

Old News

Newsletter of Baw Baw Old Engine & Auto Club Inc.

















Korumburra Working Horse and Tractor Rally

President's Report

Well, everybody, I have some great news to share.

We will be holding the heritage show on the first weekend of February next year at our club grounds. We will have more control over the event and hope to do well. We are also looking for a new name for the event with the word Darnum in it, possibly the Darnum Heritage Display.

Holding the event at Lardner Park the last few years has enabled us to improve our shed and area. The money raised has enabled us to start work on our new toilet block at the back of the shed. After discussions at the meeting, it has been decided we will have separate male and female toilets, with two male, two female, a disabled and a shower. Quite an improvement on what we have at present.

We have also been the beneficiary of some local contractors with quite a bit of soil and fill put around the grounds. We hope to spread it out and get rid of some of the low spots.

All in all a very positive start to the year.

President Ross

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General Meeting Minutes

Tuesday 11 March 2025

Meeting opened at 8.05pm with Ross Watson chairing. Welcome to members and guests-

Attendance as per attendance sheet.

Apologies: Rod Boreham. Evan Williamson. John and Shirley Patrick. Margaret Roots. Heather Reeves. Leanne Reeves.

Business was suspended at this point for an announcement on the Heritage Vehicle & Machinery Display.

The next meeting of the Heritage Vehicle and Machinery Display will be held at the club grounds. Work is to commence on renovating the toilet block and a working bee will be held on 5th April commencing at 9 am to relocate the old toilet block in readiness. Barbeque lunch provided.

People were asked to give feedback on the new name for the event. Plans were passed around with a couple of ideas on the design for the toilet block. Vote at the end of the meeting.

Minutes of the February 2025 General Meeting as printed in the March newsletter.

Moved Rob Tylee, seconded Michael Strauss that the minutes of the February 2025 general meeting be confirmed. Carried.

Business arising from the previous meeting:

1) Tax requirements- Ross has contact the government re our tax situation and as a result we are not required to pay tax at this stage.

Correspondence:

Inwards-

- 1) Other club newsletters, both printed and Email.
- 2) NHMA notice of quarterly virtual meeting.
- 3) Warragul Show- email- details about our display.

Outwards-

- 1) General email notices
- 2) Warragul Show enquiries.
- 3) Request to NHMA for 2 new insurance cards-O'Mara.

Reports:

Treasurer's Report- Presented by Lorraine Parnall.

Moved Lorraine Parnall, seconded by Ian Plant that the Treasurer's report be received and that payments be approved. Carried.

Editor- Report and pictures from Warragul Show needed. Additional items always welcome. The editor's good work on the newsletter was acknowledged.

Shed/grounds- See report above. New Fence for engine compounds - the people with engines are to decide the best place for it.

Federation / CPS- Baw Baw Picnic.

Membership- Nick and Tommy O'Mara- arrangements have been made to try to fast-track membership to allow them to get insurance for the KWH&TR. Rod has in hand but short timeframe may prove difficult.

Heritage display/ TTRC- See report above.

General Business

- 1) Farmworld-
- 2) Warragul Show- *Note- Very disappointing turn-out of vehicles. 2 on Friday night and 1 on Saturday.
- 3) Easter Festival- Club not attending.
- 4) The Mystery object was a magnifier torch.
- 5) A question was asked what is the Black-Allen line? It goes back to the 1800's but was not dedicated till 2006. It is the straight line south eastern portion of the state border between Victoria and NSW

Past events:

- 1) Feb. 18th- Classic Chicks at Country Club.
- 2) Feb. 23rd- Aquatic afternoon at Tylee's Only a few attended but a lovely enjoyable day was had by all.
- 3) Feb. 28th/March 1st- Warragul Show- Good show but very disappointing number of cars attended.

Coming events:

- 1) March 15th & 16th- Korumburra Working Horse & Tractor Rally. *Preparation, loading and return of machinery from Midnight Thursday March 13th to Midday Monday March 17th.
- 2) March 27th 29th- Farmworld. *Preparation, loading and return of machinery from Midnight Wednesday March 26th to Midday Sunday March 29th.
- 3) April 5th- Working Bee.
- 4) April 8th- General Meeting. 7:30pm due to end of daylight Savings.
- 5) Lunch at Downtowner
- 6) April Run will be a Mystery Tour
- 7) Ploughing day will be late in April

*Members must state their intention to attend an event at a general meeting to ensure that the details are recorded in line with NHMA Transit Insurance requirements. All tied-down loads should be photographed prior to starting the journey.

Following discussion and examination of the alternative designs for the toilets, it was generally felt that separate male & female toilets would be preferred to unisex toilets.

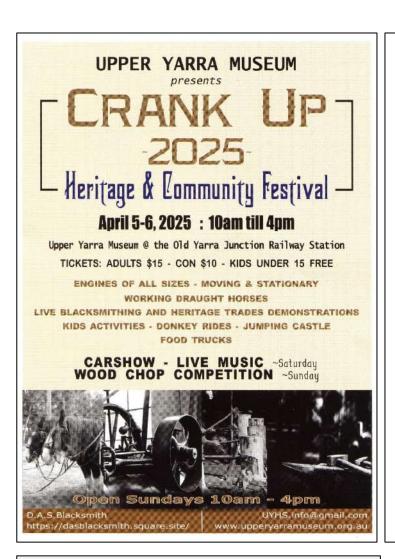
Meeting closed at 9.30 p.m.

Members are reminded to bring a plate of supper. Next meeting, April 8th.

Coming Events

If an event you are planning to attend is not on this list, please let our Secretary and Events Coordinator know.

Date	Event	Venue	Details
April			
Sat 5 Apr.	Working Bee and Casual Saturday at the Shed	Club Shed	Come from 9am onwards for a working bee at the club grounds (in a special vehicle if you can). BBQ lunch provided.
Sat 5 – Sun 6 Apr.	Upper Yarra Museum Crank Up 2025 – Heritage & Community Festival	Upper Yarra Museum, Old Yarra J. Railway Station	10am - 4pm. Adults \$15, Conc. \$10, under 15 free. www.upperyarramuseum.org
Tue 8 Apr.	Club General Meeting	Club Shed	7.30pm. Note earlier start time with end of daylight saving.
Sun 13 Apr.	President's Mystery Run	Departing from Club Shed	Meeting at the Club Shed at 9.30am for morning tea. BYO picnic lunch. We will travel to somewhere nice on made roads, weather permitting
Tue 15 Apr.	Classic Chicks Lunch	Club Hotel Warragul	All members welcome. Meeting from 12pm. Please contact Carol Tylee on 0417 539 171 to book in.
Tue 22 Apr.	Social Day at the Shed (with UFO Morning)	Club Shed	Come along to the shed from 10am with your unfinished small projects
Sun 27 Apr.	Federation Scoresby Picnic	National Steam Centre, Scoresby	Starts 10am. Hosted by Dandenong Valley Historic Car Club Inc. Free entry.
May			
Sat 3 May	Casual Saturday at the Shed	Club Shed	Come from 10am onwards in a special vehicle. BYO BBQ lunch.
Tue 13 May	Club General Meeting	Club Shed	7.30pm.
Sat 17 – Sun 18 May	Heyfield Vintage Machinery Picnic	Gordon Street Reserve, Heyfield	Gates open 9.30am-3pm. Adults \$10, children 16-19 \$5, under 16 free.
Sun 18 May	Federation Murrabit Picnic	Murrabit Market Site	From 10am. Vehicles 25+ years old. Free entry for all Federation Club Members.
Sun 18 May	National Motoring Heritage Day	Various	Join one of many events or head out on your own Sunday drive to celebrate National Motoring Heritage Day.
Tue 20 May	Classic Chicks Lunch	Royal Hotel, Drouin	All members welcome. Meeting from 12pm. Please contact Carol Tylee on 0417 539 171 to book in.
Tue 27 May	Social Day at the Shed (with UFO Morning)	Club Shed	Come along to the shed from 10am with your unfinished small projects
June			
Sat 7 Jun.	Casual Saturday at the Shed	Club Shed	Come from 10am onwards in a special vehicle. BYO BBQ lunch.
Tue 10 Jun.	Club General Meeting	Club Shed	7.30pm.
Tue 17 Jun.	Classic Chicks Lunch	Location TBC	All members welcome.
Tue 24 Jun.	Social Day at the Shed (with UFO Morning)	Club Shed	Come along to the shed from 10am with your unfinished small projects



FEDERATION SCORESBY PICNIC CAR & MOTORCYCLE SHOW

Sunday 27th April 2025



Nation Steam Centre 120 Ferntree Gully Rd Scoresby, VIC



Starts 10am

Hosted by the Dandenong Valley Historic Car Club Inc.

Free entry

Vehicles 25 years & older are welcomed to park into the display

Trade & Craft Displays BYO Pionic Lunch Steam Machine Displays Food Stalls Trophies for 5 Categories Children's Animal Farm Raffle Drawn 1pm Bring the Family



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FEDERATION'S MURRABIT PICNIC

NATIONAL MOTORING HERITAGE DAY 18TH MAY 2025

FROM 10AM AT MURRABIT MARKET SITE



SPONSORED BY FEDERATION V.V. & C.V.C. Inc.

FREE ENTRY FOR ALL FEDERATION CLUB MEMBERS.
VEHICLES 25+YEARS OLD. CARS, TRUCKS & MOTORBIKES WELCOME.

ON SITE CATERING BY THE MURRABIT RECREATION RESERVE COMMITTEE.
ENTERTAINMENT BY "FOUR TO THE BAR". KEZZA'S COFFEE VAN

ENQUIRES: JOHN AND MICHELLE 0409185906

PAST EVENTS

Warragul Show

Friday 28 February and Saturday 1 March

On the Friday night we had six engines, two cars and a couple of trucks. Thanks to Laurie, Jim, Jesse, Rod, Ross, Kelvin and Carol and Rob for a great night.

Geoff Little.





Yarra Glen Swap Meet

Sunday 9 March

The Yarra Glen swap meet had rows of parts for sale as well as plenty of cars on display. It was well worth going to. Photos by Geoff Little.



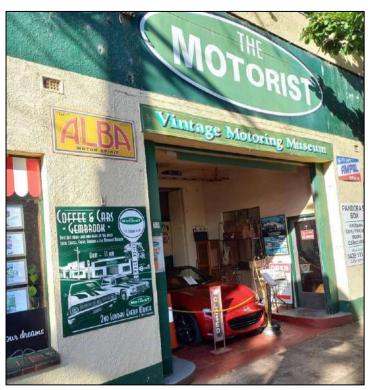




Coffee & Cars Gembrook

Sunday 9 March

A monthly coffee and cars event is held in Gembrook on the second Sunday of the month. Geoff and Judy Little went in March and saw plenty of cars on display.





Korumburra Working Horse and Tractor Rally

Saturday 15 - Sunday 16 March

Photos by Geoff Little and Evan Williamson.





























Classic Chicks Lunch

Tuesday 18 March

A great get together was had at the Warragul Downtowner for the March Classic Chicks Lunch. All are welcome to the next lunch at the Club Hotel, Warragul on Tuesday 15 April.

Thank you to Phy Bould for sharing the photos.





Social Day at the Shed

Tuesday 25 March

Congratulations to our members who entered items in the Warragul Show and received prizes for their efforts (photos included here from Carol Tylee). I hope some of you saw the items when you visited the show.

We had a wonderful day at our group. A great catch up and quite a few exchanges of ideas and help with projects as usual. Thank you to all who came along.

Our next get together is on Tuesday the 22nd April which is Easter Tuesday. I know a few will not be there but it will still be on as usual.

Thank you, Lorraine













FOR SALE AND WANTED

For Sale

1981 Toyota Cressida

Auto, 6 cylinder, 262,000km. Original interior and exterior. New tyres. Currently on club permit. \$9,900.

Contact Tony on 0407 343 459 or 03 5622 1982.



1929 Pontiac Tourer

In original condition. This Pontiac 29-6 is powered with a Pontiac 200 cubic inch 6 cylinder petrol engine with a 3 speed constant mesh transmission. Mechanical drum brakes on all 4 wheels.

It has been professionally panel beaten and painted 6 years ago. \$30,000 ono.

Contact Murray on 0439 705 066 for enquiries.



Wanted

Looking for old bullocks driving handbooks or old DVDs, tapes, photos, etc.

Contact Nancy on 0400 220 854

Wheels and tyres 265x75x16

Five (5) tyres on Sunraysia rims. 6 stud. 265x75x16. To suit raised Nissan Patrol.

\$250 the lot.

Contact Tony on 0407 343 459.







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Old News Submissions

Submissions for the club newsletter are always welcome. Please email any photos, reports, stories or other items of interest to the editor at editor@bawbawvintage.com. You can also provide a hard copy to any committee member.

The deadline for submissions is the Friday following the monthly committee meeting (held on the fourth Wednesday of the month).

This Month's Cover

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Club general meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month at the club shed in Darnum. Committee meetings are held on the fourth Wednesday of each month, location as notified.

Club Permit Scheme

New Vehicles

Vehicles built from 1 January 1949 will require a full certificate of roadworthiness to apply for the club permit scheme. For older vehicles, vehicle safety checks for permit issue can be carried out by our safety scrutineers by request. A small fee will be charged and the check will need to be booked in advance.

Safety Scrutineers: Rod Boreham 0412 070 303 or Wayne Henry 0409 252 258

Permit Renewal

Upon renewal, please photocopy your renewal form for club records and ensure the club has hard copy photographs of your vehicle. Required <u>date stamped</u> photos are:

- front - rear - driving position (side on, door open)

- passenger side - driver side - body and engine number stampings and plates Permit registration renewals are to be signed by club signatories at <u>club meetings only</u>. Please do not approach them at their workplace or home, except in a pre-arranged emergency situation.

Club Signatories: Ross Watson or Rod Boreham (<u>club meetings only</u>) Please remember that club permit holders must always remain financial members of the club. Yearly membership fees need to be received no later than June 30.

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