

# STEERING COLUMN NEWS



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#### 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.

**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 Motel just off the Bribie turnoff in Caboolture (8 Aerodrome Road), **8.30am** for a **9am** departure. Don't forget to bring your morning tea!

All Mid-week Runs are: Meet @ Sundowner Motel (as above) **10.00am** for a **10.30am** departure (no morning tea stop)

#### UPCOMING EVENTS:

### **Next Run Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> June Smorgasbord**

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> June to Spirit of Cobb & Co

*This the President's run for this year and the destination is "The Spirit of Cobb & Co" at the Glasshouse Mountains. We have been booked in for the "tea and damper" tour, which includes a film and a talk about the history of the place, with some very interesting revelations. Cost is \$13 per head of which the club will subsidise \$5 per member. This is just the morning tea part – we will still have our smorgasbord at lunch time.*

*It promises to be an entertaining and interesting run, so let's see a good roll up!*

### **Next Mid Week Run Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> June**

*Another mystery run, and those of you who went on last month's run can testify as to how enjoyable these little mid week runs can be. Don't miss out on this one, or you'll be sorry!!*

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Classic and Historical Automobile Club of Caboolture Inc.

## RUN REPORT – SAMFORD VILLAGE 1<sup>ST</sup> APRIL 2012

Sunday the 1<sup>st</sup> of April was a very nice day for the run, good day and good company. We all gathered at the Sundowner for a natter prior to departure time of 9:00 AM.

Run and trivia sheets were handed out, and Andy gave a briefing for the run.

A total of 16 vehicles participated on the run, the oldest vehicles being the new members (the Andersons) 1928 Chevrolet, and the 1938 Studebaker Coupe of Trevor & Pauline Reibelt – good to see Trevor again.

It was a nice drive to Dayboro (pity about the “traffic lights” though, hey Peter) at a comfortable pace so as all vehicles could keep in touch. We arrived at Dayboro and parked in the area just on the Woodford turn off road, and were that we had sufficient good parking for all our vehicles.

Dayboro country markets were on and some had a look at that –some sampled the delights from the bakery. We had our morning tea – more natter – rested, we then headed off for Samford, all arriving together.

The Ford Mustang Club had already already arrived and had all their vehicles set out in display fashion, we were told they had 30 plus vehicles there. We parked our vehicles in the area allocated for our club with the Mustangs.

The staff at the museum had set up tables and chairs for us under a nice shady tree.



Now this looks like Sally is making an important point to the President who is deep in conversation with Andy – not so.

Fact is, Pauline Reibelt had left her reading glasses at home, and Sally is just holding the trivia questions up for Pauline so she can read them!!

The museum was also well attended by the public on the day, as was the Samford Village.

We had our lunch and meeting at this location, Andy read out the Answers to the trivia questionnaire, this added some extra enjoyment to the day, and the results of the trivia questionnaire were as follows:-







The picture on the left shows the co-organiser of the run (Sally Byrne) presenting the 1<sup>st</sup> prize to the males of the Hutchinson Family.

Why is she smiling?

Because she is so happy to be presenting the prize to someone new for a change!!

The second prize was won by Elaine Gallacher, and was accepted with alacrity. (That's a good word, look it up!)

And why is she smiling?

She managed to ditch the President for a little while in order to get her hands on the prize!!



The booby prize was won by Shirley & Richard Jeffery, pictured here with our wonderful presenter – Sally.

Why is he smiling?

Because he doesn't know what the booby prize is, and he's squeezing Sally's shoulder to get the answer out of her!!



Lindsay Bell our “Sergeant at Arms” did call in to say hello at the Sundowner, and offered his apologies for not attending today due to other commitments, and Asked Andy to stand in for him today.

Andy obliged and did this – everyone seemed to enjoy it and had a laugh – and raised \$17.15. Sally used her hat to receive donations! And of course, remember it all goes to charity, this year nominated by CHACC as Angel Flight.



You should all take notice of the picture of this event, as it is akin to the appearance of Haley’s Comet. Our President has actually reached into his pocket to put money in the hat!!

Richard Jeffray seems totally unimpressed with his gesture – perhaps because he saw the meagre amount of small change that was deposited!!

We hope all enjoyed the day and had a good time. We thank all for their support, and look forward to seeing all on future runs.

Kindest regards to all....Sally & Andy Byrne

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## RUN REPORT – OSPREY HOUSE 18TH APRIL 2012

After briefly congratulating himself for escaping another run report, your correspondent finds himself in the unenviable position of having to return a favour – yep – “do us a favour mate and write the run report” which I didn’t really mind since I owe him one or two (favours that is), but why did he have to pick the bloody run report !

Where to start – as Julie Andrews said in The Sound of Music “let’s start at the very beginning”. So there we were, waiting around at the car park at the Sundowner, making jokes about the President’s hat, when Ronnie and Brenda arrived in one of the thousand cars they have at their disposal, and with run sheets in hand we started to make a move.

Now, you are going to be asking “why spend so much time on the start of the run ?” Good question, and it is because the run itself was (in the words of some immortal bard) short, but very sweet. In fact in these days of carbon emissions, pollution, climate change etc it





was also environmentally responsible, not to mention fiscally (that's moneywise) extremely advantageous, what with petrol the price it is today.

Anyway your correspondent will now have to try to remember the sequence of events which led to our final destination – which was indeed inspired – but that's another story. The day dawned sunny and bright, with just a hint of a cool breeze to keep your correspondent alert and aware – but not afraid.

Heading down the highway, we proceeded via a reasonably direct route, (and at a leisurely pace) towards Dohle's Rocks Road, where, amidst the beautiful surroundings just down from the bend in the Pine River, we reached our destination.



What a line-up!

Just some of the cars that managed to make the run to Osprey House.

Set in a peaceful little alcove, Osprey house offers a myriad of activities for individuals and groups. Among those in evidence were the interpretive displays, the Raptor nesting platform with resident Osprey family and a boardwalk with lookouts / bird hide overlooking the shorebirds feeding areas and mangroves. We met up with Graham and Jan Beatson who surprised us all after her serious operation(s) by turning up to the run destination. We certainly enjoyed their company during our morning tea break.



Well, this was the morning tea scene. You will notice that apart from being out of uniform, Ron Byrnes was determined to get his money's worth in terms of the space he occupied.

Must have a word with the Sergeant-at-Arms next meeting!  
Thankfully, Arthur stayed standing to take up as little space as possible.



But, I digress – our organizers Ron & Brenda Byrnes had arranged for a conducted tour of the facility which was both entertaining and enlightening. After morning tea, we were given a very informative tour by a couple of the volunteers there who run the facility. We were lucky enough to see Michelle the koala nestling nearby in one of the gum trees, then were given the informative tour of the mangroves. We then sat through an exceptional video on Jalon the Aussie Osprey from birth there @ the site to maturity – thoroughly amazing!



What an intrepid group of adventurers we have here...and you will notice that your faithful correspondent has managed to avoid the prying eye of the camera lens once again.

I will not comment on the relative placement of the participants – suffice it to say there are some strange pairings..... ‘nuff said!!

Osprey House is staffed by very well trained volunteers, who guided us through the boardwalks and hides explaining throughout our meanderings, the types of wildlife and native creatures that can be observed. Osprey House is named after the Ospreys (fish-eating hawks) which regularly roost and nest in trees around the Pine River.

Also of interest were the unique art pieces along the boardwalks by renowned artist Roy Hurley, which are meant to interpret the natural environment from the local Aboriginal perspective.

After thanking the volunteers for an interesting and informative tour, too soon we headed off to our





next destination, which was just down the road to the banks of the Pine River where we stopped for our BYO lunch. After the usual bonhomie, which is becoming an integral and enjoyable part of our midweek runs, we again took to our vehicles and headed for home enlightened, and refreshed.

A big thankyou to Ronnie & Brenda from Alex & Elaine, Bob & Gloria (great to see you again), Noelene & Arthur, Sally & Andy, Neville & Barbara, Graham & Jan (good to see Jan up and about again), and Kim & Carol.

A delightful day, beautifully organized.

Your correspondent

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**CHACC MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 1<sup>st</sup> April 2012.  
SAMFORD HISTORICAL MUSEUM.**

PRESENT: As per attendance register

APOLOGIES: 9 listed on attendance register

VISITORS: 1

Meeting opened by Alex Gallacher, who welcomed all, and thanked Sally and Andy Byrne for today's run, and the others who helped them in the preparation.

BIRTHDAYS As per the birthday sheet.

**TREASURERS REPORT:**

Submitted by Alex Gallacher (in the absence of our Treasurer), and was up to date as at

Brief summary:-

Balance in Business A/c	\$14,575.31
Balance in Cheque A/c	\$ 973.82

Expenditure -

Income: (raffle, memberships)	\$78.55
Expenses (Australia post)	\$93.00
Outstanding Cheque	\$100.97

Moved: Alex Gallacher, Seconded: Jennifer D'Acunto: that Treasurers Report be accepted - Carried

**SECRETARY'S REPORT.**

Minutes of last meeting - have been published in SCN

Moved A.Gallacher, Seconded: Ron Byrnes that minutes be be accepted...Carried.

Incoming correspondence:- Maroochydore Lions club car show on March 31, Entry \$10/car. Proceeds to Cancer Council.

Various other car club magazines and newsletters - held by Secretary.

QHMC Minutes (will be published in SCN).

Letter from Door to Door Transport re interstate car carrying.

Bank Statement from Suncorp.

Moved: Jenny seconded Elaine: that report be received...Carried.



## RALLY DIRECTORS REPORT

As per Agenda, plus MacLeans Bridge at Lakeside 19-20 May, we will participate with NDSCC. RACQ Motorfest – those interested please contact Rally Director. Next Sunday run to be organized by Graham Beatson, BBQ. Still looking for volunteers for upcoming runs.

## GENERAL BUSINESS

President stressed that meetings and newsletter every second month was aimed at reducing the load on our volunteer members. We need more people to get involved with the running of the club!

The raffle prizes are now set at a finite amount for a hamper, which will be supplied by Fund Raising Co-Ordinator Brenda. Tickets are \$1 each and 6 for \$5.

The committee has set up a working group to examine possibility of sharing, developing our own clubhouse. This is what the the money in the investment account was originally raised for. The Lions Club may be in a position to rent space in their proposed new clubhouse for a nominal fee.

Alf raised the question of unleaded petrol and advised that the RACQ are also investigating future supply of 91, 95, and 98 octane versions.

Shirley & Richard Jeffray raised the possibility of a weekend away in Gympie – members showed some interest, details to be forthcoming.

Carol Bowers confirmed the arrangements for club regalia – if members purchase a polo top, the badge is free. Badges purchased separately cost \$8.00 each.

New members Neils and Aileen Anderson were welcomed to the club  
And it was good to see Denis and Ann Payne again.

**Raffle** Raised \$85.00 and the Easter Basket was won by Don & Cynthia McLeod (good to see them too!). Second prize of a crocheted rug was won by Arthur Hinsbury – congratulations to both.

**Trivia Prize** A very challenging set of questions was answered (mostly) correctly by the Hutchinson family, with Elaine & Alex coming in a brave second. Shirley and Richard Jeffray managed to carry off the booby prize award with dignity and aplomb!!

**Sergeant at Arms:** Andy Byrne filled in for Lindsay, and introduced some extraordinarily imaginative fines for member's indiscretions, amid much laughter. He managed to raise \$17.50 in the process! Well Done Andy!!

Meeting closed at 12:45 PM







## FIVE RULES TO REMEMBER IN LIFE

1. *Money cannot buy happiness, but it's more comfortable to cry in a Mercedes than on a bicycle.*
2. *Forgive your enemy, but remember the bastard's name.*
3. *Help someone when they are in trouble and they will remember you when they're in trouble again.*
4. *Many people are alive only because it's illegal to shoot them.*



*A husband and wife are holidaying at a secluded cabin by a large lake.*

*One morning, the husband returns the boat to their lakeside cottage after several hours of fishing and decides to take a nap. Although not familiar with the lake, the wife decides to take the boat out. She motors out a short distance, anchors, puts her feet up, and begins to read her book.*

*The peace and solitude are magnificent. Along comes a Fish and Game Warden in his boat. He pulls up alongside the woman and says, 'Good morning, Ma'am. What are you doing?'*

*'Reading a book,' she replies, (thinking, 'isn't that obvious?')*  
*You're in a Restricted Fishing Area,' he informs her.*

*'I'm sorry, officer, but I'm not fishing. I'm reading.'*

*'Yes, but I see you have all the equipment. For all I know you could start at any moment. I'll have to take you in and write you up.'*

*'If you do that, I'll have to charge you with sexual assault,' says the woman. 'But I haven't even touched you,' says the Game Warden. 'That's true, but you have all the equipment.. For all I know you could start at any moment.'*

*'Have a nice day ma'am,' and he left.*

**MORAL:** Never argue with a woman who reads. It's likely she can also think.



## THE FUNNY PAGE

*A few days ago I was having some work done at my local garage.  
A blonde came in and asked for a seven-hundred- ten.*

*We all looked at each other and another customer asked,  
'What is a seven-hundred- ten?'  
She replied, 'You know, the little piece in the middle of the engine,  
I have lost it and need a new one..'*

*She replied that she did not know exactly what it was,  
but this piece had always been there.*

*The mechanic gave her a piece of paper and a pen  
and asked her to draw what the piece looked like.*

*She drew a circle and in the middle of it wrote 710.  
He then took her over to a car just like hers which had its hood up and  
asked  
'is there a 710 on this car?'.  
She pointed and said, 'Of course, it's right there.'*

*If you're not sure what a 710 is.....*



## RUN REPORT — PAUL & NOI TUCKER'S PROPERTY

SUNDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2012

With a forecast of 'RAIN', we still managed to get 15 vehicles (28 members and 1 visitor from Victoria) to turn up at the Sundowner. It was well advertised – even the route detailed in our last newsletter, which found some members leaving their classics at home and deciding to travel in their moderns.

The sun managed to out manoeuvre the clouds and we enjoyed a relaxing morning tea at Yowie Park, Kilcoy. Onwards through the town of Esk we continued onto the Gatton/Esk Road for a further 20 kms and turned off to Bauraba Creek Road for another 4 km or so. It is to be noted here that our very own volunteered current 'Sergeant of Arms' went missing around about the Esk turn-off! On questioning him 20 minutes after the arrival at our destination, we found out it wasn't a 'toilet-stop', he blamed his navigator. Poor Valmay just smiled and nodded her head. Now just how do you fine the 'Sergeant of Arms' keeper? Our destination, a sprawling very impressive property with 8 kilometres of steel fencing to meet our wonderful hosts Paul & Noi Tucker.



A part view of Paul and Noi's property. In the background you can see the lake Carol is referring to at the end of the report. Note the animals queuing up at the galvanised fence. The animals are on the left hand side of the fence!!!

Paul had organized four of his own pride and joy vehicles for us to appreciate. My favourite was the Aston Martin – Kim's was the Holden.



You will notice that our roving photographer managed to place his own vehicle in the foreground of the magnificent collection organized by Paul Tucker and his friends.

Notice the Holden Statesman, an Aston Martin, an MG TC and a Triumph TR4A among the lineup.







Whilst Brenda was busy trying to flog tickets in her raffles, we were busy trying to set-up the BBQ. Paul & Noi came to the rescue with their BBQ, table and gas and things starting cooking. Many thanks to Richard for his diligence at the BBQ, ably assisted later by Graeme. Whilst the snags were progressing from rare to medium, our hostess, Noi, brought out a huge pot of Thai soup. Well – I didn't hear one complaint from any members who tried it, in fact I've asked her for the recipe. IT WAS DELICIOUS!

Then Noi came to the rescue again, once she was advised that the bringer of the coleslaw had inadvertently left the salad cream home! Also thanks to Jan for her delicious potato salad.

BBQ over, quiz questions were answered and won by relatively new members Neil's and Aileen Andersen. Congratulations to you both, and we hope to see you on many more runs.



Obviously, this is not a picture of Neil's & Aileen Anderson.

Carol and Kim were the lucky recipients of the superb mosaic bowl donated by Graham as the raffle prize.

Carol insisted it be taken in front of the Aston Martin, although Graham managed to squeeze in a bit of the Holden for Kim!!

A special thank you to Graeme & Jan for organizing this run – a letter of appreciation has been sent to Paul & Noi and I believe we have been invited back next year!





Graham pictured left presenting a special gift (hand painted by his daughter) to Paul in appreciation of his generous hospitality.

Below is a picture of Paul and Noi Tucker with the item unwrapped for all to see.



Paul has apparently stocked his dam with over 8,000 fish, so we could incorporate a fishing competition as well. YES!!!

***SICK CALL***



*To all of our members who are missing runs because they are not 100%, our thoughts and prayers go out to you. Included in this group is Andy Byrne, who had a couple of serious melanomas removed from his leg.*

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*Any other members who are not feeling 100%, or recovering, or still in hospital, please let the editor know. Email: [editor@chacc.com](mailto:editor@chacc.com)*



## CONGRATULATIONS TO THE BIRTHDAY BOYS AND GIRLS

THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS ARE CELEBRATING THIS AUSPICIOUS OCCASION

### MAY

*Jim Croft  
Ashleigh Mole  
Geoff Kruger  
Irish Hamilton*



### JUNE

*Rob Blake  
Kim Bowers  
Carol Bowers  
Ray Dinte  
Nathan Boyd  
Val Follet  
Gladys Rohan  
Ita Davis  
Don M  
Alf D'Acunto*



*We congratulate all of the above members on celebrating their respective birthdays with a special mention to Gladys Rohan and Val Follet, who have both reached significant milestones.*

## WE NEED YOUR IDEAS !

*I put this message out in our last SCN with ZERO results so far !!*

*Can we at least get some ideas for the next 3 or 4 months to get us to the end of the year.....Please!!!!*

*As you can see, there are no runs scheduled after July – looks like being a quiet few months ahead. Graham Beatson would welcome any suggestions you have – just let him know, and we'll do the rest – run sheets, directions, etc. You could even recycle an old run from a few years ago, as we have new members who may not have been there. Just give us a call!!*

## UPCOMING RUN DATES & FORMATS

**NOTE: ALL MID WEEK RUNS ARE BYO**

3 <sup>rd</sup> June, Sunday	<b>Smorgasbord</b> President's Run Alex Gallacher
13 <sup>th</sup> June, Wednesday	Mid-week run
1 <sup>st</sup> July, Sunday	<b>BYO</b> Lindsay & Valmay Bell





## COUNCIL NEWS (from QHMC Committee Meeting 26<sup>th</sup> April 2012)

**2012 RACQ HMC Rally:** By Maryborough District Antique Motor Club. Annual rally June 2012 long weekend. Major sponsor, RACQ. Book accom now  
[http://www.qhmc.org.au/Event\\_Flyers/2012\\_RACQ\\_HMC\\_Rally\\_Flyer\\_Vintage.pdf](http://www.qhmc.org.au/Event_Flyers/2012_RACQ_HMC_Rally_Flyer_Vintage.pdf)

**2013 QHMC Rally:** Sunshine Coast Antique Car Club 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary week-long celebration in conjunction with the 2013 QHMC Rally in June 2013. Expressions of interest to attend with name, number attending, phone, address and email address to SCACC PO Box 362 Nambour 4560.  
[http://www.scacc.org.au/forms/date%20claimer%202013\\_1.pdf](http://www.scacc.org.au/forms/date%20claimer%202013_1.pdf)

**QHMC Rally in NQ:** The QHMC requests clubs based north of the tropic to consider hosting a QHMC rally each year. Conditions to be the same as the current rally. QHMC contribution to this rally is currently at \$1000.

This could be held in addition to existing rallies or in conjunction with a rally already planned for that time.

Please contact the QHMC committee direct or via your delegate for more information or to accept the challenge.

**Queensland events:** Clubs are urged to list on the QHMC website at least one event per year where they feel people from other clubs could join them. Please use the event listing form on the QHMC website. If your club would like some company on its runs, it should notify QHMC via the link on its website [www.qhmc.org.au](http://www.qhmc.org.au)

**SIVs. A SIVs** working group has been formed and they are researching the terms and conditions of all state concessional registration schemes. They may even include schemes from other countries just for comparison. The object of this exercise is just to be prepared when the Federal Transport Department feel it is time for all states to have equivalent registration schemes. As all are aware when this happened with Australian Road Rules being adopted as the Queensland Road Rules they were changed by the then Transport Minister, without consulting those affected and that has resulted in our ongoing battle over seat belt requirements. The Council does not want a repeat performance. This report is being created by noting the official rules and then speaking to members in various states to obtain an insight into the actual working of each scheme. Once completed the federation and the state councils will be in an informed position and can act early to influence the type of scheme to be imposed. Each member club will receive a copy of the report and the AHMF is also interested in the report that this group will generate.

**Registration of Historic Vehicles:** There have been a number of inquiries over the use of the dating certificate. This form does not exempt anyone from the normal registration requirements. It is solely a form for the dating officer to confirm that the vehicle meets the historic criteria of their particular club and as such is eligible for concessional registration. As it comes from the Historic Motoring Council then vehicles need to be authentic in line with the club rules. In most cases this means restored to original specifications or as close as the club guidelines require. If the club guidelines allow modifications then these must be accepted by Queensland Transport, ie Blue Plates if needed, before registration of any kind can be granted. Remember, changing the engine or driveline to a later make or even just a later model could move the vehicle more towards Hot Rod or Street Machine specifications and therefore different rules.

If any club is still having difficulties inserting their club logo or name to the Dating Certificate please send an image of the club badge, in JPG format, to



[president@qhmc.org.au](mailto:president@qhmc.org.au) Doing this will mean that the logo will be available for inclusion on the new QHMC web page.

**Seat Belts and Child Restraints:** Recently our DTMR Liaison Officer Rod Graydon and Vice President David James met with representatives of the department of main Roads and a representative of Queensland Police. The outcome of this meeting is that we have no hope of getting the seat belt rule relaxed even though the Main Roads person was sympathetic to our cause the Police representative has stated "Permits will not be issued for vehicles traveling from interstate on national rallies or events." Also "Whilst Queensland may be out of step with other states in relation to this legislation the fact remains that seat belts save lives and on that basis current legislation will remain."

**Discounted Rego for Veterans:** QHMC continues to develop a discounted registration proposal for Veteran vehicles.

**Robert Shannon Foundation awards:** Clubs are asked to identify their nominees for the 2012 RSF awards. More info in coming months  
<http://www.qhmc.org.au/images/RSF%20Flyer.jpg>

**New SIV dating certificate released:** Any club having difficulty with the new SIV dating certificate is asked to send their club logo to the QHMC President, [president@qhmc.org.au](mailto:president@qhmc.org.au) who will set up their form with club logo and name.

**Club Logos for the pending new QHMC website:** The QHMC webmaster has developed a new QHMC website. It is requested that clubs supply a JPG file format version of their club logo which will be used in the banner of the new site. Please send the logo to [president@qhmc.org.au](mailto:president@qhmc.org.au)

**Invitational Rallies this Year:** Sunshine Coast Antique Car Club MOTORKANA 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> May :Heritage Truck assoc Annual truck Show Beenleigh 19<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> May: Fuel consumption test invitation event Toowoomba (DDVVMC) 18-19 Aug; Auto Spectacular, Willowbank (Buick Club 0403.960584; Maclean Bridge at Lakeside (Triumph Club) 19-20 May; National Motoring Heritage Day (all clubs) 20<sup>th</sup> May; RACQ HMC Rally Maryborough 9-11 June; Early Ford Club National Meet 9<sup>th</sup> June: RACQ Motorfest 15<sup>TH</sup> July: Early ford Club Jimboomba 26<sup>th</sup> August: Autorama "Something in the Air" Rally Gold Coast Antique Auto Club 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Nov. Details and links to entry forms appear on QHMC website [www.qhmc.org.au](http://www.qhmc.org.au) on the 'calendar' page. Everyone welcome at these events.

**Canberra 100 Rally:** 2013 marks Canberra's centenary. The National Trust has proposed a rally for 19 & 20 October 2013 and AHMF has endorsed it. Each state and territory council has been called upon to conduct hub rallies arriving in Canberra on 18th October 2013 for the national rally. The overall event will be similar to the Shannon's Rally in 2001. All Queensland clubs are encouraged to support the event. QHMC seeks a number of run coordinators to plan and lead the rally runs from Queensland to [Canberra](http://www.qhmc.org.au/Event_Flyers/Canberra%20100%20Rally.pdf).  
[http://www.qhmc.org.au/Event\\_Flyers/Canberra%20100%20Rally.pdf](http://www.qhmc.org.au/Event_Flyers/Canberra%20100%20Rally.pdf) Contact QHMC President [president@qhmc.org.au](mailto:president@qhmc.org.au)

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## SOME IMPORTANT THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW



As you know, we usually defer our September Run to the second Sunday, to allow members to spend Fathers Day with their families.

For those wishing to go somewhere (and get a free feed, we have been invited to participate in a Car show at Club Beachmere on the 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2012. It is located at the end of Beachmere Rd overlooking the water. There will be buskers and stalls, and an area next to the club for the children to play. Every driver of a car will receive a *free gourmet BBQ lunch and a pot of beer* – passengers may purchase lunch for \$10 which will also include a pot. There will also be an award for a yet to be advised prize.

## OUR ONGOING RAFFLE



We are extremely fortunate to have this lovely canvas donated by our Treasurer, Valmay Bell, as an ongoing raffle prize.

The idea is to sell tickets at every run to raise funds for the club.

Valmay's paintings are extremely popular and usually raise in excess of \$300 when offered for sale or auction.

Here is your opportunity to own a unique piece of art – please support your club – particularly those of you who can't come to our runs.

