

SBMO History

SouthBay Mustang Owners

(Founded October of 1983 As MOCC/South Bay-Long Beach Chapter)

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Date:	Topic:	Description
October of 1983	Club Founded	Loyd & Marty Champion founded The South Bay - Long Beach Chapter of The Mustang Owners Club of California (MOCC). MOCC's other Chapters were: Upland, San Diego, Visalia, Bakers Field, Sacramento.
November of 1983	1st Club Mtg	Loyd & Marty Champion held the 1st meeting at Coast Federal Bank in San Pedro. Approximately 20 people attended. Whit & Julia Anderson and Ron Souders of MOCC attended. The new Chapter was started with approximately 15 new members.
1990-1992	Membership Process	During this time the whole Membership process for the South Bay-Long Beach Chapter was manually done. A Membership ledger was kept in a ledger book that tracked names, anniversary dates, Membership numbers & the amount sent to MOCC per Membership. I believe Marty Champion began this process. MOCC maintained a Master Roster which was also manually done.
1990-1992	Treasurer Process	A general ledger was manually kept which recorded all income, expense and bank related information. I believe Marty Champion began this process.
1990-1992	Newsletter	In 1990 The Club Newsletter came from MOCC (quarterly) in the Valley. Occasionally our South Bay-Long Beach Chapter published it's own which typically was a hand written postcard.
1991	Dorothy Gates & David Rode	Dorothy Gates & David Rode served as dual Presidents of MOCC / South Bay - Long Beach Chapter..
1992-2001	Dorothy Gates	Dorothy Gates served as President of MOCC / South Bay - Long Beach Chapter
1992	Age of Computer	Around this time we began computerizing: The Newsletter; The Membership Roster; The Treasurer process. The main package used for Membership, Treasury & Newsletter was Word Perfect & an early DB-1 database utility. All math was still done by hand/manually, but at least things were now entered into a computer.
1995-Present	Modernization	Around 1995 things pertaining to Club information became much more modernized. For example, a relational database was setup for handling & tracking Club Membership information (data & dollar amounts) - MS/ACCESS. This relational database also accomodates the registration process required to put on The Club's annual car show(s). Additionally, the Treasurer function now used MS-EXCEL, a spreadsheet software package still being used today. The Newsletter now was migrated to MS-Publisher, a software package specifically designed to handle creating newsletters.
April 18th of 1995	Independence	MOCC South Bay - Long BeachChapter became SouthBay Mustang Owners (SBMO), an independent club.
1995-1996	SBMO Influence	Around this time period, we created a relational membership database for The Orange County Mustang Club (OCMC) & migrated their EXCEL based data for them. Also, during this time period we assisted with the creation of SVT Cobra Owners of Souther California (SVTCOSC) - provided a model & advised.
2002 - present	Ron Arrigoni	Ron Arrigoni was elected in November of 2001 and has served as President from 2002 and continues to serve