

NEXT CLUB MEETING THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 18 2003

8.00pm AT THE CLUBROOMS FITZGERALD STREET NORTHAM

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COMING EVENTS FOR 2003

Friday/Saturday September 12/13 Northam Ag Show.

Saturday September 6 Perenjori & Districts Agricultural Society Show. Petrol paid for one way. Details Dave Lucas on 96223338

Thursday September 18 General Meeting at Clubrooms commencing at 8.00pm.

Friday/Sunday Sept 19/21 Burswood Casino Classic Rally.

Saturday September 20 Busy Bee at Shed commencing at 9.00am.

September 20 to 27 "Classic Touring WA" Tour of South West of WA organised by Lyle Metcalf. Phone Lyle on 96811128.

Sat & Sun Sept 27/28 Kuckerin Vintage Tracmach Fair. Contact Maureen Adams 98646003 or www.dumbleyung.gov.wa.au

Sunday Sept 28 Narambeen Springorama Festival. Info Julie Kennedy 90647172/90647055. www.narambeen.com

Saturday October 11 Toodyay Show. Meet at Toodyay Dr Surgery 10.30am to parade to oval. Enquiries David Elsom 95745152.

Thursday Oct 16 General Meeting
NOW CHANGED TO
SUNDAY OCTOBER 26
AT LYLE METCALF'S IN
WYALKATCHEM.

Saturday Oct 18 Busy Bee at shed.

Sunday October 19 York Flying 50, Round the Houses (Vintage Sports Car Club).

Sunday October 16 BMC/Leyland Australia Day. Manning Park Reserve Spearwood. Phone James 94577077.

Sunday October 26 All Ford Day Bassendean Oval. Entrants \$20.00. Phone 94519773.

Sunday November 2. Maurice Brockwell Run. Fremantle to Motor Museum. \$15.00 entry.

Sunday November 9 Back to Chidlow Day Heritage Festival.

Sunday Nov 9 South West Veteran Car Club 2003 Classic Car & Motorcycle & Machinery Day. Bunbury Racecourse. 10am to 4.00pm (cars in position by 9.30am). Ent close Oct 9. Phone or FAX 97955957

Thursday November 13 from 1.30pm Over 60's Club to visit Clubrooms for afternoon tea and look around shed.

Saturday November 15 2003 A Chevrolet Odyssey. Cannington Showgrounds. Show & Shine. Sat night music, meal. Rally on Sunday around Perth. Contact Ian Fitzgerald 93981849 or Dave Wright 95816810.

Saturday Nov 15 Katanning Volunteer FIRE&RESCUE Service Time Trial Rally & Car Display for Vintage & Modern cars. Contact Scott 0428423349 or Greg 98211248.

Thursday Nov 20 General Meeting at Clubrooms commencing 8.00pm

Saturday Nov 22 Busy Bee at shed.

Sunday November 23. Avondale Harvest Festival. Sunday 10.00am-4.00pm. Phone 96461004 Fax 96461002

Saturday December 6 Christmas Party at Bert & Angie Hayes' Farm at Grass Valley. BYO BBQ pack & Salads.

Thursday December 18 General Meeting at Clubrooms commencing 8.00pm.

Saturday December 20 Busy Bee at shed.

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Sunday February 22 2004 Avon Valley Vintage Vehicle Assn Swap Meet. Henry Street Oval Northam.

Sunday March 14 VAA Swapmeet at Bassendean Oval.

Sunday March 21 Classic Car Show at Whiteman Park.

Sunday March 28 Old Time Motor Show, Brookton.

FROM THE SECRETARY

The AVVVA is moving into the computer age with 45 of the financial members soon to be receiving the Newsletter to their computers. A big saving on printing and postage even at this early stage.

Some other ideas are not so easy to sell to the members such as having an occasional meeting outside of Northam. It is a radical change but we need to at least try new ideas to keep the club "fresh". I trust those who voted for the change will do their best to attend on Sunday October 26 at Wyalkatchem. Remember some club members, not so young, will need a lift to Wyalkatchem. More at the September meeting.

Now spring is upon us, events are on all the time, so get 'em out of the shed and get 'em moving!

FRED SINGLETON.....Secretary

WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

Graham Cozins 78 Hamilton Road Eaton 6232 Phone 97253074 the owner of 1939 and 1953 restored Austins.

L Alberti, PO Box 131 Merredin 6415

BEVERLEY SHOW Saturday August 23

A small group gathered at the AVVVA rooms for the trip to Beverley. We found some of fellow members were already at the oval in Beverley. Not as many people as previous years but a great day out.

In attendance were: Barry & Kath Ferguson, display of shearing equipment over 100 years. Also 1970 Susuki. Robert Thornton, display of badges. Fred Plane, 8 Stationary engines. Fred & Linda Singleton 1946 Austin 10 Sedan. Chris & Gail Alabach 1929 Packard. Unknown owner of a BSA motorcycle. Alan Hicks & Sandra Ferguson HR Holden Sedan. Dale & Isabel Keayes HR Holden Ute. Phil & Pattie Chapman 1967 Ford Cortina. Bruce Boucher 1982 Cadillac & Dodge Sedan. Bill McDonald 1951 Vauxhaull Wyvern Ute & Rugby Ute.

PERENJORI SHOW September 6

As Dave Lucas was organiser of this event it was decided to meet on Friday at the AVVVA rooms and travel together to Perenjori so as to arrive late afternoon Friday. A group of hard

souls gathered on Friday morning for the trek up North. A meeting place was planned for Dalwallinu to pick up some more travellers (Lyle & Janice Metcalf).

The weather was great for Friday and Saturday so we had a great weekend away in Dave Lucas' old stomping ground. You should know half of the town of Perenjori is related to Dave & Ruth, so no comments on locals!! I am sure everyone enjoyed themselves.

In attendance were: Ron Boucher, Dodge Special. Steve and Janina Wren, 1951 Ford Deluxe F1 Ute. Phil Medlands, 1927 Ford T (Modified a bit). Fred & Linda Singleton, 1950 Austin A90 Atlantic. Anne & Chris Leers plus family, 1956 Chev BelAir. Lyle & Janice Metcalf, 1928 Chev Truck, 1948 Austin Pathfinder, 1940 Hudson Autocycle.

Dave & Ruth Lucas, 1970 Hillman Royal. Fred Plane, 8 Stationary Motors, Jim & Betty Gault, 5 Stationary Motors.

CORRIGIN SHOW August 30

Fred Plane reported that the day was fine and good crowds at Corrigin. A large number of AVVVA members displayed at Corrigin so well done at all those people.

In attendance were: John Pickup, Fairmont XY. B Fowler, 1957 Fairlane 500 4 door pillarless. Vanessa Green, 1969 Mustang. Neal McCleery, 1970 Ford Capri. Mike Thompson, 1928 Dodge Model T. Ron & Lorna Poultney, Ford Model A. Bruce & Judy Fenton, Ford Falcon XM. M Gayfer, Ford A. Norm Middleton, FJ Holden. Steven Brown-Smith, 1951 BSA Bantam. Keith Burkin, 2 stationary Motors. Tony Narducci, 1 Stationary Motor. Barry & Kath Ferguson, 2 Stationary Motors. Fred Plane, 8 Stationary Motors. The Ace Ford Club also attended with 8 cars.

SUMMARY OF AUGUST MEETING

Apologies: Mick Oliver, Ian Hitchcock, Lyle Metcalf, Arthur Millea, Ted Leagas, Rex Downie.

Minutes read and accepted by Mick McColl, seconded Theo Bekkers.

Business arising: Colin Campbell expressed concern over the decision to hold the October meeting at Wyalkatchem on Sunday October 26. Problems may arise with distance to travel and if sufficient members attend this meeting. To be voted on in General Business.

Correspondence: In 28 - Out 3. Moved Kevin Christmass, seconded Theo Bekkers.

Treasurer's Report: Bank Balance: \$9422.44. Moved Phil Chapman seconded Alan Hicks.

Committee Reports:

Events Committee:

1. Beverley Show Sat August 23. Depart 8.00am at AVVVA rooms.
2. Ute Muster Sat Sept 6 at Jubilee Oval. No interest from members.
3. Northam Show. Set up on oval 10.00am Friday Sept 12 for Sat 13..
4. Meeting of T Model Ford driver from Melbourne to be Tues Sept 16 at Bernard Park Northam. Andrew Wells to organise.
5. Avondale Harvest Festival at Beverley Discovery Farm on Sunday November 23.
6. Perenjori Show. Dept AVVVA rooms Fri Sept 6 10.00am.
7. Coolgardie Day Sunday September 14.
8. All Ford Day Sunday October 26.
9. October Meeting Sunday October 26 at Wyalkatchem. Ron Morris moved at motion: That the October meeting of the AVVVA be held on Sunday October 26 at Wyalkatchem and no meeting held in Northam on Thursday October 16. Seconded by Leanne Dunn. In favour 14, against 4, carried.

Colin Campbell suggested in future more notice of these changes be given so it can be discussed by the members at several meetings.

Council of Motoring Clubs AGM. Held Monday August 18. Discussion of Public Liability Insurance. New policy run by Council of Motoring Clubs to cost \$750.00.

Whiteman Park 2004 theme to be speed. Feature Clubs could be - Rover 100 years and Rolls Royce 100 years.

Shed Report: Nil.

New Members: Nil

General Business:

- 1 Busy Bee Sat August 30 needs saws for pruning of trees.
- 2 Brick pavers can be ordered from Town of Northam.
- 3 Phil Chapman suggested Crossly engine need attention.
- 4 The signal box needs attention.
- 5 Sink repairs are under way.
- 6 Phil Chapman priced 440 x 16 tyres at \$150.00 each.
- 7 Max Cust mentioned secondhand imported parts must have customs and stamp duty paid prior to collection.
- 8 Alan Hicks offered to approach Town of Northam for pavers.
- 9 Alf Brown suggested AVVVA could be in a paled on Northam Show day.
- 10 Theo Bekkers mentioned he does not hold a drivers licence at this time.
- 11 Alan Hicks mentioned a sink has been donated to the AVVVA by Theo Bekkers' daughter.
- 12 Max Cust mentioned he only reads the top line of the eye chart for his drivers licence.
- 13 Andrew Wooding mentioned Buick parts are available from Terry Carvell.

- 14 Ron Morris mentioned John Hearl has donated 6 and 12 Volt globes.
- 15 Andrew Wells mentioned once the current plated for concessional licence are used the new plated are one type only "HISTORIC".
- 16 Phil Chapman asked if the 1985 minutes have been copied.

Meeting Closed: 9.400pm.

Next Meeting SEPTEMBER 18 2003.

FRED SINGLETON.....Secretary

FOR SALE

'My Tin Lizzie' 1927 Model T Ute \$1500
WW 2 Australian Army Trailer \$1500
Phone Theo Bekkers 95741396

1937 Chev Sedan suitable for parts \$200 Phone Ron
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Condition. Sell \$10000 ono or swap for Backhoe.
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Vintage cars, woodworking business, wood patterns
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Includes storage containers, large quantity of body
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ono the lot

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Phone 96251120

1964 XM Falcon 170 Pursuit Motor. Spare radiator,
lights, chrome bumper, clutch, gearbox, chrome strips,
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Original Workshop Manual.
Contact Horrie 96351361 Cunderdin

MEETING DATES FOR 2003

September 18 - October 16
November 20 - December 18

Safe and Happy Motoring

SECRETARY....Fred Singleton