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Member of the Federation of Victorian Vintage and Classic Vehicle Clubs Inc. and the Association of Motoring Clubs Inc.



Jennie Mitchell enjoying the Birchip Show n Shine recently

Next Meeting: October General Meeting Dooen Hall Thursday 10th October at 8pm All welcome

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Life Members: Wes Atwood (dec), Fred Opprecht (dec), 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

ClubPersons of the Year: Mauro & Sue Boddi

Wimmera Mallee Historical Vehicle Society Events Calendar

DATE	CLUB EVENT	TIME	CONTACT	
OCTOBER				
Saturday 5th	Murtoa's Big Weekend Show & Shine		No formal club convoy make your own way to Murtoa.	
Thursday 10th	General Meeting at Dooen Clubrooms	8pm	Just turn up Please bring a small plate of supper	
Thursday 17th	Nhill Agricultural Show Ford vehicle theme	Those wishing to travel together in convoy from Horsham	will meet at Hungry Jacks at 8.15 am for an 8.30am leave with arrival at Nhill at 10am NOTE: Vehicle and driver get free entry to Show	
Wednesday 23rd	Mystery Run Older red plate vehicles	Meet at Hungry Jacks Horsham at 9 am	Short run less than 25 kms so please bring out the older red plate vehicles	
Friday 25th to Sunday 27th	Kingston Rally		See page 6 September Newsletter	
NOVEMBER				
Sunday 3rd	Club run to Apsley for lunch at the Border Inn 2 course meal for \$30pp	Meet at Horsham Aquatic Centre at 10.15 am for a 10.30 am leave	To assist with the catering please let Maureen Lister Warrick know by calling her on 0429 892 021 Names required by October 23rd NO NAMESNO FOOD!!	
Tuesday 5th	Melbourne Cup Day Lunch Dooen Clubrooms	11am	BYO Lunch and drinks Please bring a small plate of afternoon tea to share	
Thursday 14th	General Meeting at Dooen Clubrooms	8pm	Just turn up Please bring a small plate of supper	
Saturday 16th & Sunday 17th	Bendigo National Swap Meet Prince of Wales Showgrounds	Sat 6am Sunday 7am Sheds open 7am	Site bookings 0427 446 660 General enquiries 0434 730 822 or info@bendigoswap.com.au	
Wednesday 20th	Events Committee Meeting	7.30pm	Doug and Jennie Mitchell's house	
Friday 22nd to Sunday 24th	WMHVS Annual Tour to Shepparton See September newsletter for full details and registration particulars	Meet at Dooen Clubrooms on Friday 22nd at 10am	Don't forget to arrange your own accommodation in Shepparton and let Dean Robertson know that you are going	
DECEMBER				
Wednesday 4th	Mystery Run for older red plate vehicles	Meet at Hungry Jacks Horsham at 9 am	Short run less than 25 kms so please bring out the older red plate vehicles	
Thursday 12th	General meeting at Dooen Clubrooms	8pm	Just turn up Please bring a small plate of supper	
Sunday 15th	Club Christmas Run and Lunch at Balmoral Recreation Centre.	This event will be combined with the Hamilton VVVC	Mark your diary!!! Full details will be in the November Newsletter	
Thursday 19th	Christmas Lights Run	We will be organising our own run this year to try to avoid any perceived chaos as happened in other years	Details in December newsletter	
JANUARY				
Sunday 12th	Lunch Run to Dimboola Recreation Reserve	Mark your diary!!	Details in December Newsletter	

WMHVS October 2024 Presidents Report

Hi all

First let me start with a big thanks to Frank and Don for officiating September's meeting as Neville and I were both unavailable. Neville was still wandering home from the A Model National Rally in Queensland and I had a clash with work. It's always pleasing to see people step up when needed to run our club. I look forward to hearing how the Eltze and Thomas crews enjoyed their trip up north.

It's also very pleasing to see some spring weather come our way which hopefully is letting everyone have some quality time with their vehicles. Whilst I know the farmers and gardeners amongst us would love to see some rain I am enjoying the spring sunshine. I personally have managed to complete my four-carb jigsaw which means my CB400 is ready for a spring run. Always more fun when the sun is shining.

Peter and the events committee have recently met and updates the events calendar for the next few months so make sure you keep across what's coming up, pencil in your diary the events you can attend and enjoy your passion with other likeminded people.

Murtoa had their Big Weekend recently and I look forward to hearing from members who were able to participate in their Show and Shine, possibly even some trophies came their way.

Well only a short report from me this month but I look forward to chatting with you all at the meeting, catching up on what I've missed out on during the last two months, until then stay safe.

Cheers, Colin

The Southern Ports Vehicle and Motor Restorers Club Inc. invite you to their

"2024 Combined Club Tour"

Tour Program

Saturday 26th October 2024

9:30 - 11:30 Registration at Kingston Lions Park, Opposite Kingston Jetty

10:00 - 11:00 Kingston power generator start up, Lions Park

12:00 - 1:00 Lunch with SA Variety Muscle Car Run, Lions Park

2:00 - 4:00 Tour Event - Select to attend Brenton Drabsch Farm Museum or Kingston Lighthouse or Kev's Tractor Museum

6:00 - 10:00 Dinner at Kingston Football Club, Gall Park

Sunday 27th October 2024

9:00 - 12:00 Breakfast at Wangolina Wines

12:00 - 2:00 Different groups will be touring around the Cape Jaffa wine region, or take a drive to Robe.

Contact organiser Brian Ling by either email, <u>murraup@bigpond.com</u> or phone 0428 854 874

PLEASE FOLLOW THE LINK BELOW TO COMPLETE YOUR ENTRY

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Wimmera Mallee Historical Vehicle Society .. General Meeting No. 541 held at WMHVS Clubrooms ... Dooen 12th September 2024

MINUTES

Meeting Opened: 8.03 pm.

Visitors: Johny Paydon, Ian Walker

- In Attendance: Don Perry, Terry Pollock. Rob Binns, Bruce Brody, Neil Smith, Peter Anthony, Greg Gibson, Joan Buckley, Clem Duldig, Alan Cannane, Mark Griffin, Kym Zacher, Lawrence Hogan, Eddie Pargeter, Graeme Exell, Graeme Ussing, Don Papst, Trevor Muller, Michael Atwell, Johny Paydon, Keegan Duff, Wendy Gunn Duff, Rodney Fidge, Kym Grosser, Bryan Hicks, Greg Schwartz, Debra Cook, Bill Williams, Chris Hood, Ian Walker, Douglas Mitchell, Shane Friend, Peter Sudholz, Rosalie Atwood, Adrian Atwood, Ken Taylor, Don Lupton, Russell Davies, Aurelio Macchia, John Gasparini, Geoff Mills, Gavin Smith, John Brack, Sue Boddi, Mauro Boddi, Stacey Whitehorse, Roger Wilksch, Frank Miller.
- Apologies: J. Goodwin, J. Thierry, E. Milbourne, K. McMartin, R. Pilgrim, I. Brown, J. Brown, N. Thomas, N. Eltze, K. Wooltorton, V. Ellis, A. & S. Pope, P. & D. Wood, C. Kemp, R. & M. Warrick, A. & V. Jolley, J. Mitchell, P. and L, Garwood, H. Russell, T. Lawrance, P. Kelly, P. & H. Curkpatrick, K. Jakobi, N. Slocombe, R, Schneider.
- Minutes of previous meeting: Doug Mitchell moved that the minutes of the previous General meeting (No. 540), as distributed via the Club Newsletter be accepted. Seconded Don Perry ... carried.

Secretaries Report: Nil

- **Treasurers Report**: Dean Robertson presented his report and moved that it be received, seconded by Rob Binns ... Carried.
- There was a brief discussion about the move by Govt, that requires Incorporated Societies to lodge a tax return and potentially pay tax.
- Membership: 4 resignations, Andrew Bell, Andrew Cook, Peter Mc Donald and Basil O'Connor.

Recent applications tabled... Neil Slocombe, Johny Paydon

There was a vote on admission to the club for Kym Zacher and Franz Tursi... moved Leigh Doolan and seconded Douglas Mitchell – carried.

Reports:

Federation- Nil

AOMC - Nil

- Events Peter Anthony reported on the following,
- Annual Dinner (lunch at Barneys Bistro, Pomonal) -great turn up, food was good, most club members got home before bad weather closed in.
- Father's Day WACK, Car Show weather was not too good but quite a few turned up with around \$2800 raised by WACK committee on the day.
- Birchip Bakery Club Run fantastic day, good roll up of members, thanks to Doug and Jennie Mitchel for their organisation, visited that Historical display I the old Courthouse, took part in a spur of the moment drive by to amuse the residents in the Nursing Home, visit to Warren Kings workshop. Coffee and fellowship at Werrigar Roadhouse on way up and on way back.
- There is an entertainment evening organised to Neil Smith coming up soon,
- Birchip Show and Shine on September 22nd, Horsham Show on 29th but no contact from the organisers,
- Nhill A & P Society Agricultural Show on October 17th.

October 4th ,5th, 6th Murtoa big weekend,

Jeparit A & P. Society Engine Enthusiasts Day on October 20th,

WMHVS mystery run in Horsham on October 23rd.

Rob Binns told members about the pre 1905 Veteran vehicle Run to be held in Naracoorte the following weekend. Details in club newsletter.

Annual Tour:

Dean Robertson spoke about the tour to be held at end of November, there are minimal enquiries to date and he encouraged members to contact him to show their interest. Promotional material will be released soon.

Clubrooms:

Neil Smith mentioned that there will be an event held at the Hall in February 2025.

The Blue-Ribbon Gala Ball will be held on February 8th, 2025, and club members will be offered the chance to supply vehicles on the night to help with fundraising.

General Business:

Peter Sudholz informed members that Don Papst had been awarded an Order of Australia Medal which had been presented to Don at Government House, Melbourne.

It was also Dons 91st birthday on September 11th and a rousing acclamation ensued in recognition of both achievements.

There being no further General Business Frank Miller closed the meeting at 8.27pm.

2024 Annual Rally – MOVE-ing on up

22 to 24 November 2024 – Shepparton

The 2024 WMHVS Annual Rally will be held 22 to 24 November 2024. The main attraction will be a visit to the Museum of Vehicle Evolution (MOVE) which is located about 10 km south of Shepparton at Kialla. You can find more information about MOVE at www.moveshepparton.com.au.

The itinerary is still subject to change and good suggestions from attendees. Current planning is: Friday 22 November 2024

10.00 AM Meet at Dooen Hall.

12.00 PM Bridgewater Bakery.

1.00 PM Leave for Elmore.

2.00 PM HV McKay Discovery Centre.

4.00 PM Leave for Shepparton.

5.00 PM Check into accommodation.

6.00 PM Dinner TBD.

Saturday 23 November 2024

10.00 AM Visit Museum of Vehicle Evolution. Lunch at MOVE Café.

2.00 PM Shepparton Heritage Centre.

6.00 PM Dinner TBD.

Sunday 24 November 2024

10.00 AM Activity to be advised.

12.00 PM Lunch and wrap up.

1.00 PM Make your way home.

As per my usual plans, I am asking attendees to arrange their own accommodation and pay for your own meals and tickets. That way, you are in charge of how much you spend.

Unlike my usual plans, I have not thought of any competition or prizes to date and may not worry about it. I am open to suggestions or expressions of interest.

If you would like to attend the Rally and/or you have questions or suggestions, please contact Dean Robertson, Rally Director, via email: <u>rally@wmhvs.org.au</u> or phone: 0477 159 494 (text message preferred). I hope to see you there.

Barry Liersch Memorial Trophy WMHVS CLUBPERSON OF THE YEAR AWARD

YEAR	WINNER	YEAR	WINNER
1992	M BARNARD	2009	ELAINE MILBOURNE
1993	M BARNARD	2010	DON KUHNE
1994	A JOLLEY	2011	JODIE ALEXANDER
1995	A JOLLEY	2012	STEWART & CHERYL MUIR
1996	D KUHNE	2013	NEVILLE & LYN ELTZE
1997	G KNIGHT	2014	ANDY & SUE POPE
1998	H & M RUSSELL	2015	ALAN CANNANE
1999	B & D ALLEN	2016	ROD & MAUREEN WARRICK
2000	C DULDIG	2017	NEIL SMITH
2001	R PILGRIM	2018	NEVILLE & LYN ELTZE
2002	S & C MUIR	2019	BRUCE & KERRIE BRODY
2003	D KUHNE	2020	COVID19
2004	A CANNANE	2021	COVID19
2005	G KNIGHT	2022	KEN McMARTIN
2006	V ELLIS	2023	DARRELL JEFFRIES
2007	H RUSSELL	2024	SUE & MAURO BODDI
2008	K & C HUTCHINSON		

Regalia							
Jumpers		Hats		Shirts		Souvenirs	
LS Polar Fleece	\$50	Beanies	\$15	Dress Shirt	\$50	Grille Badge	\$20
Polar Fleece Vest	\$45	Bucket Hat	\$20	Polo Shirt	\$30	Lapel Badge	\$10
Windcheater	\$25	Wide Brim Hat	\$25			Stubby Holder	\$10
NEW Ladies LS Wool Cardigan	\$70	Сар	\$20			Teaspoon	\$10
W		WMHVS window st	ickers \$3				

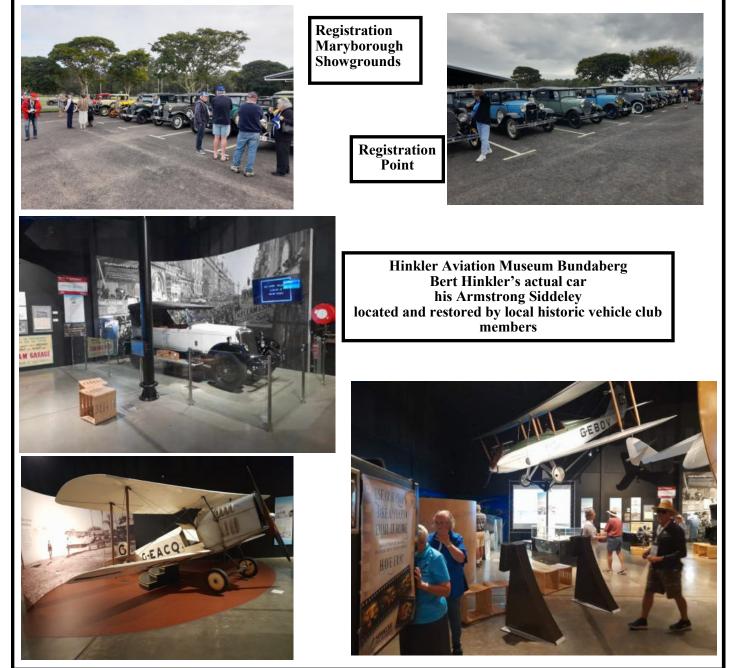
Sue Boddi & Sue Zbierski have a great selection of WMHVS regalia in stock and on display at every monthly meeting held at Dooen Hall. Both men's and women's styles are available.

Model A Ford National Rally - Maryborough QLD

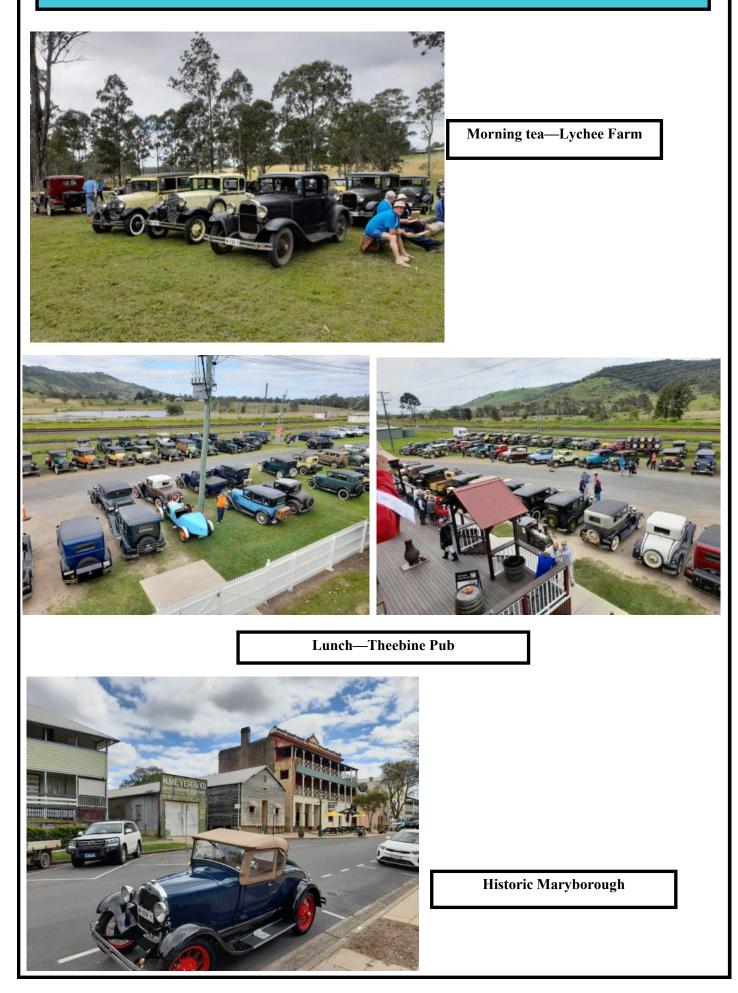
Day 6 - took the 'back way' to Biggenden. Road varied from really good to 'well below average' (understatement !!). Stopped at a little - read 1 general store, a hall and a couple of houses - place called Durong South for a break, then arrived at Ban Ban Springs for lunch. Drove the last 50km to Biggenden - called it a day as only 100 odd km to go.

Day 7 - More casual start. Decided to take the 'long cut' to Maryborough up through Childers - better road! Stopped at Childers for coffee at a historic theatre (complete with canvas chairs !) then into Maryborough Showgrounds. Arrived 11.30am - 2,300km. Greeted by a heap of other Model A Fords !!. After registration, drove into town, found our park and set up camp for the next 7 days.

Day 8 - 5.30am start. Out to Showgrounds by 6.15am. On a coach headed for Bundaberg at 6.45am. Arrived there at 9.40am, greeted by members of the Bundaberg Vintage car club who provided us with morning tea in their bright airy Clubrooms. Then to Bundaberg Rum Distillary for a guided tour. Back to Vintage car Clubrooms for lunch (magnificent effort by their members). In the afternoon we were taken to Bert Hinkler Aviation Museum - could have spent the entire day there !!. Headed back on the coach at 3.00pm and home at 4 30pm. Big day, <u>Nev Thomas</u>



Model A Ford National Rally - Maryborough QLD





- Oct 6th Interclub Challenge. Round 3. (Rob Roy).
- 11-13th Oct 23rd Early Falcon Nationals. Bendigo Showgrounds.
- 12/13/14 Oct Mt Gambier Club Spring Time Tour.
- Nov 17th 32nd Historic and Classic Rob Roy.
- 18-21 April 25th Easter Vineland Rally. Mildura Vintage Vehi-

List of other club events 2024

Oct 5-6 Alexandra Heritage Festival heritage machinery festival - Alexandra Museum

Oct 13 Colac Swap Colac Racecourse, enq Graham 0428 394 249

Oct 20 Bacchus Marsh Swap Maddingley Park

Oct 27 Talbot Swap Talbot Football Ground

Oct 27 HTPAA Antique Hand Tool Market St. Anthony's School Hall, 164 Neerim Rd, Caulfield East

Nov 10 Edenhope Swap Edenhope Show Grounds

Nov 10 Maldon Swap Maldon Racecourse,. Text Mark 0414 244 842

Nov 16-17 Bendigo Swap Bendigo Showground

Nov 17 Cobden Swap Cobden Showground Cobden Pioneer Park

Nov 24 Maldon Swap Maldon Racecourse,. Text Mark 0414 244 842

Nhill Show 2024

Nhill A&P Society will be featuring Ford vehicles in the Grand Parade at the Nhill show on Thursday 17/10/24.

There are no restrictions on age, condition or type of vehicle (car, truck and tractors) are welcome.

The A&P society is looking for expressions of interest only at this stage so if you have a Ford you might like to display at the Nhill show please call Graeme Ussing on 0458 378 373.

Participants will receive free entry to the show on the day.

Final arrangements and any commitment will not be made until early October.

Birchip Show n Shine

The Birchip Show n Shine was attended by 11 members with two on motorbikes.

After leaving Dooen Pub meeting point and via Werrigar Roadhouse we headed to Birchip dodging some late morning Kangaroos. Another Horsham car club driver did clip one on their journey, fortunately minimal damage.

Weather was good and event well organised. A great day catching up with different people.

Peter Anthony

Photos stolen from Kerrie & Bruce Brody's Facebook Page















Birchip Bakery Trip Thursday 5th September

A great day was had in Birchip with 20 members attending, meeting along the way, from starting point at Dooen Pub then Werrigar Roadhouse and in Birchip.

After lunch at the amazing Birchip Bakery we had a request from the local nursing home to do a procession through their entrance so residents could see our cars.

We then moved on to the Birchip Historical Society building to view the great local history collections.

Following that we went to the home of Warren King to view his great collection of cars, farming, motorcycle and other interesting artefacts, many thanks to Warren for an interesting talk to the group.

We then convoyed back to Werrigar Roadhouse house for refreshments before making our way home. Big thanks to Doug and Jenny Mitchell for organising this day.

Peter Anthony















Pre 1905 Run

Edwardian (pre 1900) and early veteran (1900 until Dec 31st 1904) vehicle owners from around Australia gathered at Naracoorte for this year's pre 1905 run. Cars, motor bicycles and cycle cars being represented. This year's event ran from Friday 13th until the 15th Sept. Nev, Gail, Matt and Col Thomas as well as myself caught up with the run on at their final destination on Sunday 16th at Francis bowling club.

There were about 16 vehicles still on the road by that stage, but I believe nearer to 30 started the event. These vehicles provided an interesting and colourful display of mechanical marvels. Bearing in mind the concept of what an automobile would become was still evolving when these vehicles were built, so there were many interesting designs. Back seat drivers, tiller steering, rear entry phaeton and other anomolies by our present concepts of how a car should look. To prove everything new is has been done before, front wheel drive, transaxles with independent rear suspension and even sequential transmission all before 1905 where some of the features that these vehicles incorporated.

Next year's run is scheduled for the same time of year in the Bendigo district. I potentially have several eligible projects, but would need to put in some long shed hours to be ready.

ROB BINNS





Pre 1905 Run













WMHVS Classifieds

For Sale by WMHVS

BBQ Trailer (6x4). 4' BBQ Plate. Provision for Gas Bottle. Heavy Duty Weatherproof Canopy in Excellent Condition with Zippered Openings on Both Sides. Selling Due to Upgrade. Price reduced for quick sale **\$700 ONO.** Contact: Bruce 0428 825 353





For Sale

1960-61 Chrysler Royal AP3 6 cylinder, 3 speed push button automatic on club permit 0708H8 \$19,250

Reduced to sell \$18,250 New price \$14,950 Offers considered

For full details contact owner Zac Stephan 0447 282 922



For Sale Yamaha ag bike plus frame and motor \$260 ono

Al Cannane 0410 438 550



For Sale

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