

Casterton Motor Enthusiasts' Club CASTERNOTES JANUARY 2023



HAPPY BIRTHDAY JOAN SANDERS

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Welcome to our January Newsletter and to a New Year.

Hope everyone is over all the festive celebrations and ready to start on some new projects for the year.

On behalf of the Club I would like to express our condolences to members John & Steven Zippel on the sad passing of Effie. Also to the family of long term past member Noel Baugh. Our thoughts are with you all at this sad time.

Our Christmas lunch at the Dartmoor Hotel was well attended and a very enjoyable outing.

Our Australia Day BBQ prior to the January meeting was an enjoyable night once again making use of our premises at Island Park.

Thanks to Arnold the new Honour board has been completed, they have all been updated and ready to rehang so we will need three tall volunteers next meeting night to assist with that.

Three of our members have recently had a nasty encounter on farm bikes. Hope you are all recovering well now Paul, Mark and Jeoff. Think you had better stick to four wheels now guys.

I have included in this newsletter our proposed Mini Tour for the long weekend in March.

We will need help to serve the meal on Saturday night and asking for slices, biscuits or cakes for afternoon tea on Saturday.

Our guests love coming back to Casterton on that weekend and have been very staunch supporters of our Club. So please everyone make it another memorable social weekend for our Club. We will need numbers at our February meeting to arrange catering.

To any member who is unwell or recovering from any illness or surgery we wish you a fast recovery and want to see you back with us really soon.

Irene

Our Mini Tour 10.11.12 March 2023

		Number attending
Friday evening	Meal at Glenelg Hotel
Saturday	Around the Town	
	Evening meal at Club shed at Island Park
Sunday	Meet at Club shed at 10.30 for run to "Pub in the Scrub" Dergholm for Pizza lunch

It would be appreciated if you could let us know numbers to arrange catering on 0490 029 041 or email honeymoonas1@bigpond.com.

A Politician was visiting a remote little country town in Australia and asked the townspeople what they need. "We have two big needs" said the people. "First we have a hospital, but no doctor" The Politician whipped out his i-phone and spoke for a few minutes then said " I have sorted that out, you will have a doctor here tomorrow. What is your second need" The Townspeople replied "We have no mobile service here".....

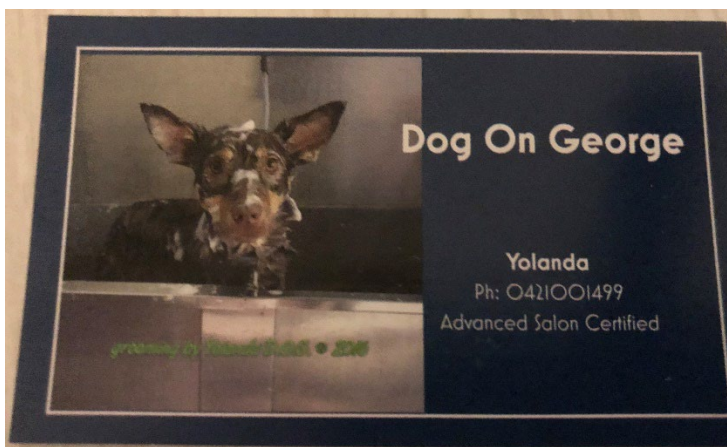
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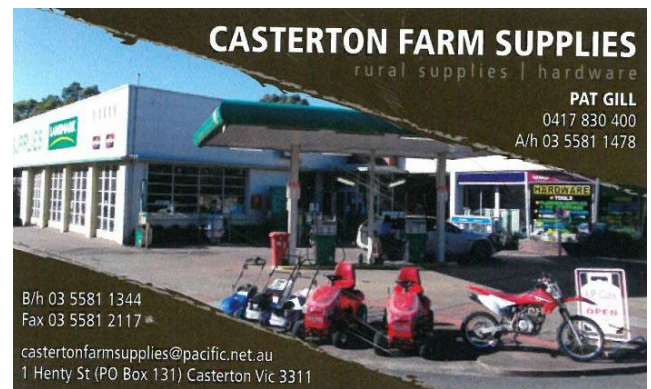


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MEMBERSHIPS – Due date is the end of May to keep your car registered please ensure you are fully paid up
Please Note New Bank Account Details

- A guy walks into a pharmacy and asks for Viagra. The cashier says "I need medical proof that you need it". The guy says "will a picture of my wife do?"
- Where do Volkswagens go when they get old? The old Volks home.
- I couldn't work out how to fasten my seatbelt.....Then it clicked
- What did the tornado say to the sports car? Want to go for a spin.
- Where do dogs park their cars? In the barking lot

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CMEC General Meeting –24th January 2023

At Club Shed. B.B.Q. Tea held at 7.p.m.

- Meeting Opened:** 8.10 p.m
President Irene offered club condolences to John Zippel & family on the passing of Effie.
- Members Present:** Jeoff & Jill Hortle. A.& I. Hornibrook. B. & P. Johnston. E.Humphries. P. Jones. B.Pettingill. S. & J. Colquhoun. G.Lowe. N. Guthrie. G. Mutch. J. Johnston. Visitor Milton Meier.
- Apologies:** J.Bilston. I.Humphries. P. O’Connell. P. Burgess. W.Eldridge. S. & D. Sylvester. S.Gregory.
- Minutes:** As published in current newsletter – were accepted on motion of Elaine Humphries Seconded by Bruce Johnston.- Carried
- Business Arising:** Nil.
- Correspondence In:**
- Various Club Newsletters
 - Bank Statements
 - Glenelg Shire –rent agreement for Island Park shed site.
- Correspondence Out:**
- Condolence card to Zippel Family.
- Treasurers Report:** Credit balance reported and accounts passed for payment on motion of Elaine Humphries– Seconded byArnold Hornibrook– Carried

- Club Captain:** General discussion re club runs- 1 month a run next month meet at shed.
Feb 4th 5th. Heywood (Glenelg Machinery Club)
March 11th 12th. Casterton Rally weekend as in last year.
Friday night- Pub meal. Saturday night – Club supplied meal \$15.
Short tour for visitors on Saturday
- Committee** Pride of Ownership cancelled because venue too wet for cars & tractors.
Tractor Trek was held based from Island Park with about 16 Tractors participating. Resulting profit \$0.57 cents
- Soup Spoon:** Awarded to Arnold – run away ute resulted in shed damage.
- Tour 2023** March 11.12.13. Saturday night \$15 a head= members offered to make some pavs, & biscuits. Meal to be same as last year.
- General Business:** New honour board built by Arnold displayed. Will now be taken to McFaddens for signwriting..
Club thanked Arnold.
Glenelg Shire rent agreement- Secretary to sign and return with payment to Shire.
- Hot Air: For Sale:** Port Fairy Cruise – great weekend & show-n -shine also .
- Door Raffle:** Jill & Elaine
- Meeting Closed:** 8.45 p.m.
- Next Meeting:** **Tuesday 28h February 2023 at club shed @ 8.00 p.m.**
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Never iron a four leaf clover, you don't want to press your luck.

The first testicular guard , the “cup” was used in Hockey in 1874 and the first helmet was used in 1974.

That means it only took 100 years for men to realize that their brain is also important.

The Fox Classic car collection contains over 50 of the world's most race and prestigious vehicles. Collected over a 30 year period by trucking businessman Lindsay Fox. It contains vehicles previously owned by Ringo Starr, Bing Crosby and Bob Jane to name a few.

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<u>Month</u>	<u>Club events</u>	<u>Community and other clubs' events</u>
February 18th	Classics by the Sea Portland	
28th	C.M.E.C. Meeting Club Shed 8.00 p.m.	
March 11.12.13	C.M.E.C. Mini Tour	
26th	Federation Picnic Mortlake	

Club Meetings

4th Tuesday of each month at Senior Citizens Clubrooms, Clarke Street, Casterton

- Meeting times April to September 7:30pm
 - Meeting times October to March 8:00pm
 - Articles and photos for inclusion into the club newsletter are due by the 5th day of each month
 - Committee meetings are held as required, min 4 per year
 - The AGM is held each year at the Senior Citizens Clubrooms on the 4th Tuesday in June at 7:30pm
 - Over the Labour Day Weekend each year the three-day Labour Day Rally is held by the club
 - The Annual Pride of Ownership Day is held by the club on the last weekend in November at the Fire Brigade Track,
 - The Club, through its Club Captain, organises social runs on the 1st Sunday of each month Noss Retreat Road, Casterton
- Contact
- Gerard Baker 0427327779
 - Trucks, tractors, cars, stationary engines are eligible to enter
 - Camp sites and full catering available on-site
 - Features include Tractor Trek and Father Christmas

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Australia Day Celebrations



Some interesting facts.

Almost 95% of a car's lifetime is spent parked

Surprisingly 80% of an average car is recyclable. In the US alone 18 million vehicles are recycled every year. Interestingly auto motive recycling is the 16th largest industry in the US.

An average car has 30,000 parts about 9,770,000 cars were made in Japan in 2014 of this total Toyota made about 3,270,000 cars.

Almost 65% of the world's population drives on the right side of the road.

It is a criminal offence to drive a dirty car in Russia.

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ADULT. A person who has stopped growing at both ends and is now growing in the middle.

BEAUTY PARLOUR . A place where women curl up and dye.

CANNIBAL. Someone who is fed up with people.

CHICKENS. The only animals you eat before they're born and after they're dead.

COMMITTEE. A body that keeps minutes and wastes hours.

DUST. Mud with the juice squeezed out.

EGOTIST. Someone who is usually mee-deep in conversation.

HANDKERCHIEF. Cold storage

INFLATION. Cutting money in half without damaging the paper.

MOSQUITO. An insect that makes you like flies better.

RAISIN. Grape with sunburn.

SECRET. Something you tell to one person at a time.

SKELETON. A bunch of bones with the person scraped off.

TOOTHACHE. The pain that drives you to extraction.

TOMORROW. One of the greatest labour saving devices of today.

YAWN. An honest opinion openly expressed.

WRINKLES. Something other people have, similar to my character lines.



Happy Birthday Arnie



Phyllis getting tips for her upcoming Operation

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