

Rapid Mustang and Ford Club

October News Letter

14 people were in attendance

Treasures Report taken from last statement is \$1494.74 in checking and \$30.27 in Savings

We started the meeting reviewing the bylaws

It was decided that the membership director would be appointed and not elected Jeff suggested that this could be added to the Vice Presidents duties

- The duties of membership director would be to
 - Maintain membership lists
 - Collection of dues
 - Deal with new memberships

Below are Gary's proposed changes to the by-laws:

Current By Law

ARTICLE III - PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVE

3.1) The Club is organized to bring people together who are interested in the restoration/preservation of the Ford Mustang and Ford automobile. Its objective is camaraderie and fellowship in the hobby of Ford Mustangs and Ford automobiles.

The first proposed change is.

ARTICLE III - PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVE

3.1) The Club is organized to bring people together who are interested in the restoration, preservation, and enjoyment of all vehicles produced by the Ford Motor Company. The Club's objective is camaraderie and fellowship in the hobby of enjoying all vehicles produced by the Ford Motor Company.

Current By Law

ARTICLE V – MEMBERSHIP

5.1) Membership shall be open to anyone who has an interest in the Ford Mustang and Ford automobiles. Ownership of a Mustang or other Ford is not a requirement. Membership in this Club shall be for life subject to the provisions of these bylaws. It shall be limited to those who support the purpose of this organization.

The second proposed change is.

ARTICLE V – MEMBERSHIP

5.1) Membership shall be open to anyone who has an interest in any of the vehicles produced by the Ford Motor Company. Ownership of a vehicle produced by the Ford Motor Company is not a requirement. Membership in this Club shall be for ~~life subject to the provisions of these bylaws~~ the term for which dues are current. It shall be limited to those who support the purpose of this organization.

Christmas Party will be December 1st at the Moose Lodge in Rapid City Linda Nixon is collecting money for the party. The cost will be \$20 per person with funds made out to the club and the club will pay the total bill to the Moose Lodge. Your fees will include tax and tips. The menu will be Roast Beef and Chicken breast Buffet with sides.

-- We will be doing a gift exchange for those who wish to participate with the cost of up to \$15 for the gift.

-- Happy hour will be at 6:00 PM with meal at 6:30 PM

--Deserts were approved by the club for Linda to get deserts and decorations.

Gary passed on that Carol has resigned as the secretary and Scott volunteered to take over the duties of secretary.

We discussed donations that we due quarterly and nothing was decided at this time. If you have an organization in mind bring it with you to the next meeting. We will also decide if we will continue to support the Elder Tree and Toys for Tots this Christmas season.

We still need positions filled within the club such as:

--**Meeting Coordinator**- This is the person that has to find were we will have our meetings and make sure they can accommodate our needs.

--**Treasure**- This person makes out the club minutes and makes sure the newsletter gets out the membership. (Filled) Since the meeting Steve Klock said he would do both the treasure and the business manager for the club since they are somewhat related. This need has been filled.

--**Secretary**- Takes notes during the meeting and puts out the news letter to the membership by email or mail. Much of the other duties that were done in the past will be taken by the membership director.

The **next cruise will be through Custer State Park on the 21st of October**. We will meet at Safeway on Mount Rushmore Road at 9:00 AM.

Next meeting will be held at Perkins on La Cross on 8 November 2017.

