

Grafton Vintage Motor Vehicle Club Inc. Newsletter — July 2019



Peter Buckler at Cooli Rocks.

Memberships are Due Now!

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Doug Davis	0428 663 414	Vehicle Examiners		Sunday of each	month. See Com-
Graeme Hicks	0427 007 075	John Snape (cars)	(02) 6645 2377	ing Events for time	
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Lorraine Lloyd	0428 431 053	Tom Hay (cars)	0407 785 724		

President's Report

There has been much activity at the Club Grounds with the installation of a Dump Point to the Camp Grounds. Many thanks to the Club volunteers who put their time & effort into this project.

There has also been an Investment of gravel & Ramp, giving better access to the Oval, in preparation for the August Motorfest. Big thanks to Doug Davies for his time & machine for spreading of the gravel.

The Casino Beef Week display was well attended by our members with Russ Tange taking out the Best Sports Car with his Jaguar E Type.

Annual fees are now due & members should be aware <u>if un-financial your vehicle on Historic Registration is not valid (i.e. unregistered)</u> which attracts a healthy fine.

Any member requiring Club a name tag contact me, as I will be placing an order in the coming weeks.

Volunteers for the Motorfest in areas are still required: A schedule for the Canteen is displayed in the Club house & anyone able to give time please place your name on the board.

Regards,

Doug







Casino Beef Week

Saturday May 25th



June Lunch Run

By Robyn Dunstan



We had a great rollup of cars for the Urunga Club Run June 13th. It was the perfect winters day for a drive. With 20 hungry members having morning tea at the Idle Inn Nana Glen (not the Amble Inn Corinidi IoI), it was a lovely venue and we all enjoyed our scones, cake and other treats.

After saying goodbye to Chris, Janine and Brian who had other engagements, it was off to the Urunga Pub for lunch. Unfortunately for Graham and Cheryl Benn on the way to Urunga, their ute misbehaved and was taken home on the back of a truck (fortunately they knew a guy with a tow truck). Sorry Graham that was unfortunate.

We continued onto the Urunga Pub and enjoyed a relaxing time over lunch with great company, plenty of humour, tall tales and lots of laughs all round.

Thanks to everyone for making it such a pleasant fun day.

Editor Note:

Esme Sprite wouldn't start the morning of the drive, flat battery, so I opted to take Arfa Car (short for half a car) a



1981 Daihatsu Handy Van...all 550cc/2 cylinders of fun. I was a little embarrassed to take Arfa along in such esteemed company but hey, what the heck.

I was pleasantly surprised how well Arfa went on the longest trip since he's been on in our company. My ears were ringing when we stopped at Nana Glen from the exhaust noise but that soon abated. Driving modern cars makes you lazy. You don't seem to notice the hills. Well, to Arfa, hills are mountains to be climbed. The experience took me way back to my youth! All good fun.

Driving through the traffic in Coffs, John and Jenny Porter overtook me in their Cooper S. Being an old Mini driver myself, I thought Arfa and I could catch them. I had Arfa wound up on the freeway from Coffs to the Urunga turn off and didn't see the others in the BP Service Station assisting the Benn's.

I arrived at the Ocean View Hotel Urunga and no-one was there. Firstly, I thought I was at the wrong Pub but a quick call to Lorraine Lloyd had me all sorted. Time for a loo break before everyone else got there.

Tremendously, fabulous day out! Thanks to Ian and Robyn for organising it.



Tom Raven holding court (sorry, that should read post)

Family Fun Day

By Lorraine Lloyd

A procession of 5 cars departed from Jabour Park at 9.30am. Drove down Prince Street and then out to Doug's place at Orchard Road Mountainview. Eugene and Liz were already there to meet us. John and Jenny Porter eventually joined us after a slight detour. We had a lovey morning tea surrounded by the wildlife and then the women went to visit Doug's neighbour who runs a card making workshop. Very talented ladies. Back to Doug's and we started to prepare the barbecue lunch. Had a lovely meal of barbecue meats, salads and potato and corn, followed by pancakes for dessert with

strawberries, banana and BLUE RIBBON ice cream (a specialty of Jim's). A huge thank you to lan and John for washing the dishes. The cricket score was nil all with no runs, no catches, no one out, no boundaries, because we were too relaxed to even consider starting. Kim and Lyn joined us later for a cuppa. Thank you to those members who attended namely, Doug and Lorraine, lan and Robyn, Eugene and Liz, Jim and Barbara, Dick and Ena, Gary and Jenny, Jean and Leonie, John and Jenny, Peter and Jeanette, Kim and Lyn.



Wings and Wheels







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Hi I am Tim Luscombe of the Battery Barn 117 Bent St, Sth Grafton. Married with one child. I have worked in various Battery Supply Businesses in Grafton for 13 years before forming the current Battery Barn 7 year ago.

My interest outside work has involved Speedway having competed for 17 years. I am currently restoring a Valiant Charger which should be ready for this year's Motorfest.





Hi I am John Agrannitis Prop. Of Charcoal Chicken 116 Prince St, Grafton, commonly known as "Chook Man".

I have enjoyed over 30 years in every aspect of cooking Charcoal Chickens. We cater for Home Parties or such and include Chicken, Roasted Meats and Baked veg's.

Contact John for enquires or quotes on 6642 2187.

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2CV's Lyon France—Bob Booth. Bob's not sure how they made it up there



Bruce Cameron in hot pursuit at the Giro Italia

Jacaranda Festival - MEET, GREET, EAT



Car Club Vice President Kim Dahl & Jacaranda Festival Vice President Wendy Gibbs

The 2019 Jacaranda Festival officially kicked off Sunday 17/06/19 with the introduction to the community of our Queen Candidates and Junior Candidates. It will be a BIG year this year. Not only is it the Festival's 85th Anniversary but we have 7 Queen Candidates and 14 Juniors!

To mark this auspicious occasion , the Jacaranda Committee held a Meet Greet Eat in Market Square Grafton. The Committee invested in a Bar for now and the future. The Volkers Bar was made locally at the old brewery. The sign was made by Club Member Peter Buckler. The bar was opened by the Car Club's own Kim Dahl who is the great grandson of Henry Volkers. Henry Volkers brought the Jacarandas to Grafton and planted them down Pound Street. The rest is history!

Kim opened the Volkers Bar on behalf of the family.

Stay tuned to The Grille magazine for more Jacaranda Festival updates relating to the Car Club. Meetings are being held this week with regard to the Parade, the possibility of more cars in the parade, perhaps a call out to Square Riggers to ferry some special guests...

Wendy Gibbs















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of action at law against the committee, organisers or agent accessories or personal effects. The entrant and any passengers hereby waive the right Will in no way be held responsible for any loss or damage to the vehicle/vehicle parts full or Historic registration. I agree that the Grafton Vintage Motor Vehicle Club Inc. INDEMNITY: I declare that each vehicle being entered and driven in this event is on

2019 Motorfest Entry Form



GRAFTON MOTORFEST

Program of Events

<u>Friday 23rd</u> 12pm Gates Open Saturday 24th 6am Gates Open

CHEVROLET

7am Kitchen Opens

Assembly of Display Cars/Vans Featured Marque—Chevrolet

Market Stalls

10am Live Entertainment

1pm Fashions in The Field

2pm Saturday Top Five Cars

2.30pm Minor Raffle Draw

Sunday 25th 6am Gates Open

7am Kitchen Opens

Assembly of Display Cars/Vans

Featured Marque MG

Market Stalls

10am Live Entertainment

1pm Sunday Top Five

Overall Winner announced

Major Raffle Draw

Show and Shine judging and trophies will take place both days.

Cars must be present on Sunday to be eligible for

Overall Motorfest Winning Prize.

Visit our Website http://gvmvc.com.au

Membership Renewals Now Due

GRAFTON VINTAGE MOTOR VEHICLE CLUB

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL 2019-2020

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prior to June 30th 2 email (\$60 Dual or 9	2019. This year we have intro \$50 Single). Annual members	duced a \$10 discount for th ship is from 1st July to 30th	is renewal form and be returned to the ose members who receive the newslet June each year. Members not renewing vill not qualify for Historic RTA Registra	tter by g their
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Come on along to our Christmas in July party with no cooking or washing up!

Tickets \$20—available from Wendy Gibbs 0458 427 332

(Only 10 left of our pre-booked seats.)

The venue encourages you to bring your own drinks and nibbles

Friday 26th July

Grille Market



Bathurst Globe Wheels For Sale

Contact Eugene Christensen 6642 3302

4 tyre's & rims to suit early Ford—off a 1963 Fairlane . Rims are17 x7 Performance 5 spoke alloy,Tyre's 225/50 x 17 Toyo M&S all as new done 100k's.\$1400 Ian Dunstan 66493667 or 0427565107.

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Welcome to your club library where we have a great selection of books magazines and manuals for you to borrow or just peruse.

Our collection includes books on vintage and classic cars and bikes, racing cars and drivers. We also have an extensive selection of workshop and spare parts manuals.

Check our website www.gvmvc.com.au for our catalogue of over three hundred and sixty books. This has been categorized for your convenience.

We also have a large selection of car, bike, 4WD and racing magazines.

Library is open on Wednesdays (husband sitting) and Club meeting days.

To enable us to keep track of the books we have an honesty system in place, just enter the books catalogue number and title in the exercise book provided, with your name and date. Return books go in the box provided.

Coming Events

Whiddon Group Maclean Wednesday 10th July

We've been invited to morning tea with a view to taking some of the residents for a ride.

Meet at Jabour Park for 9.00am departure or meet us there around 10am

<u>Parking Instructions for those not joining the convoy</u>: Park in the service road behind Whiddon which is just past the hospital in Maclean.

<u>PLEASE</u> confirm your attendance for catering purposes by Wed 3rd July
Wendy Gibbs 0458 427 332

Vice President's Mystery Run Sunday 21st July

We're heading north or might it be south? The only way to find out is to be at Jabour Park for a 9am start.

> Contact Kim Dahl 0418 660 347



2019 Coming Events

Changes to the calendar are marked in red

June			General Meeting	Jabour Park Minden St, South Grafton 3pm. Stay for a sausage sandwich, tea,		
Julie	Sun	30th	General Meeting	coffee and a chat		
July	Wed	10th	Coffee Run	Maclean Whiddon– see previous page	Wendy Gibbs	0458 427 332
,			Club Dura	Vice Presidents Mystery Run-– see pre-	•	
	Sun	21st	Club Run	vious page	Kim Dahl	0418 660 347
				Festive Spirit—Criterion Theatre Oliver		
			Christmas In July	St, Grafton 7pm Tickets \$20. Bring your	Wendy Gibbs	
	Fri	26th		own drinks and nibbles.		0458 427 332
		0=.1	Glenreagh Timber	Glenreagh Showgrounds		
	Sat	27th	Fest			
	Sun	28th	General Meeting	Jabour Park Minden St, South Grafton 3pm. Stay for a sausage sandwich, tea,		
	Juli	2011	General Wiceting	coffee and a chat		
Aug	Fri, Sat	2,3,4	Dodge Rally		Tom Raven	0419 888 902
				Jabour Park at 9:15. Visit to Depart-		
			Coffee Run	ment Primary Industries at Trenayr.	Graeme Hicks	
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	Thurs	8th		tea		0427 007 075
	6.1	17,18	Leyburn Sprints	Labora David	D D	0420.662.444
	Sat	24th	Motorfest	Jabour Park	Doug Davis	0428 663 414
Cont	Sun	25th	Motorfest	NO GENERAL MEETING	Kon Norton	0403 531 469
Sept	Thurs Sun	12th 15th	Coffee Run Club Run	Iluka Barefoot Bowls - Red Rock	Ken Norton Graham Benn	0403 521 468 0411 491 473
	Juli	13(11	Club Kull		Granam Benn	0411 491 473
				Maclean Showgrounds - Setup on Sat 21st from Noon. Catering Sat Night and		
			Maclean Swap	Sunday morning by Maclean Lions	Bob Gray	
			Meet	Club. Gates open Sunday 6am. Vintage		6645 2950 -
	Sun	22nd		Car Display.		0417190860
				Jabour Park Minden St, South Grafton		
			General Meeting	3pm. Stay for a sausage sandwich, tea,		
	Sun	29th		coffee and a chat		
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Oct	Thurs	10th	Club Dun	Poloigh Co Korts	Dunstan Doug Davis	0427 565 107
	Sun	20th	Club Run	Raleigh - Go Karts Jabour Park Minden St, South Grafton	Doug Davis	0428 663 414
			General Meeting	4pm. Stay for a sausage sandwich, tea,		
	Sun	27th		coffee and a chat		
			Jacaranda Rally	Meet and Greet	Margaret Gal-	
Nov	Fri	1st	Jacaranua Kany	Meet and Greet	laher	
	Sat	2nd	Jacaranda Rally	Car Display, Parade, Dinner & Trivia		0428 108 127
	Sun	3rd	Jacaranda Rally	Breakfast		
	Sun	17th	Club Run	Lilydale via Newbold Picnic	Graeme Hicks	0427 007 075
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	Sun	24th	General Meeting	4pm. Stay for a sausage sandwich, tea, coffee and a chat		
Dec	Thurs	12th	Breakfast Run	conce and a chat	Wendy Gibbs	0458 427 332
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	Sun	15th	Christmas Party	Sth Grafton Bowling Club	laher	0428 108 127
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Attention Members

Members' vehicles can be displayed on the Club website. To have your pride and joy displayed, please send photos to:

parnull1@bigpond.com or

Phone Peter Arnull 0428 415 805 for more details

Calling All Bike Owners

I would like to put together a list of bike owners within the Club with the purpose of getting the old likes out and putting on "bike friendly" runs for bikes and other vehicles within the Club.

Those interested should contact Peter Arnull.

parnull1@bigpond.com or Phone Peter Arnull 0428 415 805for more details

Inspection Fee

All Club inspections of vehicles carried out by the Club Vehicle Examiners will be at a cost of \$20 per vehicle

Other Club Events

We have official visitors rights with the Summerland Sports & Classic Car Club, meaning our members are eligible to attend their events, and also theirs to ours. To aid with this, our magazine is distributed electronically to their members and their magazine will be sent to us.

Husband Minding

Every Wednesday, Jabour Park. Peer based training, not limited to lawn mowing and domestic duties.

Club Name Badges

Name badges are available to order from Doug Clark for a mere \$18. Badges include Club Logo and your name.

Photo Gallery

Have you noticed all the great car photos on the Club room walls? You too can have your car immortalised on the walls for \$15. Contact Kim Dahl to arrange a photo shoot.

Club Apparel

Look the part when on Club outings with any of the following Club apparel on sale at the Club rooms.

Sew On Patch	\$8
Dress Shirts	\$45
Polo Shirt	\$30
Caps & Bucket Hats	\$15
And don't forget your car	
Grille Badge	\$25
Number Plate Surround	\$25
(suits H Plates)	

Club Room Wall Photos

There is still plenty of space to have a photo of your car hanging in our Club Room. It only cost \$15. Cath up with Kim Dahl at the next meeting to have your happy snap taken.





General Meeting Minutes

Minutes of the Monthly Meeting held 26th May 2019 Held at Jabour Park South Grafton.

Meeting Opened 3.05 PM

Chairman Pres. Doug Clark

<u>Apologies</u> Tom Raven, Brad & Kylie Bennie, Alan Curry, Nathan Benn.

Moved J. Porter, Seconded R. Purnell that Apologies be Accepted Carried

Attendance as per attendance Book.

New Members New members.: Allan Adamson 1989 Corolla, Alan Grasset, Dennis Morgan 1966 VW

Neil Thomson

Moved L. Lloyd, Seconded J. Smith that new members be accepted.

Visitors Nil

Minutes Minutes of meeting held 28th April, 2019 were read.

Moved R. Purnell, Seconded G. Gallagher that Minutes be accepted as read.

Business Arising Nil

Treasurers Report As per Treasurer's Statement.

Moved L. Fitzpatrick Seconded G. Gallagher that report be accepted. Carried.

Coming Events as per The Grille.

8-9-10 June Cooli Rock

13th June Lunch Run Urunga Pub

16th June Cricket Day – Doug Davis

30th June General Meeting

Past Events

Maclean Show - 20 cars

Grafton show – 7 cars for show girls.

10th May – Ten pin bowling

19th May – Observation Run

25th May – Casino Beef Week 19 cars from Grafton 190 total.

Rus Tangye won best sports car

General Business

Discussion held on Classic Insurance – Secretary to seek clarification from NRMA.

Mark Golding addressed meeting on Variety Bash. Over \$1M raised on last run.

Mick Lucas addressed the meeting on the restoration of his FX ute.

Graham William addresses meeting and showed memorabilia of old race days

Advertising for Motorfest on Cormack and Tranter truck completed.

Meeting closed 4.05 pm

Next meeting 30th June 2019 3.00pm





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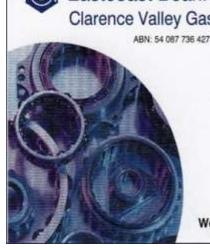
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