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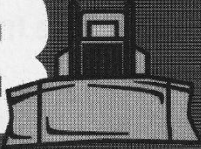
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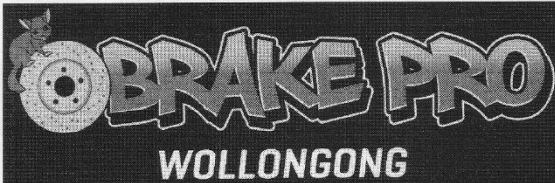
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Reference: Your surname & event/membership

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Phone numbers and contact names in the front of the magazine are for members to use if they wish any further details about the event and/or if on the day of the event the weather looks doubtful. It is up to each member to make contact and check as it is not up to the organiser to ring members.

Contacts are Marie Laughton or Ron Hillard

phone numbers on page one.

If you want to attend an outing of a club that you have listed as a secondary club on your 1259 form, please either notify the daybook co-ordinator or have it minuted at a meeting.

If you want to attend an outing organised by a club that you are not a member of then please make sure you have an invitation from that club and this invitation has been minuted by this club.

Meetings: Normally are held every third Wednesday in the Laurel Room, Heiniger House, Ribbonwood Centre, Dapto at 7.30pm.

Committee meetings are usually held the first week of each month. If you wish to discuss anything with the committee, please see Secretary Dianne Irvine to arrange this.

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LOOK at this!

Members, please check out the
Details of the NEW committee
members on Page 1.

These are the contacts for the
Illawarra Vintage Car Club Inc.

Happy Birthday to our Members
Celebrating in April!



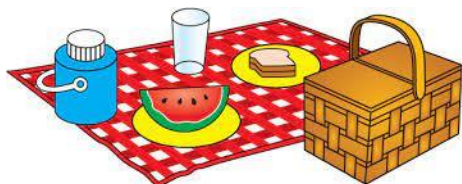
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General Meeting

Wednesday April 17th at 7:30pm

Laurel Room, Heineger House,
Ribbonwood Centre, Dapto

Members, please bring a small plate to
share for supper.



Blackbutt Forest BBQ Picnic

Saturday April 6th

Meet at Shellharbour Club in
lower car park at

9:30am for 9:45am start

BYO everything you need for the day,
BBQ facilities available.

Come and join us and have a fun day!



Greenwell Point Fish & Chip Run

Thursday April 18th

Meet at Nungarry Rest Area at
9:15am for 9:30am start

We will enjoy a picnic lunch of great
fish and chips by the water.

BYO table and chairs, and anything
else you may need for the day.

Mother's Day BQQ Breakfast

Saturday May 11th

Meet at William Beach Park,
Brownsville at 8am.

Club will supply breakfast includes
tea and coffee, juice.

Bring your table and chairs and
crockery and cutlery. Hot water.

BYO everything you need for the day.

National Motoring Heritage Day - Berry

Sunday May 19th

Berry Showground

Theme - Fashion and Transport
through the years
1900 to 1990's

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Entry fees vehicle \$10

BYO everything you need for the day.



Biggest Morning Tea!

Saturday May 25th

4 Trifecta Place, Kembla Grange
Carol & Ron Hillard will host this
momentous event to raise funds for

Local Cancer Carers Group and
Cancer Council NSW

Members, please donate Lucky Door
prizes (\$10 value) at the April
General Meeting



**Wagga Wagga Veteran and Vintage Motor Club Inc.
June Rally: Friday 7th - Monday 10th June**

Members if you are interested in going to this event,
Contact Marie Laughton 0418 720 229
Rooms need to be booked by May meeting.



Save the date!

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REGISTRATION PROCEDURE – Do this before registration expires!

Members, when your HVS Registration is due, you receive the paperwork four to six weeks in advance the following outlines the steps to take.

- ❖ You can obtain a pink slip if you wish or
- ❖ You fill out the details in section one and two on the 1259 form you received.
- ❖ Have your car inspected by the Club Registrar(s)
- ❖ On the 1259 form there is a declaration section (3) for the Registrar to sign off on the car.
- ❖ Also, the car is to be presented to the Registrar(s) to check the eligibility requirements of the HVS scheme.
- ❖ The Club will need to keep a copy of the 1259 Form and pink slip if you have one for audit purposes.

Shoalhaven Heads Botanic Gardens

On a beautiful sunny morning, members in eight club cars met at Nungarry Rest Area for our run to Shoalhaven Heads Botanic Gardens. With everyone present we head off.

The run down around the Kiama bends, the view along the coast was magnificent. Turning off into the beautiful town of Gerringong which is always busy with people out for breakfast or that morning coffee.

Travelling past the camping grounds at Gerroa, there are cars parked alongside the road, the surf school is on today and there is a large crowd willing to take a lesson.

We turn off into Shoalhaven Heads and follow on to the Shoalhaven Botanic Gardens, what a beautiful place to visit, if you have not been there, it is a must.

Everyone has soon set up their tables and chairs around the picnic shelters ready for that morning cuppa and a chat.



Time now to set up the Boccé and get play underway, as usual the competition and friendly banter just seems to happen. After eight games consisting of four players, it is time for our lunch, after which the playoffs will be held.



No BBQologists today, everyone just opted for the packed lunch of sandwiches, rolls and salads.

After four playoffs is Julie versus Ron, and John I Versus Peter to decide who goes through to the final round. Here we have a family affair with Julie versus Peter, well it looked like Julie was laying off, with Peter on five and Julie on zero. I did hear Peter tell Julie 'It was a long walk home,' as the game began Haha. Congratulations Peter.

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Our next challenge is that silly game 'Corn-in-the-Hole' after a lot of laughter and stirring over eight games it is a playoff for the winner of the day between Ron and John I, we all think that because John I owns the game, he gets a lot of practice at home. With the final score of 26, John had defeated Ron on 23. Well, done both of you.

I am exhausted after all this activity and I reckoned it was time for an afternoon cuppa before we pack up and leave for home, after another wonderful day of enjoyment with our club members. Thanks.



Gardeners on the Day:

Ron & Carol Hillard - Mercedes

Roy & Isabelle Quintal - Pontiac

John & Laura Turner - Holden Torana

Vic & Ann Weir - Holden EH

John & Heather Inglis & Margaret Keeton - Triumph

Tom & Dianne Irvine - Jaguar

Peter & Julie Trott - Holden FJ

Vince & Judy Williams - Ford Falcon

Vic Weir- 2 points, Laura Turner, John Inglis, Vic Weir 1-point photos

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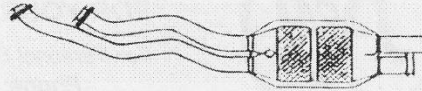
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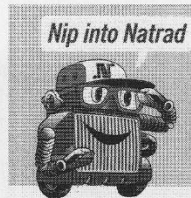
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Cordeaux Dam Picnic

This morning was a nice morning, the sun was shining, we arrived at the meeting place half an hour early. So, we just sat and waited, then Gordon arrived in his yellow car, then other members turned up and Gary joined the outing with Ann and Vic without his car.

Anyway all the females gathered around Carol in their car and all the men stood around the engine of a car, as we all seemed to be together we got ourselves in our cars and made a move up to Cordeaux Dam, along the way there was a quick sneak peek of a wallaby jump across the road jumping from one bush line across to the other, dad wound down his window and put his arm out to indicate to the other cars of it, just that it was wildlife.

We made our way down the road and heading for carpark dad and I heading for the wrong one and cars beeped there horn to say wrong way, so we went right around the edge of the other park areas back to the main entrances, so we end up in the right area and parked the Torana and began to unpack our stuff.



We started to get a cup of coffee and tea started and a few members went and explored the area, I seen an opening that you could see the dam from where we were set up.

We were told about a snake laying in the gutter, from a few tourists; but we left it alone, we went onto the bridge a little bit so Jack could see the Dam of water, and both sides and he seen the creeks and little buildings etc.



We made our way back to the Torana and returned back to the group, stayed around the picnic area waiting for my nephew to arrive as he has

never been up there before I want him to see where his/our water comes from and not just out of a tap, and from the fridge; and explain the dam is what we drink, shower, and wash our cars and give to our pets. But once he arrived, he went up to the play equipment to use up the little stored up energy he had.



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From previous page . . . **Cordeaux Dam Picnic**

The members started getting out one of the grass games (Boccé) and set it up behind the picnic area, chairs were getting taken around to sit along the edge of the rope to watch the game, we played for a while then it was lunch hour.

So we broke for lunch, then we had games with Jack and the men were trying to get the hot water machine turned on so we found a grounds worker who went and got a key to open up the roller door to turn the switch it on, John and I took a drive down to the dam with Jack and showed him the whole dam even thou John Turner granddad took him over to the little opening I seen over on the edge of the car park area. Then they returned.

After the members had the final round of Boccé done, Vic called out for the mugs turn to have a round.

We aren't mugs but we had a round. So, Gary, Jack, and I (we played as one), there was another member but can't remember who it was. Jack threw a few balls and had a good shot.

So time to pack up the game, and a few members started to pack up and head off but otherwise we just sat around and soaked up the sunshine when it came back out from behind the clouds, Jack had fun playing back and forward in the shade tent I set up for him to sit in so he did a little laying down and we slowly pack it up, Alan and Jack soon left then dad and I left too. It was a sunny Saturday out at Cordeaux Dam.



Dam Runners:

Paul Blanksby - Triumph Spitfire

Ron & Carol Hillard - Mercedes

Tom & Dianne Irvine - Jaguar

Gordon Richardson - Holden EK

Bob Harwood & Pat Thorn - Triumph Dolomite

Marie Laughton - Modern

Matt Cox & Debbie Harris - Chrysler Centura

Vic & Ann Weir & Gary Harrison - Holden EH

Roy Quintal - Pontiac

John & Laura Turner - Holden Torana

Alan & Jack Turner - Modern

Laura Turner - 2 points and 1-point photos

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CHMC Parkes Antique Car Club Rally

FRIDAY: Well, here I am all excited to be heading off to the CHMC Parkes Antique Car Club Rally; leaving home at 7:30am to pick up Jess at Albion Park, I arrived early but Jess was ready so we sat and talked for a while; leaving at 8:10am we arrived at the meeting place opposite the Albion Park Bowls Club, meeting up with Gordon and his sister Enid, after introductions it is time to head off. Sadly, our numbers are down this year due to medical appointments and illness.

Gordon led us up Macquarie Pass and through Robertson and Moss Vale, then onto the Hume Highway for our trip to Derrick Rest Area where we meet up with Pat and Bob; after morning tea we are on our way again.

We travelled very well, not too much traffic until we arrived at the turn off to Lachlan Valley Way, after a short wait to turn then all was good and we travelled onto Boorowa for a fuel stop; then onto the Irish Pub for lunch, Bob and Pat had a packed lunch and joined us, we ordered our meals, typical country style size meals.

Heading off again until about five kilometres out of Parkes where Bob had trouble with the Zephyr, after about an hour Bob had it going again. So they told me to lead into Parkes; arriving there I could not find the Court Street sign, it was hidden behind a tree and post, eventually we found the motel.

After settling into our rooms, which were very nice and clean. Bob and Pat decide to go out to dinner at the local Royal Hotel; the rest of us had something in our rooms. We decided to register our cars in the morning, leaving the motel at 7:45am. Jess was very interested in the country towns and was great company.

SATURDAY: After a good night's sleep which we all needed after a long day travelling, we set off to Parkes Racecourse to register.



We parked our cars on display, then found a lovely spot in the shade, where we chatted and enjoyed morning tea. After lunch some of us went to the Henry Parkes Centre, whilst Bob and I went shopping for a few spare parts for the car. We all opted not to do the touring drives, the shortest was 150k return.

For dinner we only had to walk 50 metres to the Royal Hotel where we chatted some more over nice cold drinks and we had a superb meal, the food was excellent. A short walk home again to rest up, great night.

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SUNDAY: Happy Easter to everyone back home, sorry you were not here, it is a lovely sunny morning in Parkes. We woke to the chimes of church bells and singing, it was lovely to hear.

After breakfast, Gordon and I went to Marie's room where we were joined by Pat and Bob and Jess, over morning tea we had a great chat and after all the family Easter phone calls we all went for a walk downtown, after that we all went sight-seeing in our cars.

We went to the War Memorial, no view up there, too many trees. Came back to town and filled the cars up, \$2.09 litre; then we went to see Elvis, but sadly it was shut when we got there, but Elvis had left the building.

Parkes is a very clean and tidy town, tonight we are off to the Presentation Dinner, very nice meal, and date pudding. The presentation went very well, even though we could just hear the speakers.

After we left the club for our walk home, we were all killing cockroaches along the way.

MONDAY: We all had our alarms set for about 7am, so we could be all packed in our cars by 8am to go to the farewell breakfast. This consisted of bacon and egg roll, tea or coffee and juice; there were some cakes and slices for morning tea along the way.

We left the racecourse about 9:15am and travelled to Cowra. Enid wanted to see her grandson, so she phoned, and they met us in the park. We had a rest break here. Bob and Pat said their goodbyes because they wanted to turn off at Breakfast Creek and go across to her place. We stayed for about 45 minutes and left at 11:10am to travel to Boorowa where we had a nice lunch at the Irish pub.

Later we saw Pat and Bob's car, but we could not see them. I found out later that there were no shops or fuel across the way to Breakfast Creek.

After lunch we set off again, and when we reached the Hume Highway where the traffic was not too bad, as we drove on the traffic started to build up. Enid was waving her arm and pointing to a truck stop; Gordon wanted to have a rest, so out came the chairs and table for coffee and cake. Rested up after thirty minutes we set off again, we arrived at Albion Park at 4:50pm.

A great end to another CHMC Rally, the fifty-third. It was a wonderful time had by all.

Attendees:

Gordon & Enid Richardson - Holden EK

Bob Harwood & Pat Thorn - Ford Zephyr

Marie Laughton & Jess Linkie - Modern

Story reported by Marie Laughton and Jess; Pat Thorn and Bob Harwood and Gordon and Enid Richardson - 2 points to members and Marie Laughton 1-point photos.

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