



Drivers Journal

G.V.M.V.D.C.INC. – P.O. BOX 704, SHEPPARTON, 3632.
REGISTRATION NUMBER A 0001874 H

DATE OF ISSUE - NOV 2024



1928 WHIPPET
Model 96 tourer
John and Jenny Grieve



1948 MORRIS
Oxford MO sedan
Dom and Jenny Monteleone



1960 PORSCHE
356B 1600 Super cabriolet
Brian and Faye Briggs



1977 SUZUKI
TS185 motorcycle
Peter and Susan Borthwick

Club Members of the Year **Julie Mahoney and Bev Brownley**



Cnr G.V. Highway & Saxton St Numurkah 3636
Ph 03-5862 3000 sales@peterhillpower.com.au
www.peterpowerhonda.com.au



SHEPPARTON • BENALLA • ALBURY

• Quality • Service • Value for Money

198-200 Numurkah Rd Shepparton
03-5821 3299

RAY'S AUTOMOTIVE

★ **VINTAGE CLASSIC MODERN** ★



64 MITCHELL ST
SHEPPARTON
VICTORIA 3630
TEL 03 5821 5479

Servicing most makes and models
Licensed Vehicle Tester No 11818

CLUB AND COMPETITION CARS WELCOME



Ph 5821 7776

- Standard Exhausts
- Sports Exhausts
- Tow bars
- Tube Bending

59 Mitchell St
SHEPPARTON 3630



**CAR + MOTORBIKE
TRUCK + COMMERCIAL
FARREN BICYCLE COLLECTION
FURPHY MUSEUM**

PLUS THE AMAZING
**LOEL THOMSON
COSTUME COLLECTION**

www.moveshepparton.com.au

MUSEUM of
VEHICLE EVOLUTION

**OPEN 7 DAYS
10AM TO 4PM**

Emerald Bank
7723 Goulburn Valley
Highway
Kialla (Shepparton) 3631

PH: (03) 5823 5833

Goulburn Valley Motor Vehicle Drivers Club Inc

Statement of Purposes

To foster recovery, restoration and preservation of all types of self propelled vehicles that fall within the broad meaning of the terms -

Veteran (pre 31-12-1918)
Vintage (1-1-1919 to 31-12-1930)

Classic (1-1-1931 to vehicles older than 25 years)

To conduct the sport of motor vehicle rally driving so as to promote and encourage that sport.

To conduct such events and activities as the Committee considers appropriate to:

- (a) increase the members' awareness of our motoring heritage, and similar clubs and interested members of the public.
- (b) enable the exchange of information and vehicle parts between s

Office Bearers and Committee for 2024

<u>PRESIDENT</u>	Rob Fletcher	(Barb Lloyd)	0434 604896	33 Birkdale Sq, Tatura
<u>VICE PRESIDENT</u>	Greg Sutherland	(Kerry)	0411 614 224	545 Midland Hwy, Shepp East
<u>SECRETARY</u>	Barry Croke	(Margaret)	0488 058 231	80 Laws Dr, Kialla
<u>TREASURER</u>	Peter Vibert		5823 5865 0408 333 172	7 Cardinia Crt, Kialla
<u>COMMITTEE</u>	Lorraine Tainton		0409 956 074	10 Dean Dr, Kialla
	Neil Rutherford	(Bev)	0457 913082 0439 098 943	51 Bond St, Kyabram
	Hugh MacFadyen	(Robyn)	0409 215 112	15 Varcoe St, Shepparton
	<i>The Club Captain, Swap Committee Chair and Immediate Past President are also on the Committee.</i>			
<u>NEWSLETTER EDITORS</u>	Heather Drust		0407 254 525	1 / 1 Corella Cres, Kyabram
	Brendan Walsh	(Melissa)	0418 103 739	15 James Pl, Bannockburn
<u>PROPERTY OFFICER</u>	Lloyd Healey	(Kris)	5829 9022 0458 299 466	3550 Katamatite Rd, Congupna
<u>CLUB PERMIT OFFICER</u>	Peter Vibert		5823 5865 0408 333 172	7 Cardinia Crt, Kialla
<u>CLUB PERMIT ASSISTANT</u>	Barry Croke	(Margaret)	0488 058 231	80 Laws Dr, Kialla
<u>FEDERATION DELEGATES</u>	Lloyd and Kris Healey		5829 9022 0458 299 466	3550 Katamatite Rd, Congupna
<u>A.O.M.C. DELEGATE</u>	Alan Lavis	(Pat)	5821 6395 0417 084 679	4 Mehmet Ave, Grahamvale
<u>LIBRARIAN</u>	Neil Hammond		0456 411 038	17 Robinson St, Murchison
<u>CLUB CAR PHOTOS</u>	Hugh MacFadyen	(Robyn)	5821 5192 0409 215 112	15 Varcoe St, Shepparton
<u>SUB-COMMITTEES</u>				
<u>EVENTS CLUB CAPTAIN</u>	Leigh Johnston	(Lynne)	0409 645 556	18 Richards St, Kyabram
<u>COMMITTEE</u>	Trevor Dainton, Alan Lavis			
<u>CATERING CHAIR</u>	Julie Mahoney		0438 040 371	2 Benson Crt, Shepparton
<u>TREASURER</u>	Bev Brownley		0439 098943	
<u>COMMITTEE</u>	Sue Agosta, Evie Boschetti, Kris Healey, Judy Mellington, Cheryl Simpson, Lorraine Threlfall, Bill Winters			
<u>SWAP CHAIR</u>	Lloyd Healey	(Kris)	5829 9022 0458 299 466	3550 Katamatite Rd, Congupna
<u>SECRETARY</u>	Lindsay Braybon		0477 087 997	PO Box 99, Numurkah
<u>COMMITTEE</u>	Harold Battersby, Ann Bell, Glenn Braybon, Kris Healey, Kelvin Ivers, Trevor McKenzie, Jason Watts			
<u>FACILITIES CHAIR</u>	Greg Sutherland	(Kerry)	0411 614 224	545 Midland Hwy, Shepp East
<u>COMMITTEE</u>	Ken Cuthbert, Barry Galvin, Lloyd Healey, Bill King, Alan Lavis			
<u>SOCIAL GROUP</u>	Col Grace (Chair) Sandra Pozzobon (Treasurer)			
<u>COMMITTEE</u>	Trevor Dainton, John Pozzobon, Les Williams			

FRONT COVER - TROPHY WINNERS AT THE DECEMBER 2023 CONCOURS

<u>BARRY COLLISON MEMORIAL TROPHY (PEOPLE'S CHOICE)</u>	1928 WHIPPET Model 96 tourer	John and Jenny Grieve
<u>JOHN STEWART MEMORIAL TROPHY FOR BEST PRESENTED VEHICLE</u>	1948 MORRIS Oxford MO sedan	Dom and Jenny Monteleone
<u>DUSTY SHAW MEMORIAL TROPHY FOR BEST INDIVIDUAL EFFORT</u>	1960 PORSCHE 356B 1600 Super cabriolet	Brian and Faye Briggs
<u>JOHN HILL TROPHY FOR BEST MOTORCYCLE</u>	1977 SUZUKI TS185 motorcycle	Peter and Susan Borthwick
<u>ROLLS-ROYCE PERPETUAL TROPHY FOR CLUB MEMBERS OF THE YEAR</u>		Julie Mahoney and Bev Brownley

ADDRESS ALL**CORRESPONDENCE TO:**

G.V.M.V.D.C.Inc.

P. O. BOX 704

SHEPPARTON. 3632.

WEB-SITE:<http://www.gvmvdc.com.au>**E-MAIL:**gvmvdc@gmail.com**MONTHLY MEETINGS**

Held in the GVMVDC.Inc. Clubrooms, 40 Grahamvale Rd, Grahamvale (northeastern outskirts of Shepparton) on the second Thursday of each month, starting at 8.00pm. New members and visitors are welcome to attend.

COMMITTEE

Meets in the Clubrooms on the fourth Thursday of each month except December.

MEMBERSHIP

Membership Fees for 2024 are **\$70** and for 2025 **\$80** (\$30 if not getting paper Journal). Joining fee is **\$20**. Financial year is from the Annual General Meeting in November. Subs can be paid directly into the Club's bank account **GVMVDC Inc.** at the Bendigo Bank. BSB **633 000** Acct No **1366 25076**. Include your name and membership number as details.

MONTHLY RALLIES

GVMVDC Inc organises club runs every month, on both weekends and weekdays. Details of this month's runs are on the Coming Up pages of this Journal. Slower vehicles may leave earlier if they wish. Members without a rally car can come modern or turn up and get a lift with somebody. Members are reminded to fill out the rally attendance sheet sometime during the run.

CLUB SHOP

Lapel badges (members)	\$4.00	Wind jacket	\$50.00
(for non-members)	\$5.00	Windcheaters (depending on size)	\$20 - \$30
Car Badges (members only)	\$16.00	T-shirts (depending on size/style)	\$15 - \$25
Contact the club librarian.		Caps	\$15.00
CD/DVD of past Journals (pdf)	\$2.00	Windscreen stickers	\$3.00
Club calendars (A4 or A3)	free	Embroidered patch of club logo	\$3.00
Car details sheet (A4 laminated)	\$1.00	Contact the club librarian.	
Contact Brendan Walsh.		<i>You can contact these members at a monthly club meeting.</i>	

RED PLATE VEHICLE PERMIT RENEWALS

When your Club Permit is due for renewal, you can:

- bring the papers to a club meeting for signing,
- post them with a self-addressed envelope to GVMVDC Inc Permit Officer, c/- P.O. Box 6, Shepparton 3632 and the Permit Officer will sign them and return them, or
- post them to the Permit Officer with a cheque and an envelope addressed to VicRoads and the Permit Officer will sign them and send them on.

See the Permit Officers at a meeting for further details. You can also contact Peter Vibert on 0408 333 172 or 5823 5865 to arrange a time. Peter lives at 7 Cardinia Court, Kialla Lakes.

CLUB LIBRARY

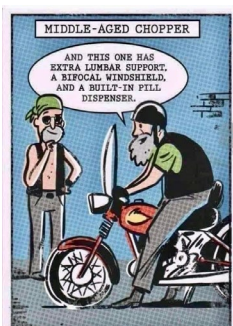
A full listing of the Club's books, manuals and DVDs is available in the library at club meetings.

CAR PHOTOS

Each member is entitled to have one car photo on the wall at no cost. Give your 220x140mm photo to Hugh MacFadyen with your details and the car's details. He will do the framing. Further photos can be done for \$10 each. See Hugh for details.

JOURNAL

Contributions for the next Journal should be to the Editor by 28th November.



President's Report

As we approach the end to another club year, all members, but particularly Red Plate holders, are reminded that membership subs are to be paid by the November AGM, November 14th. Speaking of things "AGM", our Club Secretary has indicated that he believes there to be an element of confusion regarding the ability for members to tender nominations for committee positions from the floor at the AGM. Whilst many clubs do have a provision for the Chairperson of the AGM to call for nominations from the floor for each elected position prior to the election of that position, this provision was removed from our Club's Constitution in 2022. Anybody wanting to be considered for any of the Club's elected positions must lodge their nomination with the Secretary by November 7th, 7 days prior to the AGM. Any vacant committee position following the AGM will be filled by Committee appointment, in accordance with our Club's Constitution.

I would also draw members' attention to the changes introduced by the 2024 Constitution with respect to the various subcommittee positions. In previous years nominations were required from each member of each subcommittee, resulting in a frenzy of activity as subcommittee Chairpersons rounded up nomination forms for each member of their team and submitted them to the Secretary. This is now done by verbal agreement between the Chairperson and their team members, with the Chairperson notifying the Committee of the names of the members on their subcommittee within 30 days of the AGM. Any club member wishing to participate on a subcommittee should express their interest directly to the subcommittee Chairperson.

I look forward to seeing you all at the General Meeting and the Annual General Meeting on November 14th.

Best regards / Rob Fletcher

From the Editor

A few items to take note of:

- A decision was made not to print the annual reports in the November Journal as they are to be presented at the AGM therefore, they are not in this edition.
- Member cards will not be made this year as there is no use for them.
- This is the last edition that will be posted if you have chosen to get them electronically.
- I am asking for items to be sent in by the committee meeting each month which is the 4th Thursday of the month so the journal can be produced, printed and posted earlier to try to get it to members before the meeting.
- The club email address has been changed to **gvmvdc@gmail.com**

I have a request, if anyone hears about deaths of members, can they please pass on the information to be published. I live in Kyabram and do not get the newspapers.

If you attend an event, can you please do a report to be published. Also, if you know of something coming up can you pass it on so it can be put in the Journal.

Thanks to everyone who has contributed thus far.

Yours in motoring,

Heather Drust

CONTENTS	4.	October Meeting Minutes	12.	Saturday Social Day
	6.	2023 AGM Minutes	13.	Dookie Military Rally
	7.	Coming Up	14.	Show Us Ya Wheels
	9.	Euroa Show N Shine	16.	Wheels at the Gum
	10.	Club Run	17.	Numurkah Show

General Meeting Minutes

Minutes of the General Meeting held Thursday 10th October 2024 at the clubrooms.

At 8pm **President**, Robin Fletcher, opened the meeting and drew attention to meeting protocols and safety arrangements. There were 78 members in attendance and 17 apologies recorded.

A minute's silence to respect the recent passing of Merideth Chilman and Errol Dunn who had been associated with the club.

Journal delivery was assessed by a 'show of hands' and was again indicated as only partially completed when it was posted the weekend prior to the Thursday meeting. The President indicated that after discussion with the editor, Heather Drust, it has been decided to complete and post our Journal a week earlier in the future.

The President noted that the electronic delivery of the Journal currently was subject to transition in computer methods and addresses. He asked for forbearance as a new system was developed in the next few weeks.

The meetings attention was drawn to office-bearer nomination for the November 14th AGM, especially those positions yet to receive nominees. It is preferred that nomination forms are with the Secretary by the October 24th Committee meeting.

Minutes of the general meeting of Sept 5th as published in the October Journal were accepted following a motion from *Michael Gannon, 2nd Sue Agosta*. No business arising.

Correspondence

1. Club history: The club Secretary read a letter from past-President David Grant indicating Ken O'Connor's completion of the club history associated with the 50-year celebrations and suggesting that the Committee now consider how to make it available for members. Letters had been sent to David Grant acknowledging his suggestions and to Ken O'Connor congratulating him on the result of his effort and indicating that

publishing options were being considered.

2. Quotes for publishing history: Barry Croke indicated that four printers had been contacted. One quote to date has suggested the 350-page book would cost \$35 in black and white and a colour production would be \$45 with a 100 copy print run. A show of hands indicated about 50 of the 78 present could be interested in a \$45 option. Committee to consider on Oct 24th.
3. Letters to Federation: A letter seeking a \$1000 grant to assist with computer and program purchases had been submitted and was successful. A letter of thanks had been sent to the Federation. Spontaneous applause from the meeting was indicative of the appreciation of the Federation's support for our club.
4. Other newsletters received in mail: Six were available on the side table.
5. Computer mail: The President had accessed some 94 items last month on the computer address operated by our previous editor. These mainly relate to electronic copies of other club journals and advertising material accessing the club's website. Barry Croke stated that this information source has to be organised within our evolving computer system. Hopefully other club newsletters will be available via our club's website for members to read. *Barry Croke* moved acceptance of his report, *2nd Alan Weeks* and passed.

REPORTS:

Treasurer Peter Vibert tabled a four-page report detailing transactions report (Sept 12th – Oct 10th) and a one-page account balances statement. Among items discussed he noted our public liability and management insurance fees of \$1929.27 had been paid, monthly Journal costs were \$818.63 and that profit from the September SWAP event will be about \$30,000. The ongoing activity with the ATO was noted

with the most recent involving MB & M accountant engagement and having to satisfy the ATO requirement that both the Treasurer and the Public Officer provide their MyGov personal identification to the ATO on behalf of the club. *Peter Vibert* moved and *Bev Brownley* 2nd acceptance of the Treasurer's report. Passed.

Events s/c

Club Captain, Leigh Johnston drew members attention to pages 6 & 7 of the October Journal which listed 15 forthcoming activities of interest to members, mainly during October. Leigh also described the itinerary of the recent Floriade Rally to Canberra that included Junee, Queanbeyan, Canberra arboretum, Cooma motor museum and railway station then return via Tumut and Albury. Apparently a thoroughly enjoyable rally.

Reports from the floor

Rob Asquith noted the Euroa "Show and Shine" only had about half the previous year's attendance, possibly due to rain the preceding evening and on the morning.

David Grant advocated for attendance at Numurkah's Show us Ya Wheels with an anticipated 600 vehicles.

Gwyneth Trevaskis mentioned UK and European events that she and Lorraine Tainton recently attended. These included a BMC Day involving 1920s to 40s cars of various marques, a Porsche rally in Europe and at Brugge (Belgium) a rally of top end British cars of the 40s/50s.

Swap s/c

Lloyd Healey thanked members for making this year's SWAP such a great no-fuss day. Bookings for 390 sites in 2025 have been received so it will be on again.

Catering s/c

Julie Mahoney noted her Journal report and stated her group was looking forward to the Rally of the Valley.

Social s/c

Col Grace mentioned the Oct.19 gathering as described in the Journal.

Facilities s/c

Greg Sutherland reported on toilet/cistern repairs, planned storeroom and a working bee.

AOMC

Alan Lavis' report in Journal.

GUEST SPEAKER

Apparently, Mayor Sali could not address our gathering because current Council elections prevent this. Greg Sutherland presented a slide show of club activities in 2010 recorded in the history when the forty-year anniversary was celebrated.

GENERAL BUSINESS - None presented.

Buy, Swap and Sell - nil

Michael Gannon sought advice on oil filter options for his 259 Studebaker.

The President thanked members for their attendance and closed the meeting at 8.58pm.

Catering Notes

The much-awaited Rally of the Valley has now been organised and we turn our attentions to catering for the club's Concours and Christmas Party Day on the 8th 15th of December. (I can't believe how quickly the year has gone by!) Again, we will provide a lunch consisting of BBQ meats, salads, ice-creams, Christmas cake and drinks, (water, soft drink, tea and coffee.) Please don't forget to bring your own chair, plate, cutlery and that all important mug for a cuppa. Look forward to catching up with you all then.

Kind regards,
Julie Mahoney

Committee Meeting Notes

Secretary's notes from the Committee Meeting held on 24th October 2024

- Print the 50th Anniversary Club book in colour, making it available to members at the club subsidised price of \$30.
- Change the club email address to gymvdc@gmail.com

- Adopt a club computerized network for our records, member access to electronic versions of other club newsletters, and interaction between Committee and ordinary members.
- Nominations for all positions to be decided at our AGM have been received, except for two ordinary Committee spots.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING **G.V.M.V.D.C. 9th November, 2023**

The Annual General Meeting of the Goulburn Valley Motor Vehicle Drivers Club Inc, Registration No. A0001874H, was conducted at the Grahamvale clubrooms on 9.11.2023, commencing at 8.30pm after the monthly general meeting.

President Neil Rutherford, in opening the meeting, noted that the listing of members on the attendance sheet (57) and listed apologies (19) were the same as for the 8pm monthly meeting.

Correspondence: Nil to report.

ANNUAL REPORTS

The November Journal contained reports from the Treasurer, Club Captain, Club President, Club Permit Officer and sub-committee Chairs for Catering, Social, SWAP and Facilities. *Ray Mullins* moved, 2nd *David Vibert*, that all reports be taken as read. Passed.

All office-bearer positions were declared vacant. Ken Cuthbert took the Chair and led the assembled membership in thanking Neil Rutherford for his notable efforts in leading the club. Followed with acclaim.

Ken Cuthbert then advised members that nominations for various office-bearer positions had been equal to or less than the vacancies. A notable exception was that of Vice-President. The call for Vice-President nominations from the floor was unsuccessful.

Ken proceeded to read the successful nominees for President Robin Fletcher

Secretary/Public Officer Barry Croke
Treasurer Peter Vibert

After audience acclaim Ken read the names of members who would take up responsibilities for

38 other areas of club activity. These successful nominees to positions are listed in attachment 1.

Robin Fletcher then proceeded to Chair the meeting. After thanking Ken Cuthbert, Robin then followed with an engaging ceremony to acknowledge David Vibert and David Grant who after several years' service had retired from the Committee roles that had included secretarial and presidential duties. Robin also targeted the exceptional effort from Neil Rutherford.

Items of business were –

1. "That the Committee recommendation of a \$70 membership fee be ratified".
Moved *Peter Vibert*, 2nd *Margaret Croke*.
Passed.
2. "That Peter Vibert arrange appropriate signatories for club accounts".
Moved *David Vibert*, 2nd *Ray Harrison*.
Passed.
3. "That the club accountants be MB & M, Shepparton".
Moved *Neil Rutherford*, 2nd *Lorraine Tainton*. Passed.

Meeting closed at 8.50pm.

2024 – 2025 Positions Vacant

President
Vice President
Secretary/Publicity Officer
Treasurer
Committee x 3
Newsletter Editor
Librarian
Property Officer
Club Permit Officer
Club Permit Assistant

Sub Committees

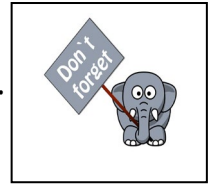
Events - Club Captain
Catering – Chairperson
Swap – Chairperson
Social – Chairperson
Facility Maintenance – Chairperson

Delegates

Up to 2 members for each
Federation of Veteran Vintage and Classic Car Clubs
Association of Motoring Clubs

Coming Up

****GVMVDC Annual General Meeting, Clubrooms – 8:00pm Thursday 14th November 2024 followed by General Meeting**



Masks and sanitiser are provided for those who need them.

****Club Coffee Run, Mooroopna - Murchison Wednesday 20th November 2024.**

November Coffee Run will start at Cafe 3629, 114 McLennan street Mooroopna. From Shepparton TR at second traffic lights in Mooroopna – Morrell Street – parking on right in the Mooroopna Hardware car park. Enter café beside the Mooroopna Pharmacy.



After coffee travel to the Murchison Railway Hotel via Toolamba Road.

Leigh Johnston 0409 645556

Alan Lavis 0407 084679

Hugh MacFadyen 0409 215112

****Saturday Social Day, - 16th November 2024**

Our Last Social Day for the year will be held on Saturday 16th November, 2024 10am - 2pm. This will be our Christmas Break-up. Come dressed in Xmas theme if you wish.



Could everyone please bring along a salad to share.

John and Richard will be providing entertainment on the day.

Could everyone please let me know numbers attending by Wednesday 13th November to help with catering.

Phone Sandra 0358231410 or John on 0467313785

Looking forward to seeing you all join us.

Sandra

Veteran Car Club Annual Rally – Bendigo November 8th – 10th

Details at <https://veterancarclub.org.au/>



Bendigo National Swap Meet – Bendigo Showgrounds November 16th and 17th 2024

6am Saturday and 7am Sunday – 3pm

\$15 Saturday \$5 Sunday

Information - <https://www.bendigowap.com.au/>



Motors and Masterpieces – Melbourne Showgrounds November 22nd – 24th

Details at www.motorsandmasterpieces.com

**Club Christmas and Concours – Grahamvale Primary School Grounds
December 15th 2024**

Our annual Christmas celebration and Club Concours will be held at the Grahamvale school on Sunday 15th of December commencing at 10.00 am. A barbecue lunch will be provided including ice creams for dessert. Bring your own chairs, plates, bowls and cutlery.

**** Ladies Lunch – Shepparton Club Tuesday 17th December 2024**

A booking has been made for our Christmas break up for lunch at the Shepparton Club with Anthony Tenace entertaining. Numbers are needed as soon as possible to confirm the booking. All ladies are invited to join us. We will meet at 11am at the Cub, entertainment starts at 11.30am. No Kris Kringle this year.



Contact: - Mary Apostol 0407 848 014

The GV Rallye – Save the date 3rd & 4th May 2025

All ages and sorts of cars are welcome for a great fun filled motoring weekend which helps raise funds for Goulburn Valley Hospice.

Contact: - Kelvin Maude kelvin.maude@gmail.com 0418992270

**Thank You Note**

Thank you to the members of the car club for their presence at Richard's funeral.

Marcia Murrell



From Floriade Rally

Rally Report***Australian National Show N Shine - Euroa 6th October 2024***

The day started with rain at around 7am to 8.30am and the previous day there had been rain in Melbourne which always indicates there will be less cars as drivers do not like taking their prize cars out in rain.

Rob estimated there were approximately 400 cars in attendance well down on previous years and the motor-bikes were ab out 150 well down on their usual numbers of around 300. The crowds were still good and a friend commented he enjoyed the show because it was easy to see all the cars and there were indeed a lot of beautiful cars and bikes on display.

GVMVDC member Fred Williams was a very successful entrant in his Austin Healey winning the Best British Section and also the President's trophy. Bill King also had a win with his Mustang winning Best Mustang. Another local winner was Neil Garrett from Violet Town who won the Marg Stribling Memorial Trophy with his 1954 MG TD.

GVMVDC members in attendance that I saw were Alan Lavis in this 1929 A Model Ford A, a beautiful restored car which was bought new by his father and he now owns. Rob Asquith with his Wolseley 6/99 1959 and his Wolseley 24/80 1964. Other there were Julie and Lynn Tyrrell (Vauxhall), Peter Byrne (Holden), Graham Dicker (Jaguar), Col Grace (his new purchase a Wolseley 24/40 will be on display next year). There may have been others.

It was a good show even though the weather threatened.

Bev Asquith

Wolseley 6/99 & 24/80 Rob Asquith***A Model Ford 1929 Alan Lavis******Austin Healey – Fred Williams trophy winner******MG TD Neil Garrett Violet Town***

Rally Report

Austin Healey – Boyd Thompson Shepparton*Wolsely 6/110 Andrew Whalen Bendigo**Club Coffee Run Lake Mokoan – Benalla Wednesday 16th October 2024*

Around 30 club members were at the club rooms for a 9:30 am start, we headed out to the Winton wetlands cafe via Dookie. When we arrived, we were met by other club members who had made their own way, total numbers present being 44. After morning tea and coffee, cakes etc we moved off to the Benalla golf club for lunch, even though there were a lot of people at the golf club the staff did a good job of getting all the meals out. It was a very enjoyable day and the weather was kind to us with the forecast rain not eventuating. It was a nice day for driving your classic car.

Leigh Johnston

Rally Report



Those who attended: coffee Lake Mokoan - Benalla

Tim and Marie Harris	1924	MOON 6-58
Trevor Dainton	1955	MG Magnette
Jenni Blake and Lyn Hawes	1957	MORRIS Minor 1000 sedan
Brian & Fay Briggs	1960	PORSCHE 356 Super
Ross & Ruth Organ	1962	SINGER Gazelle
Rob & Bev Asquith	1964	WOLSESLY 24/80
Leigh Johnston	1967	HOLDEN HR Premier
Russell and Marlene Kerwin	1975	LEYLAND mini
Ray Jackson	1977	MGB GT
Heather Drust	1978	TOYOTA Crown Super Saloon
Peter Schulz	1986	BMW E28 535i
Jack & Robyn Nind	1988	ROLLS ROYCE Silver Spirit
Kelvin & Sue Ivers	1989	COMMODORE VN
Brian & Evie Boschetti	1990	MERCEDES 3L 500
Bob & Judy Bedford	1991	TOYOTA GLX Cressida
Alan Lavis	1997	BMW Z3
Vic Baker	1999	PORSCHE 911
Tom Brown & Diane Welsh		MODERN
Lenny & Jude Burkitt		MODERN
Colin & Glad Grace		MODERN
Tom & Joy Maher		MODERN
Ron Robertson		MODERN
Lynn & Julie Tyrell		MODERN
Fred & Elaine Williams, Graham & Marilyn Dicker		MODERN

Social Day

Saturday Social Day, Clubrooms – 19th October 2024

We held our Saturday Social Day on the 19th October, 2024.

It was very well attended. At least the rain held out.

We had BBQ and salad followed by sweets.

There was lots of chatting and stories told.

Thank you to John for cooking the BBQ and to all those that brought along a salad to share and also those that brought a gift for the raffle table. All is very much appreciated.

A big thank you to all those that helped in the kitchen with dishes and pack up at the end of the day.



DOOKIE MILITARY VEHICLE RALLY – 5th October 2024

Another year has come and gone with a great day at Dookie. Every year Ray, Rodney and I head off to Dookie to the Military Vehicle Rally.

Friday 4th October the weather didn't look too promising with it raining most of the day, Sat 5th October 2024 at 7am the first thing was look outside at the weather the rain had gone and the weather was looking good so after Rodney arrived in his Willys Jeep we all headed off to Dookie the road was quiet and straddled a few pot holes we arrived safe.

After spending the morning at the Rally looking over all the Jeeps, Motor bikes, Trucks, Armoured Vehicles, Land Rovers, and picking up a few bits at the small swap meet, we had lunch then headed over to Sal Sutherlands, Dookie Emporium and Cafe (Fri-Sun, 9am to 5pm) if you haven't been to the Dookie Emporium and Cafe you need to go for a day trip and see it, he has everything even a kitchen sink somewhere in the Emporium, once you smell the aroma of the coffee, you can't say no to a cuppa it was a wonderful day the weather became quite warm.

Phame McCall



Show Us Ya Wheels

NUMURKAH 2024 SHOW US YA WHEELS – 13th October 2024

If someone had said to me on the Saturday before this event, that there would be over 1000 cars, motor bikes, trucks, tractors and busses on display on the Sunday, I probably would have laughed and said “That’s nice, where are you going to put them all.” I would never have thought that so many vehicles could be parked in Numurkah at the same time.

The answer was simple. They displayed them both sides of the 1.2km length of Melville Street (the main street), around the swimming pool block, around the creek, up side roads, or anywhere else a spot could be found to put a car. There was even a helicopter beside the skate park. There were vehicles of all ages, persuasions, sizes, and shapes. There where custom cars, street rods, genuine unrestored vehicles, restored vehicles, one-off vehicles, tractors, trucks, busses, motor cycles, and anything with wheels. The list goes on. To keep people entertained there was live music near the Post Office, and plenty of food stalls. Nearly all the shops were open and the pubs did a great business.

Despite Bathurst being on at the same time it did not seem to affect the crowds, as it is estimated that approximately 8000 people attended the event, so maneuvering through the crowd was sometimes quite difficult.

A special feature was a display of race cars. There was Peter Brock’s Holden Torana XU-1, Kevin Bartlett and John Goss’s Ford Falcon, and Peter Fowler’s Volkswagen (Peter gave a talk to the club at our S about this car).

With perfect weather, the day was a huge success, and thanks must go to Dean Graham and his 100 volunteers for the effort in staging this event and bringing so many people to Numurkah.

Regards, David Grant



Peter Fowler's Volkswagen



Kevin Bartlett and John Goss's Bathurst Falcon



Peter Brock's Bathurst Holden Torana



Brian Thompsons 2004 Elfin MS8



An immaculate Volkswagon camper



An immaculate Dodge Fargo



An early 1900's Schneider



What a way to travel, even includes a pet cage

WHEELS AT THE GUM - 20th October 2024.

On Sunday I ventured out to the Merrigum football ground for the third annual car, truck, boat and four-wheel-drive show. The weather was perfect being sunny with a cool breeze, there were a lot of classic vehicles on display as well as plenty of four-wheel-drives and a few trucks. There was a very large crowd in attendance so I'm sure the organisers would've been very happy. There was also a band playing throughout the day.

Leigh Johnston

1964 Ford Fairlane Coupe

1964 Holden EH Special in Winton red

South African HG Holden sold as Chev Commando

Holden EH Premier

NUMURKAH SHOW - 23rd October 2024

Each year we are invited to have vehicles at this Agric.& Pastoral Show. The club has a fair bit to do with Numurkah, it being the place where our club was founded in 1970.

Attending members had a really great Wednesday chatting with many interested locals and engaging with various groups of both little and young people.

Bruce Hargraves bought his Honda 2000 Roadster up from Euroa, the Austin A40 of David Grant experienced its first rain drop in four decades, the star attraction was Terry Brennan's '29 Oldsmobile Landau, Marg & Barry Croke each bought a white Series V Snipe that were able to park besides Tom Brown's Super Snipe (formerly Mick Newham's).

Barry Croke





- Engine reconditioning
- Heavy duty machining
- Cylinder block machining
- Crankshaft / camshaft grinding

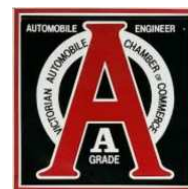
16 CAMPBELL ST., SHEPPARTON

Ph: (03) 5821 9016 or (0488) 928 265

Email: shepparton@hmgem.com.au

**Web: www.hmgem.com.au
(formerly Delta Automotive)**

BRAYBONS AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS



QUALIFIED "A" GRADE MECHANICS

**SERVICE AND REPAIRS
TO ALL MAKES AND MODELS OF CARS
TRUCKS AND TRACTORS**

**38 NELSON ST
NUMURKAH VIC. 3636.**



Lindsay 0477-087 997

Glenn 0477-081 996



03 5831 6565

51 Drummond Road Shepparton

www.willprintshepparton.com.au

**All business printing
All general printing
All promotional stationery
All promotional products
Plastic cards
Labels ... plus much more**



***drives for
industry
pty. ltd.***

44 OLD DOOKIE RD, SHEPPARTON VIC 3630

PHONE: (03) 5822 2988

FAX: (03) 5821 7139

EMAIL: sales@dfi.com.au

Specialising in . . .

• **INDUSTRIAL DRIVE DESIGNS & COMPONENT SUPPLY**

- | | | | |
|--------------|------------|------------------|-------------|
| • Pneumatics | • Plastics | • Conveyors | • Belting |
| • Bearings | • Pulleys | • Mech. Seals | • Sprockets |
| • Seals | • Belts | • Speed Reducers | • Chains |

For After Hours Service Phone . . .

Glen Wilson – 0408 802 638 Mick Dunne – 0409 956 434

"WE SERVICE YOUR INDUSTRY"

INSTRUMENT REPAIRS



**Speedo
Tacho
Fuel Oil
Temp Amps
Clocks**

**VETERAN,
VINTAGE
& CLASSIC
VEHICLE
INSTRUMENTS**

BRENDAN WALSH 0418-103739

vvcinstruments@gmail.com



VVC INSTRUMENTS



**THE
RECLINER
SPECIALIST**

119 High Shepparton 3630

Ph: (03) 5831 1500

Email: mark@reclinerspecialist.com.au

LA Z BOY
Live life comfortably

**Call in to see Mark Hunter for a
large selection of manual recliners,
electric lift & recline chairs & king
single, split queen & split king motion beds.**

