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Gary Turner, Francis Borg, Norma May, Sue Wilson, Terry Sawyer, Vincent Stok.

The following members are authorized to sign Standard Declaration and Eligibility forms for the CPS.

These members are club scrutineers and Safety Officers.

Gary Turner, Francis Borg, Terry Sawyer, and Vincent Stok.

(No new cars will be admitted to the scheme unless the VicRoads CPS person, Sue Wilson, grants prior permission.)

Club Scrutineer's and Safety Officers are for signing off on the VicRoads Vehicle Eligibility and Standards Declaration Forms and for advice only. As of March 31, 2017, all cars must require a RWC including all those of pre-1949.

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Hi members.

Hello everyone and welcome to another edition of our club magazine, The Wobble Knocker number 91 for May 2022.

Sue and I have just returned home from a week in Alice Springs in which we went on a number of tours throughout the NT. I must say the trip, although quite tiring and some big days was one of the best experiences we have ever had. We flew to Alice Springs and went out each day on organised bus tours to the rock and so on. If you haven't done this trip or gone to the NT, I would highly recommend that you, do it while you can. There you will see the 'REAL' Australia and it's a real eye opener.

I don't have any run reports in this edition as all my plans and organised runs for this time of the year have been cancelled due to the bloody Federal election. I must admit I didn't understand why it was postponed to the week later as people had all day to vote but there you have it.

This means that a number of people decided to cancel coming up to Winton for the 45th Classic Winton Races on the same weekend. The local paper up in Shepparton, the Advisor, was to also do a feature article on our club for Classic Winton on clubs that attend the races who come up from Melbourne and from Shepparton of which they had asked me to contribute a few photos of our club starting up a chapter in Shepparton and Surrounds for all British vehicles. Hopefully I can still promote the club through the paper.

So, if you still intend to come up to Winton, we have some free entry passes available for those who do. The only stipulation is that we all meet prior to entering the carpark and park all together where we will put club banners on our cars. Those cars you go with passes must be a classic car, not modern cars. Let Sue know ASAP if you can attend 0421841939.

Just a reminder. If you send your renewals for signatures by post, **PLEASE** include a STAMPED Self-addressed envelope. We have received a few lately without this which can slow down the process in getting it back to you as a trip to a post office is required which holds up sending it back to you.

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UPCOMING CLUB RUNS FOR YOUR DIARY...!!!

**Great selection of runs in all
directions – so don't miss out...!**

**Sat 28th May Mornington Peninsula Wine Tour
Brett Huxtable**

**Sat – Sun May 28-29 Winton Historical Motor
Gary & Sue Turner**

**Sat 18th June Noojee Pub Winter Classic Lunch run
Bryce Eishold**

Sun 10th July AGM at Wallan Hotel Gary & Sue Turner

**Sun 14th Aug Mt.Macedon Trentham run – Pub Lunch
Robert & Anne Quinn**

**Sat 24th Sept Battle of Waterloo with French Car
Clubs - Francis Borg/Richard Simpson**

**Sun 9th Oct Yarra Valley Spring Picnic Run
Richard & Carole Simpson**

**Tues 1st Nov Melbourne Cup Day Gathering @ Caulfield
Kel & Jo**

**Sun 11th Dec Club Christmas Show-n-Shine – Kilsyth Club
Gary & Sue Turner**

**Sun 1st Jan, 2023 Flinders Annual Fish-n-Chip Run
Kay & Rick Smith**

**SAVE
THE
DATE**



Picnic Runs – Clive Millsum

After the successful picnic run, we had to Lysterfield Park earlier this year I have been unable to organize another one as I was diagnosed with blocked arteries so I have been out of action for a few weeks plus another few, can't drive for six more! I am recovering well and am only saying this because I would like to have more in the future and have not given up on the idea. Of course, if anyone else would like to run such an event I am sure it would be welcomed.

UPCOMING *Mark Your Calendars* EVENTS



OUR NEXT RUN.

SATURDAY MAY 28th. *PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE OF DATE.*

Peninsula Wine Tour and Lunch.

The day will start meeting at the BP Peninsula Link (outbound) petrol station from 9:30.

Lunch will be at the Flinders Golf Club which has something for everyone plus amazing views.

We will finish at approximately 4:30 for your return home. More details are further in this newsletter.

Enquiries phone Brett 0405445849 or Sue 0421841939.

SATURDAY JUNE 18th.

Noojee Winter Pub Run (Via Yarra Junction)

Bryce is organising this run and details are further in this newsletter.

SUNDAY JULY 10th.

BMC-Leyland Car Club AGM

Wallan Hotel, HOGANS. 92 Main Street, Wallan. RSVP by JULY Friday 8th, Sue 0421841939

SUNDAY AUGUST 14th.

Mt. Macedon/Trentham Lunch run.

Details are further in this newsletter.

Organised by Rob and Anne Quinn.

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 11th.

The "BATTLE OF WATERLOO", a mixed club event.

This is where our all-British cars take on the French cars at a faceoff and lunch.

More details will be provided closer to the time.

Date at this moment is tentative and still needs the finer details worked out by Francis Borg and Richard Simpson.

SUNDAY OCTOBER 9th.

Yarra Valley Spring Run and Picnic.

Organised by our run co-ordinator, Richard and Carole Simpson.

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 1st.

MELBOURNE CUP DAY – Chicken and Champagne Lunch with sweepstakes and all the trimmings.

Jo and Kel Hawkesworth are the hosts, and it will be held at their Caulfield home.

SUNDAY DECEMBER 11th.

BMC-Leyland Car Club Inc Christmas Lunch and Show and Shine.

Awards and annual presentations to be handed out.



Suggested outings for the Shepparton and Surrounds Chapter

SUNDAY MAY 29th.

Winton Historic. Winton Motor Raceway.

Members who wish to get free entry tickets please contact Sue 0421841939 for details of where you can pick up your tickets. Further details are further in this newsletter.

SATURDAY JUNE 11TH

Dookie Emporium and Café.

Join us for lunch at this popular destination

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Kyabram Fauna Park

Picnic, weather permitting or lunch at the café.

Further details to follow.

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All our club runs, and outings are open to all members.

REGALIA

Car Club Banner	\$5.00
Embroidered Cloth Badge	\$10.00
Club Cap	\$15.00
Grille Badge	\$35.00



CLOTHING

T-Shirt	\$25.00
Polo Shirts	\$30.00
Rugby Jumper	\$35.00
Club Dress Shirt S/S	\$35.00
Leather Bomber Jacket	\$220.00



Contact Sue or Gary for details – 0421841939

CLUB PERMIT SCHEME SIGNATORIES.

Authorised members who can sign your renewals are:

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Norma May, 1321 Murradoc Rd, St Leonards, Vic, 3223. (Secretary)

Gary Turner, 222, 65 Channel Rd, Shepparton Vic, 3630. (President) **0426951939**

OUR NEXT RUN.

Peninsula Wine Tour and Lunch.

SATURDAY MAY 28th.

This year our good friend and wine expert, Brett Huxtable, is taking us on a wine tour of the Mornington Peninsula.

Because of the Federal election the date has been changed to a later date as above.

Some may have gone to the previous tours over the past couple of years, but it is time to rotate destinations and return to the Peninsula.

In previous years we have been taken to the Yarra Valley and last year to the Bellarine Peninsula which was really enjoyable.

We are running this run, in conjunction with **Motafrenz** who will be coming along for the ride as they have done in the past. The more, the merrier!

The day will start meeting at the BP Peninsula Link (outbound) petrol station from 9:30.

From here we will meet and chat with fellow members over a coffee or breakfast.

Now depending on numbers on the day we will initially split into two smaller groups for the wineries to cope with numbers, space and Covid restrictions.

We will be visiting three wineries which will be confirmed closer to the day.

Lunch will be at the Flinders Golf Club which has something for everyone plus amazing views.

We will finish at approximately 4:30 for your return home.

Enquiries phone Brett 0405445849 or Sue 0421841939.



BMC - Leyland Car Club - Noojee Hotel lunch run.

Saturday, June 18

Meeting at: Officer BP Service Station, outbound (Monash Freeway/ Pakenham Bypass) about 2.5 kilometres past Clyde Road, Berwick on-ramp.

Distance: 80 kilometres one way (Officer to Noojee via Jindivick).

Meeting time: 9.30am for 10am departure.

Towns:

Noojee via Officer, Longwarry North, Labertouche, Jindivick, Neerim South, Neerim, Neerim Junction and Drouin.



Details: This run will travel through some of the most picturesque towns and landscapes West Gippsland has to offer.

We'll only spend about 30 minutes on the freeway before we detour off and head through Labertouche and Jindivick.

A brief stop at Tarago Reservoir will allow members to take in the idyllic views of the hidden dam and a toilet stop before we hit the road towards Noojee for a counter meal lunch.

It's also at Tarago Reservoir where all the club vehicles will assemble in the car park for a group photo.

It will be almost four years to the date since the BMC - Leyland Car Club has visited the Noojee Hotel.

Lunch is booked for 12 noon.

Make sure you bring some warm clothing as Bryce has booked a table for 25 on the deck overlooking the Latrobe River.

After lunch, members may wish to make their own way home or travel in convoy back towards the freeway.

Please confirm your attendance for catering requirements by phoning or messaging Bryce Eishold on 0458 588 449



SUNDAY AUGUST 14th.

Mt. Macedon/Trentham Lunch run.

Organised by Rob and Anne Quinn.

Our starting point will be the car park at the Keilor Hotel (built in 1842), situated in Keilor Village at 670 Old Calder Highway Keilor 3036.

Clean and modern toilets are available in the park directly opposite the Pub, and a Shell service station is next door.

Sweet Lulu's Cafe is on the opposing corner, for great coffee.

We would like those attending, to be at the Pub car park at around between 9:30am-10:00am, for a 10:15am departure.

We will then proceed to " Mt Macedon Memorial Cross" and "The Top of The Range Tea Rooms" for a leg stretcher and morning tea.

It should be noted there are excellent facilities for those who wish to bring their own morning tea.

After morning tea, we will head down the back side of the mountain to Woodend, and on to the Pig & Whistle Pub at Trentham East for lunch, great tucker!

The route will take us through Keilor's (quality row), Taylors Lakes, Sydenham, Hillside, Toolern Vale, Gisborne, Mt Macedon, Woodend, Tylden and Trentham East, around 1- 1/2 hours driving in all.

On the day, we will be handing out clear driving direction for all drivers.

PLEASE, as usual let Sue know if you are attending so we can get an idea of numbers.



45th HISTORIC WINTON, SUNDAY 29th MAY 2022

Our club has been invited to attend this prestigious event at the invitation of the Austin Seven Car Club. The Shepparton Advisor Newspaper is also interested in doing an article on our club who come up to this event and therefore promoting the club for people who would like to join our Shepparton and Surrounds Chapter. FREE passes are available for members who come along with the only stipulation that each vehicle must be a classic vehicle over 25 years of age, park together and show the club banner on the windscreen. I have been asked to do a small write up for the paper to help promote the club and what the event means to local and Melbourne car clubs who make the effort to attend this event.

Also in this event is a chance for some to participate in a parade lap around the course like we did years ago when Sue and I had the Morris Marina which was followed closer by Frank and Norma in Franks MG Magnette. For the record, I won. In fairness, Frank wasn't allowed to overtake me but at the end of the dayI won!

Contact Sue to reserve a ticket but only do it if you are **100% sure you can come**. I'll keep in touch by email for further details. Gary & Sue 0421841939.



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At least six pictures of the vehicle, a complete description including year, make and model, repairs done, overall condition and a price.... Be realistic in pricing.

You are the one that knows your vehicle, not me, so do not just tell me what you want to sell or buy. I need all the details as required above or it is not being published.

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