

# STEERING COLUMN NEWS

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Classic and  
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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:

### Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> April

This is an invitational run with B.N.A.A.A. who have accepted and will join us at Aston Park, Kilcoy. We have a band, sausage sizzle and Beef Brisket on the Spit. You just need to bring your morning tea stuff AND knives & forks & plates for lunch. **Would appreciate an indication of numbers for catering.** Obviously (luckily) we will be having Noi's tradition Tom Yum Soup and home-made sausage rolls. No salads, but you're welcome to BYO lettuce & tomatoes etc. Don't miss this run organized by Graeme & Jan Beatson – or you'll be sorry!!

### Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> April

Mid-week Run organised by Andy & Sally. We will be having a counter-lunch at a pub – possibly Samford. More details later.

### Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> May

BYO Mystery run organised by Alex. This is the Labor Day long weekend, and the proposed weekend away was unfortunately not supported. We will have a run, but it's a mystery where we're going (even to Alex!)

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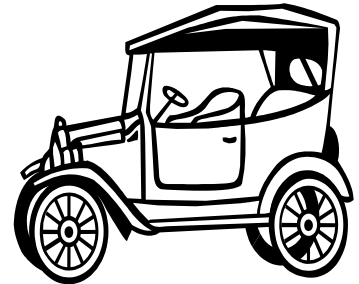
Classic and Historical Automobile Club of Caboolture Inc.

After another 2 weeks in hospital, Lew Vincent is finally back home but still on morphine as his body tries to heal his 8 fractured ribs and sternum after an over-zealous paramedic applied CPR to him outside the Northlakes Medical Centre. Peter Rohan has also spent a stint back in hospital but recovering at home now. Frank Tenny has also been on the sick list with a 'wog' he hasn't been able to shake for three months. To cheer himself up he has gone out and bought himself ANOTHER vehicle. Hasn't arrived yet, is being trucked up from NSW. It is a 1953 Buick coupe - can't wait to see it Frank.

To all members on our sick list we wish you a speedy recovery and for those facing medical issues our positive thoughts are with you.

Really great to see increased members on our March runs - especially the relatively newer members - maybe you would like to volunteer a second half of the year run suggestion, as we still have some vacant dates. New blood means different ideas and not the 'same ol' same ol'.

### **Club Run Sunday March 4 2018**



It was great to see that the weather was looking great for our run up to the hinterlands. 14 cars lined up at the Sundowner with 24 members and 2 visitors. There was a slight change to the designated stop; we decided that seeing the weather had been unpredictable of late that we finish up at Witta instead of Peachester. The road from Maleny to Peachester would not be very enjoyable if it rained.

Another hiccup arose: the traffic at the Caboolture Show Grounds was going to be enormous (because of Farm Fantastic), we therefore decided to avoid it and head up the Highway instead and take the Beerwah exit onto Steve Erwin Way. We then went through Beerburum to go back in line with the run direction. A nice drive along Old Gympie Road through Beerwah then on to Skippy Park on Old Landsborough Road for Morning Tea.

Our Run Director (Alex) got lost and found himself in the middle of a Pineapple farm. When he phoned in for directions he went straight past Skippy Park until Kim phoned him to turn around and come back. It seems David & Marie had some mechanical problems before they even left the Sundowner but thankfully arrived at morning tea BEFORE our Run Director and Noel & Jan.





Fortunately everyone did arrive at the morning tea stop in plenty of time. Thank you to Alf & Jenny for getting to Skippy Park well before everyone else and securing us a nice shaded area with bench seats. This made our members total to 26 and 15 cars.

After Morning tea we headed up through Landsborough, then up the mountain into Maleny and on to the Witta Sports Grounds for Lunch. I believe this was a great stop to have lunch sitting under the shade of huge camphor laurel trees. I wish to thank everyone for turning up for our run and I do hope everyone did have an enjoyable day. Winners of our quiz were Valmay & Lindsay Bell, 2<sup>nd</sup>. Joanne & Scott Tindale.

*Neils & Aileen*

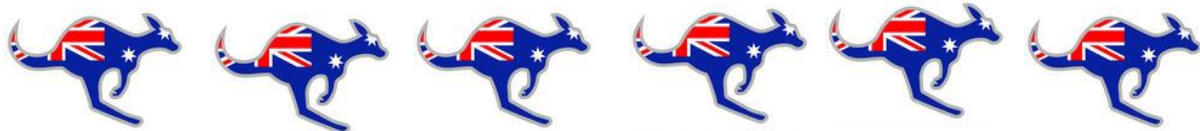


### **Additional Background by Kim & Carol**

Kim & I relished the fact we were going to some place we hadn't been before. The ambience of Witta made us look it up and our research showed in the 2011 census, it had a population of just 1230. It was first settled around 1887 by German immigrant families. They called it Teutoburg (also spelled Teutoburg), possibly referring to the Teutoburg Forest area in Germany. The town renamed in 1916 during World War 1 due to anti-German sentiment. The name Witta is a corruption of the word "wetya" meaning dingo in the Kabi language. It is situated 39 kilometres SW of Nambour within the Blackall Ranges. We loved it – thank you Aileen & Neils.



*Just a sample of the classy types of vehicles we get on our runs.*



## **Sergeant at Arms STILL Needed!!!**

Here I am again, now **pleading** for someone - anyone to volunteer for the Sergeant at Arms position.

We did get a couple of suggestions from Jenny Vallance that are worth considering.

**Firstly**, to nominate someone at the start of each run to do the job on the day. That way they won't make too many enemies!!

**Secondly**, to put an "Honesty Box" on the table and invite the guilty wrongdoers to salve their conscience by making a donation to the cause.

So please help us out - think of those that will be helped, by your dedication to the cause and your support for one of the suggestions.



## CLASSIC & HISTORIC AUTOMOBILE CLUB OF CABOOLTURE (Inc.)

### General Meeting Minutes 4<sup>th</sup> March 2018 Landsborough Skippy Park

- Meeting Opened:** 10.30 am
- President:** President welcomed all in attendance, especially great to see Lindsay & Valmay Bell again
- Attendances:** 26 Members, 15 Vehicles & 2 Visitors; Apologies 9 members
- Birthdays for MARCH:** Barbara Brown; Malcolm Hadgkiss; Cynthia Mcleod; Peter Rohan.
- New Member:** Brad Wilson, Warner, 1975 Holden Torana Sedan. Proposed Kim that he be accepted. 2<sup>nd</sup>. Alex Gallacher.
- Minutes from last Gen Mtg:** Was held 4<sup>th</sup> February 2018 @ Scarborough. Was published in the March issue of the SCN. Moved C. Bowers that they be accepted as true and accurate record. 2<sup>nd</sup>. Graham Beatson.
- Business Arising:** Volunteer runs were resolved until July. Alex re Marquee (leave to General Business). Weekend Away – we need numbers to book accommodation (leave to Run Director's Report). River Cruises - Kim has made enquiries and has several quotes (leave to Run Director's Report).
- Correspondence In:** Various other Club newsletters – available here for members or ask Alex. Thankyou from President of MOVC for our joint run on 15<sup>th</sup> February. Communication from new member Brad Wilson for membership.
- Correspondence Out:** M'Ship receipt, card & constitution to M. Fehlhaber.  
40 hard copy newsletters March issue of SCN  
Thankyou to MOVC President & Secretary.
- Treasurer's Report:** In John's absence, Kim presented financials to end of February. Moved Kim that they be accepted. 2<sup>nd</sup>. Alex Gallacher. In addition we have invoices from Australia Post for \$127 for our PO Box fees and one from the Tech room for \$138-50 up to 15<sup>th</sup> February to be paid. Kim moved that these be accepted to be paid, 2<sup>nd</sup>. Joyce Till.
- Run Directors' Report:** Alex asked members for interest in our planned weekend away. Planned for Beaudesert and have tentatively booked 9 rooms. With a hands up we had 6 couples. Was decided Kim would ring around members likely to be interested that afternoon and make a decision as to a yes or not. A lot of work goes into these weekend aways and did not feasible for only 6 vehicles. Kim to notify members interested Sunday afternoon if was not going ahead.  
River Cruise – Kim had 3 quotes from Bribie, Brisbane Ferries and Brisbane River cruises. Alf D'Acunto came up with a 4<sup>th</sup> quote from Mooloolaba, \$29 Adults for 2 hour cruise with buffet lunch & pelican feeding. Members present chose Alf's choice. We will look at putting that into our calendar of runs in the second half of the year.



**Run Report (continued):** Alex asked members to show their support for the 8<sup>th</sup> April annual Bauraba Creek run to Joi & Paul Tucker's property. For catering purposes need an indication of members coming. Will be joined by BNAAA on this run at our invitation (as last year).

**General Business:** Alex informed members as to his current research into selling our existing marquee and buying 2 smaller ones. Still inconclusive – no decision as yet until Alex makes further enquiries.

**Sergeant of Arms** – It was suggested if no volunteers for this role we change to a WISHING WELL – where members can donate if they wish – i.e., Life members may like to donate their fees to our Charity or other misdemeanours members might like to own up to can go into the pot. Couple of member suggestions on the day, one will be implemented on the May run.

Vote of thanks to Neils & Aileen for a great run and idyllic lunch spot at Witts.

**Meeting Closed 10.55am:**

**Raffle Winners:** 1<sup>st</sup>, Carol Bowers; 2<sup>nd</sup>, Jan Beatson; 3<sup>rd</sup>, Ken McFarlane;

**Goose Club Draw:** \$80 this month. Members drawn were Ray & Joan Dinte. As they were not in attendance, this will jackpot to \$90 for next month.

**QUIZ:** Neils & Aileen did a very unique but enjoyable quiz.

1<sup>st</sup> Valmay & Lindsay Bell  
2<sup>nd</sup> Scott & Joanne Tindale

## CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR MEMBERS

THESE LUCKY PEOPLE ARE CELEBRATING THIS MONTH

### April Birthday Wishes



Arthur & Noelene Hinsbey  
Gavan Wood  
Andy Byrne  
Michelle Hogg  
Gary Hay  
Joan Dinte  
Neil Hamilton  
a Ita & Hudson Davies



*We congratulate all of the above members on celebrating their respective birthdays, particularly Arthur & Noelene Hinsbey who are celebrating their 59<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary. Congratulations! Also Hudson and Ita Davies who are both now 15 years older than Andy Byrne Now you can work out how old they both are if you know any one of them!*

*If I have missed anyone I apologise, unless like me you want to forget all about it!!*



## Mid-Week Run Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> April



It was with trepidation that we gathered at the Sundowner to launch off on our mid-week run to Kilcoy. Weather forecast wasn't great, in fact we had a small rain squall come through which delayed our departure from the Sundowner and necessitated Dave & Marie to put the top back up on their MG.B Roadster before take off.

Note: Alex brought his Ford ute so must have had a premonition.

Fortunately the weather cleared and we followed Peter & Toosje's run sheet through a uniquely picturesque drive to Kilcoy. Countryside was fabulous. However - our Run organisers took a wrong turn and went Steve Irwin Way (followed by many sheep) instead of continuing onto Beerburrum Road onto Old Gympie Road. Oh well, just a few more guilty members who may like to contribute to our Charity Hat! We also lost Barry & Caroline on the Woodford Peachester Road as they decided to have a romantic Lunch for Two at Woodford.



Finally with roadwork delays we arrived at our designated lunch stop Yowie Park. Awaiting us was our loyal 'spot savers' Jenny & Alf D'Acunto. Also awaiting us was Jenny Vallance who had decreed an hour and a half lunch break from work to join us & Stan.



We had a lovely covered area to settle into until the threat of rain encouraged some to join Dave & Marie on an adjacent shelter nearer to the BBQ (which they needed for their lunch). Although a couple of us got a "wet" bum for 10 minutes - I think majority who purchased pies & coffee from the local bakery were not disappointed. A great drive and day thankyou Peter & Toosje. Will be thinking of you on your 7 week overseas holiday. Stay safe. All in all a great day with 19 members, 13 Vehicles plus 1 vehicle with ever faithful Martin Schobbe (Toosje's brother as a visitor

## OTHER CLUB INVITATIONAL EVENTS & SWAP MEETS

### **2018**

**14<sup>th</sup> April**

**HONK! Ipswich Festival Vehicle Exhibition.** This is a Saturday. Free. Entry no later than Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> April. Phone Sylvia Norton 07 38122974. Or go to [www.ipsevents.org.au](http://www.ipsevents.org.au)

**14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> April**

**Wondai Street Sprints** Contact Kevin Krosch 0428662749 Historic & modern cars, food & merchandise stalls. [www.sbmotorsinmotion.com](http://www.sbmotorsinmotion.com)

**21<sup>st</sup> April**

**Blackbutt-Benarkin Lions Club Show & Shine** custom cars, retro cars & vans, bikes, trucks. Food & drinks available - market stalls. Car sites \$10 General Public admission - Gold Coin

**12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> May**

**40 Years 'Date Claimer' RVA of Dalby.** They are celebrating 40 years. Entry forms will be available early February. Further details email [walnbev@bigpond.net.au](mailto:walnbev@bigpond.net.au) i.e. Bev & Wally Lanagan for RVAD

**20<sup>th</sup> May**

**David Hack Classic.** Classic cars, vintage cars, Trucks, Motor Cycles, & Warbirds

**8<sup>th</sup> May**

**50th Anniversary Display French Cars.** Murrarie Recreation Reserve Cannon Hill. Organised by Peugeot Car Club.

**27<sup>th</sup> May**

**QVVA Brisbane Swap Meet - Carina State School.** Gates open 6.30am for site holders - 7 am gates open for the public. For more information visit [www.qvva.org](http://www.qvva.org) or email [qvva.inc@gmail.com](mailto:qvva.inc@gmail.com)

**9<sup>th</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> June**

**5th Qld QHMC Rally.** Hosted by Blackall Ranges Horseless Carriage Club Maleny. Further details contact [brhccinc@gmail.com](mailto:brhccinc@gmail.com)

**8<sup>th</sup> September**

**Gympie Historic Auto Club Inc.** 48<sup>th</sup> Swap Meet & 6<sup>th</sup> Car Show. Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> @ Gympie Showgrounds, Exhibition Road, Southside, Gympie. Gates open for traders from 3.30pm Friday 7<sup>th</sup>. Enquiries Barry 0409827562







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### This Month's Car Facts

In Christopher Nolan's film *Batman*, Bruce Wayne drives a Lamborghini Murcielago. In Spanish, Murcielago means, "bat."

For many cars, the "new car smell" is actually toxic. It is composed of over 50 volatile organic compounds.

I haven't "been everywhere" but here are a few places you may also know:-

I have been in many places, but I've never been in *Cahoots*. Apparently, you can't go alone. You have to be in *Cahoots* with someone.

I've also never been in *Cognito*. I hear no one recognizes you there.

I have, however, been in *Sane*. They don't have an airport; you have to be driven there. I have made several trips there, thanks to my children, friends, family (and this car club).

I would like to go to *Conclusions*, but you have to jump there, and I'm not too much on physical activity anymore

I have also been in *Doubt*. That is a sad place to go and I try not to visit there too often.

I've been in *Flexible*, but only when it was very important to stand firm.

Sometimes I'm in *Capable* and I go there more often as I'm getting older.

One of my favourite places to be is in *Suspense*! It really gets the adrenaline flowing and pumps up the old heart! At my age, I need all the stimuli I can get!

I may have been in *Continent*, but I don't remember what country I was in. It's an age thing. They tell me it is very wet and damp there.



## CHACC EVENTS & RUN DATES FOR 2018

*Any further queries, please phone Run Director Alex 0417247292*

8th April	Sunday	BBQ Bauraba Creek. Organised by GRAHAM & JAN Beatson. This is an invitational run with B.N.A.A.A. who have accepted and will join us at Aston Park, Kilcoy. We have a band, sausage sizzle and Beef Briskit on the Spit. You just need to bring your morning tea stuff AND knives & forks & plates for lunch. We would <b>really</b> appreciate an indication of numbers for catering. Obviously we will be having Noi's tradition Tom Yum Soup and home made sausage rolls, so get in early or miss out! You'll be sorry!
11 <sup>th</sup> April	Wednesday	Counter Lunch - Mid-week/month. Andy & Sally organizing a lunch at Samford Hotel.
6 <sup>th</sup> May	Sunday	BYO (Labour Day Long Weekend) This has been cancelled due To lack of interest. Only. 6 vehicles put their hands up. Alex said he would organise a normal BYO run TBA Destination.
16 <sup>th</sup> May	Wednesday	BYO Mid-week/month. Organised by Kim & Carol
3 <sup>th</sup> June	Sunday	BYO or buy there. . Old Petrie Town Steam Fair. Organised by Kim & Carol
13 <sup>th</sup> June	Wednesday	BYO Mid-week/month. Organised by Alex & Elaine
1 <sup>st</sup> July	Sunday	President's Run - BYO To be organised by Kim. We would like to bring back the CHACC Memorial Run and thought this a good opportunity.
18 <sup>th</sup> July	Wednesday	BYO Mid-week/month. Organised by John Westerhuise.
5 <sup>th</sup> August	Sunday`	BYO: Organised by Aldona & Scotty
15 <sup>th</sup> August	Wednesday	BYO Mid-week/month. Organised by NEED A VOLUNTEER
9 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Sunday	Counter Lunch - Organised by Jenny & Stan Vallance
19 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Wednesday	BYO - Mid-Week/month. Organised by NEED A VOLUNTEER
7 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Sunday	BYO - Organised by NEED A VOLUNTEER
17 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Wednesday	BYO - Mid-Week/month. Organised by NEED A VOLUNTEER
4 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Sunday	BYO - Organised by NEED A VOLUNTEER (Suggestion this be AGM)
24 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Saturday	Date confirmed for CHACC Christmas Lunch

