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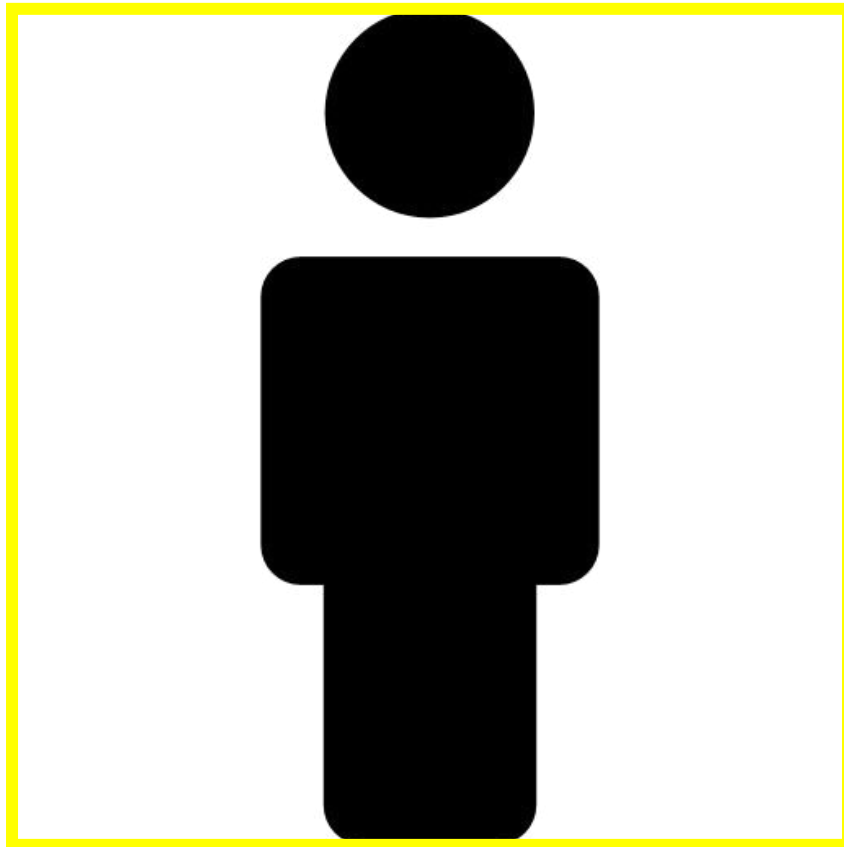
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The WMHVS Club Person of the Year 2023-24 Award will be presented at the September General Meeting

Next Meeting: September General Meeting

Dooen Hall

Thursday 14th September at 8pm

All welcome

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Wes Atwood (dec), Fred Opprecht, Jack Gunn (dec), Clem Duldig, Vic Ellis, John King (dec), Gary Knight, Neville Thomas, Bill Allen (dec), Dave & Marge Barnard, Stewart (dec) & Cheryl Muir, Don Perry. Alan Jolley

Club Person of the Year: TBA

Wimmera Mallee Historical Vehicle Society Events Calendar

DATE	CLUB EVENT	TIME	CONTACT
SEPTEMBER			
Sunday 3rd	Horsham Car and Bike Show run by WACK committee \$10 entry for vehicles and gold coin for public viewing	Cars and bikes are displayed from 9am until 12 noon on the car park at the rear of Horsham Plaza. Enter from Park Drive only	Call Clarky on 0429 941 241 for further information or check FaceBook
Wednesday 6th	Coffee and Cars Cafe Pharmacino Warracknabeal	10.30am	Those who wish to convoy will meet at Horsham Sports and Community Club rear car park at 9.15 am for 9.30 am leave
Sunday 10th	Shepparton Swap Meet		
Thursday 14th	General Meeting at Dooen	8pm	Just turn up Please bring a small plate of supper
Sunday 17th	Birchip Show and Shine Travel up to Birchip to support this Buloke Collectable Vehicle Club event Members wishing to enter the show and shine can register upon arrival	Those who wish to convoy will meet at Horsham Sports and Community Club rear car park at 8am for 8.10am leave	Others can go direct or meet at the Werrigar Roadhouse to join the convoy On the return trip we will call into Jennie and Doug Mitchell's Duck Farm to see the grown ducks before they leave on the following Wednesday
Thursday 28th	Coffee Cars and Motorbikes Murtoa Neighbourhood House	10am	Those who wish to convoy can meet at Dooen Pub car park at 9.15am for a cruise to Murtoa through Longerenong
OCTOBER			
Friday 6th - Sunday 8th	Murtoa Big Weekend Celebrations There are many options for the day and details can be found on the Big Weekend Face Book page	Club will be attending on the Saturday There is a Show and Shine which is run by the Murtoa Lions Club from 9am to midday and entry is free	For those who wish to convoy can meet at Dooen Pub car park at 9 am for a cruise to Murtoa through Longerenong, otherwise meet in Murtoa's main street at 9.30 am
Thursday 12th	Warracknabeal Show	Cars will be needed for a display	Details in the October newsletter
Thursday 12th	General Meeting & BBQ Tea Warracknabeal Band Hall	We will need numbers for catering purposes so please let Don Perry know if you are coming for the BBQ	by Monday 9th of October Use email dondalperry@gmail.com or text 0427 861 247
Sunday 15th	Holdens of Age Show and Shine at Halls Gap		See Face Book for details
Saturday 21st	Film night at Dooen Clubrooms		Details in October Newsletter
NOVEMBER			
Thursday 2nd	Coffee, Cars & Bikes Oma's Café Dimboola	Note change of date	
Thursday 9th	General Meeting at Dooen	8pm	Just turn up Please bring a small plate of supper
Saturday 11th - Sunday 12th	Bendigo National Swap Meet		Details page 8

WMHVS September 2023 Presidents Report

Hi all

As I sit to pen this month's report the birds outside are reminding me that spring is in the air. I am sure we are all looking forward to some warmer weather that provides opportunities to get out and about with our favorite vehicles. The last couple of warmer days have encouraged me to take the covers of a couple of red plates and enjoy some time on the road.

During August the events committee provided some opportunity for us all to catch up with a range of different activities, hopefully you have been able to participate in them.

The Clubs Annual Dinner held on August 20 at Glen Logan Restaurant was one of these and well attended. This pleasant Sunday afternoon activity was a great chance to catch up with some old friends within the club as well as getting to know new members. Thanks to everyone that attended, and it was great to see a range of different vehicles on display. I am not sure how everyone else fared but I was in need of an afternoon rest after the three course feast provided to us.

The Annual Dinner also provided us with the opportunity to recognise the long time continued membership of many members with multiple 40 and 50 year certificates handed out. Congratulations to all the recipients who received them, it's amazing to look back at the important impact these members have had on our club and a good reminder of why we are all involved.

As we head into spring, I hope members took the opportunity to participate in the WACK Father's Day Horsham Car and Bike Show, either with your vehicle or taking a stroll to enjoy other people's passions. The funds raised go towards a great cause and provide us all with a chance to display our vehicles.

Another important community fundraiser scheduled for November is the Blue-Ribbon Ball and our club has again been asked to be involved in providing vehicles to chauffeur guests from home to the event. The club has been involved in providing this service for a couple of years where the guests pay a fee for the service which boosts the funds raised. If you are interested in participating with your vehicle in the event, please reach out to Neil Smith as he coordinates the activity.

I look forward to catching up with everyone over the next couple of months as we all get out and enjoy the change of seasons. Please review the activity calendar and pick the events that suit your diaries. The more you get involved the more you'll gain from the club.

Until then, enjoy spring and I look forward to catching up soon.

Cheers, Colin



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**Wimmera Mallee Historical Vehicle Society- General Meeting No. 528 – MINUTES
Held at WMHVS Clubrooms DOOEN - 10th August 2023**

Meeting Opened : 8.04pm

Visitors : Keegan Duff, W. (Bill) Hogan

In Attendance : D. Robertson, C. Kemp, N. Thomas, D. Jeffries, B. Brody, O. Webb, A. Saunders, R. Hateley, K. Lyons, M. Griffin, P. Curkpatrick, K. Duff, G. Exell, C. Duldig, K. Hutchinson, B. Hogan, D. Mitchell, J. Mitchell, D. Papst, T. Pollock, S. Garwood, S. Friend, P. Kelly, L. Hogan, G. Mills, R. Butsch, R. Fidge, A. Fidge, D. Perry, J. Gaspirini, M. Schilling, P. Anthony, J. Jacobs, P. Sudholz, F. Miller, P. Demillo, G. Bourke, C. Ladlow, J. Brack, A. Schultz, N. Wyllie, J. Perrone
(40 Members – 2 Visitors)

Apologies : L. & J. Doolan, J. Buckley, R. Binns, A. Cannane, R. & M. Warrick, G. Smith, K. McMartin, E. Milbourne, D. Hovey, L. Williamson, M. & S. Zbierski, R. Schneider, J. Goodwin, J. Thierry, M. Gunn, W. Gunn-Duff, H. Curkpatrick, N. Smith, C. Thomas, N. Eltze

Minutes : Don Perry moved that the minutes of the previous General Meeting (No.527), as distributed in the Newsletter, be received as correct. Seconded Paul Kelly. – carried

Secretaries Report : Secretary Nev Thomas presented a very brief report. A single exchange Newsletter and invoices from Aus Post being only inward Correspondence. Nil Outward Correspondence. Andrew Saunders moved, Frank Miller seconded that his report be received.

Treasurers Report : Dean Robertson presented his treasurers report. Our financial position remains healthy. Bruce Brody moved that his report be received. Mark Griffin 2nd - carried

Membership : Darrell Jeffries moved that **Keegan Duff** and **W. (Bill) Hogan** be accepted as members of the WMHVS. Seconded by Neville Thomas - carried
An application by Bill Griffith to join the WMHVS was rejected by the Executive Committee, simply on the grounds that he had not attended any meeting. He has been invited to re apply.

Reports : Federation- Nil report. AOMC. Nev Thomas reported that the next AOMC Meeting would be held in Ballarat on Saturday August 26th. He has nominated his attendance and invited any other Club member to attend with him if they deemed.

Events – Don Perry gave an events update. He particularly promoted our Annual Dinner (lunch) to be held at Glen Logan Restaurant in Horsham, Sunday 20th August. Members urged to notify Don by Tuesday 15th if they wished to attend. Otherwise we have a full programme coming into Spring. Members asked to keep a close eye on the monthly Newsletter.

Great Western Pub lunch – Members reported that the run to Great Western was a good day out. Some minor negative feedback was received about the way lunch orders were handled. It appeared that the Pub staff may not have been used to having a rather large group.

There were nil reports from Terry Pollock (Swap Meet) – early days yet. Dean Robertson (Annual Tour) – coming together. Neil Smith (Clubrooms) – absent

BBQ Trailer – Our newly purchased BBQ trailer was outside the Clubrooms during the meeting. Members present were able to ‘check it out’. It was acknowledged that unless the trailer was built new ‘to spec’, it would be difficult to ‘tick all the boxes’. Some relatively minor modifications have been suggested and taken on board. The main one being making the BBQ plate itself able to rotate, which will give much improved access to the inside of the trailer.

General Business : Blue Ribbon Foundation. In the past, our Club has been asked to be involved in this charity raising event. Our club members indicate if they have a suitable vehicle and are willing to participate. Guests attending the Ball, bid for the vehicle they would like to be collected in (proceeds to charity). Our member then collects the guest at the address they are staying, take them for a short tour and deliver them to the ball venue. It’s a worthwhile event. Some discussion took place and the general feeling was that we would like to be involved again this year.

Meeting Closed : 8.26pm

WMHVS Annual Dinner & Marong Picnic Day

What a wonderful catch up at the Annual Dinner at Glen Logan.

Leaving around 9am gave us plenty of time to do a few catch up things in Horsham before settling in for lunch.

A fabulous meal accompanied by a great catch up with many members who we had not seen for some time. The hours worked by both of us are currently making days & weekends away difficult but we attempt where possible. Such well deserved presentations to all involved. A busy day ending around 6pm.

The following weekend we went to Marong Picnic Day where we caught up with James & Glenda Feery amongst others. The weather made for a pleasant day with lots of different vehicles on display. This year we had our 7 year old granddaughter Dakota riding along in our 1937 Oldsmobile. She had a fun day looking at all the cars & enjoying her cheese & Vegemite sandwich at lunch time. Dakota had been telling her Mum all week how much fun she was going to have, this of course not being the first time she'd attended a car event. I think the grandparents were more exhausted than she was!

Anyway it's the beginning of a new generation of car enthusiasts & for that we must be grateful.

Remember, should you be passing through Bendigo look us up, you are always welcome as many members have already experienced.

Sue & Andy Pope



WMHVS Annual Dinner Photos



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Photos courtesy of Bruce and Kerrie Brody



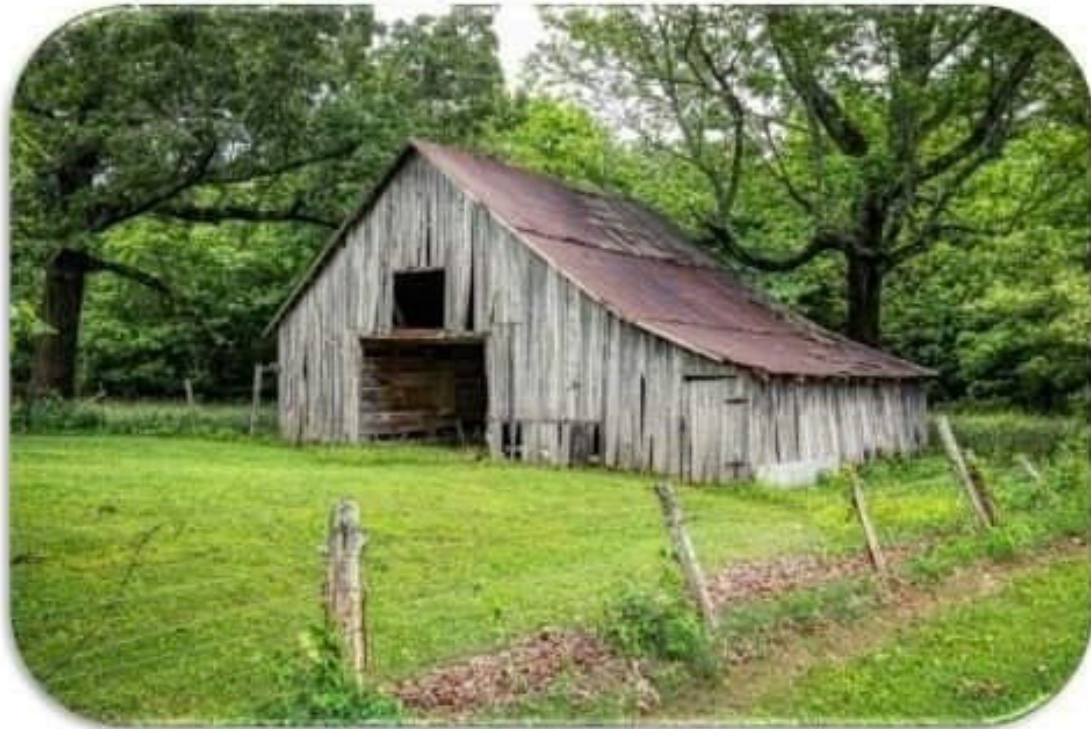


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Steve Garwood 0428 245 507

Wanted

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a 1994 Falcon S XG ute

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electric mirror is suitable so
one of those would do

Paul Demllo
pjdemllo@gmail.com or

Wanted

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Neil Smith 0417 358 092



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