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MORNINGTON PENINSULA HISTORICAL VEHICLES CLUB Inc.
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Member of the Federation of Vintage, Veteran & Classic Vehicles Clubs and the Association of Motoring Clubs.

NOVEMBER 2024



THE FRANKSTON
ALLURE MARKET CLUB DISPLAY

UP COMING MPHVC MEMBER EVENTS

NOVEMBER

Sunday 3rd Breakfast Run - Pelican Societe, 9.30am (see details back page) THE VARMS CLUB RUN (10.30 departure) Saturday 9th (see details below) Wednesday 13th Committee Meeting. (see details back page) Sunday 24th Last Sunday Run - GM, AGM, AWARDS, XMAS LUNCH (see details below)

FRANKSTON XMAS PARADE (now cancelled) Saturday 30th

DECEMBER

Sunday 1st Breakfast Run - Pelican Societe. (last event for the year) (see details back page)

JANUARY

Sunday 5th Breakfast Run - Pelican Societe. 9.30am (see details back page) Sunday 12th General Meeting & Lunch - The Hastings Club (see details back page) Wednesday 15th Committee Meeting. (see details back page) **FESTIVAL OF MOTORING - Cruden Farm** Sunday 19th (see details below)

Sunday 26th Last Sunday Run - PICNIC (destination undecided)

(see details below)

If for any reason we need to cancel a planned event, we will endeavour to email and text those members that have email and mobile numbers listed with the club. We will also put a post on Facebook re any updates or cancellations! Please feel free to ring a Committee Member if you need to ask a question.

MPHVC EVENT DETAILS

SAVE THE DATE - Saturday 9th November. THE VICTORIAN ASSOCIATION OF RADIO MODEL SOARING (VARMS) Ian & Lesley Clapperton have kindly invited MPHVC to their sons model aircraft club. We received the following email from them... "The VARMS committee would like to invite the car club to visit. Date would be Saturday 9th of November when we have our Scale Glider Aerotow. Weather depending, there will be general flying in the morning with the aerotow starting at 12pm. If the weather is good, people will fly until 4pm or so. There is a (sausage in bread) BBQ at 11.30am. The cook just assesses numbers on the day. Or you can bring your own food. We have club rooms with bathrooms, kitchen, model displays, tables and seats. There should be enough parking. However, let us know if you think there will be more than 10 cars or so.

Address: VARMS 1405 Stud Rd, Rowville VIC 3178. The address will come up in google maps. We have our own entrance off Stud Rd South of the cricket ovals. If coming from the South Eastern Freeway, drive North up Stud Rd and make a U-Turn just North of VARMS, or at the cricket club."

Members can go directly there or meet at Baxter Tavern ready for a 10.30am departure. (35 min drive). BYO deckchair & lunch. Sausage sizzle also available by areo club.

Can all members intending to go please let Lesley Clapperton know by Monday 4th November, as she is compiling a list of participating members for the day. Also because the day could be cancelled if it is predicted too windy or wet, as not possible to fly the model aeroplanes. Lesley will need to notify those members listed. Lesley can be contacted on 0428 352 696.

SAVE THE DATE - Sunday 24th November. GM / AGM / AWARD PRESENTATIONS / XMAS LUNCH. See attached invitation for details.

SAVE THE DATE- Sunday 19th January 2025. FESTIVAL OF MOTORING - Cruden Farm. Tickets to be purchased by entrants prior to event. Members can meet at Baxter Tavern to travel together, or meet directly there. I will ask organizers to reserve a spot for MPHVC. Can you let me know if attending so I can give approximate numbers. Will notify members of times and entrance address closer to event.

SAVE THE DATE- Sunday 26th January 2025. PICNIC - Details will be in December Sidelights.

CLUB NEWSFLASH

- The Sunday 1st December Breakfast Run will be our last club run until the start of the new year. We have found in previous years that members are very busy with family commitments and Xmas preparation in the month of December... therefore attendance is usually very low for the GM and club runs. So this year we will trail cancelling the last three weeks of December runs instead of the first three January ones. Most members are busy over the Xmas leadup and happy to participate in events after the Xmas and New Year rush. Previously we commenced at the end of January, but next year our 1st club event for the year will be the 1st Sunday breakfast run on 5th January. We asked for feedback from members at the September GM, and all voted yes to this proposal.
- Please remember Noelene needs payment for Xmas lunch by 17th November. No booking can be made after this date.
- Committee are asking for members that would like to contribute to their club by offering to take up any of the Committee positions. We have a number of Committee members that would like to stand down or take on less work than they are currently contributing. Please let anyone on committee know of you are interested ... and we will rope you in!!!



NOVEMBER GENERAL MEETING, ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, PRESENTATIONS AND XMAS LUNCH



\$2

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This years AGM, Awards Presentation, November GM and Xmas Lunch with be held at The Hastings Club on

Sunday 24th November, 12 noon.

Payment accepted via cash or direct debit.

Please forward your cash payment to Noelene or any Committee member.

MPHVC bank deposit details are on invitation. Invitation form is to be returned to book a place.

Please ... NO cash in the mail! Any further information contact Noelene on 0417016251.

Closing Date for booking a place = Sunday 17th November 2023.

No changes, or cancellations available after this date, as final numbers and details have to be given to The Hastings Club. Members cost per meal will be subsidized 50% by MPHVC.

The AGM is fast approaching and we would like to invite any Members to express interest in nominating for a position within the Committee. Fresh ideas and personalities are always a way of keeping the club progressing and creating new interest. Many current committee members have held the positions for a long period of time and understandably need a break for various reasons. Please speak to a Committee member if interested.

There were 2 attachments included with last months newsletter

- 1 Invitation for MPHVC Xmas Lunch.
 - 2 Notification of AGM and Agenda.

<u>WANTED</u> <u>SECURE GARAGES</u> FOR COLLECTOR CARS

I am after some safe and secure undercover storage for some of my collector cars. Why not turn that unused garage into cash?

Please contact Mark Behr on 0439139143 if you have space ... Cheers, Mark

FOR SALE

<u>- 311 37 122</u>	
- CORTINA 6 WORKSHOP MANUAL No 59 - Mk 3 TC MODELS	\$3
- MAZDA 323 RWD SERIES MANUAL	\$3
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- TEACH YOURSELF BOOKS - 1965. MECHANICAL DRAUGHTSMANSHIP	\$2
- AUTOMOTIVE ENGINES. MOTOR MANUAL NO 1 (Arthur Judge)	\$2

- THE FORD BOOK OF COMPETITION MOTORING 1965

Please contact owner. Marion Capon 0481 304 304

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ENQUIRIES
Peter 0409 144 603 • Jan 0419 312 304

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Dad, am I adopted?

Keep telling your mom how much I spent on the car and you will be







Festival of Motoring

at Cruden Farm Sunday 19th January 2025



- , Farm, Cranbourne Frankston Rd, Langwarrin
- cClelland Drive gates open for display vehicles from 9am



This event will be planned as a group MPHVC run. Tickets are to be purchased by members prior. Always a fun day we enjoy!

For anyone curious about the lifting capacity of a wheely bin... Apparently a LandCruiser gearbox and transfer case is where it tops out







FOR SALE 1932 Austin Seven Opal Tourer Sedan.

Currently on H Plates. \$10,000.

Engine/chassis no. M162514 Has had engine re-built. Car is in excellent condition and has been lovingly restored and preserved over the years. Car is located in Hastings, Vic. Call MPHVC 0414455989 and we will put you in contact.

Do you have any car related items you would like to sell or give away?

Here is the perfect space to advertise and get rid of those items cluttering up your sheds and garages.

Our Sidelights magazine goes out to about 30 other car clubs so a wide audience to view your unwanted valuables.

MPHVC Members and Committee would like to welcome our newest Members



Dan & Kerrie MacKeeman

Apologies- Only listed Dan in previous newsletter!

RED HILL CHERRY

We were all looking forward to our visit to Tess's for the Sunday run. The cherry farm is a popular destination we enjoy every year, exploring the gardens, orchard and Tess's prized vegetable plot. The scenic drive is always pleasant with the wineries and beautiful gum trees lining the roads.

We had been hoping for a change in the weather and a nice sunny day, but Sunday morning it was not looking good. I thought .. "It wasn't supposed to rain till well after lunch', but it started to pour with rain when we left home. Ahhh Melbourne weather!



I have had the MPHVC BBQ stored at my place for the past few months, and we had decided to take it to Tess's for storage and to get use out of it on future runs to the property...I thought .. "why not drop off the club BBQ at the same time". My son, David, helped me load it onto the trailer the night before, and the old girl towed the trailer brilliantly. On arrival at the cherry farm, Tess had

cleared out the shed so I could back the car and trailer under cover, followed by the next six cars to arrive, the rest were in the rain! Pays to get there early! The cherry packing area is a huge shed with plenty of room for us all to gather, be it on hot sunny days or days like today where we were all just happy to be out of the wind and

The two oldest cars were Eddie's 36 Dodge and my 37 Pontiac. Someone got lost and ran out of petrol, but luckily, he had a can of fuel with him. He still arrived in good



late apologies. We had planned to have a Trivia quiz on the day but unfortunately Chris & Noelene were absent and not able to bring the guiz guestions. We will have this at a later

Club run. We all sat around with plenty of discussions taking place. Tess had arranged tables and chairs and plenty of home cooked cakes. This array was added to by some of our best bakers...... We certainly – thank you.



WE ALL REMEMBER OUR 1ST CAR! THE EXCITEMENT AND THRILL OF THOSE FIRST TRIPS TO PICK UP YOUR FRIENDS!

Here is my story on my First Car: A 1957 Holden FE sedan, which I still own since 1968.

Part 2.. Continued from last months Sidelights. GUESS WHO??

Dad and I fitted a "Smiths" fan boosted heater which was equal today to getting a car with ABS or Cruise control! Heaters, Mirrors, Automatic Transmissions and Radios were NOT standard, but an expensive optional extra. At 18 and engaged in my Engineering Apprenticeship, at \$16 per week wages, I sought to buy the ORIGINAL RADIO and Surrounds, from various wreckers with no acceptable results.





This forced me to approach HMV (His Masters Voice), in Richmond, amid great guffaws of laughter from all shop staff, that I should think that in 1973 I would still find an original Factory approved radio & KIT exclusive to FE/FC, some 16 years after introduction! Not one to ever give in without trying harder, I asked to see the Manager. The staff asked me to return the next day as he wouldn't be in till then. Sure thing, next day, he was there, happy to see me. He agreed with his staff re availability of my requests, as their yearly stocktake cleared all slow moving or dead stock, some time ago. I forgot what I said to him to make him re-consider, but he said there was a slim chance that a thorough cleanout job was not done, and he may find something "close enough", and to check with him after the weekend 4 days away.

Over the weekend, I was seeing all sorts of options he may present me that would be most unsuitable !!!!! So Monday after work, I roll up to the HMV Building and asked again for the Manager. Out he came, with a big grin on his face! In his hand he had a box marked "HMV PUSH BUTTON AM RECEIVER KIT FOR FE/FC". Not to put too fine a point, let's just say I was totally flabbergasted! Even he couldn't believe it! I still can't believe it decades lat-

er. Million to one chance. Apparently it was the only pile left behind of 16 yo dust&dirt that had anything of value hermetically sealed within! Yes, I bought a few Tatts tickets, but all my luck went to that HMV Radio! He took pity on me and declared he couldn't charge me for anything written-off! Next day I dropped him in a "slab" which he duly passed on to the gobsmacked staff, who were then happy as a normal dog! (Lol) Even they couldn't believe the whole saga that unfolded! My Family couldn't believe it! They were so happy for me, for the whole car; not just the radio.

What's even more unbelievable, is this very car is still in my garage in very good condition some 56 years later! Shortly after the paint job years earlier, I purchased 4 off 7" ROH Rims straight from ROH at one of their outlets in Keys Road Moorabbin, and went to the Cheltenham Tyre Service and had the latest Radials fitted called Goodyear Grand Rally. All same 8 Rims and Tyres are still on the car today. I've had it off the road for longer than I care to admit, waiting for time to renew the entire braking system and Clutch Hydraulics.

Hopefully, it won't be much longer before I have it back on the road.

Bernie.



FRANKSTON ALLURE MARKET DISPLAY

MPHVC were recently invited by a local event organization to display cars at the first of the new Allure markets. Allure has been developed to be a boutique stye travelling market that will be held at Frankston, Mordialloc & Sandringham. Instead of a regular monthly market, it will be held on only a few dates in each spot to entice visitors to the pop up event.

Allure will consist of quality market stalls, food trucks, family entertainment, music and the new addition of "fossick pods". (Fossick pods are a





marquee with four trestles that can be hired for sellers of "vintage, retro, pre loved and collectibles").

To kick off the 24/25 season, Allure was held at these stunning locations by the Bay:

- Sandringham Sandringham foreshore.
- Frankston Frankston Waterfront.
- Mordialloc Peter Scullin Reserve.

Friday 27th September was the first time the event was held at the Frankston foreshore, and 11 MPHVC members volunteered to display their vehicles. The market started at 4pm and closed at 8pm, but many markets were up and running by 2.30pm when members started to arrive.



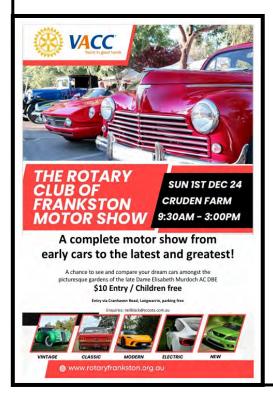




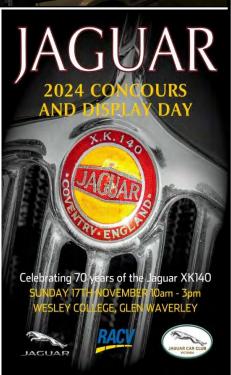
The parking area was a grass lawn adjacent to Kannanook creek! ... Perfect spot to set up the deckchairs and watch the activities, crowds of people admiring the cars and the beautiful sunset. We were blessed with a warm sunny day, although the significant drop in temperature around 4pm saw a few people sneak off to have a coffee in the warmth of nearby pizza restaurant Sofia's!



Some members had the forethought to bring flasks of hot tea and coffee, while others ventured to the coffee vans nearby. Each car attending was given a \$20 voucher by a Thai food van. It was a thank you from the event organizers for participating. Spring rolls, satays, fish cakes and curries were a welcome warm up as we shivered away the last 2 hours.







THE VILLAGE BAXTER CLUB DISPLAY



The Village Baxter is our annual event we all look forward to. The craft and bric-a-brac stores always have treasures and bargains to find. Plants, Devonshire tea's and the sausage sizzle are a popular destination too.

Most members took off in all directions to explore the retirement village, and some visited the Open Day unit displays. For those members dreaming of a life without home maintenance... it is a 7 year waiting list!

year waiting list!
We were so glad to have a sunny warm day, and members enjoyed basking on the deckchairs in the sun! Members did a parade around the village on our departure.



MORNINGTON PENINSULA HISTORICAL VEHICLES CLUB

Minutes of General Meeting 13/10/2024
The Hastings Club. Hastings

Commenced:12.03 pm.

ATTENDANCES: As per attendance book

APOLOGIES/ ABSENTEEISM: As per attendance book.

VISITORS: Graham James

NEW MEMBERS: Nil

ITEM: Chris Warwick - President

- Club participated in a Frankston parade to help promote the Frankston monopoly game. Board was raffled between the 4 participants, Eddie won the board game given to club. The other three participants will be awarded box of chocolates as a token of appreciation.
- Frankston Allure market at the foreshore had 11 cars from the club display cars.
- Baxter Village fete had 19 cars participate and put on a good show.
- When the club is asked to participate in a parade it must come through the proper channels.

MINUTES - Previous Minutes of last meeting as per Sidelights Minutes accepted by: -Brian Crocker Seconder: - Graham Bedford Carried: - Yes

MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES - Brian Crocker comment-

ed about the wording of the donation given to the Hastings club. Under the association act, not the viable act, suggest using the wording "instead of rent". The President stated that consideration was given to the wording concerning this donation and will take it on board.

TREASURY REPORT – MPHVC financials read by Graham Bedford.

Moved: - Graham Bedford Seconded: - John Schipper Carried:-nil

<u>MEMBERSHIP REPORT</u> – John Schipper. Membership 108. Have had a few enquires, one being Graham James.

Moved: - John Schipper Seconded: - nil Carried:-nil

<u>SECRETARY REPORT</u>— Two bank statements . Signed three registrations. Moved: – Nyree Parker Seconded: -Ivan Howard Carried:-nil

AOMC – Rep - Peter Anscombe – absent. Report provided last month in newsletter

FEDERATION – Rep - Alan Saunders. Saved the club about \$800 by not attending the meetings and cost of petrol and accommodation.

EDITOR – Dawn Etcell – absent. Read out by Chris Warwick. Moved: – Chris Warwick Seconded: – Ken Robinson

<u>MEMORABILIA OFFICER</u> – Colin. Merchandise displayed on the table. New T shirt stock arrived. A few Stubby holders. Badges.

ACTIVITIES REPORT – No portfolio holder.

- A request to repeat naked Racer visit, possibly make it an annual event, two members spoke highly of it as a well worth visit good food, lots to see.
- Next meeting will be on the 24 November this will be a combined session of the general club meeting, presentation meeting, AGM and Christmas luncheon.
- Breakfast run on the 2nd of every Sunday of the month. Next Wednesday is the committee meeting.
- Flying activity with model Flying Club Lesley Clapperton spoke on this activity BYO lunch and everything, the flying club will provide BBQ sausages, some of the flying club members have old cars as well and may bring along. See Sidelight for details.

GENERAL BUSINESS

- Members invited to Colin's brother workplace which has a number of vehicles on display approx. 12-15cars and a lot of memorabilia. He is offering afternoon tea and a guest speaker to talk about spraying cars. See Sidelights.
- Dandenong Valley Club Australia Day 26/1/2025 contact Chris Warwick, it is the last Sunday run.
- Awards Need suggestions for the Terry Capon Award please nominate a member of the club it cannot be a committee member. Please inform Chris Warwick.
- AGM/ Christmas Lunch get your forms in ASAP today if possible
- Nomination forms have been mailed and emailed out to members so get these in as well ASAP.
- Fundraising Eddie's chocolates
- Raffle ticket –Prizes winner is Len Butcher, second prize, went to Eddie.

Meeting Closed: 12.35hrs.



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Federation Delegate: — Alan Saunders

- Preferred method of Red Plate Permit renewal signatory authorization, is to be done at a monthly General Meeting.
 Alternatively, post to Club and include a stamped, self-addressed envelope.
- New vehicles, to be submitted for registry with MPHVC, must be approved via Safety Officer before VicRoads paperwork is signed.

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MONTHLY CLUB RUNS & MEETINGS

FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH Breakfast Run.

Meeting 9.30am at Pelikan Societe Café. Located next to the Hastings pier. 2 Marine Parade, Hastings. Full breakfast, toasted sandwiches or just coffee and muffins etc available. Indoor or outdoor seating available to choose from depending on seasons.

<u>SECOND SUNDAY OF THE MONTH</u> General Meeting & lunch.

Meeting place: The Hastings Club.

Where: 155 Marine Parade, Hastings. 59 791740

When: 2nd Sunday of every month at 12pm.

Our monthly General Meeting for members, guests and potential new members.

The meeting commences at 12noon followed by lunch at approximately 1pm, for those that wish to stay. Please order your meal before commencement of meeting, stating your name and that you are with MPHVC.

LAST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH End Of Month Sunday Run.

Meet prior to 10am Baxter Tavern, depart 10am.

Destination planned on the day amongst those members that are present, or prior as printed in Sidelights.

BYO refreshments and chair. Alternatively we may end up at a café. Weather and numbers present on day will help decide where we end up! Members encouraged to suggest destinations for future months.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

The Wednesday after the General Meeting at The Hastings Club. 155 Marine Parade, Hastings. 59 791740.

Meeting starts 6.30pm, followed by dinner for those that wish to stay. Please order meal before commencement of 6.30 meeting.

CLUB NEWSLETTER "SIDELIGHTS"

Help to make Sidelights a success by contributing material you consider will be of interest to fellow Club Members.

The deadline for material to appear in the next issue of Sidelights is the 20th of each month. Where possible, e-mail material to the Editor at mphvc.sidelights@yahoo.com.au

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