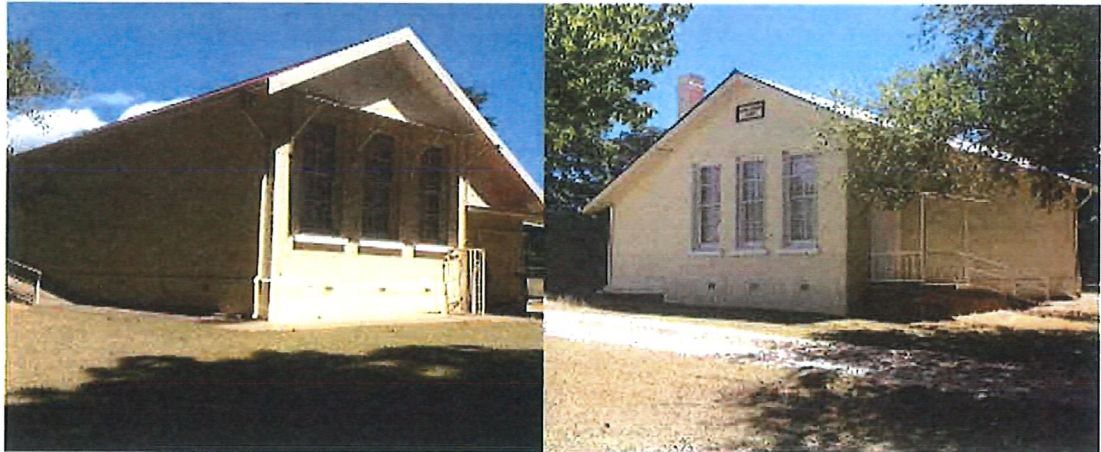




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Meetings are held in the Clubrooms, Louie Lane, Spring Creek, on the 3rd Monday of each month commencing at 7.30pm. All visitors are welcome. Note that the editor and/or club members do not necessarily share the opinions that may be expressed in the magazine.

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Events Calendar for 2022

Most events start from Kite Street outside Cook Park at 10.00am with morning tea at Cook Park unless otherwise stated in the events description. For further information on any events please contact either Euan Coutts on 63651274. euanwil@bigpond.com Or Chris Bromley on 0428659224 **Note; All Twilight Runs start at the specified location at 5pm.** Changes may need to be made to the Events Calendar for various reasons with as much notice as possible being given.

March.

Thursday 3rd Run to Millthorpe. Lunch at the Amos' Bring everything you may need.

Monday 14th Ladies Day at the Club House – 10.am – 2.00pm.

Saturday 19th Blaney show.

Saturday 19th Open Garden classic car, truck and tractor show in Molong, see flyer in this edition.

Monday 21st Monthly meeting at Clubrooms

Sunday 26th and Sunday 27th. Run to Cowra to the Aviation Workshops. Plan to arrive at 9.30am. Stay overnight and return on Sunday to Golden Plough event at Lyndhurst. Details in this Magazine.

April.

Saturday 2nd to Monday 4th CHMC Rally at Singleton. Flyer in last month's newsletter.

Monday 11th, Ladies Day at the clubhouse 10am – 2pm.

Monday 18th Monthly meeting at the clubrooms. (Easter Monday but we agreed to still hold the meeting)

Monday 25th Anzac Day, Venue of your choice.

Thursday 28th – Sunday 1st May Autumn tour for pre 1931 cars

May

Sunday 1st Farewell breakfast for Autumn Tour Entrants."

Monday 9th, Ladies Day at the clubhouse 10am – 2pm.

Saturday 14th Orange Show, display of cars from our Club.

Monday 16th Monthly meeting at the clubrooms.

June

Monday 13th Ladies Day at the clubhouse 10am – 2pm.

Monday 20th Monthly meeting at the clubrooms.

July

Monday 11th Ladies Day at the clubhouse 10am – 2pm.

Monday 18th Monthly meeting at the clubrooms.

August

Monday 8th Ladies Day at the clubhouse 10am – 2pm.

Friday 12th to Monday 15th WW2 commemoration at Bathurst – see Bob Mc Neil for details

Monday 15th Monthly meeting at the clubrooms.

October 14 to 7th: pre 1950 Rally at Parkes.

Orange District Antique Motor Club Inc.
Presidents' report.

It was very encouraging to see so many members at the February meeting after such a long absence.

Our run to the Goldfields Tavern was well supported and a most enjoyable lunch was consumed. Members should try to attend as many functions as possible to raise the ODAMC profile or risk losing our identity through indifference.

Our future clubhouse location took up most of the General business. It was agreed that Bruce would contact Council to arrange a suitable time for members to inspect the two most favoured sites being the Lucknow School and the old Harness Racing Track Hall on Perc Griffith Way. Tues 1 March at 9am at the Harness Track has been organised followed by the Lucknow School. Please bring your partner if possible as they have a say in this important decision. If they are able to attend our March meeting, it would help make the choice more democratic.

There is a feeling that our meetings would be made more interesting by having more than just a monthly report. Suggestions included a guest speaker or a member talking about some aspects of vehicles eg: restoration, engine work, "how to....."

Chris would be very pleased to include articles relating to members' vehicles: eg "how I found my treasure", "my first car was...."

Safe travels

John N

ORANGE DISTRICT ANTIQUE MOTOR CLUB INC

EDITORS RAMBLER

Welcome to the March 2022 edition of the ODAMC newsletter.

Wow. What a full month we have had. And here we are at the end of summer. This edition is larger than usual due to the club house situation and the reintroduction of club events. With plenty of events, pictures and reports. So nice after being so long with so little.

This month's edition includes the usual minutes from the monthly meeting, Dinkum oil # 17, Euan sent in and alternative premises article.

Keith sent in some questions he felt needed answering regarding the club house which have been included and we also received an email regarding the transfer of our club house to the Aboriginal land council from Mr Greg Sullivan.

Nancy also sent in an article about the Cowra run on 26th, 27th March. Any questions, just give her a call on 0429425104. Sounds like it's going to be a great time for all attendees. In the OUT AND ABOUT page, I took some pictures of the Australia day celebrations in Cook Park in Orange and was amazed that we actually beat the ASCC, who usually have a huge display, by 100% for our display. They had 1 car on show and we had 2. Congratulations to all our participants. Also Included is some pictures from the Gnoo Blah Day. It was a great day with some beautiful cars on display. It was also apparently the biggest show of cars they have ever had so congratulations to the organisers for all their effort. Dave and Chris Gray did it again this year and did the club proud by winning the trophy for best vintage and veteran car. at gnoo blah car show. This car is also featured in the for-sale section. The Molong Open Garden classic car and tractor show is back on again on the 19th March after being postponed a couple of times. As this was previously in our events calendar, I have taken the liberty and added it back in. Should be a great day out and supporting a small community. Bernie sent in some pictures and a report about their trip to the Powerhouse Museum that has a display of microcars on until August. Sounds like it was a good day out and a good way to use your seniors Opal. I hope to also do this next week. The Autumn tour for pre 1931 cars is now fully booked. Once again, a mammoth task for the organisers, well done.

I have copied this request from Barry that was emailed in via the club's website.

I am Barry Gavin from Cootamundra NSW and I am trying to find out where Phil Barnes Purple Cooper S ended up after Phil stopped racing it. After that Phil co-drove the Byrt Ford GT Falcon at Bathurst. I am not looking to buy it, just to find out where it is (town) and where Phil is if he is still around. I have been told his Cooper S ended up at Orange and was changed back to a street car and that Phil moved to Wellington Back in 1967-68 I first owned a Mini 850 and then a Mini Deluxe of which I hotted up both and were worked on and tuned by Phil when he had a workshop at Fairy Meadow in Wollongong. I am 72 now and still maintain a strong interest in classic cars. Over the years I have been so lucky to have met so many of the legends of Australian Motor Sport including the great Harry Firth of whom I got to know well over the last 10 years of his life. If you can help me in my search then that would be greatly appreciated but if not I will go on looking for that info. Regards Barry 0488421976 barrygavin1947@yahoo.com

Please forward any items of interest to Chris Bromley on 0428659224 or email at cbromley111@skymesh.com.au for any information, news, pictures or anything that we can add to the newsletter. All is gratefully appreciated.

Out and about

Australia day, Cook Park Orange. We actually beat the ASCC by 100%



GNOO BLAS CAR SHOW SAT 12TH February



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Chris

For the magazine an item of interest.

Went down to the Powerhouse Museum and saw the Microcar Exhibition. On until 7th August 2022. Well worth seeing.

For early risers like us we caught the Bullet train from Bathurst 5.46am down to Central, then the Light Rail from Central to China Town. (Dulwich Hill Line). 2 stops to China Town, then a short walk to the Powerhouse Museum. Entry into the Museum is free. For Seniors \$2.50 for the day each including Light Rail for transport.

Then on the 3pm Bullet train back to Bathurst. Total cost excluding lunch was \$5 for us.

How good is that!

Regards

Bernie Schell





THE DINKUM OIL #17

A drop from the Council of Heritage Motor Clubs to keep you going

CHMC ANNUAL RALLY AND ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

- The past couple of years have caused difficulties for many organisations to conduct regular community events. The Annual CHMC Rally is but one such event to be disrupted.
- Some time ago, CHMC decided on the Host Club for its Annual Rally and Annual General Meeting more than 12 months prior to these occasions.
- This allowed the hosts to promote their Rally to the participants in the Rally immediately preceding the one they were hosting.
- Council's Committee considers there are benefits in re-establishing this process.
- Whilst it is possible that, because of Covid, some restrictions on the manner in which people gather may either be in place for some time, or may vary, the Committee considers that Clubs can now be reasonably confident of their ability to commence planning for Rallies more than 12 months in advance.
- Some CHMC Clubs and other Community Organisations have already moved in this way.
- CHMC Committee is now calling for expressions of interest to conduct the 2023 Annual Rally and the 2024 Annual Rally
- Clubs interested in hosting either of these Annual Rallies should send a formal application to Council's Secretary, **PO BOX 834 Queanbeyan NSW 2620**. outlining:
 - Time Frame
 - Limits on entries (if necessary)
 - Accommodation availability.
 - Proposed arrangements for Presentation Ceremony
 - General Rally format and social opportunities.
 - Venue for CHMC Annual General Meeting
- Easter is the preferred date, but other dates will be considered
- Council will endeavour to determine the hosts for both the 2023 and 2024 Annual Rallies and Annual General Meetings at the 2022 Annual General Meeting at Singleton on Friday April 1st 2022.

AND FROM PETER WRIGHT (REGISTRATION LIAISON)

- The Historic and Classic Car Industry Working Group (HCCIWG) has meetings scheduled this year for 8th March, 7th June, 6th September and 6th December.
- Any issues that Clubs want raised with this Working Group need to be sent to Peter at least two weeks prior to these dates to be included on the agenda.
- NSW enjoys the cheapest Historic Vehicle Registration in Australia. This is only possible through Clubs accepting responsibility for many administrative aspects **including vehicle eligibility**.
- TfNSW continue to seek the cooperation of Clubs in identifying inappropriate vehicles on Historic Registration.
- Members identifying inappropriate vehicles can forward details to Peter at any time; but please include a photograph(s) showing the Registration Plate and the item/s of concern about the vehicle along with the date and location where the vehicle was seen.

For further information contact:

Christine Hillbrick Boyd (CHMC Secretary) phone 0419 013 263

Peter Wright (Registration Liaison) phone 0417 250 798

More information about this, and other items of interest, can be found on Council's website:

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FOR SALE AND WANTED

Please note, advertisements will run for three months unless you advise the editor to the contrary.

FOR SALE OR WANTED. Got something to Sell, swap or give away or do you want to buy something. Put your Add here for three months, FREE. Let me know if you have sold your car so I can delete the Add.

FOR SALE (3) VRW 465H is a set of 1970? English number plates that would look good on any 1970 English car and PLR 660 is English plate pre 1962 but probably from the 1950s. Embossed with HILLS of London. Both sets are in reasonable to good condition. \$70.00 O.N.O. a set (ODAMC Member) Chris 0428659224



Wanted (3) Raga oil can stamped O19 on base ½ pint. Call Bob on 63620239 or 0447117079 (ODAMC Member)

FOR SALE (3) BERTIE IS FOR SALE SO TALK TO DAVE ON 0418 86 98 97 AND YOU TO COULD BE A WINNER!



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