

President's Corner....

Well it is sad to say but the cruise season is now about over with only a few scattered events left in the area. Before you know it we will be inside thinking about and making improvements to our Stangs.

I want to thank Ian Davis for helping us out at the last Cruise at Beit Bros. in Uncasville. He let us use his DJ equipment to get through the event. Thanks also to Frank Ewing for playing the music and making announcements.

I would like to thank everyone who helped throughout the year to make all the events successful. Also we could have not done any of this without all our sponsors.

As everyone should know by now the club elections are to take place this year. Nominations were taken at the end of the last cruise in September. It went as follows: Nominations for

President: Bo Miller, Lucien Boutin

Vice President: Frank Ewing

Treasurer: Colleen Miller

Secretary: Kathy Chase

Events Coordinator: Dan Breton, Rob & Tracy Cushman

Web Master: Diane Holowaty

As a result voting will be for two offices only. Those offices are President, and Events Coordinator. Jose Lopez is the Election Judge and he will accept your vote either by phone, email or secret ballot at the next inside meeting scheduled for October 17th at the WCTY radio station. Please have your ballots to Jose by midnight October 15th. You can contact him at 860-449-1861, by email at katnjoe@comcast.net or by mail at 146 Indian Field Rd., Groton, CT 06340.

Finally the biggest event of the year went off well. The 3rd Annual Oldies Dance to benefit the Women's Center of Southeastern CT raised \$3,305.00. Thanks goes out to the dance committee for getting things organized. Special thanks to all the sponsors who either helped set up the event or donated raffle items to make this event so much fun and successful. This event is by no means a one-person job. It took the efforts of everyone from sponsors, club members, and those who attended the event to make it what it is. Thanks again for everyone's effort and we can now look forward to the 4th Annual!

The club now moves inside for the winter to set up for next year's events. As in the past, Jim Reed from KOOL 101 has allowed us use of the conference room at the station. All meetings will be on the second Sunday of the month from 1-3 pm at the location on Cuprak Rd. in Norwich. Anyone needing directions can call me at 860-564-4671. Remember that these meetings are important to all club members and your input is needed and welcome to make things run smoothly. The first meeting will be on October 16th. See everyone there.

Lucien Boutin, Sr.