

# STEERING COLUMN NEWS

## August 2016

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**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/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:**

**7<sup>th</sup> August 2016 Sunday**

**BYO or Lunch available at venue.**

Eagle Rock Café in Laidley.

Early departure time 8.30am

Organised by Jenny and Stan Valance

**17<sup>th</sup> August 2016 Wednesday**

**BYO Mid-week/month**

To Woorim area of Bribie Island.

Organised by Alex Gallacher

**11<sup>th</sup> Sept 2016 Sunday**

**BYO - Note Father's Day is on the 4<sup>th</sup>  
so this month we will make the run on the  
second Sunday of the month.**

Organized by Kim and Carol Bowers

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*Classic and Historical Automobile Club of Caboolture Inc.*



# **Classic & Historical Automobile Club of Caboolture Inc.**

## **General Meeting**

**Meeting held at Landsborough On 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2016**

**Meeting commencing at 10.25am**

**Presidents Welcome:** President welcomed all those in attendance.

**Present:** As per attendance book.

**Apologies:** As per attendance book.

**Birthdays: For May, June July**

**May** Trish Hamilton

**June** Rob Blake, Kim Bowers, Carol Bowers, Ray Dinti, Nathan Boyd, Alex Gallacher, Zeta Boyd, Val Follet, Gladys Rohan, Alf D'Cunto, Lew and Pat Vincent,

**July** Neville Brown, Lyn Burgess, Richard Jefferey, Gloria Groves, Julie Walters.

**Wedding anniversaries in May, June, July**

**June,** Lew and Pat Vincent

**July,** Barbara and Neville Brown

**Minutes of Last Meeting:** Was held at Eumundi on 3<sup>rd</sup> April and published in last issue of SCN.

Moved by Alex Gallacher that minutes be accepted as true and accurate record of that meeting.

Seconded by Kim Bowers

**Business arising from the minutes:** Leave for General Business.

**Correspondence In:**

Email from various organisations about Events etc

Email from Carol advising of S.O.A takings.

Email from Kim Bowers re Web site review by committee.

Email from Blue Sky re Cosworth replacement engines.

Email from Jenna Oppenheimer re proposal to do article for web site

Information received from Wyatt Roy in regard to type of grants available and where to get info on same and also info from Morton Bay Council on same topic(see separate folder)

Copy of minutes of March QHMC General Meeting and Qld Ethanol Mandate attached

Email from Car Care Qld car detailing service franchise looking for business

Email from Andy re June run

Email from QHMC for membership renewal

Email from Dennis Mealin requesting membership card

Correspondence in regard to new club shirts

Email from Aaron advising Peter Davis unable to do July mid-month run

Ditto advising Arthur Hall can do July run

Letter from Louise Sanderson asking for assistance for the Goondir Health Services Big Buddy Project to be held in conjunction with Dalby Show and Shine in August or September

Information on Halls for Hire in the Morton Bay area

Email from Pat and Lew Vincent advising of the absence from 31st May to! 0<sup>th</sup> July

Invitation to attend Australia Zoo

Copy of May QHMC minutes

Letter from CAMS asking if we are interested in affiliation

Advice from Graham Beatson about October Rally

Info from Carol re Bauraba Creek run

Retroautos August 2016 edition now on line

Phillapa Hall re sale of 1949 series 1 4-4 Morgan

Email from Andy Byrne about using Tyres Galore voucher.

Margaret Himsley (Bill Randell's ex-wife) cancelling SCN mail out

Brigitte Green sale of 1967 Austin 1800



Nanango Show and Shine for March next year

**Correspondence Out:**

Info to Rally Director about invitation rallies

Invitation to “Tyres Galore” to attend June rally

Sent petition for Bruce upgrade to Wyatt Roy office

**Treasurer’s Report:** Treasurer sent in an apology and the President presented the report and moved that the report be adopted and the accounts be passed for payment.

Seconded, Jenny Vallance.

**Rally Directors Report:**

- Updated run sheet to be included in next SCN

**QHMC Report:**

- Ethanol mandated by Queensland Government for the use of ethanol in all unleaded fuels to commence from mid-2016. The agreed figure is 3% rising to 4% in 2017. Unblended ULP may become unavailable at some outlets and the only option will be to use more expensive non-ethanol premium fuel.
- Future club runs to not use the wording “rally”. CTP insurers will not pay claims involving DPC benefits (Driver Protection Cover) if the driver of the insured car is involved in any illegal activity such as a car rally. The words “car rally” are specific.

**General Business:**

- Grants availability. Inquiries made as to availability of grants and they are available from Commonwealth, State and Local Government bodies. No further action to be taken as there is no need for extra funds at this stage.
- July midmonth run is now being organised by Jenny and Stan Vallance
- Big Buddy Project no action to be taken
- Australia Zoo visit in conjunction with RACQ is not to proceed
- Web site discussion at committee meeting was addressed by Alex who contacted John Prichard who is looking into ways to reduce costs and a more “user friendly” website. Ongoing and further report to be received at next meeting
- Currently 40 members receive their SCN by Mail
- Can we fit “Appreciation Certificate” presentation in on the midmonth run? This was discussed and was decided that we would arrange a suitable time for Secretary, President and Andy Byrne to meet with Tyres Galore people.

**Sergeant at Arms.** Sally did her usual and fined quite a few for misdemeanours.

**Raffle Winners:** Gladys Rohan, Eldon Till and Frank Tenney

**Goose Club:** The draw for this was for Lew and Pat Vincent who unfortunately were not in attendance increases for next Sunday run.

**Meeting Closed at 11.25 am**



**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, Aaron Saunders 0421511516



## Secretary's Report June 2016

### Secretary's Report for July 2016



The cold weather is upon us but has not stopped our fearless leader from venturing out in the "G" with the top down. At least the rain has held off on our last couple of runs.

The monthly run to Buderim organised by Alex was well attended and whilst some confusion as to the final destination was experienced, we eventually all ended up in the correct location.

Arthur Hall did the mid-month run which was an "observation run" which we have not had one of these type runs for quite some time. It took us through the back roads around Caboolture area, finishing at the Narangba Tavern. Pleasant drive, pleasant company and an enjoyable lunch.

Well done to both organisers of these runs.

Prior to the mid-month run, a communication mix up occurred to organise a photo opportunity with Tyres Galore. As it turned out, Mike and Gail, our sponsors, were away on holidays in their caravan but we were able to have their daughter Natalie stand in whilst Andy and Sally Byrne were presented their trophy for winning the sponsorship prize and Alex presented a "Certificate of Appreciation" on behalf of CHACC. All in all it turned out OK.

Our 7<sup>th</sup> of August monthly run is being organised by Jenny and Stan Vallance and will be to Laidley. This will mean an 8.30am start from the Sundowner, travelling through Kilcoy, stopping at Toogoolawah for morning tea and a short meeting before heading off to Laidley via Esk.

Lunch may be purchased at the café. I also suggest that we all travel back towards Caboolture as a group and again stopping at Toogoolawah for afternoon tea before continuing on home. This is only a suggestion as some may wish to travel back via Ipswich and Brisbane. The trip is approximately 320kms round trip. Hope you can make it and have an enjoyable day!

Membership fees are due again and we have booked the Caboolture Lakes Bowls Club for our AGM in November. Further details will be available in due course.

## Sunday July 3<sup>rd</sup> Run Report 2016

OK, OK, OK, I know the instructions were a bit complicated, and I should have known the way since it was me who organised the run. However, it was not my fault – everyone knows (or should know by now) that I'm not that good at leading, and no-one in their right mind should follow me. Trying to read my own instructions whilst driving a little (very windy) open top car, on a road requiring multiple gear changes ain't easy...just ask me!!

Anyway, the day started off with pleasant, promising weather and a good roll up of the usual suspects. Our president (hereinafter known as "the buffoon") arrived and proceeded to hand out what we now laughingly refer to as that @#%^&\*+ run sheet. All smiles, we set off in a jolly mood to our morning tea stop at Landsborough. Pretty straightforward, led by the buffoon we arrived and de-car'd (if the yanks can use "de-plane" for getting out of an aircraft, I can use de-car!).

Suitably refreshed, we tried to have a quick meeting, and almost succeeded, then, in a moment of madness, and to our everlasting financial disadvantage, we let our erstwhile (and appreciated) Sergeant-at-Arms, Sally loose with the dreaded notebook! Chastened and lighter in the pocket we set off after the buffoon to our lunchtime destination – or so we thought.

Inexplicably (Editor's Note: incorrect word, it should be the phrase - "stupidly by following the buffoon") we arrived, not anywhere near "Buderim Forest Park" but just short of the junction of Steve Irwin Way, and the Bruce Highway. We halted, and the buffoon asked Jenny Vallance to use her GPS to find the way to "Buderim Forest Park" from where we were. Sounded sensible since it was he who missed a turn and led us into this mess!!



Now, a word about the good (?) burghers of the Sunshine Coast Region, and before them, the Shire of Buderim. Who, being of sound mind and in possession of all their faculties, would decide to name 2 different parks by the same name, and just to top it off, put them both at the end of 2 different roads, then give both those roads the same name??? The people of the aforementioned councils, that's who!! The end result being that we arrived at the wrong "Buderim Forest Park" at the end of the wrong "Quorn Close", which by then was absolutely chock-a-block with cars.

To add insult to injury, Eldon Till's immaculate FB decided to run out of petrol at the entrance, due to a sticking carby float. The buffoon took off, ostensibly to try and find the right park, and left his "followers" in the lurch. Although he did find the right spot, he couldn't tell anyone how he got there, and just kept apologising to anyone who would listen.

Well, thanks to some clever navigating the rest of the thoroughly discombobulated (it's a fancy word for confused) members found their way to the "right" Buderim Forest Park, and proceeded to enjoy what was left of the day. The buffoon issued a profound and heartfelt *mea-culpa* to all present, and promised not to do it again.

Kim and Carol answered most of the Trivia questions, and won first prize, Frank Tenney the booby prize.

Footnote: He is also doing the midweek run, so be on your guard – *caveat emptor*!!

## Mid-Week Run 13<sup>th</sup> July 2016

What is it about counter lunches that brings our members out – really good turnout with 11 vehicles, 17 members and 1 visitor. Great effort for a mid-month run. A **huge** thank you to Arthur & Glenda and Eva (Arthur's sister-in-law) for organising the run. It was really great to do an Observation run at long last – must be more than a couple of years since we have done one.

Whilst quite 'nippy' waiting at the Sundowner the day turned out reasonable, weather wise. As is impossible to do an Observation quiz with one member/one vehicle scenario, Stan bummed a lift with Frank in his Corvette, but Barry couldn't quite be talked into sharing with Alex in his MG.B with the roof down! (Don't blame you Barry)

On leaving the Sundowner (unaware to the rest of the members) – Charli and Sandy Provis arrived in their beautiful Jaguar so they had no alternative but to just "tag" along and follow the last vehicle out, obviously without a run sheet.

What a great picturesque drive Arthur gave us – many roads we haven't been on before. His questions en route made most of us ponder and wonder what the hell he was talking about! Finally, after a quick "pit stop" for Kim & Alex on the side of the road – who by the way were the first to arrive at our destination – we waited for the tailenders to dribble into the Narangba Tavern. Food and service was great, even to the extent of Sandy asking a staff member to "turn" on their very flash Gas Heater Lamp, just so we could see what it looked like. After discussion with management, Sandy got her way and the Lamp was lit – momentarily. Great display! A few hic-cups with lunch as poor old Barry who thought he ordered and paid for something else refused to acknowledge his meal when it was called out. However, after everyone else had been fed and Barry was still sitting there looking VERY hungry he decided to look at his docket and realised the very third meal called out was indeed his!@#%^&! He didn't complain but did a "Jack Spratt" and licked the platter clean.

Arthur read out the winners and losers on his quiz, there were 18 questions the winners equally – John & Jan and Kim & Carol could only manage 14, second was Peter & Gladys with 12 and Andy & Sally came in honourably with 11 & half. Jan Westerhuis graciously didn't pick the \$50 voucher donated by





the Tavern as she had luckily won a Voucher on their Wheel of Luck previously. Arthur thanked the Narangba Tavern for their generous gift voucher which was included in his prizes. Congratulations to all.

A great day, thank you to all who turned up and sorry Sandy you didn't win the trophy for most weight loss over the last few months – your 16kg was overtaken by Jan Beatson – **THE WINNER** – with 17kg. No diets – you both have been through heaps of medical issues, however both on the mend and you are both looking great! Congratulations.



Alex and Natalie with Trophy Shield



Sally, Andy & Natalie with Shield



Arthur and Eva Checking Answers



Narangba Tavern.



Alex & Natalie with the Certificate of Appreciation

**A BIG THANK YOU** to all who managed to join our midweek run this month. Special thanks to those who gave up their MAHJONG to join us. The weather was good the run went well and the lunch at Narangba Valley Tavern was good value. Thanks to Carol for getting the run sheets copied for us. Perhaps the Tavern could be a venue for our end of year do?





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## OTHER CLUB INVITATIONAL EVENTS AND SWAP MEETS

### 2016

<b>July 30<sup>th</sup> 2016</b>	<b>NAMBOUR SWAP MEET –Nambour Showgrounds</b> <a href="http://www.scacc.org.au">www.scacc.org.au</a>
<b>August 19, 20 &amp; 21<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>Northern Rivers Vintage and Veteran Car Club Weekend Rally</b> (contact CHACC secretary for details)
<b>August 28<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Auto Extravaganza and swap meet. Organised by Early Ford V8 Club Inc. Macleans Bridge Jimboomba, 33003955, 0448195588, 0434383055</b>
<b>September 10<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Gympie Swap and Car Show</b>
<b>Septmber 11<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Mini MusterBMC Roundup, Mini Owners Club Qld,Contact John 0432322437 minimusterbmroundup@gmail.com</b>
<b>September 17<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>All British Day Tennyson</b>
<b>Sept 24<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Kilcoy Classics on Wheels</b> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/Kilcoy-Classics-on-Wheels">https://www.facebook.com/Kilcoy-Classics-on-Wheels</a>
<b>September 24<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Historic Trucks &amp; Tractor &amp; Car Show, Gatton Showground, contact Ron 0402234657</b>
<b>September 25<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Rocklea Auto Roundup Mega Swap &amp; Car Show&amp; Shine. Rocklea Showground 0408076834</b>
<b>October 16<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Morris Minor Display Day, Ormiston State School. Pres 32073425</b>
<b>October 28-30<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Queensland Heritage Rally, Oakey Showgrounds. Allan Boardman 0428547168</b>



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

Q: What year was the Olympic flag created and by whom

Feel free to phone 54940801 or email your answers to the editor at [editor@chacc.com](mailto:editor@chacc.com)

No winner for last month's quiz:

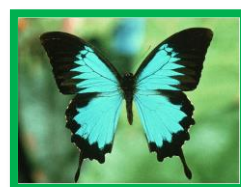
## **Last Month's Quiz**

Q: In the movie "It's a Wonderful Life", starring James Stewart, he crashes this car into a tree. What's the car?

A: The car was a 1919 Dodge Brothers

## **Did You Know?**

That although butterflies have eyes, those eyes do not see as clearly as a human's. However, they do have features that people's eyes do not have. Each of a butterfly's compound eyes is composed of many ommatidia (lenses), all looking in a different direction and each one with its own lens. These structures allow the butterfly to see things in many directions simultaneously. The butterfly's brain collects the data from the various structures and forms a whole picture from all the different parts.



## **WANTED** Mercedes Benz **350/450 SE** or **SEL**

That has good reliable engine & auto gearbox suitable for transplanting into MERC. BENZ 350SL, Units **MUST** be in GOOD condition

**NOT** Requiring Rebuilding.

Please contact ANDY & SALLY BYRNE with all relevant information on 34822196 OR 0429493244

## **Recipe** **Golden Syrup Dumplings**

1 tablespoon butter  
1 cup SR flour  
1 egg  
2 to 3 tablespoons milk



Rub butter into flour add egg and milk to make soft dough. Brake into balls, place into casserole dish

### Syrup

1½ cup water  
½ cup sugar  
1½ tablespoon butter  
1 tablespoon golden syrup  
1 teaspoon lemon juice

Place all ingredients into saucepan, stir until sugar has dissolved and bring to boil. Pour over dumplings and bake at 190C for 20 - 30 minutes.





## CHACC EVENTS & RUN DATES FOR 2016

*Any further queries, please phone Run/Drive Director Aaron Saunders  
34962289*

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- 2<sup>nd</sup> Oct 2016 Sunday** BYO - Note 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct is Qld Labour Day long weekend. Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> is the  
only Available day that Norffka Manor, Eudlo can have us to visit. To be  
organized by Graham & Jan Beatson.
- 19<sup>th</sup> Oct 2016 Wednesday** BYO - To be organised by Neils Andersen
- 6<sup>th</sup> Nov 2016 Sunday** BYO - To be organised by John Westerhuis
- 19<sup>th</sup> Nov 2016 Saturday** **AGM & Christmas Lunch at Caboolture Lakes Bowls Club.**

Just a reminder to all current members - Renewal of your membership is due after 31<sup>st</sup> August 2016. Included in this August issue of your Steering Column News is a renewal form. Get it in to us via this form in the mail, or EFT into Club's bank account - BSB 484 799 account number is 130084220 (please ensure you put your name in the Details of the transfer). Alternatively you can pay cash or cheque on our September Run. Thankyou in anticipation of your September Renewals.

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# MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL 2017



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31<sup>st</sup> August 2016

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NB We will notify you of monthly newsletters etc. via email unless otherwise advised

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Year	Make & Model	Restored	Body Style

Please make cheques and money orders payable to CHACC and send to  
PO Box 514 Caboolture QLD 4510 or bring along to a meeting.



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