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CLUB MEETINGS

Held on the first
Friday of each
month,
except January.
Start Time: 7.30pm
Wilkinson Hall,
Cnr William Street
& Burns Street,
Gol Gol N.S.W.



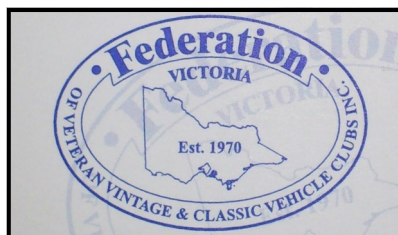
ON THE COVER

*The Sentinel Steam
truck at Wentworth.
It tended to leave
puddles where ever it
went but it had a
drive around. No
worries about flat
tyres! Very nice.*



Editorial Time Constraints!
Could all members please note.
All contributions towards each Bulbhorn publication, including advertisements and committee reports are to be on the editors desk no later than the 20th of the month prior to the next general meeting.
Editor.

M.V.V.C. Inc is a proud member of "Federation (Victoria)" & The New South Wales Southern Motoring Association Inc.



**For information of members and guests:
alcohol is not for sale prior to or during meetings.
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**NO SMOKING
IN THE CLUB ROOMS
OR ON THE GROUNDS
TO COMPLY WITH REGULATIONS
SET BY THE WENTWORTH SHIRE**

If you are able to provide transport for those members unable to drive themselves to meetings, or are a member who is unable to attend a meeting and would like other members to assist with transport, please contact Jan Collins on the Monday prior to the meeting.

Club Events

PLEASE NOTE: Club Meetings Commence at 7.30 p.m.

NOTICE: Could members coming to July's meeting bring a small plate for supper as Leonie will be absent.

Aug 2024

Friday 2nd

AGM, Meeting. Pizza being supplied by the club at 6pm. BYO Sweets.

Saturday 3rd

Federation meeting being held at the clubrooms.

Saturday 10th

Meet at Big Lizzie Red Cliffs at 10am. BYO Morning tea then to Werrimull Pub for Lunch. Let the events committee know if you are coming for booking purposes.

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The Pie Run, Meet at clubrooms at 10am for morning tea. Then drive to Andrew Hudson's house for lunch.

Saturday 21st

Timmis speedway "wind back the clock" demonstration. More info coming later.

Sunday 22nd

Sun Assist car show. Entry form coming at a later date.

October 2024

Saturday 5th

CHAILIS Show and Shine. 9am. Nowingi Place. See further info on the Outings Page later in this newsletter.

Keep an eye out for SMS messages regarding runs.

President's Report

Hi Members.

With the AGM upon us I would like to thank all those members who have contributed in any way to keep the club running smoothly during the past year. As you know there many silent members that put their hand up to help out when required.

To our secretary a totally dedicated person that puts in so much time and effort, for the benefit of the club and its members, on behalf of everyone thank you.

The Events committee have done an excellent job this year providing an interesting range of outings and fellowship for members to enjoy, they certainly put in a lot time an effort well done.

Our catering committee and their helpers again have done an excellent job though out the year with well presented finger food after meetings and our Xmas lunch a great effort.

Our editor has kept up the quality of our magazine for all our members to enjoy a job well done.

Office bearers are such an important part of our club they are the backbone that keeps everything running smoothly .

Members of sub- committee I thank you for your time, effort and dedication to the task at hand.

Our treasurer has kept us in a good financial state as well as keeping us up to date with modern equipment to the benefit of members.

Executive committee a dedicated group of members that provided good governance and stability for the club to continue on in the future. They have provided good support to me during this past year, I thank you.

Regards Don.

Club Permit

CH 1966

Victoria

Could All Members Please Note!

If you have a car on the Club Permit Scheme, It is your responsibility to ensure that your club permit are current. They are easily overlooked.

SWAP MEETS COMING UP....

SWAP MEETS

These Swap Meets are listed on various sites/
publications, but it would pay to check before you load
up and leave home.

Victoria

August

Hamilton	25 th
Avalon	25 th

September

Shepparton	8 th
Bairnsdale	15 th
Wallan	22 nd

October

Colac	13 th
Bacchus Marsh	20 th
Talbot	27 th

November

Edenhope	10 th
Maldon	10 th
Bendigo	16-17 th
Wangaratta	24 th

South Australia

August

Willunga	11 th
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September

Gawler	15 th
Morgan	22 nd

October

Strathalbyn	13 th
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Important for Members with NSW registered vehicles.

The paperwork for NSW club registration can only be signed by the club members au-
thorised by the NSW authorities

These members are Bob Jones and Robert Rigby.

Please do not get your paperwork signed by those not authorised to do so.

The Suggestion Box!

In line with the idea bought up in the last committee meeting, members are welcome to put forward suggestions relating to any aspect of the club such as activities to do or places for runs.

Suggestions can be left in the box provided at the club rooms.



Old Vehicle Modernisation.

Users of older vehicles have a few problems travelling with modern traffic. Most have no trouble keeping up, but stopping can sometimes be difficult. Disc brakes & ABS have been around for many years, but you'd be hard pressed to find these on many of our fleet. I was recently asked about brake lining material, as Asbestos is no longer in fashion and many old vehicles don't react well to modern linings. The answer is to talk to an "old bloke in the trade", meaning find out a good clutch & brake specialist with a staff member who has been there for many years. I went through this process 20 years ago, and luckily a friend of a friend put me on to Derry at B.T.G Brake & Clutch in Melbourne. He knew exactly my situation and the vehicle I was working on. He recommended a lining material that was used on mechanical machinery, like cranes, excavators and automotive drum brakes. These people were able to bond the material-Ferodo 3923-to my shoes and after turning them to fit the drums, job complete. Closer to home, there are some good people at Power Brakes, Gillies Plains in Adelaide. Sadly, we don't seem to have these people locally anymore.

Another important upgrade is your head lights. When driving around at night, many cars have amber lights, caused by the old globes deteriorating over time. Even replacing with new incandescent globes gives an improvement, but the ultimate fix is Quartz Halogen, or in a few cases LED. "I've got 6 volts" you say. No problem, talk to the friendly people at Classic & Vintage Bulbs in Adelaide. They can supply all the above upgrade globes and carry a large range of Lucas parts for the English vehicle owner. Now you have no reason for not seeing at night or being able to stop effectively.

Rig

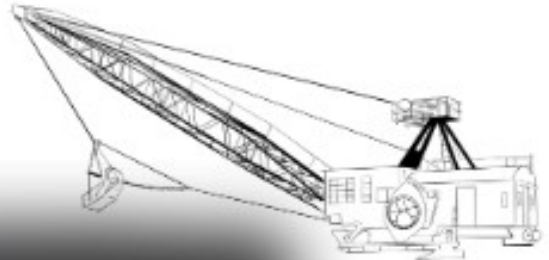


Left: Seen at the market in Red Cliffs in July, It's one of those plastic owls that scares away birds..... But no one told the pigeon!

Fossil fuels keep many of our heritage machines working

HISTORIC MOTOR VEHICLES | STEAM & FARM MACHINERY | AVIATION & MARITIME EQUIPMENT ETC

But things are changing...



**WHAT HAPPENS IF FOSSIL
FUELS DISAPPEAR?**



Help us prepare for the future of operating heritage by participating in this survey.

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<https://tinyurl.com/2vpz9a8w>

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Junction Rally 2024—Wentworth

I am slowly working through a few bucket list items and attending a winning Collingwood grand final at the MCG last year was one of them. Also on my list was to get to a Junction Rally at Wentworth and take in the sights, sounds and in some cases the smells! After a problem with a certain pandemic followed by floods, this year was my chance. I dusted off the Model A, Milly polished up her Cordia and bright and early on the Saturday, off we went. Ken Andrews caught up to us in his Buick but we were going too fast for him to attempt a passing manoeuvre! The day was sunny but with a freezing wind so providing you were rugged up, the conditions were good. Lots of stationary engines, tractors, boats, cars and bikes to check out.



Left: Milly getting some dust off the Cordia, she didn't offer to go over the Model A though! Also here we have Ken's Buick, Rig's rig, Rod's Citroen and I'm not sure who owned the green Chev beside it but it had some spectacular back fires upon starting up!



Above: Another view of the assembled cars.



Left: A very neat and shiny Kenworth from SA direction. A nice touch with the paddle steamer mural, fitting for this event.



A view of some of the assembled boats. Other larger ones such as the Mundoo were moored at the wharf closer to Wentworth and came past for a cruise from time to time.



Above Left: Malcolm Bennett and others were out tending the steam engines. Above Right: Each machinery club had a fenced off area for them to display their members pride and joy. Quite a few of these clubs came from the SA direction.



Above: Lots of flywheels, belts and other moving parts make it obvious why the fencing was needed and the sign on the right also helps explain it very clearly!





A couple of the 25 or so bikes on display, a Triumph speedtwin and a bit more modern, a Honda CBX550.

Below: The Mundoo as it cruised past at one stage.



Above: A Commer Karrier from the early 1960's



Right: No shortage of fuel for this little boat.



If any member past or present has any old photos of club runs, vehicles or members, please let me know. We are looking for photos of interest mainly prior to 2001

There is one requirement though!

I need to know (roughly) when and where the photo was taken, and who is in it. If it is a photo of a vehicle, we need to know which club member owned it.

If you bring your photos to a club meeting, I can copy them there and then and you can take your photo home with you. (I do not need to keep it) or I will accept scanned copies via email provided the required information is attached.

The Photographic history of our club will continue to evolve over time and will be on display at club functions and gatherings where and when convenient.

The purpose of the collection is to display, in a pictorial format, the rich and diverse history of our club for the enjoyment of members, their guests and visitors for many years to come.

*Brent Gowers
MVVC Historian*

MILDURA VINTAGE VEHICLES CLUB INC

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING – 4th AUGUST 2023

At the Club rooms

Members and Visitors enjoyed a pizza dinner at 6pm.

The meeting was opened by President Don Carr at 7.30pm.

Present: see attendance record

Apologies: as per Apologies book page 52

Apologies were moved by Kevin Telford. Seconded by Peter Bullock. Carried

Minutes of previous AGM held on 5th August 2022 as circulated in the Bulbhorn.

Moved by David Blanch. Seconded by Phil Roeszler. Carried

Business Arising: Nil

REPORTS

President: Don Carr - written report in Bulbhorn

Treasurer: as circulated. Moved by Rod Gleeson. Seconded by Ken Bennett. Carried and filed.

Events: Phil - challenging year, good attendances at events. New event ideas and new Committee members needed.

Editor: George enjoyed producing Bulbhorn, more articles needed and earlier in month.

Victorian Permit Officer: Ken Andrews - written report supplied. (see over)

NSW Responsible Person: Bob Jones - successful year. Bill Ottey has an Ansett Clipper registered, converted to a mobile home.

Building: Graeme - one working bee held, another to be held later.

Welfare: Jan Collins - written report supplied (see over)

Property: Jan Collins - written report supplied (see over)

Catering: Leonie –Thank you for support and supply. Christmas Party and Rally. Thank you to Jenny, more volunteers needed.

Reports were moved by John Sutcliffe. Seconded by Alan Downes. Carried

LIFE MEMBERSHIP: Sadly Bill Bennett and Dan Richards passed away during the year.

CONSTITUTION: Opposition from floor. Referred to ordinary meeting.

ANNUAL AWARDS:

The Bert Fraser Award was presented to Don Carr.

The Rene Nash Award was presented to Veronica Blanch.

The Young Member Award was presented to Anika and Jacinta Kynaston.

Congratulations to all of the above members.

A vote of appreciation was given to Kevin Telford for 35 years as attendance recorder.

ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS:

Phil Roeszler took the chair and declared all positions vacant and called for nominations.

Position	Nominee	Nominated by	Seconded by
President	Don Carr	Ken Andrews	Graeme Skinner
Vice President	Graeme Skinner	Robert Rigby	Rod Gleeson
Secretary / Public Officer	Carolyn Gowers	Rod Gleeson	Don Carr
Assistant Secretary	Marjory Kissick	Don Carr	Rod Gleeson
Treasurer	Rod Gleeson	Don Carr	Shane Downes
Assistant Treasurer	John Sandford	Don Carr	Marjory Kissick
Membership/Publicity Officer	Trevor Combe	Don Carr	Robert Rigby
Event Directors	Phil Roeszler Shane Downes	Don Carr Brent Gowers	Robert Rigby Don Carr
Events Committee	Hayden Muir Andrew Hudson John Stevens Phil Muir John Sandford Veronica Blanch		
Victorian Permit Officer	Ken Andrews	Don Carr	Marjory Kissick
Assistant Victorian Permit Officers	Shane Downes Matthew Downes	Don Carr Shane Downes	Marjory Kissick Marjory Kissick
NSW Responsible Persons	Bob Jones Robert Rigby	Don Carr	Graeme Skinner
Editor	George Conner	Don Carr	Robert Rigby
Federation Representatives	Graeme Skinner Ken Andrews	Don Carr	Marjory Kissick
Attendance Recorder	Trevor Combe	Rod Gleeson	Don Carr
Property Officer	Jan Collins	Don Carr	Marjory Kissick
Welfare Officer	Jan Collins	Don Carr	Marjory Kissick
Caretakers	Mac Warchow Frank Wallace	Ken Andrews	Rod Gleeson
Catering Committee	Leonie Lyttleton + ros- stered helpers	Shane Downes	Marjory Kissick
Librarian	Alan Hassett	Ken Andrews	Marjory Kissick
Historian	Brent Gowers	Peter Bullock	Peter Stone
Building Committee	Ken Andrews Graeme Skinner John Sandford Don Carr	Robert Rigby	Rod Gleeson
Rally Committee	To be decided later		

Phil thanked all members present and welcomed all new Office Bearers.

The meeting was closed at 8.30pm for a 10 minute recess prior to the general meeting.

VICTORIAN PERMIT OFFICER'S REPORT

These are the vehicles that have been put on Club regos -

18 cars, 1 motorcycle, 1 bus and 1 transfer from husband to wife.

It has been an outstanding year with a lot of new members. Also, quite a number of new Club permits especially after COVID. The Club has increased in numbers and it has been a pleasure working with Shane and Matthew Downes who are also Permit Scheme Officers.

It was also a pleasure working with other Committee members and looking forward to working with the new Committee.

Thank you

Permit Scheme Officer

Ken Andrews

WELFARE REPORT

Sadly we lost two of our Life Members in the last year - Bill Bennett and Dan Richards. Flowers and cards were sent to their wives and families.

Cards were also sent to members who had lost family.

We have had a few on the sick list as well and I have sent cards and checked on them by phone.

To all members who are in ill health or recovering from surgery, we wish you all a speedy recovery and hope to see you amongst us all again soon.

Jan Collins

PROPERTY REPORT

Sales were quite good this year, it's great seeing our members wearing our shirts, fleeces etc. I think most members have name badges now as well.

I've sold almost \$800 in the last year. Having the little machine makes it much easier for members to pay as, sadly, we don't all carry a lot of cash any more.

I thank Ken Andrews for picking up the name badges for me this year.

Remember, you are all welcome to come up to the table at the end of each meeting to purchase what you need.

Jan Collins

Events committee summary for the year ending July 2024.

Over the last 12 months we have had approximately 30 plus runs and would have had a few more if they didn't have to be cancelled for weather or other reasons. I'd like to thank those people who have attended our different runs. We as a committee have tried to make runs both on a Saturday and a Sunday and at times during the week. Some times this is not up to us so if we haven't pleased everybody then at times it is beyond our control. Our committee has worked hard to make runs interesting and enjoyable but if anyone has some different ideas then please let us know so we may be able to include them in the future. I would like to thank the team for helping out when Shane or I have been absent. I'd also like to thank all the committee members for their input over the last 12 months, a great job done by all.

Thanks from the Events Committee.

Minutes of the Mildura Vintage Vehicles Club Inc.

Meeting 5th July 2024 at the Club Rooms

Meeting was opened by President Don Carr at 7.39pm

Apologies:

Apologies were received as per separate sheet. Apologies book unavailable.

Moved by David Blanch. Seconded by Michael Keenan. Carried

Visitors & Prospective New Members: nil

Minutes of the previous meeting:

Minutes of previous meeting held on 7th June 2024 as circulated in the Bulbhorn.

Moved by Ken Andrews. Seconded by Trevor Thomas. Carried

Business arising from minutes: nil

Correspondence Inwards:

1. Zeller updates
 2. Membership renewal forms
 3. Merbein Car Club - Drive Inn Movie night new date 14th September
 4. Great Australian Vanilla Slice Triumph in Merbein on 17th August
 5. Distinguished Gentleman's Drive on 29th Sept - classic charity drive for Men's Health
 6. NSW Historic Motoring Association - membership renewal reminder
 7. Michelle Goddard - Fuel and Lubricant survey
 8. Colac Car Club - 1963 Ford Cortina for sale
 9. The Northern Automotive Restoration Club (NARC) 50th anniversary celebration rally in Berri on 11th to 15th September (one entry form printed for display - please contact Carolyn if you would the form emailed)
 10. Michelle Goddard - Bendigo Swap sites available
 11. NSW Historic Motoring Association - Transport for NSW has released new CVS number plates
 12. Jade Benham MP - monthly newsletter
 13. NSW Historic Motoring Association - membership renewed
 14. Vic Roads - Club permit scheme online renewals
 15. State Library of Victoria - confirmation of e-deposit of July Bulbhorn
 16. Royal Flying Doctor Service - request for donation
- Newsletters from other Clubs – 14 electronic (uploaded to the website) and 4 Hard copy

Correspondence Outwards:

1. SMS messages to members re runs
2. July Bulbhorn to all members

Correspondence moved by Trevor Thomas. Seconded by Malcolm Bennett. Carried

REPORTS:

Treasurer's Report: read by Rod Gleeson

Moved by Rod Gleeson. Seconded by Robert Rigby. Carried

Federation Report: nil

Events Report:

July 2024

- **Friday 5th** Meeting at clubrooms. 7.30pm.
- **Saturday 6th/ Sunday 7th** Junction Rally Wentworth
- **Saturday 13th** Casserole night at the club rooms 6.30pm for dinner. Then movie "Running on Empty"
- **Weekend 26-28th** Swan Hill run. Stay at Big 4. **POSTPONED** until October.
- **Sunday 28th** Meet at Big Lizzie Red Cliffs for a BYO Morning Tea at 10.30am. Then head to the Nangiloc Pub for lunch. Let the events committee know if you are coming for booking.

Events Report (continued):

August 2024

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Editor's Report: nil

VIC Permit Scheme Officer's Report: Ken Andrews reported

Charlie Pitt 1932 Chevrolet Roadster Coupe

Robert Climas 1962 Oldsmobile Cutlass F85 Convertible

NSW Responsible Person's Report: nil

Property Report: Ann Gleeson - name tags available. No gear as room was locked.

Welfare Report: Ann Gleeson reported that Jan Collins is in hospital with dehydration. She is having chemotherapy regularly.

Building Committee: Ken reported that weed spraying has been done.

Librarian: Alan said technical magazines can be scanned.

Historian: nil

Publicity: nil

Rally Committee: no report

Reports were moved by Robert Rigby. Seconded by Larry O'Bree. Carried

General Business:

1. Royal Flying Doctor Service request - we have already given them a donation this year.
2. An interesting newspaper article on Ian Hinks - now on the notice board.
3. Membership cards are at the back of the room.
4. The Club members who are not financial can be reported to authorities.
5. Nomination forms for AGM are available.
6. Constitution review - there has been a delay in compiling the final version so it will now be referred to the 2025 AGM.

No raffle as the room was locked - also bar not available.

Meeting was closed at 8.20pm followed by supper.



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ABN 12686982026

SUBSCRIPTION RENEWAL & NEW MEMBERSHIP 2024 - 2025

SURNAME:

GIVEN NAME:

PH: (Home)

(Mbl)

EMAIL ADDRESS:

PARTNER'S NAME:

CHILDREN/S NAME/S:

POSTAL ADDRESS:

P/CODE:

PLEASE FIND MY SUBSCRIPTION ENCLOSED (\$55.00 / NEW MEMBERS PLEASE ADD \$10.00 JOINING FEE) \$.

FOR DIRECT DEPOSIT: **MILDURA VINTAGE VEHICLES CLUB INC. B.S.B. 633 108 ACCOUNT NO 152 447 272**
 YOUR FIRST INITIAL AND SURNAME MUST BE USED AS A REFERENCE (SO THE TREASURER CAN CORRECTLY RECORD YOUR PAYMENT).

COMPLETION OF THE FOLLOWING DETAILS ARE COMPULSORY:

IF THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE SINCE LAST RENEWAL PLEASE WRITE "NO CHANGE" BELOW.

N.B. IF YOUR VEHICLE IS ON THE C.P.S. ONLY LIST THOSE REGISTERED THROUGH THE M.V.V.C.

YEAR	MAKE	MODEL	BODY TYPE	COLOUR	ENGINE #	CHASSIS/VIN #	Vehicle Condition. Original, Restored or Unrestored	Full Registration Or Club Permit Plate Number	1. Addition 2. Existing

NOTE: RENEWAL SUBSCRIPTIONS MUST BE PAID BY JUNE 30TH ANNUALLY

MEMBERS ARE REMINDED THAT THE MILDURA VINTAGE VEHICLES CLUB INC. MUST NOTIFY VICROADS / TRANSPORT FOR NEW SOUTH WALES OF ANY MEMBER WHO REMAINS UNFINANCIAL AFTER THE 9TH JULY IN EACH YEAR.

Club Items Available From The Property Officer

Stubby Holder	\$ 8.00
Key Rings	\$ 6.00
Car Badges	\$ 15.00
Large Hat Badges	\$ 5.00
Cloth Badges	\$ 5.00
Caps	\$ 13.00
Polo Shirts	\$ 25.00
Polo Flash Shirts	\$ 27.50
Polar Vests	\$ 25.00
Polar Fleece	\$ 35.00
Bumper Stickers	\$ 1.00
Transfers	\$ 1.00
Car Plates	\$ 15.00
Name Badges	\$ 10.00
Flags Large	\$120.00
Flags Small	\$ 20.00

Change of Postal or Email Address

Any members wishing to update either their postal address or email address, are asked to email the Club Secretary at

2014mvvc@gmail.com

If any difficulty is experienced receiving the Bulbhorn, please email the Secretary so your correct address can be recorded in club records.



A Message From Our Club VIC Permit Officer

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Members with vehicles on the Club Permit Scheme must remember to produce their vehicle log book (for the previous year) to the Club Permit Officer / Registrar when requesting club verification for the following permit period.
If the log book is not produced, the permit renewal will not be signed!

New Vehicles for VIC club permit scheme.

All vehicles must have a certificate of roadworthiness plus photos for club records as Vicroads may request to see them.

Hard copy photos required of your car:

Front view

Rear view

Drivers position (Side on view with door open)

Passenger side

Drivers side

Body and Engine numbers, stampings and plates or VIN number

Present this information to the permit scheme officers, they will do the appropriate paperwork for Vicroads.

Also remember to keep your old logbooks for 12 months.

Rig's Ramblings.

What Does It All Mean?

We all know that pollies mostly give answers that aren't really answers. Car company executives are just as bad. Recently, a road tester was driving an MG4 EV on some of the UK's narrow lanes and the Lane Divergence System often steered him into on-coming traffic. When the people at MG's UK headquarters were questioned about it, the answer was: "We are aware of some inconsistencies relating to the lane-departure warning system which can make the system oversensitive under certain conditions. We have been working on a continuous improvement program with the supplier and the relevant regulatory authorities." In the meantime, some wag has suggested that to be safe, only drive it in reverse!

Poison Chalice?

In February this year, President Putin of Russia, presented Kim Jong-un of North Korea, with the top luxury Russian manufactured car, an Aurus Senat, and another in June. These cars are worth about \$300k US, and Kim has been seen attending military celebrations in one of these cars. It will be interesting to know what Kim's reaction is when he finds out that many of the instruments & other bits are made in South Korea!

Old Aussie Cars Still Worth Dollars

The recent Melbourne auction of classic cars saw some of our local made cars bring a healthy wad to their owners. Examples are: '69 HK GTS 307 Monaro \$162k; '67 HR Premier X2 \$31k; '66 XP Fairmont \$31k; '74 HQ Premier 253 Passed in at \$41.5k; '72 LJ Torana XU1 also passed in at \$135k.

South Korea Battery Maker Struggling

As I wrote last month, China subsidises the vehicle industry, as well as battery builders. This has now created a problem for EV battery makers in South Korea, who supply Kia & Hyundai. They are finding that they are no longer competitive & look like going under. No doubt that is the long-term plan of Xi, and the Chinese products will then go up in price. Pretty hard to compete against that country.



Some outings you may like to consider.



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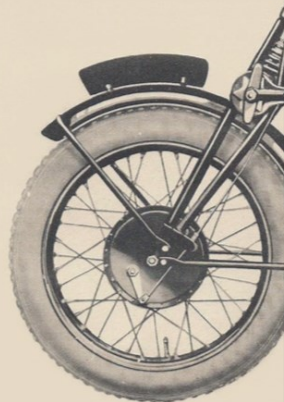
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23rd Veteran & Vintage MCCA

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Please be advised, the annual Veteran and Vintage Motorcycle Club of SA (V&VMCCSA) Motorcycle Only Swapmeet is being held again this year on Sunday October 6, 2024 at the Balhannah Combined Sports Oval, 109 Onkaparinga Valley Road, Balhannah, SA 5242.

This event will be the 23rd running of the Club's Swapmeet with all motorcycle clubs, their members and vendors invited to attend. If you wish to promote your club on the day with a site you are encouraged to do so but sites are only available on a first come first serve basis. No booking required.

Cost of entry is, Sellers/Clubs \$15 which includes 1 x Person with additional persons \$5 each. Buyers \$5 per person, children 12 and under are free. No dogs please.

Overnight accommodation is available on site in the adjacent Council Operated RV camping area but again, this is on a first come first serve basis. No Booking possible.

The Swapmeet Committee would appreciate if this invitation is formally distributed among your members and for more information contact myself on 0439039904 or email: rny997@iinet.net.au <mailto:rny997@iinet.net.au>

Happy Motorcycling,

Michael Griffin

V&VMCCSA Committee

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