

# STEERING COLUMN NEWS

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**Classic and  
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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  
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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:

Well members & friends, there is some good news and some bad news. The bad news is that not much has changed since our last SCN - except we can now drive 150 kilometres from home, and can gather in a park...but only 10 of us! Unless...if we could get hold of an empty coffin and a hearse we could call it an outdoor funeral with up to 30 of us allowed to get together in a park.

Anyhow, the good news is that we have been able to secure a booking at Crows Nest for Saturday 10th October, so that will now be our President's Run. Don't forget to book for that night. We are assuming that the restrictions will have eased sufficiently by ten to allow it to go ahead.

There will not be a run in June as it is early, and we are not confident that we will be able to. However, we are aiming for a run in on our usual first Sunday July 5th. Will keep you posted.

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## Presidents Prattle

What a strange time we are all living in! The virus must have had a big impact on Scotty and I as we have decided to down size and will be move into a delightful waterfront unit. Many trips to the dump – Boy oh boy! - why do we hold onto so much stuff? But the feeling of letting go of this stuff is wonderful. We will be busy for a couple more weeks.

It is such a shame that the Presidents overnight run is to be postponed for a later date. We can travel the distance but not able to stay overnight or have the numbers gathering together. It is certainly going to be a fun weekend when it comes around. Bookings made will be accepted for a later date with the Crows Nest Tourist Park. I should be able to do this when we discuss new dates with them. As soon as we have a new date we will advise and if you wish to join us on this run you can book your accommodation directly with the Crows Nest Tourist Park on (07)4698 1269. Let them know you are with CHACC and they will apply the discount.

It will be great to catch up with you all on our next run when restrictions allow.

Stay safe

Aldona

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## Secretary's Scribbles May 2020

How shiny is your classic after all the polish you've rubbed into it during the time it's spent social distancing from bitumen. I hope it's not over polished and you've now noticed you've got bare metal where once there was paint. At the time of writing this there still doesn't appear any signs of us getting any club runs happening again. We have ventured out for legal classic runs on a couple of occasions including one visit to catch up with the grandchildren. Our visit to the two youngest, 2 & 3 years saw us imprisoned in their pool area to ensure they were kept separate. We felt like we were stuck in Folsom Prison. It was great to see them though after 5 or 6 weeks.

Included with your SCN reports is a copy of a couple of pages from the web page Old Classic Car, this has been printed by permission of Richard Jones the site owner. To while away a few hours during your isolation period please open his web page, I'm sure you'll find many interesting articles and snippets to occupy your mind. <https://www.oldclassicar.co.uk/> Hopefully my next Scribbles will have more exciting news about resumption of our CHACC social life.

Below record of our club incoming mail during April & May

SCACC	Alternative antics during Covid 19
QHMC	NMHD May 17 cancelled
Grays Auction	Online auction
Yatala Drive in	Still staying open
British Classic Car	Cars for sale
Warwick Jumpers & Jazz	Cancelled
Andrew Byrne x 2	Impromptu run
Dave Bertram	Request for info
BVAC	Magazine
Public Works	Motor recreational activities
CHACA	Magazine



## For Sale



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400hp Cummins Diesel

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## Utes in the Paddock Condobolin NSW



Clean Running Backed by Ned 1954 FJ



Ute of Arms 1952 FX



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Ute Zilla 1957 FE



## Congratulations to our members

**These lucky people are celebrating this MONTH  
June 2020 Birthday Wishes**



Rob Blake	Kim Bowers
Carol Bowers	Ray Dinte
Frank Sherred	Alex Gallacher
Pat Vincent	Alf D'Acunto
Gladys Rohan	



*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!!*



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I don't think that's what he meant when he asked for independent front suspension.



## Veggie Pancakes

½ cup all-purpose flour  
½ teaspoon baking powder  
½ teaspoon salt  
¼ teaspoon pepper  
1 egg  
¼ cup milk  
1 cup grated carrots  
1 cup grated zucchini  
2 green onions, sliced  
2 tablespoons oil



In a mixing bowl, stir together the flour, baking powder, salt, and pepper. In another bowl, beat together the egg, milk, carrots, zucchini, and onions. Add this to the dry ingredients and stir until combined. Using a large skillet, heat 1 tablespoon of oil over medium heat. Pour the batter by tablespoons into the pan, making a few pancakes at a time. Cook about 2 minutes on each side and golden brown. Add the remaining oil to the pan as needed. Serve pancakes at once.

## My first car

My first car was an '87 Camaro.  
That car was fast and sharp as an arrow.  
I was sixteen and in high school.  
I loved it, but boy was it a piece of stool.

I had it for a month, then it became a joke.  
I was driving one night and the engine broke.  
It started to steam and smoke everywhere.  
I was afraid, so I just left it on the highway there.

When I came back, I was hoping my day would be brighter.  
But it got much worse when I saw about a dozen firefighters.  
They were surrounding it and when I saw it I nearly froze.  
They thought it was on fire, and filled it up with water hose.

I should have junked it, but for this car I truly cared.  
So I got a new engine and paid for everything to be repaired.  
After that it ran like new and without a rattle or a squeak.  
Little did I know that it had a slightly large oil leak.

So a couple days later, I was out on this amazing date.  
I was thinking about us in the back seat, but that would wait.  
As I was driving to this remote make-out spot,  
I looked at the temperature gauge and it was very hot.

So of course, it started to smoke and the firemen got called again.  
When they got there, I didn't know what I was in for then.  
One fireman smiled and asked if I was going to the make-out point up there?  
I smiled back and said yeah, then he said really, with my daughter Claire.

After that night, I did what I should have long ago and got rid of the car,  
I also never saw Claire again, her dad told me to stay away, very far.

Chris Matt



RUN REPORT SUNDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2012

## MAROOCHY BUSHLAND BOTANIC GARDEN



After a long week of heavy rain which seemed that it would never go away, what a glorious day Sunday turned out to be. It was a terrific opportunity to get out and about in our stunning array of vehicles. Heading off from the Sundowner north towards the Sunshine Coast and on to the Maroochy Bushland Botanic Gardens. We weren't the only ones heading north with a long stream of bikers passing as we journeyed along the Bruce highway searching for the turnoff. And what a lovely place the gardens were!

Lots of parking for our cars, then sitting around the very tall gums chatting, knitting, reading and just catching up over a cuppa and a sandwich. All the while being entertained by the birds flying to and fro from tree to tree like acrobats, and chirping up a storm. Could not have been any better - thank you Jan & Graham Beatson (Grumpo) for a great run, and a bewildering list of abbreviations to sort out for the prizes. A great day to be alive and lucky to be living here in Australia, we must put this place as a destination for next years runs. Whilst there at the gardens one can visit the Arts and Ecology Centre- very interesting use of books and paper - and take a walk on trails around the garden. Cheers for now, looking forward to the next run from a very happy winner of 1<sup>st</sup> prize in raffle Thank you.

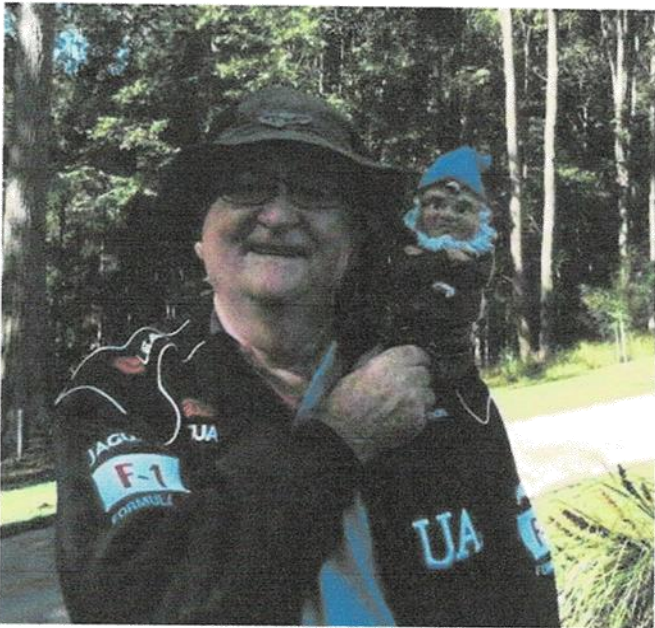
Run Report by Jenny D'Acunto



What a happy and relaxed bunch we were – except of course for Kim Bowers who was once again caught short, and put his hand up for permission to go to the loo!!!!



SOME MORE HAPPY SNAPS FROM MAROOCHYDORE



**QUESTION:** Who is this man, and why is he holding a grumpy (or is that Grumpo) garden gnome on his shoulder??  
**HINT:** He may be listening to some advice?

Send your answers to "editor @chacc.com"  
Best entry wins a prize!!

Check the picture below.....  
See if you can pick Alf's latest purchase, and why is it the longest in the carpark?  
Hmmm?



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I was driving this morning when I saw an RACQ van parked. The driver was sobbing uncontrollably and looked very miserable. I thought to myself "that guy's heading for a breakdown"

The wife has been missing a week now. Police said to prepare for the worst. So I have been to the charity shop to get all her clothes back.

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## CHACC EVENTS & RUN DATES FOR 2019

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

**Please note - the dates for July are tentative only...Ditto for August, but I am hoping that we may be back to some sort of normal by then. If not you will be advised by email or in the next SCN.**

*Just a little note: Those of you who nominated to organize runs will be hearing from me regarding the dates marked NEED A VOLUNTEER to see if you are agreeable to transfer your cancelled run to one of those dates.*

<b>5<sup>th</sup> July 2020 Sunday</b>	<b>Memorial Run - BYO</b> To be organized by Kim & Carol
<b>15<sup>th</sup> July 2020 Wednesday</b> Davis	<b>Mid-week/month.</b> To be organised by Peter & Toosje
<b>2nd August 2020 Sunday</b>	To be organised by Phyllis & Don Streeton
<b>20<sup>th</sup> August 2020 Wednesday</b>	<b>Mid-week/month.</b> Organised by Arthur Hall & MVOC. Will be a Pub run, usually a great choice! Don't miss it!
<b>13<sup>th</sup> Sept 2020 Sunday</b>	<b>Smorgasbord</b> Organised by Neils & Aileen Andersen (6th is Fathers Day)
<b>16<sup>th</sup> Sept 2020 Wednesday</b>	<b>Mid-Week/month.</b> NEED A VOLUNTEER
<b>10th Oct 2020 Saturday</b>	<b>This will be the President's Run</b> (all genuflect) to Crows Nest for an overnight stay at the Caravan park there. It will be a great chance for us to have a <u>real</u> get together and a drink or 3 without worrying about driving home at night. More details to come.
<b>21st Oct 2020 Wednesday</b>	<b>Mid-Week/month.</b> NEED A VOLUNTEER
<b>25<sup>th</sup> Oct 20 Sunday</b>	<b>Suggest this be our AGM</b>
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Nov 2020 Sunday</b>	Leaving this free for member's wishing to go to Imbil Festival
<b>21st Nov 2020 Saturday</b>	<b>Suggest this be our Christmas Lunch.</b>

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