

March 2010

Next General Meeting - Wednesday 3 March 2010

All members are invited to attend our next General Meeting to be held on Wednesday 3 March at 8.00pm.

Prior to the meeting, from 6.30pm, come and enjoy a barbecue and salads at a cost of \$12.00 per person.

“Drifting in Japan” special guests Ben MacKerras, Paul Austin and Christian Tassone who have all competed at the home of Drifting. Come along and find out what the popular sport of Drifting is really all about.

Competition Events Office

We have a new face in the Competition Events Office! On February 1 Abbie Taylor joined the SCCSA staff in a full time role as our Events Coordinator.

Many of our members may have had contact with Abbie in her previous role in the Classic Adelaide office where she worked for the past five years. Previously she worked with the SA Motorsport Board for approximately four years which of course was the organization responsible for the Clipsal 500 event.

Abbie comes to our Club with a great deal of experience and in her short time has been able to grasp the intricacies of our data base system. Abbie will be managing all competition events conducted by our Club which includes Hillclimb, Circuit Racing, together with Clipsal 500 and Lobethal officials coordinator. Abbie can be contacted Monday to Friday on 8271 5689.

Requirements for Club Functions

Members are advised that the Club has recently purchased a 65 litre esky on wheels which can be used at Club Functions and on Club runs. Please see Alan, Janet or Sandra in the office to check its availability and to sign the in / out book.

Other items which Members can borrow for Club runs include: 2 x card tables, banners, magnetic car signs. There is also a list of items kept in the shed at the Club which can be borrowed. Once again check with the office staff for availability. **Please note that all items borrowed must be signed out on the day they are taken and signed back in when returned.**

There is also a list of Kitchen/Pantry items which can be used for Club runs, etc. Forms are available in the kitchen or from Alan Caire in the office.

May Day News – Sunday 2 May 2010

The Fleurieu Group invites all members to join them in their annual car run and luncheon on Sunday 2 May. Starting from the Goolwa Yacht Club at 10.15am followed by a luncheon at the South Lakes Golf Club, Billabong Road, Goolwa. The lunch is \$35.00 per person which includes a complimentary drink on arrival and a delicious 3 course meal. The Guest Speaker this year will be Tony Parkinson. Auctions / raffles and lots of fun. Contact Ali Roscrow on 8555 2029 or nroscrow@bigpond.net.au.

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New Members – January 2010

Steve & Melanie Douglas	Classic, Fleurieu
Sibby & Andrew Sutherland	Classic
Colin Sinkinson	General
Greg Lomax & Shan Kyffin Thomas	Veteran, Vintage, Classic, HRR
James Bullen	General
Chris Schroeder	General, Competition
John Mills	General, Vintage
Bryan Jones	General, Classic, Competition
Lindsay Hick	General, HRR, Competition
Julian Casson	HRR, Competition
Darryl Aldridge	Classic
Jarrad Klingberg	General
Trevor Hamlyn	General, Classic

Classic News

Coming Meetings

Friday 5 March This meeting is going to feature Hillman and Rootes Group vehicles, we haven't featured these vehicles for a long time and promise an interesting collection. Meeting starts at 8pm and of course pre meeting drinks in the Gosse Bar from 6pm. Everybody welcome, please bring your friends and supper will be served afterwards.

Friday 9 April We are sharing the night with Vintage Section because our traditional first Friday of the month clashes with Good Friday and we want you all to observe that religious date. Come on the 9th and be totally surprised with what we put on stage. Neil Francis is going to display his recently restored 1914 Napier, I promise you will not be disappointed. Come and watch the 3 main sections of the club, love and appreciate motor vehicles of all ages. Vintage Section on the night will have an interesting talk on vehicle lights! Gosse Bar from 6pm for pre meeting cocktails and then meeting co chaired by Ruth and I from 8pm. Supper will be served as usual after the meeting. Let's see lots of veteran car lovers too.

Coming Events

Sunday 21 March The Classic Section has organised a civilised Sunday run this time beginning at the Club at 10am where we will consume our BYO morning tea either on the front lawn if it's sunny, or in the clubrooms if it's inclement. At approx 11am we will depart for Goolwa via some great driving roads and lunch will be served at Rankine's Landing on Hindmarsh Island. A delightful 2 course lunch will be served besides the Marina which now has sailable water levels again. A modest cost of \$28pp is charged and entry is via the club office or on the club website. Entry forms available at the March meeting also. A \$2 run fee per car is applicable on the day. Everybody welcome, please bring friends and of course new members encouraged to partake. Entries close March 19.

Sunday 11 April This is a wonder opportunity for the whole club to pull together and attend Old Keels and Wheels 2010. The previous 2 events have been a wonderful spectacle of interesting cars of all ages and classic boats. We start at the club for a gentle cruise down to Outer Harbour to the Royal SA Yacht Squadron Marina where we will display our cars around their marina, full of yachts and classic wooden boats. BYO lunch or book direct with the RSAYS dining room for a sit down lunch at your own expense. There will be rides on yachts, model yacht racing, static engine displays, Gelati Man, Coffee Man and Potato Man all to excite your tastes. Don't forget to bring your camera, the whole event makes great photography. Entry forms at the club, on the website and available at our March meeting. Cost per vehicle only \$10 and we ask that when you enter, you give us at least 20 words about your car for the program. Program is proudly sponsored by Willshire Motor Trimmers. Please support them as they support us. Everybody is welcome, don't miss this. Entries must close April 1 so we can compile the program details.

Andy Morgan

Classic Section Chairman

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Hillclimb News

Postponed Wintercup 3 Hillclimb will be run on Sunday 7 March in place of Multiclub 1. All competitors entered previously are eligible and their existing entry form stands. Please contact Michael Bishop if you have not been emailed with the details of the event if you are available to compete. There will be a number of places available for competitors to enter but you will not be eligible for Wintercup point scores, entries close Tuesday March 2. Notices have been put in the club notes in the Advertiser or check the website.

HRR News

Trevor Lambert took the Elfin ME5 over to New Zealand as part of the Formula 5000 Tasman Cup Revival. Trevor reported that he had an exhilarating time in the slippery conditions as it rained constantly whenever the cars headed to the track. The new Hampton Downs circuit was still being completed as the race program commenced so consequently all that rain made for rivers in the pits, Ethanol based fuel was also inadvertently sold which resulted in engine damage for some competitors. Racing then moved on to the Pukahoe track where Trevor stated the bumps on the main straight were so bad it required a 40mm ride height increase.

Mallala Easter Historics 2010

Entries now open - go to SCCSA website for entry forms.

For entry in the Show and Shine contact Troy Ryan 0419 666 307 or troy@adelaidesolar.com.au.

Club members – put in your diary "Sunday Picnic Lunch" at Mallala.

For Race Sponsorship opportunities please contact Phil Carter 0417 876 484.

On the Stage for March Meeting

Next HRR general meeting Tuesday 9 March 2010

Veteran News

Coming Meetings

Friday March 19 – film of the recent London to Brighton

Down Under – a DVD of this event will be on sale.

Friday April 16 – Noggin & Natter Night

Coming Events

Sunday March 7 – Historic Vehicle Day – open to all vehicles up to the end of 1930 – 11 til 3 at the park on the north side of Anzac Hwy near the Keswick Bridge. This will be preceded by breakfast near Jolley's Boathouse on the River Torrens. BYO everything, 9am start. Depart approx 10.30am. Both events are free.

Sunday March 14 – Wittber Run – Veteran & Vintage Run to Greenfields & SA Aviation Museum to celebrate SA's first flight. Depart Whyte Rd, Gepps Cross at 10am. Long and short routes available. BYO morning tea & lunch. The SA Aviation Museum would like 2-3 display vehicles of the 1910-1915 era for a few weeks at this time. If you can help, please ring Stuart MacDonald or Peter Mullins.

March 25-29 – Outing to Booleroo Centre Steam Rally – contact Di or Jon Pyle on 8371 2219 or 0427 719 153. Suit larger veteran, vintage & classic vehicles, but moderns will also be welcomed.

Sunday April 11 – Old Wheels & Keels – all veteran vehicles are invited to join this event at Outer Harbour. See Classic notes for more details, entry forms at SCC office.

HQ News

The HQ Committee are working on a fundraising format for the midyear Enduro which will involve drivers seeking sponsorship laps completed. The charity will likely be the McGuinness McDermott Foundation.

For results and points see the HQ Section of the Sporting Car Club website.

Market Place

Wanted to Sell

Rilstone Special Mazda RX7 Series 2. Built by the late Keith Rilstone 1996 Series 5 13b Turbo with intercooler, 250kw. Triple plate competition clutch locked disc fully adjustable

Koni suspension. Mt Alma Hillclimb 55 seconds with road tyres, Collingrove Hillclimb 38 seconds with road tyres. Immaculate condition, very fast road or competition car. Jono Finnis 0408 089 763. \$15,000.

Amilcar Radiator insignia. Good condition. Ed Harris 8331 8609.

One off 19"wire wheel for MGTC. Good condition. Martin Barrett, home 8379 8006.

Block and Tackle ½ ton, unknown condition \$20. 8278 4123.

Holden HQ Race Head. Wade CAM Lifters "etc", baffled sump and pick up \$650 ono. Also Frazer Cam 202 Holden "M962H" Grind – never used. Suit Triple Webers \$100. Contact 8524 3872 or 0418 823 315.

1926 Willys Knight. In need of complete restoration but is a generally complete vehicle. Looking for offers from anyone interested. Contact Brandon sandman11@gmail.com.

WORKSHOP EQUIPMENT. Including; **Bandsaw** "Do-All" brand 16inch gap, table 21 inches square, Single Phase power with blade joining welder attachment, suits metal and wood cutting. **Horizontal Mill** Cincinnati No.2. **Welder** single phase 200 Amp by EMF Ltd. **Power Saw** by Servian, **Bench Drills** ½ inch capacity, 8 speed 'V' belt drive. **Barnes Lathe** An American made vintage lathe circa 1898. Originally powered by foot operated treadle, however some treadle components are missing. Would suit collector of old machinery. Price negotiable. **Bending Machine**, suits small flat bar sections. **Taper Shank HSS Twist Drills** sizes 9/16" dia to 1" dia in increments of 1/64th of an inch plus 1.25" dia and 1.125 inch dia (i.e a total of 31 drills). **Measuring Instruments** including, Moore & Wright 1" Micrometer \$50; 1" to 2" Micrometer \$75; 2" to 3" Micrometer \$80; Inside Micrometer, .2" to 1.2" \$70; **Slip Gauges** Set of 80 piece Slip Gauges Inspection Grade quality made by Pitter Gauge & Tool Co. UK, \$500. **Contact David Humphries 83582231.**

Wanted

Complete Car 1958-1964 Austin Lancer, Morris Major or Elite Wolseley 1500. Mal Hosking 8278 4123.

English Wheel and tube notcher. Please phone Phil Carter mobile 0417 876 484.

Holiday House to Rent – Stansbury, Y.P.

Overlooking the sea. 100 years old, restored to old era. Accommodates 5 people. Minimum 3 nights. Bedspreads supplied, BYO sheets, blankets, pillows. Outdoor gas bbq in garden setting, pergola and picnic furniture. Off street parking. Contact Graham South (08) 8297 2475 or 0417 894 814.

Holiday Rental – Port Elliott Cowsley House, a luxuriously appointed 2 storey limestone cottage situated in a quiet street in the heart of Port Elliott, only metres from The Strand and 5 minutes walk to Horseshoe Bay. 3 bedrooms (sleeps up to 4 adults and 4 children) 2 bathrooms, designer bed linen and towels provided. Full cooking facilities including dishwasher. Private courtyard for alfresco dining. Off street parking in lockable garage. Visit www.cowsleyhouse.com.au or call 0428 130 899 for full details.

Visiting France? Stay a while in SCC member's medieval village house in SW France. This carefully restored stone house, dating from the 13th Century, has modern appliances, central heating, sunny terrace, garden, secure parking. Our interesting small town of Castelnau-Montratier and surrounding countryside with vineyards offers a perfect way to experience France. Good availability for short or longer rentals. Phone John or Norma on 8223 2707 for full details and brochure or visit www.housesouthfrance.com.

Holiday Rental – Victor Harbor

2 Story fully self-contained townhouse. Park your car and walk everywhere. Uninterrupted sea views. Centrally located in town centre. Sleeps up to 6. Two car lock up garage. All linen supplied. Ian & Marion Patrick. Phone 8379 2347 or 0414 438 520.

Visiting Taillem Bend? 2 bedroom cottage (B&B), separate dining room/kitchen/lounge/ washing machine and dryer, tv Austar, large outdoor living area with exceptional views of River Murray. Barbecue and secure offstreet parking adjacent to BP Roadhouse. All linen and towels supplied. Air conditioned. Phone BP Service Station to book Phone 08 8572 4133. Or visit taillembendonmurray.websyte.com.au.

Vintage News

Coming Meeting

Friday March 12 – Allen Carter has kindly agreed to provide a talk about his work on the Blue Streak rocket project –this will be fascinating!

Coming events

Sunday February 28 –Early Bird Run –this iconic event will begin from the club rooms at 7.45 am for an 8 am sharp start and a run on relatively flat ground to the Mawson Lakes Hotel for a buffet breakfast at a cost of \$12.90

May 29/30/31 Burra Bash–Note Change of date

Following the very positive feedback received regarding last year's Burra Bash we have decided to rerun the event, only this time making it even better – staying Saturday and Sunday night at Paxton cottages (those with commitments on Monday can leave on Sunday).Our visit will coincide with History Week - again there will be little cost and much fun – expect full costings soon .

Andrew Christophersen

Library News

CLEARANCE SALE

SATURDAY MARCH 27 9.00 am
DON'T MISS THIS ANNUAL SALE OF
SURPLUS and DONATED

BOOKS

MAGAZINES

BROCHURES

WORKSHOP MANUALS

POSTERS

MEMORABILIA

COME AND LOOK FOR YOUR FAVOURITE

SUBJECT

STOCK UP FOR YOUR WINTER READING

AT THE CLUBROOMS

51 KING WILLIAM RD

UNLEY

Congratulations to Library members Trevor Fay and Bob Taylor for having their work accepted by the prestigious American motoring magazine, Sports Car Market (www.sportscarmarket.com)

From the Library – Connecting People with Information

Fleurieu News

Sunday 28 February – Fleurieu Dawn Buster Run from Goolwa wharf, 7.15am start culminating in a mystery breakfast.

For catering purposes please advise run organiser Garry Rainsford of numbers attending on 8338 4806 or garry@rcc.on.net.

In the Mailbag

I wish to advise you that the Dodge Brothers Club of Australia is holding their National Rally this year to be held in Nuriootpa 19-24 September.

If any members own, or know of owners, of a Dodge Brothers vehicle, and are interested in attending this Rally please contact me on 0412 468 341 or (ah) 8261 5366.

Please note that whilst in the Barossa we will be going on various runs. If anyone would like more details of the program please contact me.

Penny Smith

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Drift Supercup
Mallala

Website Forum

The Sporting Car Club's website forum is again open for members to enjoy the opportunity to chat and share information online. It is currently available only to members of the Club. Please drop in and have a look at: <http://www.sportingcarclubsa.org.au/Forum/>

Press Release

We are very pleased to announce the re-opening of Collectable Classics here in SA.

First opened in 1988 by Michael Finnis, the business established itself as Adelaide's Leading Classic Car Dealer.

Michael has since moved on to start the Goolwa Motor Museum.

New owner Ben Finnis has had over 20 years experience in the Car Industry and also runs a Car sourcing / Finance Business.

He has a strong interest in Classic cars and has raced a RX3 coupe as well as a Group C RX7 that he has just about finished restoring.

Collectable Classics will be operating at Unit 1 – 34 Simper Crescent, Mount Barker and will specialise in selling / the consignment of Sports, Classic and Unique cars.....

Ben can be contacted on either 0411 744 190 or 8391 2589.

CALENDAR of EVENTS

March 2010

- 3 General Meeting – Clubrooms
- 5 Section Meeting - Classic
- 7 Wintercup 3 Hillclimb – Collingrove
- 7 Historic Vehicle Day – Veteran, Vintage
- 9 Section Meeting - HRR
- 10 Section Meeting – HQ
- 11-14 Clipsal 500
- 12 Section Meeting – Vintage
- 14 Wittber Run – Veteran, Vintage
- 19 Section Meeting – Veteran
- 27 Giant Book Sale Library - Clubrooms
- 25-29 Booleroo Centre Steam Rally – All welcome

April 2010

- 3 National Historic Race Meeting – Mallala
- 6 Forum Meeting – Clubrooms
- 7 General Meeting – Clubrooms
- 9 Section Meeting – Classic, Vintage
- 10 Drift Practice – Mallala
- 11 Old Keels & Wheels
- 11 Dawnbuster Run – Fleurieu
- 13 Hub Lunch – Paradise Hotel
- 16 Section Meeting – Veteran
- 17-18 Drift Supercup – Mallala
- 21 Section Meeting – HQ
- 24 Multiclub 2 – Collingrove
- 26 Come 'n Try Hillclimb - Collingrove

Hub Lunch

The next Hub Lunch will be held on

Date: Tuesday April 13, 2010.

Time: 12.30pm

Place: Paradise Hotel, 700 Lower North East Road, PARADISE.

RSVP: Sarah Pfeiffer on 0409 197 404 or by email sarahsweets@adam.com.au.

