: Free to members, renewable every 3 months. Send payment to IEMC Treasurer, e-mail ads to the Editor.

### Meeting Place: (1st Tuesday, Monthly)

Darcy's Restaurant

10502 E Sprague Ave

Spokane Valley, WA 99206

Meetings are held on the first Tuesday of each month. It's an excellent time to meet fellow club members and make new friends. Meetings start at 7:00PM. Come early (by 6:00pm) to eat and visit. All family members are welcome to attend and join the fun.

### Membership Dues:

Individual and family members: \$25 for a 12 month membership. Dues are payable April 1st and shall become delinquent after May 31st. Membership includes one additional "associate" family member for the purpose of voting. Such individuals must reside with the member and be at least 16 years of age. Individuals, other than the member's spouse or significant other, that have reached 25 years of age are not eligible for "associate" status and must obtain their own membership.

### Mustang Registry:

IEMC maintains a current member Mustang registry. This is a real help to the club for planning events and will give you the opportunity to have your ride featured in the club newsletter "Stang of the Month" article. Contact the webmaster for a registry form or more information.

