

## **Mustang Club Annual Event Supports MADD**

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The 2003 Barbeque drew over three hundred show entries, including both modern and classic Mustangs, as well as an amazing assortment of other Ford enthusiast vehicles. Several more Toronto area Ford clubs participate in the event, including Ford Truck World - Ontario Chapter, the Golden Horseshoe Mustang Association and the Super Coupe Club of Ontario.

"We are so looking forward to being affiliated with this wonderful event", said MADD Halton/Peel Chapter administrator, Linda Brick. Show participants and spectators will be able to check out the vendors and exhibitors, as well as a performance parts swap meet. Food concessions will be available and a DJ will keep the atmosphere lively. Many club and event sponsors are supporting raffles and door prize giveaways through the afternoon.

A number of special exhibits are also included. The newly rebuilt turbo dragster of previous Pro 5.0 series champion, Joe DaSilva, will be at the show. In addition, the Coca-Cola sponsored junior dragsters from Van Dette-Wier Racing can be seen, along with their drivers.

The event is sponsored, in part, by Fines Ford Lincoln Sales of Bolton, Ontario, Da Silva Racing of Scarborough, Heritage Ford Sales of Scarborough, CarPolish.ca of Burlington, Bramalea Tire of Brampton, Noyz Boyz Performance Exhaust of Scarborough, Mustang Toy Store of Scarborough, Van Dette-Weir Racing of Scarborough, Meguiar's Canada of Mississauga, SW Designs of Toronto, Rust Check Corporation of Mississauga and Western Motorsports of Calgary, Alberta.

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About GTAMC:

The Greater Toronto Area Mustang Club is a sponsor-supported, non-profit organization having both a real



world and on-line presence. Up to three hundred Greater Toronto Area members participate locally during the  $club\hat{A} \square s$  seasonal events.

The group $\hat{A} \square$ s web page and on-line discussion forums promote the sharing of information and experiences among Mustang and other Ford vehicle owners for the repair and preservation, as well as show and competition preparation of their vehicles. Approximately one thousand members participate from across the country  $\hat{A} \square$  Newfoundland to British Columbia  $\hat{A} \square$  and from many of the United States.

GTAMC actively supports the local automotive-related organizations MADD  $\hat{A} \square$  Mothers Against Drunk Driving  $\hat{A} \square$  and P.A.C.E.R.  $\hat{A} \square$  Police and Community Educating Racers.

Photographs:

Captioned, high-resolution photos from the 2003 event can be accessed at:

http://members.rogers.com/911rally/gallery.htm



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