

# STEERING COLUMN NEWS

## December 2015

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**Classic and Historic  
Automobile Club of  
Caboolture Inc.  
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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.

### **\* BBQ/Sausage Sizzle \***

We provide food 'n' salads  
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)**

### **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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### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**12<sup>th</sup> Dec 15 Saturday**

**AGM and Christmas Lunch**  
Centenary Lakes Sports Club, Caboolture  
Details and address in Social Update  
Please advise numbers if you are available  
to attend.

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# General Meeting Minutes 1<sup>st</sup> November 2015

General Meeting Minutes 1st November. 2015  
Heritage Park Museum via Pelican Park

- Meeting Opened:** 10.30 am
- President:** 14 members 8 vehicles. Alex welcomed members and thanked Kim & Carol for organising today's run.
- Minutes from last Gen Mtg:** Was October run and published in the November issue of the SCN. Moved Alex that they be accepted, 2<sup>nd</sup>. Peter Rohan.
- November Birthdays:** Neils Andersen; Trevor Reibelt; Edward McGregor; Darryl Byrne; Pat & Lew Vincent; Tanya Boyd; Bill Randell
- Correspondence In:** Various other Club newsletters  
Insurance Renewal from JLT for \$683.93 (covering period to 31st October, 2016).  
One only nomination form for AGM  
Secretary's Petty Cash to be reimbursed – this is for a 5 month period from June to 11<sup>th</sup> October - \$637.53.
- Correspondence Out:** 55 SCN Nov. newsletters to hard copy recipients.
- Treasurer's Report:** Alex tabled Elaine's Treasurer's Report for October and moved that they be accepted, seconded Lew Vincent. Alex also moved that Secretary's expenses be reimbursed, seconded Sally Byrne. Also that the insurance premium be paid, seconded Peter Rohan. Both payments approved.
- Rally Directors' Report:**  
**18<sup>th</sup> November – Mid-week/month run.** As there wasn't one scheduled, Alex offered to organise as that will be the last run prior to our AGM.  
**12<sup>th</sup> December - AGM and then Christmas lunch.** To be held at Centenary Lakes Sports Club, Caboolture. To date we have 34 names – hopefully this will increase prior to the cut-off date.  
Members urged to bring along a neighbour or family member to boost up our numbers. AGM to commence at 11am followed by a quick General Meeting and lunch around 12noon.
- General Business:** **S.O.A.:** Sally presented her annual 'fines' total and for the year she has managed to cajole a total of \$199-80 from members plus sell \$100 worth of raffle tickets for her hand-made Clown. Total funds for our S.O.A. \$299-80. This will be matched by CHACC and put towards a charity.



**Club Shirts** – Quotes too date still too expensive for embroidery. Andy mentioned he had a contact in Kingaroy who had done previous work for them at very reasonable rates. Kim moved a motion for Andy to source quotes from his Kingaroy contact, seconded Alex Gallacher.

**Raffle Winners:**  
1<sup>st</sup> Sally & Andy  
2<sup>nd</sup> Jenny & Stan  
3<sup>rd</sup> Barbara Brown  
Thankyou members we banked \$45.

**18<sup>th</sup> Goose Club Draw:** \$30 this month. For the second time this year Hudson & Ita's number was drawn out, as they were not in attendance, this will jackpot to \$40 for next year's 'Fish N Chip' run draw.

Meeting Closed 11 am



## **Sunday Run 1<sup>st</sup> November 2015** **Heritage Park via Pelican Point**

Great weather but unfortunately quite a poor turnout with only 8 vehicles and 14 members. This is the second time we have visited this museum and those who went I am sure enjoyed.

Whilst overcoming the initial hic-cup of getting the doors unlocked, we all converged on the little café for coffee and lunch. Luckily for us they were open and were expecting us. Great food and service and then a tour upstairs through the museum. We have previously congratulated Bob Tucker and his staff for the wonderful presentation and displays there.

Everyone marked their own Quiz sheets after the quick meeting at Pelican Point. The winner was Gladys Rohan with 8 and a half, second place was tied between Jenny Vallance and Sally Byrne with 7. Pat & Lew Vincent with 6 and Barbara & Neville with 4 and a half. All received something for their efforts.



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## Mid-Week Run 18<sup>th</sup> November 2015

### **Pebble Beach Common @ Sandstone Point**

9 vehicles and 15 members – better turn out than our Sunday run. Great spot thank you Alex for organising. It wasn't planned but having enough interest we discussed the Club Shirts with Andy & Sally's quotes from Kingaroy contact and John Westerhuis' contact. Both were going to confirm a few details and get back with further information.

Also discussed was CHACC's charity donation this year. As wasn't enough to make a firm decision, it was agreed by all present to go ahead so two members have already organised the donation and Alex kindly offered to present it to Emily and her Mum. Hopefully the members at the General Meeting following the AGM would approve CHACC's donation of \$1,000 to a local Bribie Island 8 year old - Emily Turnbull who has type 1 diabetes, spinal slippage and an undiagnosed condition that sees her joints swell – sometimes restricting her to a wheelchair. The Turnbull family is currently fund raising for a service/carer dog for Emily which will cost about \$5,000. The dog will be trained to smell when her blood sugars go too low or high which could lead to a deadly diabetic coma. The assistance dog will play a big part in keeping Emily safe at night, as well as be a comforting companion.



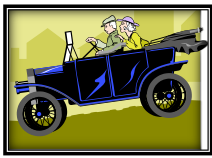
### **SOCIAL UPDATE:**

- **AGM & Christmas Lunch** - Saturday December 12<sup>th</sup> at Centenary Lakes Sports Centre, 16 Stringfellow road, via Riverview Street Caboolture. Currently we have 39 confirmed. Hopefully that will increase when members are reminded to phone up on receipt of this newsletter. Don't forget if you would like to attend but need a lift – please phone up and ask. The plan is, AGM to commence @ 11am, followed by a quick General Meeting. Lunch to follow at approximately 12noon. Sally Bryne's Clown raffle will be drawn during lunch and we will have a Christmas Hamper to raffle off during the afternoon. Sadly we have only received 2 nominations for committee – however are hoping for some “shy” members to put their hands up @ the AGM – **WITHOUT YOU**, we won't have a Club.
- **Repairs, Removals and Replacements** - 2015 has seen many of our members go through various successful procedures and bounce back to our runs. Hips, knees, hernias and even spinal intervention. Our membership is showing its age but excelling in their recovery mode.

Finally we would like to wish all members a safe, happy and healthy Christmas with their families and friends. And those on the “sick” list – get well soon. Safe driving. Catch you in 2016.



## **BUM A RIDE**



Feel like catching up with your CHACC mates but don't feel like driving? Unable to drive – not feeling well, but need an outing? Run too long – don't feel like driving that far? If you answered YES to any of the above scenarios – then pick up the phone and request a lift or wander down to the Sundowner and get a lift from there! Phone our Rally Director, Graham on 33859898

## **This Month's Car Quiz**

Q: What is the device that allows a cars driving wheels to turn at different speeds when cornering?  
Feel free to phone 54940801 or email your answers to the editor at [editor@chacc.com](mailto:editor@chacc.com)

## **Last month's Quiz Answer**

We have no winners for last month's quiz:

Q: What do coin collectors call each side of a coin?

A: The front and back of coins are called 'Reverse' and 'Obverse'

## **Did You Know?**

If you were to spell out each number, you would have to keep going until you reached One Thousand before you used the letter 'A'?



## **Recipe**

### **Chocolate Rum Balls**

¼ cup (50g) chopped raisins  
¼ cup (60ml) dark rum  
¾ cup (65g) desiccated coconut  
2 cups (about 300g) chocolate cake crumbs  
¼ cup (60ml) sweetened condensed milk  
Chocolate sprinkles, to coat

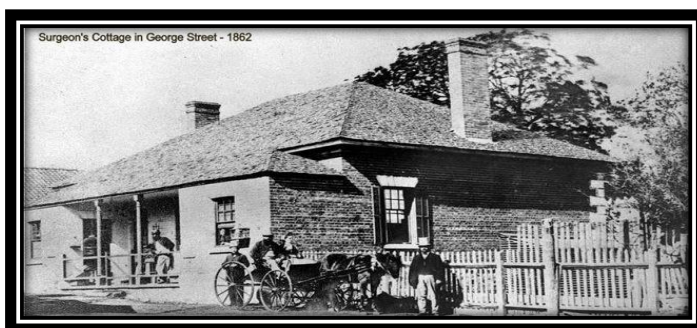
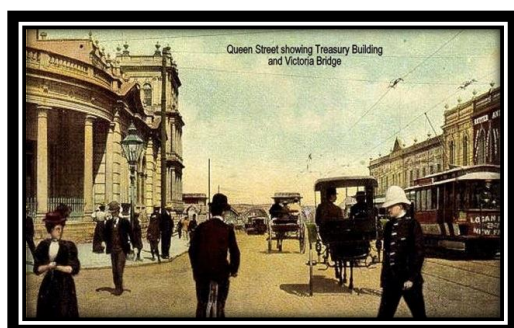
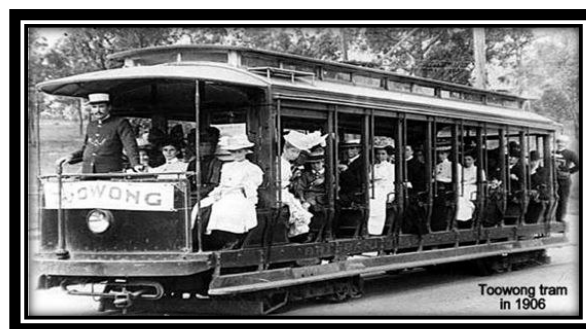
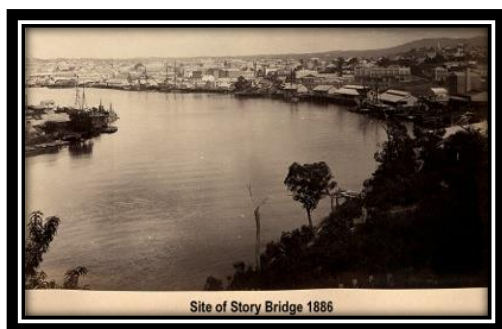


Combine the raisins and 1 tablespoon of the rum in a small saucepan over low heat. Bring to a simmer. Remove from heat and set aside for 5 minutes to macerate. Place the raisin mixture, remaining rum, coconut, cake crumbs and condensed milk in a medium bowl and stir until well combined. Line an oven tray with baking paper. Roll table spoonful of mixture into balls and place on the lined tray. Place the chocolate sprinkles on a plate. Roll each rum ball in sprinkles to coat. Place in an airtight container and store in the fridge.

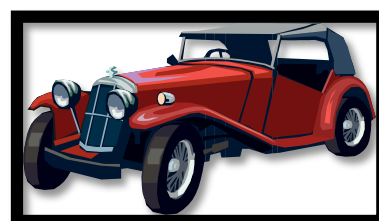
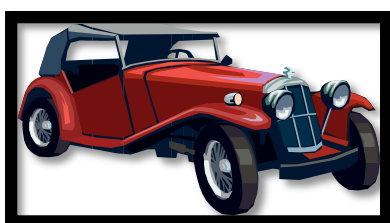




## Some Old Photos of Brisbane



Sent in by Raymond Byrne



## **Congratulations to the Birthday Boys and Girls**

**The following members are celebrating this wonderful occasion**

### **December Birthday Wishes**



Don Follett  
Jan Beatson  
Sally Bryne  
Leo Nunnink  
Stan Vallance



*We congratulate all of the above members on celebrating their respective birthdays. If I have missed anyone I apologise, unless like me you want to forget all about it!!*

### **Editor's Report**

I would like to wish everyone along with all their families a wonderful and safe Christmas. As 2015 comes to a close I would also like to thank those members that have contributed to newsletters with articles/pictures over the last 12 months. I have tried getting the newsletter out by the 3<sup>rd</sup> week each month but that was not always possible. I do encourage all our members to make the effort to contribute to our newsletter in 2016. I would also like to say a special thankyou to Carol Bowers for her help and Graham Beatson for the run reports and pictures each month.



### **Magazines Needing New Home**

The club has been contacted by a lady called Helen Blackburn who lost her beloved husband about 18 months ago. He had an interest in cars for many, many years and had a collection of "Wheels" magazines going back to 1956. Helen is willing to give this collection to someone in our club who would get as much pleasure reading them as her husband did. If you are interested in this collection of "Wheels" magazines you can contact her on 0488227751.



## CHACC EVENT & RALLY DATES FOR 2015/2016

*Any further queries, please phone Rally Director Graham Beatson 33859898*

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Please phone Elaine **ASAP** 54331586.

**5<sup>th</sup> June 2016**

**Bauraba Creek** – Invitational run with BNAAA (hope they can join us).  
Getting in early with a date so we don't encounter a change of plans we did  
this year.



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