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Capitol City Ford/Mustang Club  
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## Ford is going to begin selling the "Bullitt" Edition Mustang

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Ford has announced that they will begin taking orders for the 2001 "Bullitt" edition Mustang GT. This Mustang is inspired by the green 1968 Mustang Fastback driven by Steve McQueen the movie *Bullitt*. The externally new Mustang sports a suspension lowered 3/4", 17" Bullitt-style aluminum rims, a brushed aluminum fuel filler door, and Bullitt badging.

The 4.6L SOHC engine puts out over 270 hp and more torque than the standard GT engine. The engine modifications include a twin 57mm bore throttle body, aluminum intake, high flow muff-

lers, and different alternator and water pump pulley ratios. The Mustang also is equipped with 13-inch Brembo front brakes and the calipers are painted red with the running pony logo on them.

The features add a mere \$3,695 to the base price.

Want to order one? Here are the codes: P42 (GT), PY (green) and 135A



The 2001 Bullitt Edition Mustang GT



(Bullitt). It's also available in Blue and Black.

### Special points of interest:

- ? If you haven't already completed a 2001 Club Renewal Form, please pick one up from one of the officers at the March meeting and turn it in ASAP!
- ? February 2001 Minutes are enclosed
- ? The March meeting will be held at Godfathers on 48th and Hwy 2 on Wednesday, March 7. Eat at 6:00, meeting at 7:00.
- ? The Spring Swap Meet will be held Sunday, March 11!

## NASCAR says Farewell

The frailty of life came startlingly before us as we watched Dale Earnhardt's final race on Sunday, February 18, 2001. For Earnhardt fans in particular and NASCAR fans in general, it was a very sad day.

At the much too-young age of 49, Dale Earnhardt, Sr.,

"The Intimidator," seemed at the zenith of his career.

Hours following the race when the news was delivered of his death and again, days following the race when word was received that Dale's lap belt had broken, I couldn't help but think how very unpredict-

able is life and how quickly we can be gone.

May we all take a moment to realize the precious cargo we carry every time we get into our cars, and take those precautions to ensure our safety and that of the passengers we carry.

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## MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

### March 4, 2001 Winter Poker Run

First Stop—P.O. Pears, 322 S. 9th Street. Stop in between 3:00 and 3:30 to pick up first card and get directions to next stop. Last Stop—P.O. Pears on the Lake (Area 11 at Branched Oak Lake) where Pears will be offering Burger Madness. Sponsored by Nifty Fifties, Rebels, P.O. Pears and Sonic.

### March 7, 2001 CCFMC Meeting

Godfathers at 48th and Hwy 2 (northeast corner). Dinner at 6:00, meeting at 7:00.

### March 11, 2001 Lincoln Car Council Swap Meet

Location—State Fairgrounds Use the 17th Street gate. Bob Walker is coordinating CCFMC volunteers. Be sure to check in

at the Ag Building. The club will have a booth. Volunteers are needed to help work it. The club will receive 10 percent of sale proceeds. Talk to Bob Walker if you have any merchandise to sell at the swap meet. Be sure to wear your club apparel!

### April 14, 2001 Italian Nite

Location—to be announced. Beginning at 5:30 or 6:00 p.m., Italian potluck dinner.

### June 14-17, 2001 Rocky Mountain Mustang Roundup

Location—Steamboat Springs, Colorado. CCFMC road trip parade will be leaving Thursday, June 14. Tentatively 8 cars will represent the CCFMC. Talk to Mick Morgan if you're interested in joining the party!

## Do You Recognize These Warning Signs?

In light of the upcoming Swap Meet, Car-Aholics Anonymous would like to raise public awareness about the condition of Car-aholism. Following are just a few of the symptoms:

- ? Severe lower neck strain caused by turning head back and forth while driving down the road in search of cars/junk to buy.
- ? The ability to waken at 4:00 am on a Sunday morning to drive 200 miles to attend a swap meet someone told you about, spending 10 minutes there then returning home.
- ? A severe case of honey-doo projects to get back in good graces with spouse.
- ? Leaving spouse's new car set outside while latest \$500 project sits in heated garage and gets worked on once a week.
- ? You have more car cleaning supplies than oral hygiene products.

Remember—the first step is admitting you have a problem. Help is available.

## Take Note!

Take a moment to wish a happy birthday to these great CCFMC members:

3/6	Windey Jensen
3/7	Gregg Meyer
3/12	Arthur Godfrey
3/12	Tim Mclain
3/22	Mark Rupp
3/24	June Rost



Happy Birthday to you!!

## HEY !!

Here's a neat website, check it out!  
<http://www.stangnet.com>

## For Sale:

### 1960 Falcon Ranchero

Runs! Steering is a little loose, brakes need work. The body isn't too bad. The original hub caps are on it. Bad paint job. Asking \$700 for it. Contact Jeff Hueftle, Holdrege, Nebraska at (308) 995-2747  
Email: [jlhmeh@nebi.com](mailto:jlhmeh@nebi.com)

Car Cover brand new, never used car cover for a 65 fastback Mustang. Cost \$120 new, will take \$80 for it. Also for sale 4 NOS 13" wheel covers for a 65 Mustang. \$125 for the set, still in the Ford Box. Contact Doug Cole at 488-4042.

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## Notes from the President:

Hello fellow club members,

The first meeting is over, a little long but we got a lot accomplished. The following meetings will try to keep to around 1 hour. I can't see going to a meeting, talk for twenty minutes or so, get nothing accomplished and then go home. The purpose of the business meeting is to discuss the business of the club, and the first meetings are always a little longer because it sets the foundation for the entire year.

Enough said about the meeting.

Some people rely on the ground hog to tell us when spring gets here, not at our house!

Our spring indicator is Patti and her Mustang GT. Monday (Presidents Day) she had off and couldn't resist driving her Mustang. Patti would remind me that she has been driving the Broncoll all winter and that she was ready for some driving excitement, besides every time she would go into the garage she would hear the GT calling her name and pleading to be driven (I would remind her that she doesn't have to drive it and

besides a black car is really hard to keep clean). Well as I said, last Monday was too much and she took the car out, I think spring is just around the corner. The car got dirty, got a bath and put back in the garage for a warmer day of driving excitement.

Hope to see you all at the meeting.

Sincerely,

Rick Buis  
President

## March Meeting Agenda:

Wednesday, March 7, 2001  
Godfathers, 48th & Hwy 2  
Dinner at 6 p.m.  
Meeting at 7 p.m.

### Call Meeting to Order

### Introductions

Secretary's Report  
? Minutes

Treasurer's Report  
? Accounts  
? Bills submitted

### Club Sponsor's Report

### Car Council Report

### Old Business:

- ? Club apparel
- ? Spring swap meet
- ? Dennis' space
- ? Italian Nite
- ? Point system

### New Business:

- ? By-Laws Committee Report
- ? Activities Committee Report
- ? Car Show Committee Report

### Other:

- ? Tech Time
- ? Other
- ? Next month's meeting location

### Adjourn Meeting

## 302 Engine Production Ceases

On December 6, 2000 the last 302 V8 engine built for production use was completed. The Explorer was the last vehicle to receive the engine. The line that produced the V8 will now be retooled to build the newer high tech V6's. FRPP will continue to sell the race versions of the 302 and 351 engines.

# March 2001

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4 Poker Run	5	6	7 Meeting at Godfather's	8	9	10 St. Patrick's Day
11 Swap Meet	12	13	14	15	16	17
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