

### The UFO Newsletter

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#### **EDITOR NOTE:**

Hi! I'm Jay Nutt and I'm your UFO Newsletter Editor. Please feel free to call, email (nuttjay@yahoo.com), or snail mail any comments, suggestions, etc. to the address below.

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#### The UFO Presidents Corner By Terry Tippett



#### Hey everybody!

The next meeting is Wed. August 20th.

The Mid Ohio Ford Club and your club (the UFO) went together and had a booth at the Goodguys show in Columbus to promo both Ford swap

meets. I would like to give all of our members that helped a big THANK YOU, and I feel it was good that the clubs were working together.

Cruise-in Director (Bryan Bowen) says the cruise -in's are going very strong if it is not raining at the Great Southern Shopping Center. The next one is Sat. August 16th. Dust off your car, come out and have some fun. Bryan's contact info is on the back of the newsletter.

The next two Autocrosses are on Sun., August 3rd and 31st at Columbus Motor Speedway, Todd's contact info is on the back of the newsletter.

Cruise The 'ville car show will be Sat. August 16th at the Park of Roses, contact Tom Waibel, info is on the back of the newsletter.

The All Ohio Ford Show will be Sun. Sept. 7th. For info contact Todd Kitchen, his info is on the back of the newsletter.

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Send all your car and event pictures and stories to our newsletter, Jay Nutt and web wizard, Bob Roush, info for both is on the back of the newsletter.

The rest of the meeting dates for 2014 are August 20, September 3 and 17, October 1 and 15, November 5 and 19 and December 10. Any questions, comments, suggestions please contact me at **740-607-1451** or e-mail at **tbucket@columbus.rr.com** Thank you Terry

#### No UFO Membership meeting at K-Chalet on August 6th

There will be no membership meeting on august 6th due to a number of members being out of town. The August 20th meeting will be a pizza meeting. Any questions please contact

Terry at 740-607-1451 or

email tbucket@columbus.rr.com or

Thomas Waibel at (614)444-1504 or e-mail

# Attention ALL The United Ford Owners Members The Club Needs Your Help with Super Swap Vendor Mailing

Please everyone, come and help Kevin and Terry prepare the mailers for the 2014 Fall Super Swap. We need as many people as possible to make this go smoothly. The day is Wednesday September 3th, the place is the UFO membership meeting at K-Chalet Rec Club. The meeting starting time will be the normal 7:00pm. Pizza will be served.

If you have any questions please contact President Tippett at 740-607-1451 or Kevin Dearth at 614-265-9095.

# June 21 Saturday Evening <u>UFO Cruise/Show</u> At Great Southern Shopping Center

The UFO cruise-in at Great Southern shopping center had good weather for the June 21th show! While it had been raining early that day it was sunny for the Show. The earlier rain seemed to have an effect on the show's attendance with only 36 cars or trucks attending.

New Cruise director Bryan Bowen has been doing a great job putting on the Cruise/Show, And the Great Southern location is a great spot for a Show, now if the weather would just cooperate for the August 16th Show.

The cruise is scheduled for the 3rd Saturday of each month thru October.

If you have any questions please contact Cruise Dir. Bryan Bowen at 614-333-3325, or email at bryan-w-y@hotmail.

#### <u>United Ford Owners to Help Run</u> <u>Cruise The 'Ville Again</u>

The UFO club is again helping to put on the "Cruise The 'Ville" in Clintonville's Whetstone Park of Roses.

As in the past volunteers will be needed to help with registration, parking, and judging. So if you have some free time on August 16 please come over to Whetstone Park in Clintonville and help the club put on the show.

If you have any questions please contact Thomas Waibel at (614)444-1504 or e-mail t.waibel@yahoo.com or Morgan Waddell at 614-580-9248 or e-mail waddellm@wcsoh.org

#### 2014 UFO AUTOCROSS AT CMS

#### By UFO Member Brian McDonald

The weather forecast on June 29th was threatening, but we ended up having a terrific turnout and mostly sunny afternoon. 35 cars and 36 drivers participated in 4 classes. The day went off without a hitch.

The course was set up on the banked track of Columbus Motor Speedway and excluded the infield due to the possibility of rain.

Sean Svendsen had the fastest time of the day and first in his class with a 2004 Honda S2000. Dan Howard with a '94 Miata and Scott Cordell with an '04 Miata rounded out that first group of cars as second and third.

Tom Wahjude with a 2008 Corvette Z06 finished first in the second group of cars. Zach Miller with an 08 Mercedes and Don Smith with a '14 Challenger came in second and third respectively for that group.

Aaron Batey with an '12 VW Golf finished first in the third group of cars. Chad Starkey with an '07 Solstice and Dale Jolly Jr. with a '90 Daytona finished second and third.

Ryan Arthur finished first in the final group with a '12 370Z. Mike Tepley with an '02 911 came in second. Craig Distl finished third in the class with a 2003 Subaru WRX.

Thanks to all of the United Ford Owner family that volunteered their time to make the event such a success.

### August 3th UFO Autocross at CMS Needs Help with Set Up

Auto Cross Director Todd Kitchen is asking for help for the August 3th set up and operation. If you have some free time that Sunday please contact

Todd Kitchen at 614-286-3026 or email at kitchenenator@gmail.com or just show up around 10:00 at the Columbus Motor Speedway.

#### Classifieds: For Sale/Wanted/etc.

#### Attention: United Ford Owners Members!

These Ads are FREE to club members and friends or family. We will run your Ad for 2 consecutive months. You may then re-submit it if necessary. There will be a deadline for ads in future newsletters, usually the first of the month. Mail your classified Ad and any picture you may want to include to UFO Newsletter, C/O Jay Nutt, 6456 Old Church Way, Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068.

(if you wish the picture returned please send a stamped selfaddressed envelope with your ad).

#### 1965 Mustang for Sale

1965 Mustang, 6 cylinder, 3 speed on the floor. Red exterior and black interior. All original, except for paint, car was originally green. Needs a little work.

Asking \$15,000 Call Allen at 740-817-0324

#### 1988 EXP part needed

I am looking for a coolant tank sensor for a 88 Ford EXP with a 1.9 liter engine. If you have one or know where to find one, please contact

Pat at 740-746-9021

#### 1994 Ford Ranger For Sale

1994 Ford Ranger For Sale XLT Extended Cap. 2wd, V6 4.0 5sp new clutch. Power moon roof, Viper Alarm, Tow Hitch to frame. Leer Cap, Bed Liner. I have had this truck for 16 years and wish to sell it. 182,900 miles on it . Rust free and in great shape.

Price \$3500.00

Contact Kevin at 614 783-7692 or email kevmohio2columbus.rr.com

#### 1931 Model A Victorian 2 door Coupe For Sale

Four cylinder 40 horse power.
Overdrive transmission.
White wall tires.
Frame off restoration
Orange and cream with black fenders
and yellow wheels.
Price \$15,000.

Contact Kevmohio@columbus.rr.com Phone 614 783-7692

#### <u>1964 1/2 Ford Mustang Convertible</u> <u>For Sale</u>

Red body and black interior and top.
Frame-off restoration.
289 rebuilt engine / automatic transmission.
four barrel, 600 Holley Carburetor.
Price \$22,000.

Contact Kevmohio@columbus.rr.com Phone 614 783-7692

#### Parting Out 1997 Ford Custom Van

Parting out doors, side windows, interior, roof rack, possible rims, and door mirrors

If interested contact

Brad at 614-506-1175 or email me at bradm0123@gmail.com

#### Ford' Wants to Put Tomatoes in Cars

Submitted by UFO Member Deborah Near

You Say Tomato; We Say Tom-Auto: Ford and Heinz Collaborate on Sustainable Materials for Vehicles \*Ford and H.J. Heinz Company explore the use of tomato fiber to develop a more sustainable bio-plastic material for vehicles.

\*Ford researchers are testing the material's durability for potential use in vehicle wiring brackets and storage bins \*Success in developing a new more sustainable composite could reduce the use of petrochemicals in manufacturing and reduce the impact of vehicles on the environment.

It might seem that tomatoes and cars have nothing in common. But researchers at Ford Motor Company and H.J. Heinz Company see the possibility of an innovative union.

Researchers at Ford and Heinz are investigating the use of tomato fibers in developing sustainable, composite materials for use in vehicle manufacturing. Specifically, dried tomato skins could become the wiring brackets in a Ford vehicle or the storage bin a Ford customer uses to hold coins and other small objects. "We are exploring whether this food processing byproduct makes sense for an automotive application," said Ellen Lee, plastics research technical specialist for Ford. "Our goal is to develop a strong, lightweight material that meets our vehicle requirements, while at the same time reducing our overall environmental impact."

Nearly two years ago, Ford began collaborating with Heinz, The Coca-Cola Company, Nike Inc. and Procter & Gamble to accelerate development of a 100 percent plant-based plastic to be used to make everything from fabric to packaging and with a lower environmental impact than petroleum-based packaging materials currently in use.

At Heinz, researchers were looking for innovative ways to recycle and repurpose peels, stems and seeds from the more than two million tons of tomatoes the company uses annually to produce its best-selling product: Heinz Ketchup. Leaders at Heinz turned to Ford.

"We are delighted that the technology has been validated," said Vidhu Nagpal, associate director, packaging R&D for Heinz. "Although we are in the very early stages of research, and many questions remain, we are excited about the possibilities this could produce for both Heinz and Ford, and the advancement of sustainable 100% plant-based plastics.". cushions and head restraints.

This article was copied from Ford's website

#### **Shelby Automotive Museum**

By UFO Member Frank lezzi

The Carroll Hall Shelby Trust unveiled plans for the new Carroll Shelby Automotive Museum. The museum is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization created to educate the public about the high performance automotive industry. It is being formed by the Trust around the private collection of Mr. Shelby to celebrate his legacy and to inspire future generations.

The facility will be located next to the engine factory and offices where Carroll Shelby lived, worked and created his magic for over 40 years. It is where he spent his last days, thinking about the future. It will include a portion of Mr. Shelby's car collection, a multimedia center and an auction area. The centerpiece will be "Shelby's Snake Pit," an area exclusively for sponsors to share stories in an atmosphere of valuable archival documents and trophies commemorating Carroll's many racing victories and achievements.

"Carroll Shelby was an amazing individual," said Joe Conway, co-Trustee for the Carroll Hall Shelby Trust and Director of the Shelby Automotive Museum. "From his service as a military test pilot to his dominating racing career and achievements as an international automaker, he was larger than life. With the growing interest in the museum, we held this reception to share our vision for its future with those who expressed interest in helping preserve American automotive history."

Located at 19021 South Figueroa Street in Gardena, Calif. The museum area will be approximately 40,000 square feet while the "Shelby's Snake Pit" VIP lounge will be around 5,000 square feet. An approximately 15 foot high sculpture of a Cobra will be the centerpiece of the area with a winding "road" traversing the facility. The project is being managed by Tellus Global, Inc., of Los Angeles.

Construction is expected to begin later this year with a formal opening planned in early 2015.

"Carroll's mind never stopped creating," said Cummings. "It's our mission to follow his lead with this unique museum and blaze another Shelby trail. The trust plans to work closely with museums across the world to create a lecture series, rotating exhibits and exclusive events. Our facilities will be open to local clubs seeking a place to meet. And we may include a permanent display for the Children's Art Contest that Carroll championed. The close sense of community among Shelby fans will burn strongly at the Shelby Automotive Museum."

Additional information about the new Shelby Automotive Museum is available at www.shelbymuseum.com.

Thanks to "Car and Parts magazine" for this article.



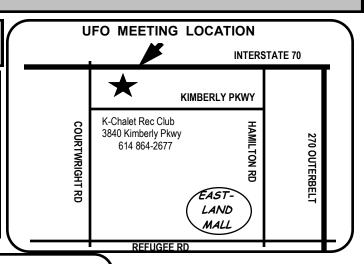
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#### MEETINGS START AT 7:00PM. FIRST MEETING EACH MONTH IS A PIZZA MEETING!

### Upcoming Events . . .

August	August	August	August
03	16	16	20
Autocross At CMS	UFO Cruise on South High	Cruise The Ville	Meeting At K-Chalet



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