

THE VOICE of Bay Area Mustangs



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August 2024 Edition

MONTHLY NEWS FROM THE BAY AREA MUSTANGS, INC.

It's August, be happy! If you have the power to make someone smile, or laugh, do it. The world needs more of that ...

July 11, 2024 — Our July Gathering was held at Walk-On's and it was another great evening filled with fun and laughter. What a great evening with friends and fellow BAM! members.

With Summer here, it was a great evening on the patio. One of our members reached the summit of our Membership Drive, so we had a little celebration for him. Details are provided inside this edition. We also had a lot of fun with our monthly game, raffle, and drawings. Dave Temple won the Membership Drawing and took home \$10! In August we again have \$10 for our drawing. Make sure you always have your membership card with you. Come on out and share in the fun, laughter, and



friendships!



a friend ... or two! You'll be glad you did.

July 13, 2024— Our July Rise & Shine was held at Parks Ford in Wesley Chapel, from 9am-11am. It was a great summer morning, perfect for taking our cars out to the best spot in town. We love to enjoy some great music while showing off our cars and partaking of some breakfast, compliments of our awesome host, Parks Ford. Our next Rise & Shine will be held on August 10th so mark your calendars and come on out and join us!! All makes and models are welcome, so bring

Check out the Photo Section in this edition for more Event Pictures.

From the Rear View ...

Board of Directors

Frank Morales, President

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*Melinda Morales, Treasurer,
Newsletter, Raffle*

*Cliff Johannsen, Membership
Chairman*

*Harold Champion, Secretary &
MCA Regional Director*

Angela Marciano, Photographer

*Jerry May, Advisor &
Sargent-at-Arms*

Beverly Warshel, Sunshine Lady

Jim Warshel, General Support

Lorraine May, Club Items

***Thanks for making BAM! so
much fun!***

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Tally Team Lead/Car Shows*

*Scott Englert,
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Facebook Support*

TBD, Publicity

Gathering Support

*Janet Johannsen,
Club Items Support*

Jerry May, Ticket Sales

Cliff Johannsen, Ticket Sales

Thanks for Your Help!

Bay Area Mustangs is a different kind of car club. We are a club where friendships are just as important as our Mustangs and, just like when we maintain our Mustangs, a little effort goes a long way. We treat each other with old fashioned respect, and we are each accountable for our actions. Our members agree that kindness and courtesy are the hallmark of a fun and welcoming environment. Come join us.

The Rear View ... BAM! Gathering

The Voice

*A look back at our **July Gathering** ... Members are fond of saying it's like being at a party!*





*Beverly Warshel,
BAM!'s Sunshine Lady*

What is a “Sunshine Lady” you ask? Well, the purpose of having a “Sunshine Lady” in our club is so that when any of our BAM! member are having “down days” she will send them a card to let them know that their friends at BAM! are thinking of them, and wishing them well. She does Get Well cards , Thinking of You cards, etc.

It is just a thoughtful way to show that, as fellow BAM! members, we care and are thinking of them during their illness, accident, surgeries, etc. But you need to help out and let Beverly know when a fellow member is in needs of a little pick-me-up.

Beverly’s phone number is (814) 207-1328. Members can call Beverly with details (name, address) anytime and make her aware of someone they know. who is having one of these “down days” and Beverly will take care of the rest!

The Tampa Bay area is full of great things to do, and we will be doing them together. From shows, to cruises, to poker runs, to picnics, our goal is to get our Mustangs out with a group of friends and have fun no matter what activity is on the calendar, and there will be plenty for everyone!

BAM! on the Web...

Check out all of our BAM happenings on our web page. You’ll find everything you need to know about BAM! right here. You can join the club or renew your membership from our website. You can also register for upcoming Car Shows! Thanks to Scott Englert, our Web Master, for managing our website!

Here is the link:

<https://www.bayareamustangs.com/>



BAM! on Facebook...

Got something to say about how much fun you are having with BAM!? Want to share pictures of your Mustang?

For all the latest on what people are sharing and thinking, don’t forget to follow BAM! on Facebook. Here is the link:

Here is the link:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/BayAreaMustangs>

The Facebook logo, consisting of the word 'facebook' in white lowercase letters on a blue rectangular background.

The Rear View ... Parks Ford Rise & Shine

The Voice

A look back at our July Rise & Shine ... Thanks to our awesome host, Parks Ford!



From the Driver's Seat ...

The Voice

Hi BAM! Members and Friends.

We are having a super-hot and rainy summer. I guess that's Florida weather in the summer. Anyway, I'm wishing for the cooler weather of winter already. It's so hot that I don't want to take my classic cars out for a ride. Imagine taking my A/C Cobra out for a ride in the middle of the day. A hot 427 engine with side pipes, no power steering, convertible and no air conditioner or my black Shelby Hertz with no power steering or air and waiting at one of Florida's traffic lights for almost 5 minutes. NO, I don't think so. Anyway, hope everyone is trying to stay cool in your air-conditioned homes or Mustangs.

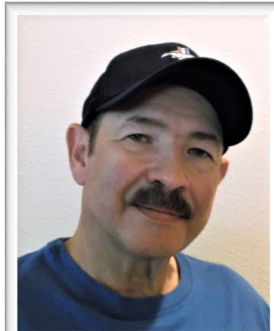
For those of you that didn't attend our BAM! Gathering on Thursday, July 11th you missed out on a fun Gathing at Walk-On's. It was hot on the patio, but the misters worked great and made it tolerable. Our guest speaker was Matthew Wolfe, Owner of TBW Creations, they do graphic vinyl cutting 3D printing, CNC machining and Laser engraving/cutting.

I want to remind all BAM! Members and friends that our next Gathering is scheduled for Thursday, August 1st at Walk-On's. Our Guest Speaker will be Shane Norsworthy, General Sales Manager for Parks Ford. I am personally so grateful for the relationship that BAM! has with Parks Ford. This month I had 4 of my vehicles serviced at Parks Ford. Cynthia Kraner, Service Consultant, and Dave Hinton, Ford Certified Technician, are the best. They are very knowledgeable and treat you with the upmost professionalism. Hope you all join me in supporting Parks Ford.

I want to thank the members that attended the Rise & Shine event at Parks Ford on Saturday, July 13th. It was super-hot, but we had a good attendance with 42 BAM! members and friends attending. The Show Room floor A/C at Parks Ford was the main attraction. Don't know why? LOL.

In closing, I would like to encourage all of you to attend our next BAM! gathering or activities to show your support for our club. Our Board is working very hard to make it a fun and successful year for BAM! I hope to see you all at our next activity or BAM! gathering.

Frank Morales, President, Bay Area Mustangs (BAM!)
You can contact me at: fmorapres@aol.com



WHY CHOOSE BAM?

Because you want to have fun. You want to have fun with friends. You want to have fun with friends who also love Mustangs! What more could you ask for?

You might ask for a large choice in activities, great sponsors, games and plenty of entertainment.

You certainly will get all of this with BAM!



Mustang Club of America (MCA)

Get all MCA has to offer. Join at www.mustang.org

\$50 full 1-year membership: Includes MCA membership and number, member benefits, access to enter MCA shows, MCA website access, ability to vote in MCA elections, ability to run for MCA office, digital "Mustang Times" access, "Mustang Times" 1 year

subscription.

\$35 digital 1-year membership: Includes MCA membership and number, member benefits, access to enter MCA shows, MCA website access, ability to vote in MCA elections, ability to run for MCA office, digital "Mustang Times" access.

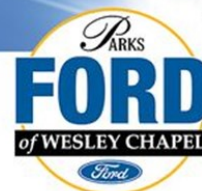
\$25 associate 1-year membership: Includes MCA membership and number, member benefits, access to enter MCA shows, MCA website access.

RISE & SHINE

—CAR MEET—

**2ND SATURDAY OF EVERY MONTH
9AM-11AM**

CO-HOSTED BY:



Saturday, August 10th, 2024—Rise & Shines are held each month (except October) for 2024. This can always be counted on to be a fun morning of beautiful cars, a live band or DJ, free breakfast and good friends! A big thank you to our wonderful Sponsor, Parks Ford for holding this event!

As BAM! continues to grow, we are always looking for ways to make things easier on our members. So we are happy to announce that BAM! now takes credit card payments at any of our activities.

- Do you want to renew your membership? You can do this at any BAM! event.
- Do you want to register for our car show? You can do this at any BAM! event.
- At our Gatherings:
 - You can buy Club Items by credit card!
 - You can buy Raffle Tickets by credit card!
 - You can buy 50/50 tickets by credit card!

Don't have cash on you? See our BAM! Treasurer !



BAM! Membership ...

The Voice

Welcome to our
Newest Members!

Stephen & Stephanie Meeder

Corey & Piper Eberhardt

Paul Hermes

Dave Temple & Betty Fox

Kevin & Brandy Isgrigg

Scott & Sophia Englert

Earl Wendt & Camille Furnice

Mark Morrison

Eddie & Mirian Roldan

At every monthly Gathering we draw a membership number. If that member is present, their current membership card must be shown to win the pot. If the member doesn't have their membership card, or the member isn't present, no one wins that month.

The next month we will add \$10 to the pot and draw a membership number. The pot will continue to grow until a winner is drawn.

Congratulations to Dave Temple who won \$10 in last month's drawing.

The August Pot will be:

\$10.00!

Monthly Membership
Drawing!

For questions on BAM! membership contact our Membership Chairman,
Cliff Johannsen, at cliff.bam7@gmail.com

2024 Annual Membership Drive!

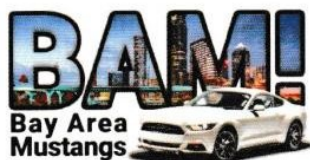
NICE RIDE!

WANNA HAVE SOME
FUN WITH YOUR



M U S T A N G

TURN CARD OVER TO
LEARN MORE ABOUT



Admired by

Write your
name here!

How would you like a membership perk while helping to grow our BAM! membership? Yes, we thought you'd like the idea. By bringing in new members, here are some of the perks now available:

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| 1 New Membership | \$10 Gift Card or \$10 Cash |
| 3 New Memberships | One free BAM! T-Shirt |
| 5 New Memberships | One free BAM! membership renewal! |

New members just need to list your name on the membership application, as the person that told them about the club, and you'll get credit toward this membership drive. So invite your friends and fellow Mustang Enthusiasts.

Another way to grow our membership is through use of our "Nice Ride!" cards. You can pick some up at our next event. Keep them in your pocket, and when you see a nice Mustang, leave this card on their window ... But remember to write your name on the card! So far we have the following winners:

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| Jerry May – 6 | Sue Irish – 1 | Frank Morales – 3 |
| Scotty Gruoner – 1 | Jim Warshel – 1 | Tracy Gaschler - 1 |
| Dick Hermes—1 | Ron Winters—1 | Tony Marciano—1 |
| Harold Champion—1 | | Congratulations!! |

BAM! Membership Drive ...

The Voice

As you know, we have an annual Membership Drive. You can bring in new members and then you will be eligible for the following perks: 1 New Membership = \$10 Cash; 3 New Memberships = One free BAM! T-Shirt, and; 5 New Memberships = One free BAM! membership renewal! Well, we just had our first member achieve five new memberships in one year, so at our July Gathering we decided to make a bit of a fuss over it ... and boy did we have fun! Here is a look back at our celebration of Jerry May! So, fellow members, when you see Jerry, don't be shy about singing his "theme" song ... *"Jerry, Jerry. Yes he can ... That's why he's our Superman!"* Congratulations Jerry!

Membership Drive
2024

Jerry May
The man, the myth,
the legend... *The sequel*

Our **FIRST** member to reach the top of the hill is ...

Jerry, Jerry
Yes, he can ...
That's why he's our
Superman!



Congratulations!
On your Five new Memberships in 2024!

Jerry May



Now we have a little something for you ...



Certificate of Achievement

This Certificate is Proudly Presented to

Jerry May

The man, the myth, the legend

For Outstanding Achievement in our 2024 Membership Drive.
This Certificate awards you One Free Annual BAM! Membership.

Presented on July 11, 2024

Frank Morales
Frank Morales, President
Bay Area Mustangs (BAM!)



Jerry, Jerry
Yes, he can ...
That's why he's our
Superman!



Club Items ...

The Voice



BAM! INVENTORY PRICING SHEET

T-Shirt Inventory	Sell Price
BAM T-Shirt	\$ 20.00
BAM T-Shirt - 2XL	\$ 22.00
Camp Shirt Inventory	
Camp Shirt with Logo	\$ 30.00
Camp Shirt with Logo - 2XL	\$ 33.00
Camp Shirt with Logo - 3XL	\$ 35.00
Baseball Hats	
BAM Baseball Hats	\$ 20.00
Stickers	
3"x2" Square Stickers	\$ 2.00
6 ¹ / ₄ " x 4" Oval Stickers	\$ 3.00
Hat Pins	\$ 2.00
Key Chains	\$ 3.00

Support your Club ... wear your BAM! Apparel!!



Great Items!



Items:

T-Shirts with Logo = \$15.

Dickies Work Shirt = \$35.

Vintage Hat with Logo = \$15.

Trucker Hat with Logo = \$20

Go to our BAM! website's Links page and click on the link for Dawn's Embroidery, or go directly to Dawnsembroidery.com and click on the BAM! Logo to see what's in stock.

Beautiful BAM! Club T-Shirts are available on-line.

It is as easy as 1-2-3! When you are ready to order just:

1. Go to Dawn's website.
2. Order and pay for your items. You pick the size and color.
3. Items can be shipped or picked up.



Our BAM! 2024 Calendar ...

The Voice

Some dates may be tentative until fliers are released so keep a close eye here for any changes or updates. Make sure you mark your calendar so you don't miss any of our fun filled events!

Thu, 1/4/24 BAM! Gathering ✓
 Sat, 1/13/24 Parks Ford Rise & Shine ✓
 Thu, 1/13/24 BAM! Board Meeting ✓
 Thu, 2/1/24 BAM! Gathering ✓
 Sat, 2/10/24 Parks Ford Rise & Shine ✓
 Sat, 2/10/24 BAM! Board Meeting ✓
 Thu, 3/7/24 BAM! Gathering ✓
 Sat, 3/9/24 Parks Ford Rise & Shine ✓
 Sat, 3/9/24 BAM! Board Meeting ✓
Sat, 3/16/24 BAM!'s Cruising for a Good Cause! ✓
 Thu, 4/4/24 BAM! Gathering ✓
 Sat, 4/13/24 Parks Ford Rise & Shine ✓
 Sat, 4/13/24 BAM! Board Meeting ✓
 Thu, 5/2/24 BAM! Gathering ✓
 Sat, 5/11/24 Parks Ford Rise & Shine ✓
 Sat, 5/11/24 BAM! Board Meeting ✓
Sat, 5/18/24 BAM! Picnic ✓
 Thu, 6/6/24 BAM! Gathering ✓
 Sat, 6/8/24 Parks Ford Rise & Shine ✓
 Sat, 6/8/24 BAM! Board Meeting ✓
Sat, 6/29/24 BAM! Cruise in the Country ✓
 Thu, 7/11/24 BAM! Gathering ✓
 Sat, 7/13/24 Parks Ford Rise & Shine ✓

Sat, 7/13/24 BAM! Board Meeting ✓
 Thu, 8/1/24 BAM! Gathering
 Sat, 8/10/24 Parks Ford Rise & Shine
 Sat, 8/10/24 BAM! Board Meeting
 Thu, 9/5/24 BAM! Gathering
 Sat, 9/14/24 Parks Ford Rise & Shine
 Sat, 9/14/24 BAM! Board Meeting
 Thu, 10/5/24 BAM! Gathering
(Note: No Parks Ford Rise and Shine in October due to Car Show)
 Sat, 10/12/24 BAM! Board Meeting
Sat, 10/19/24 Mustang Madness Car Show
 Thu, 11/7/24 BAM! Gathering & 4th Birthday Party
 Sat, 11/9/24 Parks Ford Rise & Shine
 Sat, 11/9/24 BAM! Board Meeting
 Thu, 12/5/24 BAM! Gathering
 Sat, 12/14/24 Parks Ford Rise & Shine
 Sat, 12/14/24 BAM! Board Meeting
Dec TBD BAM! Christmas Party

Some BAM! Cruises and other fun events are in the planning stage. When finalized, fliers will be available.

Keep checking here for changes or new activities in 2024!

✓ = Completed

For information on other Car Enthusiast events visit <https://flacarshows.com/events/category/west-coast-of-florida/> where you will find one of the largest listings of events for Florida.

BAM! Sponsors ...

The Voice

BAM! extends our gratitude to Parks Ford of Wesley Chapel for sponsoring our club. Parks Ford hosts our Rise & Shine Event monthly, and also hosts and sponsors our BAM! Car Shows. Thank you Parks Ford!



Parks Ford of Wesley Chapel Welcomes You!

We proudly proclaim that Parks Ford of Wesley Chapel is a full-service dealership where we put you, the customer, first! Our dealership has been serving the community of Wesley Chapel and the surrounding communities of Tampa for over 30 years with our high standards for excellent service. We want our customers to be satisfied, and also confident in their choice to bring their business to Parks Ford of Wesley Chapel. We have a courteous and committed sales staff, as well as professional, expert service technicians with many years of experience satisfying our customers' needs. We look forward to serving you and all our customers in the Tampa, Brandon and Zephyrhills areas with your next purchase on a new Ford or a large variety of used vehicles in many makes and models.

BAM! Sponsors ...

The Voice

BAM! extends our gratitude to Walk-On's Sports Bistreaux for sponsoring our club. Walk-On's is pleased to host our monthly Gatherings and provide the club with various donations. Thank you Walk-On's!



Walk-On's Sports Bistreaux: Our Story

Our love for the game, community, and bringing the heart of a walk-on to the restaurant space began with the dreams of our Founder, Brandon Landry and his partner, Jack Warner, in 2003. We've worked hard over the years to create a restaurant and bar concept that pairs attention-to-detail and culinary excellence with a little Louisiana spice, pulling in that underdog mindset and hospitality, making you feel like family the moment you walk in.