



OFFICIAL BI-MONTHLY UPDATE OF THE HISTORIC MOTOR VEHICLES CLUB Inc

Cnr Jolly and Warne Streets Victor Harbor

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NEWSLETTER MARCH 2020

COMING EVENTS

I have been researching the history of the club's early days and its success over 50 years. From the first run, foundation club members were very active with many activities and events held regularly every year taking every opportunity to get their cars and families out touring throughout the district and to meet socially.

Members have celebrated several anniversaries including the 25th, the 30th and 40th, several being re-enactments of the first run to Hindmarsh Falls in the Hindmarsh Valley.

This year we are planning to do the same to celebrate the 50th and to honour and acknowledge the energy and foresight of the founding members who set a high standard and good management ensuring the club's future.

Hardworking Presidents and officers have maintained that stability and we are fortunate to have on our membership list today, foundation members Peter and Ann Krichauff together with early members Nola Clisby, Carmen Oliver and Doug and Yvonne Sweetman.

To celebrate, we are planning several functions in August, September and October, the period of the club's formation which will include a large gathering of our vehicles and several social functions.

Shortly, souvenir car stickers, badges and clothing logo labels will be available. Local media will also have special features.

NEXT EVENTS

MARCH

STARS & STRIPES Sunday, March 15th 10 – 1030am Start Encounter Centre, Ring Road, Encounter Bay – McLaren Vale

Arranged by Fiona and Michael Smitham. BYO morning tea with lunch at McLaren Vale.

Bookings have filled fast and are now limited at main venue. When full, choice of other venues.

All makes welcome. Trophy Best American origin car. Booking details call me 0430 011 457

CARS & COFFEE Tuesday, March 24th 10.00am 'Sails Café' Clayton Bay

Bookings essential by Saturday, March 21st Call Chris Meola 0402 501 837

APRIL

ENCOUNTER CELEBRATIONS Sunday, April 5th Warland Reserve 10am – 3pm

A club Event. Celebration Festival Reenactment of Matthew Flinders and Nicolas Baudin meeting..

We need British and French cars for display. Two times to suit you ... 10.30-12.30, 12.30-3pm

Arranged by former mayor Victor Harbor Graham Philp Special Car Trophies awarded

Please call me to be part of the day 0430 011 457. A great community day!

BRUNCH RUN April 15 10.30am Tentative due to Easter. Confirmation after next general meeting

TWILIGHT BARBECUE Friday, April 24th 5-5.30 pm Clubrooms \$5pp

Still reasonable weather so bookings are essential. Call Chris Meola 0402 501 837

MAY

BRITISH CLASSICS TOUR Sunday, May 3rd Warland Reserve, ever popular with all British car owners in SA.

Entries have been strong. We have a large number of British Cars in the club so this year let's get them out.

Marque of the Day is MG and already a large number will be attending. I would like to have a good line-up of British cars from our club and show our sponsors what we can do! Entry forms are now available on our website and at the clubrooms.

CARS & COFFEE Tuesday, May 12th. 10.30 am. Venue to be advised. Bookings with Chris Meola.

JUNE

OBSERVATION RUN Sunday, June 14th Mystery Destination, arranged by last year's winners Jeff Farmer, Chris and George Meola

TWILIGHT BARBECUE Friday, June 19th 5-5.30pm Club rooms, sizzling sausages in the cosy clubrooms with plenty of car chatter and something on the big screen!

50th Anniversary news coming soon, plus.... Watch out for Coastlines Magazine April edition, Calendar now available by email.

I'm in favour of Progress, it's change I don't likeMark Twain

PRESIDENT'S PREAMBLE

Hello again members, We had a successful Monte Fleurieu Rally to Meadows, although participant numbers were down.

It would appear that after last year members complained about having the rally during the week and suggested a weekend would be better. As it happened exactly the opposite was the result which was very disappointing particularly for Loris & Bob who put a lot of work into the organizing. It has since been mentioned to me by a member that Sunday is the one day of the week he is unable to come because he goes to Church.

Last Committee Meeting discussion was had regarding the timing of changing the Club Officers. It has been decided that Election of Officers happens as normal at the August AGM however the change of officers at committee level will occur at the end of the Calendar year.

This will allow incoming committee members time to familiarize themselves on how the committee works ahead of actually taking position. This did not happen with the last change of President and Treasurer.

A resignation was received from Kerry Haythorpe (past treasurer) for the position of treasurer and assistant treasurer. (due to his health) However he will remain a member of the club.

We also accepted the resignation of (vice president) Fred Neild although his resignation has been held by me for sometime with the hope of talking him out of it. Secretary Mark Glazbrook has also resigned from the position of chairman of the Victor Harbor Swap Meet. (he will remain secretary of the club).

All of these positions are important within the club and I am hoping members will talk to me regarding filling these vacant positions. We are looking for a Vice President / Assistant Treasurer / Chairman of Victor Harbor Swap Meet.

Contact Malc Haythorpe on 0488 528 331 or email president@hmvc.org.au.

I would be happy to talk to anyone and explain what each position entails and will be kept in confidence.

Also at Committee it was decided not to have the long break over Christmas, but to have normal meetings, although maybe vary the dates. Having the long break makes it hard to catch up.

Therefore there will be a General Meeting on the 7th of January 2021.

The Committee also decided to make the Christmas Pageant a recognized club event for 2020, this is to be co-ordinated by Registrar Deidre Solly. A special Thankyou to Deidre for her efforts regarding the illegal use of vehicles on club registration. We all need to be familiar with the rules regarding Concessional Registration and abide by them.

I hope the text messages sent by Membership officer Andy have been a timely reminder, although they were to be primarily used for those without email facility.

I look forward to seeing as many of you as possible at Stars and Stripes Day on Sunday 15th March (lets see twice as many cars as we had for the Monte Fleurieu) and also at Cars & Coffee on Tuesday 24th March at Clayton.

Happy and trouble free motoring President Malc.

WHAT'S COOKING WITH GEORGE AND THE 'A' TEAM

Hello everyone,

The last Cars and Coffee morning was well attended. We all had a pleasant drive to Yankalilla Bakery.

About 50 members attended, including a couple of new faces, which was good to see.

Thanks to the bakery staff for the happy, efficient service.

The club BBQ was also a hit with in excess of 30 people ready for a good social gathering.

Many thanks to the ladies who supplied beautiful salads, the variety was great.

Also thanks to the many people who pitched in to help, making it a relaxed evening for everyone.

The next Cars and Coffee morning is to be held at Sails Cafe, Clayton Bay on Tuesday 24th March at 10.00am.

To book please call Chris on 0402 501 837 before Monday 23rd March.

Thankyou - George

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED FROM:

Phillip Flaherty, Currency Creek. With a 1941 Chev Ute.

Greg and Jarrad Webb, Hayborough. Their vehicle is a XD Falcon.

Andrew and Andrea Rogers, Victor Harbor. Vehicles VW Kombie and VW Beetle.

Kallan and Kathy Dennis, Goolwa. BMW R25 and R75/6 Motorcycles.

Bill and Margie Kneebone, Yankalilla. With another MGB.

David Cooney, Middleton. With a 1976 VW Kombie and a 1974 BMW R90/6 M/C.

BUY SELL SWAP

FOR SALE

1940's Bonnet, possibly Dodge. \$50.00

Len Oxenham Ph: 0427 606 539

Looking for a new owner for our lovely 1985 Toyota Corona sedan, (guaranteed no viruses), 125,000k. \$2,500 ono

Chris and Marj Rowley Ph: 0401 085 950

2005 Ssang-Yong Rexton 2.7xdi (Top of range, full leather), outstanding 4x4, Merc running gear. 190,000Klms, Excellent condition. \$5,000

Geoff Penhall Ph: 0428 652 221

Morris Minor parts give away.

Front Wheel Hubs and suspension parts. Manifolds (ohv) Hand brake lever, Brake drums, brake shoes, two Clutch assemblies, Lucas headlights, Tail shafts, 2 Steering racks, Side valve wiper motor,

Various bits and pieces 2 Glove box lids, 2 distributors various brake parts, 2 hubcaps, headlamps and 1/4 windows. .

Morris Minor parts, Side Valve head gasket \$30, New Side valve top hose \$10 New bottom radiator hose with heater attachment \$10, New amp metre \$10, new electric temp gauge \$15, 2 Generators, \$5 each one starter motor. \$5

Vin Ph: 08 8298-7371 or mobile 0412 511 123

1939 Morris 8, 2 door Tourer, ruskin body, good condition, goes well, on club plates. \$10,000 ono

Ren Gerritsen Ph: 8537 0474

16' Bondwood Hartley Boat with 25 Hp Yamaha. VGC, on trailer. \$2,700

Alex Ter-Laare Ph: 0408 360 469

1973 Triumph 2.5PI Sedan, white, fair condition, manual with electric o/d. Is a work in progress with lots of spares, presently driven regularly and on Hist Rego,. \$2,850 ono

Jeff Farmer Ph: 0408 897 018

WANTED

Horn ring and glove box catch for a 1973 VW Beetle

Ben Norde Ph: 0400 882 524

Gearbox and radiator for a 1941 Chevrolet Coupe Ute. (Canadian build)

Phil Flaherty Ph: 0411 707 176

Shed storage wanted for 1994 Mercedes near Hayborough, Victor Harbor or Encounter Bay. Will pay \$400.00 PA

Rob Wood Ph: 0418 418 383

Man who purchased large 4X4 roof rack (cage style) at the autojumble and never returned to pick it up. (paid in full)

Lives end of Maude St, only clue other than owns large vehicle with 2 bars on the roof to fit rack onto.

Dean Solly Ph: 8552 1042

Holden Specials Magazine, October 1977.

Joe Ph: 0438 275 404

Bench seat suit Holden HZ, HQ through to HX for 1978 one tonner.

Chris Rowley Ph: 0414 408 196

An Oxy LPG gas welding kit, maybe someone has one they no longer need.

Milan Prochazka Ph: 0415 275 042

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