

AVVVA NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2015

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*Our Patron, Carmel Sands,
cuts the Christmas Cake*

NEXT CLUB MEETING – Saturday December 19th 10:30am AT THE CLUB ROOMS FITZGERALD ST NORTHAM

The following Articles/Editorials are published as received and are not necessarily the views of the AVVVA.

Deadline for articles: Last day of the month

MINUTES of the GENERAL MEETING

Held Saturday 21st November 2015 at AVVVA CLUB ROOMS

Meeting Opened at 10.35am with President Murray Sumpton in the Chair

In Attendance Murray Sumpton (Pres), Fred Singleton, Jim Donovan (V.P.), Milton Sudholz, Maree Sudholz, Peter Cox, Barry Bristow-Stagg, Jenny Sumpton, Russell Collins, Malcolm Strahan, Peter Prytulak, Rob Bell, Jamie Prytulak, Andrew Wooding, Sylvia Bristow-Stagg (Sec).

Apologies for non Attendance: Angie & Bert Hayes, Theo Bekkers (Tres.), Frank & Kaye Lewis, Stan Eastwood, John King.

Minutes of previous Meeting as presented in Newsletter

Business arising from Minutes: *Missing Hub caps etc.-search of back room after meeting found items still together in wheelbarrow, moved from middle room due to set up of library & ready for possible re-stumping.

* Cabinets from John Ivey's Museum – unfortunately not purchased as our doors/windows too narrow.

Moved : Jim Donovan... **Seconded :** Jenny Sumpton ... That the previous minutes, the apologies and business arising be accepted. Carried.

Correspondence

- In: Shannons** 2015 Melbourne Summer Classic auction tabled
- All Triumph Stand.Day** Stirling Gardens, Guildford. Sun 22 Nov. Riley Club of WA. tabled
- Wheels for Hope** Celebration of the Motorcar. Sun Nov 22, Cottesloe Civic Centre tabled
- Vint.Auto Assoc. Past Times** November Newsletter & Events page tabled
- CAMS WA** Awards night, Wed 9 Dec, Whiteman Park, \$50ph tabled.
- Vint.Veh.Day** Sth West Reg.HC, Boyanup, Nov 22, 10a-2p tabled
- York Mot.Museum** Man Cave auction @ Perth Speedfest, 13 Dec, Quit Motorplex, Kwinana, Posters, prints, Pictures (250) surplus to Museum upgrade.
- Goodsons** Book re tools & supplies for Engine Builders
- Kaye Lewis** Interest in non car related items, verbally mentioned last meeting
- Counc.Motor.Clubs** Gen. Mtg Minutes Mon 19 Oct., particularly Code 404 ref Gen. Bus.
- Counc.Motor.Clubs** Re Seat Belt Exempt. Up to age 7 must be restrained. 7 to 16 in front only if rear seat already occupied by children of same age.
- David Brinckley** Now in Victoria, keeping his Membership. David sends best wishes to all AVVVA Members
- Historic Radios** re Colin Campbells request that if these were to leave Clubrooms, he would like them to go to the Northam Museum or at least to somewhere in Public view.
- Contact has been made and previous issues are now resolved, allowing all to move on.

- Out: Fresh Start Nthm** Re acceptance for Sausage sizzle at Swapmeet to Swapmeet rept
- Caffeine Machine** Re acceptance for Coffee stand. to Swapmeet rept
- Nthm Rec.Centre** Food outlet applications sent, paperwork now by Rec.Cntre to Swapmeet rept
- M Sumpton** Permission to use vehicle for Commemorative day at Bakers Hill

Moved : Barry Bristow-Stagg... **Seconded**: Jamie Prytulak... that the Inwards correspondence/emails be accepted, and the Outwards correspondence/emails are endorsed. Carried.

Finance: Specific report not available. It is mandatory for an owner of a concessional licensed vehicle to continue to be a financial Member of an authorised Club such as AVVVA. The Dept of Transport will now be advised of the status of nonfinancial Members.

Moved: Peter Prytulak ... **Seconded**: Rob Bell... that the Treasurer's report as given be accepted and accounts passed for payment. Carried

Reports:

Shed Report: Nil to report except for the compressor hose leaking. Approximately 5' cut off & now ok.

Events

AVVVA Christmas Dinner Sun 29 Nov, 1130-Noon. Northam Country Club. Looking good.

Northam Vintage Swapmeet, Sun 21 Feb 2016 at Jubilee Oval, fast approaching.

Swapmeet:

All food vendors in place with Rec. Centre. Local hirer of portable toilets checked. 2 Aroc toilet blocks booked. Transport of same to be sorted. May have to check availability of different types eg Midland. Clearing of toilets to be rechecked closer to time. Shouldn't be a big issue for half a day. Quad bike needed, Jen available to drive.

Moved: Peter Cox... **Seconded**: Peter Prytulak... That the reports be accepted Carried

New Members : Nil

General Business:

* **CODE 404 Report. Concessional License:** The following is reported from the latest Council of Motoring Club minutes, of which we are affiliated.

Members will be aware that the Department of Transport have been raising business rules for all concession codes, not just our Code 404. It is a result of the departmental decision to gazette the concession codes business rules as a block rather than individually, that the hold up with the CMC releasing a Code 404 Handbook for our members has occurred. The Department is unable to give us a time frame for when the gazettal will take place but I do know that the Policy Department that we deal with is working very hard to bring this to a conclusion.

Members with Code 404 vehicles will note on their renewal notices that Condition Code 369 states;
“To be in receipt of this concession the owner must be a financial member of an approved motoring club or association. The vehicle must be in original/unmodified condition”

Being nonfinancial means your vehicle is unlicensed and uninsured for third party and you face a severe penalty should you be caught, for any reason, driving your vehicle. Under this circumstance your comprehensive insurance is also at risk should you be involved in a collision.

There is a system in place whereby if any Member who owns a Code-404 vehicle and becomes nonfinancial in the club financial year, ie failure to renew membership by the annual renewal date, this information will be passed through to the Concessions Department. The Department's response to these owners may be a choice, either renew membership or put the vehicle on full licence.

* **Building & Conservation Plan:**No further information regarding this except that Laura Gray inspected the Clubrooms whilst inspecting the Railway Museum next door. Particular mention made re drainage.

Nathan (Shire) waiting on stumping issue, hopefully February, the difficulty at the moment seems to be availability of tradespeople. The back gate is being looked at, to provide a similar lock. Other lesser issues are still on the Agenda.

***Display Cabinets:** As reported in Business Arising, we will not be purchasing the cabinets due to their size. They would not fit through any of the doors or windows. (*see for sale advt in this newsletter Ed.*)

***Other Items:** not car related still to be disposed of; some items may be of interest to the Railway Museum and definitely to the 3 Members interested. A convenient time needs to be co-ordinated.

***Newsletters:** It is believed that postage will rise significantly in January 2016. It is also deemed possible that whilst nonfinancial Members receive a newsletter by post or email, they have presumed they are financial. Therefore newsletters will only be posted or emailed to financial Members. Newsletters are also sent as a courtesy to other Car Clubs. Unfortunately when their details change they are sometimes remiss in advising our Club, and mail is returned to our Editor.

Next Meeting - Saturday, 19th December 2015, 10.30am. There being no further business meeting closed at 11.45am

Presidents Report

The Christmas party was, once again, a great success.

Sylvia as always put in an enormous effort in the organisation and along with her granddaughter, presented the party with a wonderful cake which was cut by our patron Carmel Sands. The great lolly boxes were Hazel and John King's contribution.

Our quiet achieving secretary also organised the 25 year badges and all of the research required to identify those members who were eligible.

We also had the pleasure of oldest member (Theo Bekkers senior 101 1/2 years young) amongst us and received his 25 year badge along with the other 25 Year members present on the day.

Enough from me, except to wish you and your families a very Merry Christmas, a happy and healthy New Year. Please, stay safe in all of your celebrations and endeavours over the festive season.

Murray



Toodyay Car & Motor Cycle Show Sun. 1st November 2015



There were many Cars & Motor Cycles on display, some really flash classics. But at the end of the day our Member on site, Malcolm Strahan, considered this little beauty to be real vintage and in pristine condition. And therefore, the 'pick of the bunch' Guess what folks, the vehicle belongs to a fellow Member, Ben Sullivan.

Ben's Car is a 1948 Standard 8 Hp Tourer (Editor)

AVVA Christmas Lunch 29th November 2015

What a wonderful day we had with Members, family & friends from all around our State. Our 101+, Theo, & 'Mum' from Victoria.



The Northam Country Club & the food were delightful, as were the Table settings. Although away Hazel left us the delectable novelty Sweet boxes. Thank you one & all.



We toasted those who were either departed, recovering from illness or could not be here today. At hand a booklet of Club history took us down memory lane.



To observe our 30th Anniversary we created a Club Keyring. To further Honor long standing Members we created another special Pin.

25years continuous Membership



In any Club you will see Members come and Members go, dependant upon their needs at the time. At the heart of it all are those who become Members and stay continuous, active and supportive Members even whilst enjoying other activities. These core Memberships assist in strengthening the stability of Clubs. Our Club has twelve such Members. Six of these Members are here with us today, and it is with great pleasure that President Murray can present them with a 25year Pin and thank them for their support over the 25 years.



Jim Donovan
25yrs



Barry Bristow-Stagg
30yrs



Dave Lucas
30yrs



Theo Bekkers
101y 6mth
30yrs



Bert Hayes
30yrs

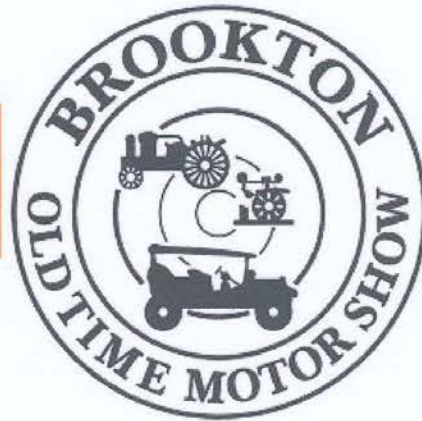


Jeff Mills
25yrs

President Murray also had the pleasure of announcing that our 'Quiet Achiever', Jim Donovan has been nominated for The Premier's Australia Day Active Citizenship Award 2016

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The 2016 theme of the show is "All Things Aussie" featuring 50 years of the Holden Torana. Lose yourself in the wonder of yesteryear with amazing displays of Aussie vehicles, inventions and innovations throughout history.

REGISTRATIONS ARE NOW OPEN

**BROOKTON OLD TIME MOTOR SHOW
19 MARCH 2016**

The next Brookton Old Time Motor Show will be held on **Saturday 19 March 2016**. This year our theme is "All Things Aussie" and we plan to have some great displays of Aussie vehicles, machines and inventions. The feature display will celebrate the upcoming 50 years of the Holden Torana. There will be a wide variety of Torana models on display. Come and see the evolution of this iconic Australian car. Of course we also welcome all makes and types of classic,

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COMING EVENTS

MEETING DATES FOR 2015/16

SATURDAY 19th December 10:30am
SATURDAY 16th January 10:30am

BUSY BEE DATES FOR 2015/16

SATURDAY 19th December 1:00pm
SATURDAY 16th January 10:30am

2015

Saturday 12th December
Mandurah Motorcycle Charity Ride
Riv Tavern 10:00am
South Yunderup ph 0459 712 552

2016

Sunday 21st February 2016
AVVVA Swap Meet
Jubilee Oval
Northam

Saturday 19th March 2016
Brookton Old Time Motor Show
All Things Aussie
Brookton
www.otms.org.au

25th – 25th March 2016 (Easter)
MG National Rally
Phone 0452 561 398

Sunday 17th April 2016
Classic Car Show
Whiteman Park

Sunday 15th May 2016
National Motoring Heritage Day
Various Locations in WA

Sunday 15th May 2016
British Car Day
Gingin

Sunday 15th May 2016
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SW Veteran Car Club
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Sea Mountains & Valleys Tour T 2016
Sat September 24th – Sun Oct 2nd 2016
Hosted by Model T Club of Victoria
See flyer in the Oct 2014 Newsletter

“ PEOPLE AND CARS !”

Murphy – Edward – Founded the Pontiac Buggy Company in 1893.

Goodrich BF the company started in 1896 has many firsts. First synthetic rubber tyre , first tubeless tyre, first American made radial tyre , the first space saver and first “run flat “ tyre .

Buick David – 1854-1929 a Scotsman , merged the failing Buick manufacturing company with another to form the Buick motor car company in 1903.He was a Plumber by trade and inventor and built his first car in 1900. Introduced the first electric turn signals in 1938.

Royce Sir Henry 1863 - 1933 and Rolls Hon. Charles 1877-1910 , founded the company Rolls-Royce in 1903 . Rolls who was a car dealer and promoted their cars and Royce an engineer designed them.

Facts supplied by Julian Stanwix , Ed.

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