

STEERING COLUMN NEWS



Classic and Historic
Automobile Club of
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** Smorgasbord **

When smorgasbord is mentioned for a club run lunch, all members bring a plate or two to place on a table to share with all other club members present.

** BYO **

When BYO is mentioned for a club run lunch, all members are to bring lunch for themselves.

July 2008

OUR AIMS

To bring together persons with a common interest to encourage the use, maintenance and preservation of motor vehicles of classic and historic classification without prejudice to make, model, method of manufacture or country of origin. As well as vehicles of special interest, this may, from time to time, be determined by the committee.

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2008 CLUB RUNS

WEDNESDAY 23RD JULY

MID-WEEK RALLY

Mystery Run

Please see Page 4 for further details.

SUNDAY 27TH JULY

MEMBERS LUNCHEON IN JULY

Trader Dukes

291 King Street, Caboolture

Please see Page 7 for further details.

SUNDAY 3RD AUGUST

MEMORIAL RUN

SMORGASBORD

Organised by Hudson Davies

Destination: Donnybrook/Toorbul

Please see Page 7 for further details.

SUNDAY 7TH SEPTEMBER

GY RALLY

Sponsored by Vera Friar

Organised by Andy & Sally Byrne

Destination: Samford Valley

Please see Page 7 for further details.

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Sadly, this is the final CHACC newsletter put together by us. We have thoroughly enjoyed our CHACC jobs up until recent times and hope that those who inherit the tasks will enjoy it also. We wish the best of luck to the committee and all position holders for the future.

Regards, John and Nicole.

NOTICE: Membership fees are due before the 31st of August!

CHACC RALLY MEETING MINUTES

Date: Sunday 13th July 2008

Venue: Entertainment Centre, Boondall

Meeting commenced at: 10.20am

Attendees:

As per attendance book – 34 members, 4 visitors & 2 children, 18 vehicles

Apologies:

- John & Donna Embleton
- Gillian Smith
- Ray & Joan Dinte

Presidents Welcome:

Geoff thanked Gloria Groves for today's run & welcomed members attending.

New Members:

Phillip & Michelle Crampton – 1978 Daimler Vanden Plus. Members all in agreed to accept – Moved.

Birthdays and anniversaries:

JULY 08 "HAPPY BIRTHDAY" to:

- Neville Brown
- Lyn Burgess
- Graeme Douglas' 50th
- Richard Droughton
- Judy Elledge
- Gloria Groves
- Gillian Smith
- Julie Walters
- Darryl Wright

Minutes of the last Rally meeting:

Published in SCN – signed off by Chairperson 4th July, 08. All previous minutes are available for perusal at every Rally.

Treasurer's Report:

Read out by Robyn. Available at Rally and will be included in SCN as an attachment

Business arising from the previous Rally minutes:

- Our Diabetes Support child Beau Worner will receive his insulin pump, thanks to an elderly resident of Bribie, so we will be donating June & today's raffle income,

plus dollar for dollar subsidised by CHACC to the Bribie Island Diabetic Support Group to assist them with other worthy recipients. Beau should receive his pump on the July 19th. The Bribie Island Diabetes Support Group auction at the Indoor Bowls Centre, First Avenue Bongaree - 2pm until 5.30pm. Would be good to see a display of cars from CHACC. Kim Bowers will be there with our banner, and that is when CHACC's donation of Microsoft software and collector dolls will be auctioned. Contact Kim if you intend going.

- Trader Dukes – we have 46 members so far (includes 3 children). We have catered for 60. Need to let Trader Dukes know this afternoon so please get your names and dollars into Robyn/Shirley before you leave. \$10 per head for members and \$5 per members' child.
- Club runs have reverted to 1st Sunday of the month, so mark them in your calendar. September has also been nominated for the 7th (Father's Day), contrary to SCN date published.

Rally Director's Report:

Peter ran through up and coming events:

- Don't forget mid-week run – July 23rd, meet @ the BIG FISH.
- Saturday July 26th – Invitation to the Brisbane Valley Multicultural Festival. Railway Reserve, Highland St., Esk. Free Entry. 8am to 4pm. Full day program - 8am Bush Poets Breakfast. 9.30am Street parade. All day Multicultural concert, Vintage cars,
- August 3rd run is being organised by Hudson & Ita Davies, Donnybrook/Toorbul.
- We need to fulfil our commitment to Bunning's for their donations to last

year's Combined Council Run (2007), so we have committed the CHACC Club to a Show of vehicles at Bunning's on Saturday September 6th. We will have the Club banner there between 8.30am to 12noon and would encourage as many members as possible to come. It is hoped with further negotiations with the Functions Officer that we can incorporate this with a fund-raising raffle for a new school in Burpengary, also supporting a Club member and their children.

- September Run is being organised by Andy & Sally Brynes to Samford. 7th Sept. Morning tea at Dayboro.
- October 5th run is being organised by Kim & Carol.
- Imbil Folk festival dates are now 31st October and 1st to 2nd November.

Social Director:

In Shirley & Gillian's absence - please give your names to Robyn for Trader Dukes today, as we need to let them know numbers this afternoon for attendees. We currently have 47 members and they said they will cater for 60 of us. We can up the numbers 1 week before.

General Business:

Geoff asked members to let us know what they thought about a December run incorporating the Children's Xmas party i.e., Santa will still come, activities for the children, etc. but with time between October and January runs too long, we think it a good idea to create a December Club run with the children's Xmas event.

Jan Blake proceeded to fine various members of the club - gold coins being popped into the barrel for Breast Cancer research. Poor old Hudson seemed to be the brunt of most of her fines - i.e. asleep at RACQ (I'm with you Huddle - I'm not going next year either), drag racing, etc.

Geoff outlined the status of the current sub-committee progress on updating the Constitution. 99% complete and after

submitting it to the committee, should have it available shortly to submit to a Special General Meeting for comment. No major changes. Basically have simplified and deleted duplication of many items.

Geoff also asked members to think about CHACC altering the Life Membership rule to one partner and the other partner having to pay full fees. Thinks if only one partner is made Life Member the other should get reduced fees - otherwise no benefit to a couple. Asked members for feedback on this.

John Pritchard and Nicole O'Keane resigned their positions on the Committee and as Editor and Webmaster as of today's date. John explained he could not work in the current environment and he & Nicole were not doing justice to their respective roles. He would put his and Nicole's resignation in writing to the Secretary. Kim Bowers moved a vote of thanks to John & Nicole for all the work they had done over the last 5 years. Seconded by Geoff Smith.

Geoff asked members to think about nominating for the committee for the upcoming AGM.

Raffle:

We received \$79.00 in today's raffle (thank you Jan for soliciting). That makes a total of \$193 for the June & July raffle which CHACC previously deemed to be for the benefit of the Bribie Island Diabetes Support Group. This figure will be matched by CHACC and a cheque given to them in due course with a total of \$386. Congratulations to Rob & Jan Blake for 1st prize of \$250 accommodation or meals and Nola Bamford for 2nd prize of a \$20 Bunning's voucher.

Next Rally:

Mid Week run July 23rd and August 3rd organised by Hudson & I ta.

Meeting closed at:

11.15 am and onto Nudgee Beach for lunch.

NEXT CHACC MID-WEEK RUN Wednesday 23rd July 2008

Another Club sanctioned mid-week social run so you can use your "S" plate vehicle legally more than once per month. It's not mid-month, as we thought that was too close to our July Sunday rally.

It was suggested to Toorbul or Beechmere by some members on the June run, however we haven't scouted it out yet so we'll call it a "Mystery" run. We will meet at the The BIG FISH, Pumistone Rd, Caboolture in time to have a coffee or morning tea if you wish, for a 10.30am departure. We'll make sure there will be a BBQ area for a B.Y.O. BBQ lunch and social get-together.

This is a chance to get to know some of your fellow Club members who cannot make it on our regular Sunday morning runs.

Contact Peter Rohan (5428 6025) or Kim Bowers (5495 4683) with any queries.

REPORT ON THE COMBINED COUNCIL RALLY

Dates: 6 - 9 June 2008

Some people are born to do things, some become accustomed to doing things, and others have things thrust upon them. So it is I begin my report on the Combined Council rally held last month at Redlands.

Your fellow representatives at the rally, after checking out the accommodation (next to the RSL) journeyed to the Wellington Point Reserve for rally registrations and an excellent feed of fish and chips in paper! The logistics of organising around

300 serves of fish & chips to arrive piping hot deserves a medal! Apart from that, the ability to eat whilst mingling and renewing old acquaintances, discussing the merits of whatever you were driving made this initial encounter very enjoyable.

The goodies bag was excellent, with a couple of monogrammed insulated mugs (I know, I know) metal drink coasters, moisturiser, pens and other useful bits and pieces too numerous to mention, plus a comprehensive manual with program, run maps, and tickets for lunches, both evening functions and altogether too much food in between!!

Next morning, it was off to the Ormiston State School for an early cuppa, a pleasant stroll amongst a vast



array of magnificent machines, then morning tea. In our folder was a colour photo and description of our car which was displayed for those who wanted to know more. There were 2 runs on offer, one more suitable for the faster cars (which we took), and another equally pleasant for the more sedate of the group. This run progressed through Mt Cotton, past the Redland Bay golf course and Victoria Point to the school grounds.



On our return, we lined up to receive our fashionable monogrammed freezer bag with our lunch and a cool drink, then it was all aboard a fleet of buses for the trip to the ferry to take us to Coochie Mudlo Island. The usual suspects made the usual comments about landlubbers and seafarers which were universally ignored – in the nicest possible way. Following a pleasant lunch in the grounds of the beautiful homestead and an interesting discourse on the history of the island, the more energetic amongst us ventured forth for a treasure hunt, whilst others enjoyed the free time and wandered around the various stalls selling local produce, souvenirs and knick knacks.

All too soon it was time to once again embark on the arduous sea voyage back to our buses, and the relative safety of the motel. I say relative because staying at the same motel were over a dozen other CHACC members armed to the teeth with a multitude of tempting alcoholic beverages, all intent on leading your correspondent down that well worn path to ... I forget.

Anyhow, when the time arrived to board the bus to take us to the dinner venue (which was a little late) it was a strange looking crew that huddled together on the pavement. There was a 30's gangster in a pin stripe suit – complete with violin case and moll, a mod couple with the world's worst mullet, some flower children, and a whole host of reprobates including a very glamorous amply proportioned long haired blonde who was giving everyone the eye. The theme you see was the 30's in honour of the Bayside Restorers club 30th anniversary, and you could dress like the thirties, or when you were 30. By the time we got there, the party had well and truly started, so

it was lucky that we had started earlier down the well worn... you get the drift.



Up until now, the organisation, the timing, the facilities had all been first class and a really nice touch were the placemats for each attendee, which was a laminated blow up colour photo of their car. Unfortunately, tonight, there was a little hiccup with the food – there wasn't very much at all, the plaintive cries of "please sir, may I have some more" were met with the same reaction Oliver Twist got when he asked the same question. Whilst there were some grumbles, most of us just got on with having a good time, and mixing and



mingling with like-minded and enthusiastic members from a plethora of clubs, all of whom were eager to discuss details of their cars, and offer tips to anyone in a similar situation. The trip back to the motel was an experience in itself, punctuated by one of the passengers who precipitated an "atmospheric infusion" on the rest of us, requiring immediate fresh air ventilation of the aforementioned atmosphere in the bus.

Arriving back at the motel, instead of going straight to bed, there was a small gathering of members around the ground floor where your correspondent (among others) was once

again led down that well worn path to.....

Sunday, it was off to the Redlands Museum next to the Cleveland Showground's, and one of the hardest tasks of the weekend - to choose from all the cars parked around the oval, the best car in 3 different categories, dependant on age, and a "best overall" vehicle. Needless to say there was much discussion, accompanied by the inevitable cuppa, sandwiches and cakes (note to self-bring only tracksuit pants and stretch tops to future Combined Council rallies). A quick look through the museum - fascinating, and well worth another visit - and we hit the road again. As before there was a choice of 2 routes for slower and faster vehicles which wound through Cleveland -saw the lighthouse - Alexandra Hills, Burwood Heights, Burbank and the Tingalpa Reservoir to the lunch venue at Redeemer College, all told a pleasant 2 hour run.

Now we were all ready for a good feed, and boy, did they turn it on! Homemade pumpkin soup, fried chicken and sweets - as much as we wanted, and this time your correspondent found another path to go down - one which led to gluttony and..... never mind.

The Sunday afternoon run was another very pleasant drive around the Carbrook Wetlands Park and Redland Bay finishing at the Sirromet Winery, where a winery tour was on offer. Enough said.....

Sunday night's presentation dinner started off well, the bus was on time, but turned into a "Magical Mystery Tour" when our driver took a couple of wrong turns... All right, the bus spent more time backing up than a driving instructor teaching 50 people how to reverse park. The trip was so long that some of us were pleading for a 'comfort stop', which the driver finally agreed to. (The photographic evidence of this event was converted to a sizeable cash bonus by your correspondent).

Seating was wherever you like, and unfortunately your correspondent found himself among a group of people who believed that everyone should partake in large quantities of



a traditional Greek spirit mixed with small quantities of a proprietary brand of cola, and once again ventured down that all too familiar path to..... I dunno. However, the food was good, or so I was told, and it wash a fenomin...phenami...eckselan.. aw heck.. a really good night, 'cept I vaguely remember one car took off 3 prizes which I thought a bit strange - still I wasn't a judge.

Monday morning, it was off to Ormiston State School for a hot breakfast of orange juice, bacon, eggs and toast, which was thankfully received by all, and revived those of us who needed it.

Another excellent run to the Port of Brisbane, and if you ever wondered where all those imported cars came from, they were here - almost as far as the eye could see. Then back through Wynnum, Manly and Wellington Point to Ormiston House for a Devonshire tea, and a tour through the house.

What to say after all of that, well, summing up, the amount of effort and organising by the Bayside Vehicle Restorers Club was indeed a fitting tribute to their 30th Anniversary, and will long be fondly remembered by all the participants. From the opening night fish and chips, the runs for both faster and the more sedate locomotors, to the tea breaks, lunches and dinners, the atmosphere was always friendly and relaxed. The maps and route instructions for the various runs were detailed and easy to follow, as were the directions to the venues for the run starts each day.



In conclusion, all I can say is "Roll on 2009 Combined Council Rally" and if you want a real good weekend with great people, make sure you get your name down! (Numbers are limited next year!).

Report contributed by Alex Gallacher

For those Origin Lovers in the Club

Contributed by: Mel & Lyndy Melville



DEE'S TIDBITS



- More than 26% of New Yorkers have herpes, a new survey reveals.
- Madonna has had a species of water bear named after her – they're tiny, 1.5mm-long bugs
- The Swedish government fined a couple for trying to call their child – Brfxxccxxmnpccclilmnpvxcimnckssqlbb11116 – **I think I would probably send them for a psychiatric assessment rather than a fine!!!**
- The king of hearts is the only king without a moustache in a standard deck of playing cards.
- Alexander the Great was the first leader to insist his soldiers were clean shaven. Many of his men died in hand-to-hand combat after their beards were grabbed by enemies
- More than 400 billion Lego bricks have been produced since 1958. There are about 62 Lego bricks per person of the Earth's population
- One in 17,000 people born are albino
- An elephants pregnancy period is 22 months and baby elephants can weigh up to 120kg
- During one day, the blood in your body travels a total of 19,300km
- In 1948, Pocatello, Idaho, passed a law to make it illegal not to smile
- The Wilkinson sword shaving company, founded in 1772, originally specialised in making swords
- Miami is the only US city to be founded by a woman
- The world's longest beach is Praia Do Cassino, in southern Brazil, which is 240km long
- During the 1920's, a US carmaker produced a car called the Rugby
- People in Siberia buy their milk in a frozen stick
- The city to win the world's "city with the hottest women" is Buenos Aires – Argentina. (Australia did not even get in the top 10)
- Last year Daniel Radcliffe (Harry Potter) gained access to a \$41 million dollar fortune when he turned 18 (nice work if you can get it)
- The Rolling Stones have a heart machine backstage these days in case any one of the band collapses
- One in a hundred adults regularly wets the bed
- An elephant has 40,000 muscles in its trunk
- In early Star Wars script drafts, Luke's last name was Starkiller, not Skywalker
- Only 55% of Americans know that the sun is a star
- BMW built engines for World War II fighter planes
- It takes only one day to get a divorce in the Dominican Republic
- Taiwan's Taipei Tower has the world's fastest ascending elevator – speed of 60.4km
- There are 10,000 different varieties of wine
- In 2008, the games industry is expected to overtake the music industry for revenue
- Women are more likely than men to smile when giving bad news
- Kangaroos' can't walk backwards
- China spends more money on porn than any other country – a staggering \$31 billion per year. (Australia was 5th spending \$2.3 billion)
- Brazilians are more likely to die falling out of a tree than any other nation
- Thimphu, Butan, is the only world capital without traffic lights



Contributed by Denise Douglas

C.H.A.C.C. RUNS AND SOCIAL CALENDAR FOR 2008

For further information on any of the runs listed below (unless stated otherwise), please contact Peter Rohan on (07) 5428 6025

Sunday 27th July

MEMBERS LUNCHEON IN JULY

Trader Dukes
291 King Street, Caboolture
Arrive 10am for Show & Shine in car park,
with lunch to follow at 12 noon.

Sunday 3rd August

MEMORIAL RUN

SMORGASBORD

Destination: Donnybrook/Toorbul
Meet at the Sundowner 8.30am
Depart the Sundowner at 9.00am
For details please contact Hudson Davies.

Saturday 6th September

Static Display at Bunnings Morayfield

To fulfil our commitment to Bunnings for their donation towards last years QCC Rally, CHACC will hold a static display of our vehicles from 8.30am to 12 noon. This will also incorporate a fund-raising event for a new school in Burpengary. If you are able to attend, please contact Peter Rohan.

Sunday 7th September

GY RALLY - Vera Friar sponsor

Destination: Samford
Meet at the Sundowner by 8.30am for 9am sharp departure. We will be travelling down the highway through Kallangur, Petrie and Dayboro, to a park in Samford (opposite Samford Historical Museum). For further details, please contact Andy & Sally Byrne.

Sunday 5th October

AUSSIE BRAKES TROPHY

SAUSAGE SIZZLE

To be organised by Kim & Carol Bowers.

31st Oct, 1st & 2nd Nov

IMBIL FOLK FESTIVAL

Borumba Deer Park, Imbil
For further information, please contact the park on (07) 5484 5196.

Sunday 9th November

AGM BREAKFAST

Solander Bowls Club
Sunderland Drive, Banksia Beach,
Bribie Island
Additional information will be provided closer to date.

Saturday 6th December

ADULTS XMAS PARTY

Finnigan's Chin Restaurant
1450 Anzac Avenue, Kallangur
Arrive 6.30pm for seating at 7.30pm.
Will be a 2 Course dinner.
Cost: \$15.00 per head for members. For further information or payment, see Shirley or Gillian ASAP.

Sunday 14th December

KIDS XMAS PARTY

SMORGASBORD

To include a short run - destination to be advised. This will still be a day for the kids with games, activities and Santa. Members have expressed that there is too long a gap between the AGM in November and the Fish & Chip run in January to use their vehicles. Stay tuned for further details.

**** PLEASE NOTE NEW DATE ****

**** Changed due to previous date, 7th Dec, being the day after the Adult's Xmas Party ****

UPCOMING EVENTS AND SWAP MEETS - OTHER CLUBS

**** Please Note ****

Please see our rally director, Peter Rohan for any further information or contact the organisers as stated. If you intend to participate in any of these events as an entrant, you may need to fill in an application form - so please, check with Peter.

BRI SBANE VALLEY MULTICULTURAL FESTIVAL

26th July

Railway Reserve, Highlands St, Esk

Free entry from 8am - 4pm. Full Day Program - 8.00am Bush Poets Breakfast, 9.30am Street Parade, All day Multicultural Concert, Living History Displays, Medieval Re-enactments, Arts and Craft Markets, Vintage Cars/Motorcycles, Model Aeroplane Displays, Heritage Displays, Children's Amusements and much, much more.

For further details, please contact Festival Coordinator, Desiree Mahoney on (07) 5424 2480 (B/H), (07) 5424 1253 (A/H) or 0424 337 288.

NAMBOUR SWAP

26th July

Nambour Showgrounds

For further information, please contact (07) 5476 8388 a/h (6.30pm - 8.30pm)

CHEV SUPER SUNDAY SHOW & SHINE

27th July

Eight Mile Plains Primary School

Gates open 8am. Cost \$10 to enter vehicles, \$2 to look.

PINE RIVERS SHOW

1st, 2nd & 3rd August

CHACC has received an invitation to participate in the 2008 Pine Rivers Show Grand Parade on the 2nd August. Arrive 12 noon to start at 1pm. Free afternoon tea and entry in the show for all cars. If any members are interested, please let Peter know so we can contact the organiser ASAP for catering purposes.

ROCKY SWAP

2nd August

Rockhampton Showgrounds

Gates open 6am.

For further information, please contact Beth on (07) 4936 3915.

NATIONAL HISTORIC RACE MEETING

8th & 9th August

Morgan Park, Warwick

The Historic Racing Car Club of Qld invites all club members and their cars to this exciting meet. Expecting over 200 historic cars of all types, including open wheeler racing cars and touring cars from the 1930's right through to the 1980's, coming from all over Australia to compete during the weekend.

For further information, please contact Graeme Wakefield on (07) 3318 3624.

MONTVILLE COUNTY RALLY

9th & 10th August

Hosted by the BRHGCC.

For further information, please contact John on (07) 5435 2259.

ROCKLEA SWAP

10th August

Rocklea Showgrounds

For further information, please contact 0412 183 804.

JUST ROCK IPSWICH

10th August

North Ipswich Reserve

15th Annual 'Back to '63' Show n Shine & Rock n Swap.

For further information, please contact Allan Park on (07) 3201 8861.

GREAT GATSBY WEEKEND

23rd & 24th August

Scarborough Beach Park

It's not hard to conjure up in ones mind what a Great Gatsby weekend would be like. Long cars to long cigarette holders, fine bone china, the best silverware & twenties fashions like you wouldn't believe.

For further information, please contact Clint (Monty) Frater of the Qld Vintage Vehicle Assoc on (07) 3841 6373.

WATTS BRIDGE FESTIVAL OF FLIGHT AND HISTORIC CAR DISPLAY

30th & 31st August

Watts Bridge Memorial Airfield, Toogoolawah
For further information, please contact Shane Winter on 0407 122 219 or visit www.wattsbridge.com.au

JIMBOOMBA AUTO EXTRAVAGANZA

31st August

Maclean Bridge, Tully Park, Jimboomba
Swap meet & Vehicle show. The day is designed to be a celebration of all 'special' motor vehicles. Live music, entertainment for the kids, judging of vehicles in a variety of categories (additional \$5 fee). Entry for Adults & children over 14 \$4. For further information, please contact (07) 3341 9618 or (07) 5537 9445.

GM DAY AUTOSPECTACULAR 2008

7th September

Quad Park, Kawana Waters
Celebrating 100 years of General motors worldwide. All owners on any car or truck made by GM are invited.
For further information, please contact John on (07) 3282 5544 or Brian on (07) 3829 2222

REDCLIFFE FIRST SETTLEMENT FESTIVAL

21st September

Redcliffe Parade, Redcliffe
From 8am - 4pm. Applications close 30th June and you will then be contacted if you are selected to participate.
For further information, please contact Kim Chirnside, Events Officer at the Moreton Bay Regional Council on (07) 3283 0253 or email: events.redcliffe@moretonbay.qld.gov.au

NANANGO AUTO SPECTACULAR

11th & 12th October

Nanango Show Grounds, D'Aguilar Highway, Nanango

Show & shine, Swap Meet & Ute muster. Vintage/Veteran/Classic cars, bikes, trucks, tractors, machinery, auto memorabilia. Swap sites & Show & shine entry \$10 (inc. driver), Lookers \$3.00 entry.

For further information, please contact Noel on (07) 4171 0730 or email:

tractormanpaul@hotmail.com

GOLD COAST AUTORAMA

8th & 9th November

Hosted by the Mudgeeraba/Gold Coast Antique Auto Club.

For further information, please contact John Wood on (07) 5578 5378

WREST POINT SOUTH EAST TASMANIA SILVER ANNIVERSARY RALLY 2009

24th - 26th January 2009

The Post Vintage Car Club of Tasmania will host this event during the Australia Day long weekend in 2009.

For further information, please contact the event manager, Alan Keogh on 0427 765 788 or email: margal7@bigpond.com

QCC Rally 2009

The next Combined Council Rally on the Queens Birthday long weekend in June 2009 will be in and around Bribie Island. They are only accepting the first 100 vehicles so book in early. The theme is the 'Great Depression Years' and the organisers are Queensland Vintage Vehicle Association. For further information, please contact Graham Porter on (07) 3206 1812 or Clint Frater on (07) 3841 4373.

The Bus Ride

Contributed by: Nicole O'Keane

Two bowling teams, one of all Blondes and one of all Brunettes, charter a double-decker bus for a weekend trip to Bundaberg. The Brunette team rode on the bottom of the bus, and the Blonde team rode on the top level. Brunette team down below really whooped it up, having a great time, when one of them realised she hadn't heard anything from the Blondes upstairs. She decided to go up and investigate. When the Brunette reached the top, she found all the Blondes in fear, staring straight ahead at the road, clutching the seats in front of them with white knuckles. The brunette asked, 'What the heck's going on up here? We're having a great time downstairs!' One of the Blondes looked up at her, swallowed hard and whispered...
'YEAH, BUT YOU'VE GOT A DRIVER?!'





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STOLEN

HAVE YOU SEEN THESE CARS

CHACC received a letter from Glen Hamilton (Member & Patron of the All Classic Motor Club of CQ Inc) requesting assistance to get theirs and another family's stolen cars back. All cars were stolen early June (6th & 7th) from Tewantin, Greenmount & Tugun. Any information members are able to provide would be greatly appreciated. Just think if you were in their shoes, how you would feel waking up and finding your 'pride & joy' GONE!

Vehicles Stolen:

Restored HT GTS Monaro Coupe 253ci - Verdoro green with Persian gold stripes on the bonnet & boot with the optional rally stripes in gold on the sides. Houndstooth & black interior. Aunger hustler mags. Qld rego PHT-253. Any details, please contact Glen on 0427 178 690.



Restored XY GT Ford Falcon 351ci - Zircon green with black on bonnet & gold side stripes. Black interior. NSW rego RA-351. Any details, please contact Robert on 0408 011 157.



Restored replica XA GT Ford Falcon Coupe 351ci - Wild plum with black on the bonnet. Grey interior & sports a set of Convo pro wheels. Qld rego XAV88. Unfortunately this immaculate car was found stripped, cut up & burnt. There are a lot of bits out there though, so please keep an eye out for any suspect deals. Any details, please contact Rob on 0412 515 871.



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