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Newsletter of Baw Baw Old Engine & Auto Club Inc.

Old News



Australia Day Display at Longwarry

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President's Report

Happy new year to everyone, hope you all had a great Christmas and an enjoyable new year.

Rob Tylee cut the hay and raked it at the club grounds recently, and then Colin Young baled it for us with a total of 34 bales being made. I then spent an enjoyable couple of hours on the Nuffield rowing the hay into a sausage at the middle of the top part of the site. This hay will eventually be donated to one of the hay drives. It is unusual to be doing hay so late, however the weather gods did give us a small opportunity to make the hay literally when the sun shone. The bales seem a little heavier this year as moving them with the Nuff8 at times had the front wheels off the ground making it hard to steer.

On another note, please all do as much as you can to help out on the Heritage show. Last year our club was outnumbered by the truck club by a fair margin. remember all the proceeds go into the club shed improvements. Let's hope for better weather this year. If you can't help with running the show, please bring along something to display, even if it is just for one day. We have streamlined and changed a few things this year and hopefully in the next report I can give you all a positive report on the show.



President Ross

Heritage Vehicle & Machinery Display

Saturday 3 and Sunday 4 February

All members are invited and encouraged to attend and contribute to the Heritage Vehicle & Vehicle Display.

You do not need to formally put your hand up to assist; coming along in a vehicle is valuable support in itself. Please arrive by 9.30am on Saturday and by 9am on Sunday, before the public gates are opened. The flyer is printed on page 4 for more information.

Thank you to everyone for your help and support. We're looking forward to a fantastic weekend.

Our club is generously supported by our sponsors:

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General Meeting Minutes

Minutes of the December general meeting will be published in the March 2024 issue of Old News.

Coming Events

If an event you are planning to attend is not on this list, please let our Secretary and Events Coordinator know.

Date	Event	Venue	Details
February			
Sat 3 – Sun 4 Feb.	Heritage Vehicle & Machinery Display	Lardner Park	Our club is hosting together with the Trafalgar Truck Restorers Club. Flyer p4.
Sat 3 Feb.	Casual Saturday at the Shed	Club Shed	No Saturday meeting this month – refer Heritage Vehicle & Machinery Display
Sat 3 Feb.	Berwick Swap Meet	Akoonah Park, Berwick	Entry \$5 per person.
Sun 4 Feb.	Morwell Swap Meet	Toners Lane Morwell	Entry \$5 per person. Gates open 7am.
Sun 11 Feb.	Lang Lang Show n' Shine and Swap Meet	Lang Lang Showgrounds	Entry from 6am for stalls and show vehicles, from 7am public entry
Tue 13 Feb.	Club General Meeting	Club Shed	8pm.
Sun 18 Feb.	AOMC/RACV British & European Motoring Show	Yarra Glen Racecourse	Featuring 150 years of Fiat and 60 years Mercedes Benz Paroda.
Tue 20 Feb.	Classic Chicks Lunch	Warragul Club Hotel, Queen St	All members welcome. Meeting from 12pm. Please contact Carol Tylee on 0417 539 171 or 5627 5662
Tue 27 Feb.	Social Day at the Shed (with UFO Morning)	Club Shed	Come along to the shed from 10am with your unfinished small projects, whether they are craft, models, toys, woodwork, reading, etc. All members welcome.
March			
Sat 2 Mar.	Casual Saturday at the Shed	Club Shed	Come from 10am onwards in a special vehicle. BYO BBQ lunch.
Sat 9 – Sun 10 Mar.	40 th Longford Tractor Pull	Longford Recreation Reserve	Entry \$10 per person. Celebrating 100 years of John Deere.
Sun 10 Mar.	Yarra Glen Swap Meet	Yarra Glen Racecourse	Sellers – from 6.30am, sites from \$25 Buyers – from 7.30am, entry \$10
Tue 12 Mar.	Club General Meeting	Club Shed	8pm.
Sat 16 – Sun 17 Mar.	Korumburra Working Horse and Tractor Rally	5875 Sth Gippsland Highway, Nyora	Annual vintage rally for tractors, engines, cars, trucks, machinery
Sun 17 Mar.	Leongatha Show 'n' Shine and Swap Meet	Leongatha Recreation Reserve	Car & driver \$10, Adult \$10 Hosted by Rotary Club of Leongatha
Tue 26 Mar.	Social Day at the Shed (with UFO Morning)	Club Shed	Come along to the shed from 10am with your unfinished small projects
April			
Sat 6 Apr.	Casual Saturday at the Shed	Club Shed	Come from 10am onwards in a special vehicle. BYO BBQ lunch.
Tue 9 Apr.	Club General Meeting	Club Shed	7.30pm. Note earlier start time
Sun 21 Apr.	Maffra Swap Meet	1a Sale Road, Maffra	Hosted by Gippsland Vehicle Collection. Sites \$20, buyers \$5. Gates open 7am
Tue 23 Apr.	Social Day at the Shed (with UFO Morning)	Club Shed	Come along to the shed from 10am with your unfinished small projects



Public Gates Open (No Dogs Allowed) Saturday 3rd - 10am to 4pm Sunday 4th - 9:30am to 2pm Exhibitors PLEASE NOTE: For public safety No movement of vehicles on-site between 9:30am to 4:30pm Saturday 3rd & Sunday 4th 9:00am to 2:30pm

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 Bookings essential - contact Helen 0437 953 304



CAMPING AVAILABLE (Exhibitors only)

Admission: Adult \$15.00, 12-18 years \$5.00, Exhibitors and under 12 years free



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Annual Vintage Rally 16 & 17 March 2024

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5875 South Gippsland HWY, Nyora Metro Quarry Group Site (opposite Lang Lang Golf Course)

atures:	Annual Tractor Pull Clydesdale Horses Blacksmith Shop Woodchop Harvest Working Disp	 Vintage Tractors Vintage Engines Tractor Trek Earthmoving Displays Vintage Trucks 	 Traction Engines Army Tanks Sheep Shearing Classic Cars Children's Activities
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Regular local events

If you know of any other events to add to the below list, please let our committee know.

Town	Event	Location	When
Drouin	All Mods Car Meet	Young Street, Drouin (next to McDonald's)	First Sunday, except in winter
Warragul	Gippsland Sporting and Classic Car Register's Breakfast Club	Woolworths Warragul car park	Second Sunday
Newborough	Coffee & Classics Newborough	Boolarra Ave, Newborough	Second Sunday
Morwell	Coffee & Classics Mid Valley	Mid Valley Shopping Centre	Third Sunday
Morwell	Cars and Coffee at Qu Bah Café	Mid Valley Shopping Centre	Each Wednesday
Garfield	Garfield Coffee & Cars	Main Street, Garfield	Fourth Sunday

Hay from the club grounds

We have cut and baled the club block for hay. We got 34 round bales, three more than last year.

Our thanks go to Colin Young who helped us out by baling the hay.

The hay will be stored and donated to a disaster appeal.

Rob Tylee.



Preparing for the Heritage Display

On a Saturday in January we had a working bee to cut firewood for the steam engines at our heritage rally.

We cut three big trailer loads of word in a short time, as we have a good roll up of members from both clubs with their muscles and chainsaws.

Thanks to all those who attended and made the job easy.

Rob Tylee



January Meeting

Tuesday 9 January





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Korumburra Swap Meet

Sunday 14 January

A successful swap meet was held at the Korumburra Showgrounds by the South Gippsland branch of the Gippsland Historical Automobile Club.

There were plenty of stall holders and buyers, and an impressive display of show cars on the main oval, making the most of a warm, sunny day for a drive.

Photos by Geoff Little and Evan Williamson





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For Sale & Wanted

Advertising of items for sale or wanted can be placed for free by members. Advertisements will run for three (3) consecutive issues unless the editor is notified that the item has been sold or is requested to continue the advert. Please forward details and photos to the editor, either by email (editor@bawbawvintage.com) or in person to any committee member. A price and registration number (or VIN/chassis number) must be provided for all vehicles.

For Sale

Parts to suit 60 series Land Cruiser

Front passenger bench seat, radiator, and a 6 bolt PTO to fit Land Cruiser transmission with front and rear drive shafts and extra universal joints and fittings.

Pick up from Bunyip.

Contact Leigh on 0408 559 462.



Holden parts

Stage 2 cam, stage 4 cam for a Holden six. Stage 4 cam for a 308.

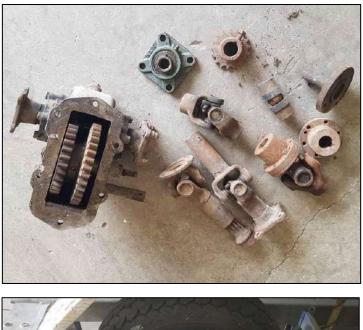
Call Geoff on 0439 973 433.

Large lot of HiFi stereo and video equipment

Equipment including amplifiers, turntables, CD players, Blu-ray players, Cassette Decks etc. Top brands like Yamaha, Marantz, Pioneer, Denon etc.

Let me know what you're after and I'll see what we have. All at bargain prices. Estate clear-out.

Call Rod on 0412070303.





Wanted

Old Car Batteries

The club collects old car batteries as a means of fundraising via scrap metal.

If you have any old batteries, we would appreciate your donation.



Batteries can be left at Rod Boreham's for collection (1 Robin Hood Way Drouin, on pallet at the road side of shed). This is the preferred location, but they can alternatively be left at the club shed.



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Old News Submissions

Submissions for the club newsletter are always welcome. Please email any photos, reports, stories or other items of interest to the editor at <u>editor@bawbawvintage.com</u>. You can also provide a hard copy to any committee member.

The deadline for submissions is the Friday following the monthly committee meeting (held on the fourth Wednesday of the month).

This Month's Cover

Australia Day Display at Longwarry Images by Evan Williamson

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Club general meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month at the club shed in Damum. Committee meetings are held on the fourth Wednesday of each month, location as notified.

Club Permit Scheme

New Vehicles

Vehicles built from 1 January 1949 will require a full certificate of roadworthiness to apply for the club permit scheme. For older vehicles, vehicle safety checks for permit issue can be carried out by our safety scrutineers by request. A small fee will be charged and the check will need to be booked in advance.

Safety Scrutineers: Rod Boreham 0412 070 303 or Wayne Henry 0409 252 258

Permit Renewal

Upon renewal, please photocopy your renewal form for club records and ensure the club has hard copy photographs of your vehicle. Required <u>date stamped</u> photos are:

- front - rear - driving position (side on, door open)

- passenger side - driver side - body and engine number stampings and plates Permit registration renewals are to be signed by club signatories at <u>club meetings only</u>. Please do not approach them at their workplace or home, except in a pre-arranged emergency situation.

Club Signatories: Ross Watson or Rod Boreham (<u>club meetings only</u>) Please remember that club permit holders must always remain financial members of the club. Yearly membership fees need to be received no later than June 30.

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