

# STEERING COLUMN NEWS



Classic and Historic  
Automobile Club of  
Caboolture Inc.  
PO Box 514  
Caboolture QLD 4510

## \*\* 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.

## \*\* BBQ \*\*

Gold coin donation required

All Sunday Runs are –  
meet @ **Sundowner**  
8.30am for a 9am  
departure

## NOVEMBER 2008

CHACC's Mobile # 0414673972

### 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.

Web site: [www.chacc.com](http://www.chacc.com)

## 2008/09 CLUB EVENTS

### SATURDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER

#### ADULTS' CHRISTMAS PARTY

FINNIGAN'S CHIN RESTAURANT, KALLANGUR

6.30pm Nibbles for 7.30pm seating

Please see Pages 8,9,10 for further details.

### SUNDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER

#### CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS RUN

Banksia Beach, Bribie Island

Meet @ Sundowner 8.30am for 9am departure

Please see Pages 8,9 for further details.

### WEDNESDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER

#### Mid-Week Run

See Page 12 for further details

### SATURDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2009

#### CABOOLTURE HISTORICAL VILLAGE

Show N Shine BYO

Please see Page 11 for details

### MONDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2009

#### SAMFORD HISTORICAL MUSEUM

Free morning tea and Sausage Sizzle lunch

Please see Page 11 for details

*Apologies for this late November edition of the SCN  
Many thanks to Widge for taking it on and to John  
Pritchard for changing the email addresses on the Web. Look  
forward to seeing as many members as are able at the Adult's  
Christmas dinner and/or the Children's Christmas Party run.*

**NOTICE: Deadline for next SCN will be Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> December 08**

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### **Loganholme:**

Don Streeton  
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### EXTRA COMMITTEE

Alex Gallacher 5433 1586

## OCTOBER 15<sup>th</sup> - MID WEEK RUN

A great day and good turn-out for our mid-month run to Beerwah. We met at the Humble Pie for a cuppa & chat, although Les wasn't aware we were going out to lunch until after he had devoured a sausage roll! A quick pit stop at Cruice Park whilst we waited for the tail-enders (Neville had a slight mechanical adjustment to do) and Les just 'had to go'. Ita wasn't too happy, thought we were heading to China and not Beerwah for lunch.



*Was great to meet our new members Bob & Gloria Harmsworth in their lovely Riley*



Those attending were, Ray & Joan Dinte, our esteemed photographer Les Arnold, Ita & Hudson Davies, Neville & Barbara Brown, Andy & Sally Byrne, Don & Val Follett, Kim & Carol Bowers and new members Bob & Gloria Harmsworth

*A MAN IS BUT A PRODUCT OF HIS THOUGHTS....M.K. Gandhi*

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## CLASSIC & HISTORICAL AUTOMOBILE CLUB OF CABOOLTURE Inc

**Annual General Meeting** held @ Solander Bowls Club, Banksia Beach, Bribie Island.  
Opened 9.10 am Sunday 9th Nov 2008

**Apologies:** Arthur & Glenda Hall, Zeta & Nathan Boyd, Maxine Hogg, Karl Quail, Mal & Beryl Watkins. Don Streeton

**In Attendance:**

Neville & Barbara Brown	Jim & Sandra Croft
Ron & Julie Walters	Don & Cynthia McLeod
Gloria Groves & Stan Cantrell	Richard & Sue Droughton
Geoff & Gillian Smith	Jan & Rob Blake & Dane
Hudson & Ita Davies	Jenny & Alfonso D'Acunto
Richard & Shirley Jefferey	Trevor & Pauline Reibelt
Sandy & Sally Bryne	Gladys & Peter Rohan
Brenda & Ron Brynes	Alex Gallacher
Moya & Roy Houston	John & Donna Embleton
Garry & Marlene Wills	Robyn, Neville & Ashleigh Mole
Kim & Carol Bowers	Lyndy & Mal Melville
Darryl Wright	John Pritchard & Nicole O'Keane
Irene & Bob Pritchard	Les Arnold & Widge Dooley
Geoff Kruger & Max Hogg	Pam McPherson
Denise & Graeme Douglas	Phyllis Streeton
Robyn & Neil Hughes	Gavin & Beverley Michels

**Proxy** Voting Form was received from the following member  
Elaine Gallacher (proxy performed by Alex Gallacher)

**Welcome:** John Embleton welcomed all attending members.

**Previous AGM Minutes:**

Minutes of the 2007 AGM held at Bribie Island Bowls Club, Welsby Pde, Bongaree, Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> November and compiled by Denise Douglas were tabled. Carol Bowers moved that they be accepted as a true and correct record. Seconded by Peter Rohan. Carried.

There was no business arising from the previous minutes.

**President's Annual Report:**

John Embleton expressed his thanks to Donna and those members (who knew who they were) for their support in the past year and their assistance. He also thanked - Geoff & Gillian Smith, Shirley Jefferey, Robyn Hughes and Peter Rohan for their assistance on the committee. In 2008, members have received back in excess of their fees in subsidies and runs and lunches. He has enjoyed this year's runs and the many weekends away he had organized. He would not be nominating for the forthcoming committee as he wanted to spend more time supporting Donna. He moved that his report be accepted. Seconded by Moya Houston.

### **Secretary's Annual Report:**

Let's focus on the **positives** of our Club. There are numerous factors that make **CHACC** the Club it is. Some say it's the diversity of cars we now have. Others say it's our history. Both of these things are true, however, I feel, they are merely contributing assets of why we have grown and prospered.

The real reason is **US** - the Club **members** and our willingness to get together, to enjoy each others company and networking.

We could have all of the most exotic and prestigious vehicles in the world and they would be worth diddly-squat if people weren't willing to share the comradeship and conviviality of each others company.

Although we have lost a handful of members this year, we have also gained 13 new members (up to the end of October).

We currently have 171 financial members on the books. This includes 74 Joint memberships, 23 Single and our total membership includes 13 Life Members.

I think 2008 has been a great year for CHACC, so let's maintain the current trend and do it all again in 2009. Good driving, good company and good fun - thats what it's all about.

Jan Blake moved that the Secretary's Report be accepted, seconded Sally Byrnes.

### **Treasurer's Annual Report:**

Robyn presented the Audit Report from Allison Kropp - all attending members have been given a copy. She mentioned that the auditor was pleased with the books being presented in MYOB and moved that the report be accepted. Seconded by Shirley Jefferay.

### **Rally Director's Annual Report:**

Peter Rohan's report for 2007/2008.

Another year has passed and we have enjoyed some good runs during the year. Congratulations to all those members who volunteered to map out and run a rally. For those that would like to conduct one next year, I am sure the new committee would be only too happy to give you any advice and assistance. I also thank all those members who attended rallies throughout the year, be they on our normal monthly run or our midmonth runs. The two "sausage sizzle" days this year at Somerset Dam and Wappa Dam were well received and there was no shortage of volunteers to help erect and dismantle the BBQ and there were plenty of cooks lining up. This last year, Geoff has had the task of ensuring the "chuck wagon" is delivered to the rally site and it does look nice behind the Merc! Maybe we should paint it to match the tow vehicle?!!!

Attendance at our monthly rally compares favourably with 2007. I have only included months February through to September each year as November, December and January have no rally and I have not included October in this report. 2007 saw an average turnout of 25 vehicles/ rally and 2008 was 23, which I believe is a pretty good result. Our mid-month run has been well received approximately 6 to 9 vehicles turning up each time. We also had good participation in the Combined Council Rally, the RACQ Motorfest, the static display at Bunnings and the PCYC Show n Shine, for which CHACC received a trophy for "Best Re-presented Club". I would encourage all members, be they old or new to get behind your newly elected committee and make 2009 a better year.

### **Social Director's Report:**

Shirley said she was pleased with all attendances throughout the year, and thanked Gillian for her assistance and support. She wanted to remind members present about the Adults' Christmas party on December 6<sup>th</sup>. Ensure all names and dollars are received by her today to assist catering requirements.

### **Sergeant at Arms:**

Jan Blake said the members had raised \$104 from incidental fines throughout the year - and thanks to Denise & Graeme for giving it a good start. It was decided at 2007 AGM that funds would go to the Caboolture branch of the Breast Cancer Support Group. Motion moved by Moya Houston that CHACC match this \$ for \$ and we give \$208 to this cause. Seconded Denise Douglas. Carried unanimously.

Jan Blake also said she would like to thank the Secretary for including the article in the last SCN re the history of CHACC. She thought it was great and something of interest to new members.

### **Life Membership:**

A Lifetime membership application had been put forward to the Committee from John Embleton nominating Jan Blake. Jan has been in CHACA & CHACC for over 10 years and has filled many positions on the committee and been a very active contributory member.

A Lifetime membership application had also been put forward to the Committee from Carol Bowers, nominating Hudson & Ita Davies. They joined CHACA Brisbane branch in 1979 bringing up their 30<sup>th</sup> year in 2009. Hudson has also served on various committees, been a past president and is still one of our most active participants, organizing runs, etc. Ita needs to be included, merely for putting up with Hudson and his many vehicles and escapades.

All committee members were in favour of accepting both nominations. Members were now asked to vote, by ballot, whether they approved or disapproved of the nominees.

Scrutineers were Barbara Brown and Widge Dooley.

All nominees were accepted by majority. Congratulations **Jan Blake & Hudson & Ita Davies**.

### **Club Member of the Year:**

A ballot was taken for Club Member of the Year. Congratulations to Carol Bowers.

### **Election of Chairperson:**

Before declaring all positions vacant, John Embleton then proposed that Sue Droughton Chair the meeting until a President was appointed. Seconded Shirley Jefferey. Carried

Accepted Sue. The meeting was then handed over to Sue. All current official positions were then declared vacant. Sue gave thanks to the outgoing committee and for CHACC for sponsoring her 'Shave for a Cure'.

### **President Nomination**

Two members were nominated by mail -

1. Geoff Smith - nominated by John Embleton, seconded by Robyn Hughes

*Geoff accepted the nomination*

2. Kim Bowers - nominated by Ron Byrnes, seconded by Brenda Byrnes

*Kim declined the nomination*

**President - Geoff Smith** - duly elected unopposed.

The Chairperson then handed the meeting back to the new president who took the chair to conduct the remainder of the meeting.

### **Vice President Nomination**

One written nomination for -

1. Kim Bowers - nominated by Peter Rohan, seconded by Jan Blake

*Kim accepted the nomination*

**Vice President - Kim Bowers** - elected unopposed

### **Secretary Nomination**

One written nomination for -

1. Carol Bowers - nominated by Robyn Hughes, seconded by John Embleton.

Secretary - Carol Bowers - elected unopposed

*Carol accepted the nomination*

**Secretary - Carol Bowers** - elected unopposed

### **Treasurer Nomination**

Two written nominations

1. Alex Gallacher - nominated by Robyn Hughes, seconded by Neil Hughes.

*Alex declined the nomination*

2. Robyn Hughes - nominated by Carol Bowers, seconded by Neil Hughes

*Robyn accepted the nomination*

**Treasurer - Robyn Hughes** - elected unopposed

**Auditor** - We already have verbal acceptance that ALLISON KROPP will again accept this task.

#### **Rally Director Nomination**

One written nomination - Peter Rohan, nominated by Kim Bowers, seconded by Carol Bowers.

*Peter accepted the nomination*

**Rally Director - Peter Rohan** - elected unopposed

#### **Fund Raising Coordinator Nomination**

One written nomination for Alfonso D'Acunto, nominated by Carol Bowers, seconded by Kim Bowers. *Alf accepted the nomination - All members in favour*

**Fund Raising Coordinator - Alfonso D'Acunto**

#### **Assistant Fundraising Coordinator Nomination**

One written nomination - Jenny D'Acunto, nominated by Carol Bowers, seconded by Kim Bowers. *Jenny accepted the nomination - All members in favour*

**Assistant Fundraising Coordinator - Jenny D'Acunto**

#### **Social Director/Caterer Nomination**

Robyn Hughes, nominated by Carol Bowers, seconded by Neil Hughes

*Robyn declined the nomination*

Nominations were then called from the floor. Gillian Smith nominated Jan Blake, seconded Sue Droughton.

*Jan Blake accepted the nomination - elected unopposed*

**Social Director/Caterer - Jan Blake**

#### **Extra Committee Nomination**

Two written nominations from Peter Rohan & Kim Bowers were declined as they were already on the committee.

Kim Bowers nominated Alex Gallacher, seconded Ron Byrnes.

*Alex accepted the nomination*

**Extra Committee - Alex Gallacher**

#### **Editor Nomination**

No written nominations received. Geoff asked any interested members to put their hand up. It was decided to come back to this position in General Business at the general meeting.

**Editor - currently vacant**

#### **Web-site Controller Nomination**

No written nominations received. However Zeta Boyd has mentioned interest at the last rally.

Unfortunately Zeta was not present at the AGM and could not be nominated, as per the constitution.

However the committee could nominate her at their next meeting.

It was decided to proceed along those lines.

**Website Controller - currently vacant**

#### **Club Photographer Nomination**

Les Arnold, nominated by Ron Byrnes, seconded by Richard Jefferay

*Les accepted the nomination, all members in favour*

**Club Photographer - Les Arnold**

#### **Sargeant at Arms Nomination**

Gloria Groves, nominated by Gladys Rohan, seconded Peter Rohan

*Gloria accepted the nomination, all members in favour*

**Sargeant At Arms - Gloria Groves**

**Combined Council Representatives**

Kim Bowers & Peter Rohan nominated themselves, seconded by Geoff Smith.  
All members in favour  
**Combined Council Reps - Kim Bowers & Peter Rohan**

**First Aid Officers**

Denise Douglas nominated Brenda Byrnes, seconded by Sally Byrne  
*Brenda accepted the nomination, all members in favour*  
Brenda Byrnes nominated Elaine Gallacher, seconded by Ron Byrnes  
*Alex accepted on behalf of Elaine, all members in favour*  
**First Aid Officers - Brenda Byrnes & Elaine Gallacher**

**Property Officer**

Geoff Smith nominated himself, seconded by Kim Bowers. *All members in favour*  
**Property Officer - Geoff Smith**

**Dating Officers**

Geoff Smith asked if all current dating officers were happy to continue in their respective districts.

**Loganholme - Don Streeton** *Phyllis accepted on Don's behalf*

**Pine Rivers - Bob Pritchard** *Bob agreed to continue*

**Caboolture/Elimbah - Rob Blake & Kim Bowers** *Both accepted*

**Bribie Island/Ningi - Ron Walters** *Ron happy to continue*  
*All members in agreance*

**AGM Closed at 9.55 am**



## CLASSIC & HISTORICAL AUTOMOBILE CLUB OF CABOOLTURE Inc

**General Meeting** following AGM November 9<sup>th</sup> @ Solander Bowls Club, Bribie Island  
Meeting commenced 9.55am, following on directly from the AGM.  
Attendances & Apologies - as per the AGM attendees & apologies listed.

**October New Members:** Arthur & Noelene Hinsbey of Narangba (1965 XP Falcon)  
Bob & Gloria Harmsworth of Beerwah (1954 RME Riley)  
Darren & Fran Higgins of Cashmere (1971 HG Holden Premier)  
Please make them feel welcome on future rallies

**Birthdays:** Trevor Reibelt; Darryl Byrne; Pat Vincent; Tanya Boyd;  
Bill Randell

**Minutes of the last meeting:** Published in SCN and were signed off on 24<sup>th</sup> Oct 08.  
Committee meeting minutes of 24<sup>th</sup> Oct will be signed off today.

**Business arising from previous minutes:**

- Haven't heard back from Dept of Fair Trading as yet re constitution.
- At our October committee meeting, it was decided to have the Children's Christmas part at Banksia Beach, Bribie and Peter would incorporate a short run prior to it.

**Treasurer's Report for October 08** Robyn read out - they will be with the Committee Meeting minutes as an attachment in the Nov SCN.

**Rally Director's Info:** Will be organizing a small run prior to the Children's party at Banksia Beach on the 14<sup>th</sup> December. Would like to know numbers and how many children attending. Get your names in today if possible. Les nominated as Santa and Richard & Shirley to provide the "Santa" buggy. Received an invitation from Samford Museum for Monday 26<sup>th</sup> January, 2009 "Australia Day". Free morning tea and Sausage sizzle lunch. Would like to see CHACC well attended at this.

**2009 CHACC Runs:** Geoff went through suggested rally dates for 2009 and it was pleasing to see so many members volunteering to do runs for next year. Sue Droughton suggested we opt for the Samford Museum Australia Day run instead of the traditional Fish N Chip run on the Sunday. Seconded by Richard Jefferay. The Fish N Chip run will now be February. All run dates and volunteer organizers will be listed in the November SCN.

**General Business:** It was decided the 2009 Sergeant at Arms proceeds for 2009 will go to a local support group for Prostate Cancer.



**General Business - continued:**

Shirley asked members attending the Children's Christmas Party run to get gifts with their child's name on them in to Les prior to the lunch. Value of gifts not to exceed \$10. An idea of numbers of children attending would be of assistance to the Social Director. Adults Christmas dinner - 6.30pm for nibbles and must be seated by 7.30pm. See Shirley if you would still like to go.

Phyllis Streeton suggested next year's Christmas party could be a River cruise. Jan Blake said it would need to be booked ASAP if that proved popular. A Halloween party was also mentioned!

Winner of our Raffle was Cynthia & Don McLeod - congratulations. Raffle of Christmas Basket was donated by Kim & Carol Bowers and Raised \$158 (I think our highest yet). Thankyou generous members.

Widge Dooley said she would nominate for Editor, seconded by a grateful secretary. Thank you Widge - All Members in agreeance.

Have a quote for shaded area 6m x 3m to affix to our existing poles Will look at getting more quotes.

As there was no further general business meeting closed 10.30am



*Cynthia McLeod showing off her Xmas raffle win - congratulations Cynthia & Don.*

*Congratulations to Hudson & Ita Davies and Jan Blake for their success in attaining Life Memberships.*

## 2008 SOCIAL DIRECTOR's SAY:

What a good roll up for another successful AGM. Was great to catch up with you all. A big thanks to the Solander Bowls Club for an excellent brecky, which we all seemed to enjoy. The election process seemed to take little time, the positions filling fast, even at the end with Widge VOLUNTEERING to do the Editors job. What was she thinking ?????????? (& what was in those scrambled eggs??) but you can't back down now....Carol has your "volunteer" in blood by now !!!!! AND ....witnesses!!!! A Big thanks to you, & help will always be at hand.

Even the runs for next year .... Hands were going up all over the place, thanks to the members who volunteered to organise those as well. Can't wait to see where we end up.

Looking forward to seeing you at the Adults Christmas party at Finnigans Chin Irish Pub. If you missed out getting your name down because you couldn't make it to the AGM, you have only a couple of weeks to call me (Shirley 32932164/0419018430) and get your money in as well. So phone NOW, or it will be too late. No \$ paid, no final inclusion in list for the night. Thanks Shirl

### **CHOOK RECIPE**

Well, as we are getting nearer to the end of the year, and with Christmas looming, I thought I could suggest a new recipe for baking chicken, which may work as well on a Turkey. When I found this recipe, I thought it was perfect for people, like me, who are not sure how to tell when poultry is thoroughly cooked, but not dried out. Give this a try.

#### **BAKED STUFFED CHICKEN**

No. 20 Chicken	1 cup melted butter	1 cup stuffing
1 cup uncooked popcorn (low fat)	Salt/pepper to taste	

Preheat oven to 190 degrees

Brush Chicken well with melted butter, salt and pepper

Fill cavity with stuffing and popcorn

Place in baking pan with the neck end towards the back of the oven

Listen for the popping sound.

When the chicken's bum blows the oven door open and the chicken flies across the room, it is done

And you thought I couldn't cook!

*Thanks to the Vintage Sports Car Club of SA "The Vintage Bulletin"*

#### **THANKYOU TO CHACC MEMBERS - Pauline & Trevor Reibelt**

In October's SCN I listed all known members who had donated prizes throughout 2008. I didn't have any record of Pauline & Trevor Reibelt's donation - sincere apologies to you both. Now you have a unique 'one off' **thankyou from CHACC.**

## CHACC RALLY DATES FOR 2009

*Any further queries, please phone Peter Rohan 07-5428 6025*

<b>24<sup>th</sup> Jan 09</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	Caboolture Historical Village Australia Day Celebrations (BYO) If interested, please phone Peter Rohan so we have numbers
<b>26<sup>th</sup> Jan 09</b>	<b>Monday</b>	Samford Historical Museum (BYO if you don't wish to participate in their free morning tea and sausage sizzle lunch). 9am - 3pm Peter Rohan organizing run. Contact him if you are Southside for a rendezvous point along the way. Early start, 7.30am Sundowner for an 8am departure.
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Feb 09</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	'Fish N Chip' run - organized by Jan & Rob Blake
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Mar 09</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	Counter lunch - organized by Andy & Sally Byrnes
<b>5<sup>th</sup> Apl 09</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	(BYO) - organized by Hudson & Ita Davies
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> May 09</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	Presidents Run - organized by Geoff & Gillian Smith. This is a Qld Long-weekend for May Day.
<b>6<sup>th</sup> -8<sup>th</sup> Jun 09</b>	<b>Sat-Mon</b>	This is a long weekend for Queen's Birthday and also is dates set for the Combined Council Rally @ Bribie. If you are interested, contact Graham Porter 0732061812 Or Clint Frater 0738416373. Peter Rohan also has entry form.
<b>14<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	Counter lunch- organized by Jim & Sandra Croft
<b>5<sup>th</sup> Jul 09</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	(BBQ) - organized by Mal & Lyndy Melville
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Aug 09</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	Memorial Run (Smorgasbord) - organized by Alf & Jenny D'Acunto
<b>6<sup>th</sup> Sep 09</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	GY Rally - (BYO) - organized by Peter & Gladys Rohan
<b>4<sup>th</sup> Oct 09</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	Counter lunch - organized by Kim & Carol Bowers
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Nov 09</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	AGM Breakfast - Jan Blake to advise venue
<b>7<sup>th</sup> -8<sup>th</sup> Nov 09</b>	<b>Sat-Sun</b>	Imbil Folk Festival (BYO)
<b>5<sup>th</sup> Dec 09</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	Adults Christmas Party (Dinner) - Jan Blake to advise venue
<b>13<sup>th</sup> Dec 09</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	Childrens' Christmas Party Run (Smorgasbord) organized by Geoff Kruger

**NEXT CHACC MID-WEEK RUN**  
**Wednesday 16<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2008**

Another Club sanctioned mid-week social run so you can use your "S" plate vehicle legally more than once per month.

We phoned around and cancelled the November mid-week scheduled run due to forecast of more storms and bad weather. It turned out to be yet another wet and miserable day and with forecast of more storms and rain for the following week, we've decided on 16<sup>th</sup> December. Hoping not too many regulars will be away for Christmas by then. We will meet at the The BIG FISH/HUMBLE PIE, Pumistone Rd, Caboolture in time to have a coffee or morning tea if you wish, for a 10.30am departure. We've booked into Strathgordon Clydesdales just outside of Woodford. Bring your own lunch and thermos. There is plenty of shade and toilets are available. Thanks to Julie Walters for providing us with the contact details. It is \$5 per person, so bring your wallets too.

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.

**The Gynecologist Who Became A Mechanic**

A gynecologist had become fed up with malpractice insurance and was on the verge of being burned out. Hoping to try another career where skillful hands would be beneficial, he decided to change careers and become a mechanic.

He found out from the local technical college what was involved, signed up for evening classes, attended diligently, and learned all he could.

When the time for the practical exam approached, the gynecologist prepared carefully for weeks, and completed the exam with tremendous skill. When the results came back, he was surprised to find that he had obtained a score of 150%.

Fearing an error, he called the instructor, saying "I don't want to appear ungrateful for such an outstanding result, but I wondered if there had been an error which needed adjusting."

The instructor said, "During the exam, you took the engine apart perfectly, which was worth 50% of the total mark. You put the engine back together again perfectly, which is also worth 50% of the mark."

The instructor went on to say, "I gave you an extra 50% because you did all of it through the muffler."  
*(Contributed by Rohyn Hughes)*



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