

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**

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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.

UPCOMING 2009 CLUB EVENTS:

4th Oct 09 Sunday

(BBQ) – run organised by Alf & Jenny D'Acunto. Morning tea at Shelley Beach. Lunch at Wurtulla Cummunda Park at Currimundi Lake (over Ahern Bridge off Nichlin Way.) Gold coin donation towards the CHACC organised BBQ. Aussie Automotive Trophy

Last mid-week run for 2009!

14th Oct 09 Wednesday

Mid/Week Mid/Month run – Brian & Robert Waters Vintage establishment at Bribie Island. They collect anything interesting and have Ford & Garage memorabilia. Move onto Bribie - the Bribie Arts & Craft Centre for the annual Woodworking Exhibition, then maybe Banksia Beach for a BYO lunch. Do hope to see some members turn out for this, our last mid-month run for this year. Meet @ Humble Pie 10am for a 10.30am departure.

**NOTICE: Deadline for next SCN will be Friday
October 16th 2009**

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RALLY Roundup

Sunday Sept 6th - Kenilworth. What a fantastic day (weather-wise & enjoyment of great run - thankyou Peter & Gladys). Not a good turn-out, but that is to be expected for Father's Day with many having other family commitments. As it was we thank the four members and 2 vehicles who came with us as far as Mary Cairncross Park for morning tea but then had to depart home to their families.



Our photographer on the other end of the lens for once.



Serious bunch, aren't they?

24 members, 14 vehicles and 2 visitors in all enjoyed the beautiful spring day.

On reaching Kenilworth, we all settled down to enjoy our lunch which was topped off by a fantastic chocolate cake made by Vera Friar. Peter had members mark their own quiz sheets on his Aussie Trivia questions. Nothing to brag about here, as 1st prize only achieving 7 out of 10 (went to Kim & Carol), and it was a play-off among five others for 2nd & 3rd prizes. 2nd prize going to Lew Vincent and 3rd to Kevin Greenaway. Congratulations to all those who did attempt the questions - it was a bit of fun. Kim thanked Vera for her very generous trophies and prizes, and not least of all THAT scrumptious cake! (Secretary's note - Vera mentioned she would like CHACC to join the Vauxhall Club, with whom Vera is also a member, in a combined run late July, 2010. We will slip this into our 2010 calendar and liaise with them closer to the event to let CHACC members know details.



Chocolate Cake Munchers & Trophy Winners!



Sunday Sept 13th - Rocksberg Heritage Park and then on to Woodford.

As this date clashed with the PCYC Sandgate rally we unfortunately had a very poor turn-out. The Bribie branch of the Sunshine Coast Antique Car Club had 8 vehicles, but CHACC could only manage five. Weather was great again, late start from Centenary Lakes and on to Rocksberg for morning tea. Relaxing drive and excellent company, we continued from there onto Woodford for a stroll around the shops and a leisurely lunch. Let's hope next time we get together we can get a better turn-out from CHACC as they are really interesting people to chat with, not to mention they have some beautiful vehicles.





FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK

Please be aware we have moved our AGM forward by a week to free up any members wishing to go to Imbil Folk Festival on the 7th & 8th November 09 weekend. Therefore we need you all there on November 1st - free breakfast, sponsored by CHACC at Solander Bowls Club, Bribie Island.

If you haven't yet considered, please **think about nominating for helping on the committee** - we need your support as some of us are being pensioned off - as per the current constitution. I will again enclose a nomination form in the SCN in the hope that we have some like-minded members who are willing to 'give it a go'.

You must be a financial member to participate in the AGM so that brings me to my next point.

Our **membership renewals** were due on 31st August 2009. If you therefore have not renewed your existing membership by the end of October 2009 - this October issue of the SCN is the last you will receive until your membership is current. You will be taken off our mail-out and email lists, but hopefully it won't come to that and we will have everyone current by 31st October 09.

With Jan Blake away, holidaying in N.Z. - I would like to remind members to put their names down for our annual **Adult's Christmas Dinner** on Saturday, 5th December at the Beachmere Tavern. It will be \$15 per head for a \$35 meal (CHACC will subsidise the balance of the cost). So get your names into Jan Blake - either by phone (54974710), or catch up with her at the October 4th rally.

Additionally, get your names into Geoff Kruger (388810151) if you intend bringing your children to CHACC's sponsored **Children's Christmas party** on Sunday 13th December 2009. We would like to know numbers so the children can be catered for.

Happy motoring members - catch you after the 4th October rally.

.....Carol



Happy October Birthdays: Ryan Boyd; Marge Nunnink; Pauline Reibelt; Bob Pritchard and Ron Walters.



CHACC Rally Meeting Minutes
Held Mary Cairncross Park Sept 6th 2009
Meeting commenced at 10.35am & closed at 11.15am

Attendees: As per attendance book - 24 members, 2 visitors and 14 vehicles

Apologies: Wendy Dooley, Shirley & Richard Jefferay, Gloria Groves & Stan, Pat Vincent, Mal & Lyndy Melville, Beryl & Mal Watkins, Sally & Andy Byrnes, Ron & Brenda Byrnes, Geoff & Gillian Smith, Rob & Jan Blake, Arthur & Glenda Hall, Ray & Joan Dinte.



Presidents Welcome: Kim thanked members in attendance, and Peter & Gladys for today's run. Special thanks to Vera Friar for sponsoring this 25th GY Memorial Rally, which she and her late husband Peter inaugurated in 1985. For any new members, Peter & Vera immaculately restored 3 GY 25hp Vauxhalls from wrecks. Kim also thanked ex member Kevin Greenaway for coming along and chauffeuring Vera for the day.

NEW MEMBERS: Jackie Shaw (a previous CHACC member), 1964 Holden EH Wagon; Edith Wilson & her son Joel Alexander, 1971 LC Torana; Peter Bressington, 1969 Ford Mercury Convertible; Tony & Margaret Maynard, 1981 Ford Fairlane ZJ original Robert & Vicki Cooper, 1965 Ford XP Falcon coupe
All in favour, accepted.
Welcome also to relatively new members Arthur & Melva Henderson on their first CHACC run. They have a 1970 Valiant 245 Hemi Pacer sedan.

BIRTHDAYS in Sept: Lindy Melville & Neville Mole. Also found out on the day that it will be Jenny D'Acunto's birthday on the 30th September.



GET WELL Wishes: To Roy & Moya Houston. Roy has been in hospital now for over 5 weeks, showing a slight improvement. CHACC members wish him a speedy recovery. Kim also advised members that Roy & Moya's prized 1966 Valiant VC had recently been stolen from the driveway of their home.

Minutes of the last Rally meeting: Published in SCN and signed off today.
All previous minutes are available for perusal at every Rally

Treasurer's Report: Payments to be made in September were itemised and full details will be forwarded as an attachment to the October SCN.
Robyn moved the August balances be approved and September 09 payments be made, seconded Lew Vincent.

Business arising from the previous minutes:
Jackie Brown is now in Peru (CHACC donated \$250 for her volunteer overseas nursing stint). She has promised to get back to CHACC with her experiences. She has also forwarded CHACC receipt for the donation.

Rally Director's Report: Peter ran through up and coming events:

- ❖ **Sunday 6th Sept** - BYO or there are BBQ's available to use. This is the 25th GY Rally sponsored by Vera Friar (who is currently overseas). Peter is organising this run to Kenilworth, lunch at Pioneer Park and morning tea at Mary Cairns Cross Park.
- ❖ **Sunday 13th Sept** - (BYO) Invitation from the Bribie branch of the Sunshine Antique Club to join them on a run. Meet them at Centenary Lakes, then onto Caboolture's Rocksberg Heritage Park for morning tea and onto Woodford for lunch.
- ❖ **Sunday 13th Sept** - PCYC rally at Sandgate Car & Motorbike Show. \$2 entry, \$5 family. Entry via Racecourse Road. Ray & Joan, and Neville & Barbara have indicated they will be going to this event.
- ❖ **19th & 20th Sept** - Pine Rivers Historic Machinery Restoration Society Vintage Machinery Display. Leis Park Gympie Road, Lawnton. Details also in Sept SCN.
- ❖ **Sunday 20th Sept** - "All British Day" at Tennyson. Peter supplied contact and full details in our September SCN
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- ❖ **Wednesday 14th Oct** - Mid/Week Mid/Month run. Investigating the possibility of inviting ourselves to Brian & Robert Waters Vintage business at Bribie. They collect anything interesting and have Ford & garage memorabilia.

General Business:

- AGM is coming up. Secretary has nomination forms - if any one feels they can contribute to the Club and give a bit of their time - please consider getting yourself on the committee.
- For new members who aren't aware, all raffle prizes are donated by members. Please consider contributing as our stocks are running low!
- Get your names in now to Jan Blake or Carol or Robyn (in Jan's absence) for the CHACC Adult Christmas dinner at Beachmere Tavern on the 5th December. It is \$15 per member with CHACC subsidising the balance.
- Pauline Reibelt thought it worth letting the social director know of Wamuran Sports Club. On the first Friday of every month they put on an excellent feed for only \$7 per head. Maybe could include in a one-off special run in next year's calendar.
- Vera Friar bought up that she hadn't received a newsletter for the past five months. As her email facility is not adequate for her to download, we have now put her on the mailing list.

Raffle Results:

Thank you Alf & Jenny for collecting \$72 from members for today's raffle. Pretty good result considering lack of members present. 1st Prize of a Gift Card for Super Cheap Autos went to Kim & Carol (donated by Don & Val Follett & Jenny & Alf D'Acunto). 2nd prize of set of BBQ Utensils (donated by Gloria Groves) went to Peter & Gladys Rohan.

Meeting closed 11.15am

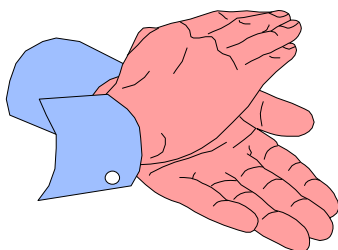
CAN ANYONE HELP? Email received from Ms Hunt 7.09.09: I am try to arrange for a "Classic Car" to take my daughter and her friend to their school formal, but am having a very hard time finding anyone available at this late stage - the date is Friday, 9th October! I was hoping that you may be able to advise me of any of your members hire their vehicles for this type of occasion? With regards, Jane Hunt 0416 145 175



CHACC RALLY DATES FOR 2009

Any further queries, please phone Peter Rohan 07-5428 6025 or Kim 0427876271

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| 1st Nov | Sunday | AGM Breakfast – Solander Bowls Club, Bribie. CHACC will cover the cost of your breakfast. |
| 7th -8th Nov | Sat-Sun | Imbil Folk Festival (BYO) |
| 5th Dec | Saturday | Adults’ Christmas Party (Dinner) – confirmed for Beachmere Tavern. Time to start getting your names in to Jan Blake for attending. \$15 per head CHACC subsidising the balance. |
| 13th Dec | Sunday | Children’s Christmas Party Run (Smorgasbord) Geoff Kruger in consultation with alternative venue at Woodford. No details to date – will contact Geoff for November SCN (apologies). |



A BIG **T H A N K Y O U** TO
CHACC MEMBERS

For those new members who may not be aware, all of CHACC's fundraising via our monthly rally raffle is only possible through members donating gifts to be raffled each month and also members buying tickets in those raffles. In our last financial year, September 2008 through to August 2009, we received \$1168-20 income from those raffles.

First we would like to acknowledge **YOU**, the members, for buying raffle tickets each month, because without you that income would not be possible. And thank you also to Alf



& Jenny D'Acunto and Lindy Melville (in their absence) for encouraging members into buying our monthly raffle tickets, and organising the draws.

We have kept a record of members who have donated prizes last financial year and would like to thank you for your generosity. If we have missed anyone, please let us know and it will be rectified next month. Sincere thanks to.....

Lindy & Mal Melville	Jan & Graham Beatson	Gloria & Bob Harmsworth
Don & Val Follett	Gloria Groves	Wendy Dooley & Les Arnold
Jenny & Alf Da'cunto	Neville & Barbara Brown	Carol & Kim Bowers
Peter & Gladys Rohan	Jan & Rob Blake	Pauline & Trevor Reibelt
Ray & Joan Dinte	Jim & Sandra Croft	Robyn & Neil Hughes
Trish & Neil Hamilton		

In addition, thanks to the following members who have generously bought prizes, trophies and donated dollars in organizing of specific runs.

Vera Friar; Sally & Andy Byrne; Geoff & Gillian Smith; Aussie Automotive Services

CHACC this year (September 08 through to August 09) donated \$1,000 to the Leukaemia Foundation, \$208 Breast Cancer Support Group, \$250 Volunteer Overseas Nursing Support. We would like to see these figures increased next year - with your support - thank you all.

OTHER CLUB INVITATIONAL EVENTS & SWAP MEETS

27 th September	Citroen Traction Avant 75 th Anniversary Cleveland S/grounds 9am Phone Alan Maze 07 38243821 for further details.
3 rd & 4 th Oct	LAMA Gatton Rally email sec.lama@hotmail.com
4 th Oct	28 th Carboot Sale & Swap Meet - Rothwell Car Club at Redcliffe Tigers AFL Ground, Rothwell Park, McGahey Street, Rothwell. Contact Ray 04176453552
9 th & 12 th Oct	Morgan Centenary Tour Ph Greg 32606197
16 th -18 th Oct	Military Jeep Club & Field Day Canungra, Saturday Ph 55781832
18 th Oct	Combined Coastal Car Club Annual Car Show Cooroy
24 th Oct	Lions Community Carnival Narangba. Invitation to join them to celebrate this charitable event. Contact Gayle Wallace 0431916212
31 st Oct-1 st Nov	Gold Coast Antique Auto Club Hinterland Autorama Ph Mark 55337107
29 th Nov	'Tamborine' Swap at Beaudesert Showgrounds

**Isn't it funny how day by day
nothing changes but when you look back
everything is different**





CHACC CHATTERIta and Hudson Davies

This CHACC Chatter is reproduced from CHACA Caboolture Newsletter #2, August 1997



Hudson & Ita at last year's Christmas Party – this is NOT how they usually look, although Ita is always smiling!

Hudson was born at Ipswich in 1924. In 1949, he started work at the Post Office as a Motorcycle Express Delivery Courier, riding a Harley-Davidson motorcycle. Delivery work included Press dispatch deliveries.

Hudson: *“In 1954, I delivered the Royal Tour Press telegrams to the Queen when she visited. I had special clearance to enter exclusive areas not open to the public. After an accident on the Harley, I became a tramways conductor for 15 months. I then went back to the Post Office as an express rider until 1958 at which time I became a Postman. After becoming a telephonist in the All-Night Exchange in 1968, I went on to the International Exchange in 1972 and later became a supervisor there. I retired in 1980. I joined the Club in 1983 with meetings being held at the Morayfield School at the time.”*

He married Ita on 2nd January, 1954.

Ita was born in County Claire and migrated to Australia before the war. Attached to the American Army for four years, Ita was involved with Mail Censoring during WWII. In 1945 she became a cosmetician at Myers. After switching to David Jones t Toombul, Ita retired in 1977.

Ita: *“After moving from Wavell Heights (where we lived for 25 years) it was quite a change to move to Beachmere in 1980. We didn't know anyone, so, when we joined the Caboolture Club, we suddenly had a new lot of friends. We were made welcome and we had some wonderful outings which only get better.”*





FOR SALE

2008 KRATZMAN EURO 21ft CARAVAN WITH AWNING
REGISTERED UNTIL JUNE 2010 QUEEN SIZE BED, SHOWER/TOILET, GAS
STOVE
LOTS OF CUPBOARDS, TV/DVD/VIDEO, POP UP ROOF WINDOWS
ASKING PRICE \$60,000 Contact KARL QUAILL Ph 32696450 (Leave a message)

FOR SALE

1951 DB18 DAIMLER CONSORT. Easy to restore.
Offers phone Kim Bowers 0427876271 MORRIS MINOR Step side ute.
Toyota running gear.

Hi there, My name is Steve from Browns Plains. I have a 1977 Regal that I am thinking about selling and thought it would make a good club car for the enthusiast. It was a one owner from new for 30 years and is in pretty good condition overall. It is the last of the USA models into Australia in September '77. I have the original handbook with date of purchase. Would this car be of interest to any of your members? It has 318 v8 motor with column shift auto and 250,000 on the clock. Contact Steve on his email: agro__vation@hotmail.com




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