



Your ABCCC News



The Official Newsletter of the All British Classics Car Club of Vic Inc

Front Cover

Taken in the carpark at the Annual Luncheon
A filter issue
Its better to be cautious than sorry!

Another Roller story:

A guy takes his Rolls Royce into the dealership for a service. They drive it into the service bay and the chief mechanic decides to let the new trainee clean up the interior to give him something to do. He's vacuuming the carpets in the front footwell when he finds a golf tee. He has no idea what it is so he takes it to the chief mechanic and asks him what it's for... The mechanic looks at it and says "It's for resting your balls on whilst driving" To which the trainee exclaims "Wow! Rolls Royce really do think of everything"

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Important policy update

“Club Policy for Special Events and Weekend Away and Extended Events”

With Special Events such as: - Annual General Meeting, Annual Lunch and Christmas Lunch – payment for these events can be paid into the Clubs bank Account and a Club cheque will be written out to cover payment for these events. In the past the Club has paid some of the costs. On occasions the Club has paid the whole bill and in this case no money was required from the members. Refunds will be allowed until numbers has been given to the Caterer. After that no refund as the Club must pay on numbers given.

“Weekend Away or Extended Events”

This is to be a pay as you go event with Entrants paying for their accommodation, meals and drinks, breakfast and morning tea. On special occasions when a Bus/Boat or Ferry is needed to be hired this can be billed through the Club Account as it will be a fixed charge. The share of those attending can be paid into the Club Bank Account and in this case, there will be no refund if those attending are not able to come. If there is to be a BBQ on the accommodation premises a charge to be apportioned to all entrants attending.

Moved Tony Pettigrew seconded Bill Allen that this to be Club Policy in the future for all events.

Motion was voted on and unanimously passed.

CLUB INFORMATION

Visit the club's Website for information about how club matters are conducted. This Website also features information about how the Victorian Club Permit Scheme (VCPS) is operated by the All British Classics Car Club Vic Inc.

Our club does have one explicit rule – for those motor cars operating on the Victorian Club Permit Scheme (VCPS), using the auspices of the All British Classics Car Club Vic Inc., for the ongoing benefit of the VCPS, their owners must continue to be a financial member for the duration of the permit period, and attend a minimum of three club events during the permit's active year. Failure to respect this rule will result in the VCPS renewal being insupportable and void.

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The Association of Motoring Clubs Website http://www.aomc.asn.au/			
The Federation of Veteran, Vintage and Classic Car Clubs Website http://www.federation.asn.au/			

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MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTIONS

The annual membership subscription for the All British Classics Car Club Vic Inc. is \$45.00 per annum. This subscription fee also includes the club member's partner. In addition to that, there is a once-only \$30.00 Joining Fee. Please address membership enquiries to: Membership Secretary PO Box 190 Coldstream Victoria, 3770. Telephone Number 03 9739 1879.

LIFE MEMBERS

The All British Classics Car Club Vic Inc was founded by the late Frank E Douglas on 19th September, 1997. The Club is proud to grant Life Membership to those who provide exceptional service to our club.

Current Life Members are: Pat J Douglas, Mike Allfrey, Tony & Maxine Pettigrew

CLUB PERMIT SCHEME

ABCCC is a VicRoads authorised Club to participate in the VicRoads Club Permit Scheme (CPS)

The ABCCC has set rules & conditions for operating a motor vehicle [twenty-five (25) years old and older on the CPS, for further information about how the CPS is conducted by the All British Classics Car Club please visit the club's Website Link [ABCCC Club Permit Scheme information](#) All the information is available online.

1. **Initial contact** should be made with the club's Vehicle Logbook Club Permit Scheme (VLCPS) Applications Officer, currently Wally Thompson. He will advise the procedure for application with respect to the conditions set by the ABCCC. He must also provide a first inspection of the vehicle.
2. **PERMIT RENEWALS** VicRoads requires that an ABCCC authorised VLCPS Officer's signature is entered on the permit renewal notice. Therefore, your VLCPS renewal should be sent to Colin Brown, PO Box 40, Coldstream, Victoria 3770. Enclose with it a stamped envelope addressed to VicRoads, along with a cheque/money order for the VLCPS fee. Colin will sign on behalf of the ABCCC, and then forward the permit renewal on to VicRoads. The form also requires YOUR signature, so be sure to sign it as the permit holder as well.

Both Wally & Colin's position are entirely voluntary, so due consideration should be given when contacting them.

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

Payment of ABCCC Annual Fees of \$45.00 are due by 1st January each year Please post or Transfer money to: All British Classics Car Club, Membership Secretary PO Box 190 Coldstream Victoria, 3770. Tel 0438 508 235

Please note that, should you be unfinancial and driving a classic car under the auspices of our club on the Victorian Club Permit Scheme, you are effectively driving an unregistered motor vehicle.

Bank details: BSB 063 863, A/c No.1001 3709, please provide your details as a reference. Renewal Form can be downloaded if required to update information, from the ABCCC Website. Thank you, Ed Bartosh

NEW MEMBERS

A hearty welcome to the well-oiled machine that is the All British Classics Car Club. We hope to be able to welcome you and, in actual fact, your British classic motor cars, at one of our events soon. Our club aims to have two motoring events each month, so there are plenty of fabulous events for you to select from.

Welcome!

<u>Name</u>	<u>Car</u>	<u>Model</u>	<u>Year</u>
Ken Moulton & Sue Pilkington	TBC (Jaguar)		
Paul & Jennifer Pascoe	Triump Vitesse	1965	

Ed Bartosh– Membership Secretary



Did you watch last month's recommendation?
Links copy & paste

All British Car day 2017 in South Australia

<https://youtu.be/iFST9GvMcYA>

2013 Fly the Flag 11th Northern tour

<https://youtu.be/iWfj4QhUEo>

(thanks Gordon Lindner's collection) - Great memories

Vale

Carl Gibson

I knew Carl for sixty years as a brother-in-law, friend and car club member.

It was while having dinner at his house in 2001 I mentioned I was going on the Fly the Flag by myself, as Maxine had to work, and he asked if he could accompany me, that is when his club involvement began. We were off on the first and longest Fly the Flag co-driving the Lea-Francis and marshalling throughout the Tour, it was a learning curve for everyone. After that experience he was hooked on old cars and the ABCCC and we spent a lot of time looking for old British cars without success.



It was at this time he told me what he really wanted was a Mustang so I said go for it and he became the first member with a non-British car. He loved that car and delighted in driving it on country rallies like Begonia, Macedon and Hamilton and of course the FTF.

He was a marshal on the first ten FTF Tours as well as the Great Australian Rally and one of my fondest memories was when he and his son Wayne accompanied us on the Andamooka Safari.

He was a man who followed his dreams, he retired early, sold his Jaguar, bought a caravan and four wheel drive and he and Bernie took off. Over the past few years they travelled extensively both around Australia and the world.

He will be sadly missed by his sister and family and all who knew him.

Rest In Peace Carl

Tony Pettigrew

Vale

Stella Stark



It is with such sadness of the news that Stella had passed away on Thursday 7th July 2022 aged 52 years, after fighting cancer for more than five years.

Stella will be remembered for her active role in the Fly The Flag tours, Great Australian Rally and strong support of club events. Our condolences go to Robert and family.

R.I.P Stella

SCAM ALERT

Please be aware that there are a lot of SCAM e-mails going around. You may receive an "innocent" e-mail supposedly from Tony or me or someone else you trust - sometimes asking you to click on a link or do something else. There are a couple of clues in them to warn you.

Firstly, it may not be from whom it says. I received one, but this is the "FROM" line: "Tony Pettigrew <georgelawn39@gmail.com>" - obviously not our Tony Pettigrew's e-mail address. You may have to hover over a name to see the actual FROM e-mail address.

Secondly, The link shown in the e-mail may not be the actual end point: It may read "www.abccc.com.au" but the actual link may end up at "givemeyourmoney.hacker.com", which you may be able to tell by hovering your pointer over the link. **DO NOT CLICK ON THE LINK!**

If it asks you to click on a link and you want to check on it, you may be better off using your browser and typing in the proper link instead. My bank sends out information, but advises me to go to their web site on my own, and follow the menu items or steps rather than click on a link in an e-mail.

Don't open any unsolicited attachment unless you can verify it's authenticity. For example, our newsletter e-mail.

If it doesn't "feel" right, be safe. Call the person or organisation to check on the e-mail. This is especially important on those supposedly from the ATO.

NEVER provide your username or password or PIN or bank details to an unsolicited e-mail or caller.



NOTE: Because of difficulties in members getting our newsletter, we may start sending a notice to members to view and download the newsletter from the web site rather than sending it as an attachment. We'd be interested in your opinion on this.

Ed Bartosh - webmaster@abccc.com.au



ABCCC EVENTS DIRECTORY

Note: This ABCCC Events Directory lists only those events organised by the ABCCC. There have been other events that, due to constraints, have been deleted from this issue. Only those events scheduled in this Directory qualify for Victorian Club Permit Scheme requirements. All events are also listed on the club website.

ABCCC Events Directory			
If you are attending any of these events please contact the Organiser as numbers are often required			
			
		August 2022	September 2022
		7 th “On your Marques” run to a country pub with a bit of a twist Geoff & Judy Birkett (03) 9755 1772 Updated information provided in this edition	7 th Terry’s Magic Island Run  Ian Terry 0409 097 496 Updated information provided in this edition
		21 st Visit to China Town Greg Anglin 0419 882 155 Updated information provided in this edition	16 th 17 th 18 th Sandra’s September. Sandra Wishart 0403 245 700 Updated information provided in this edition Fully booked
October 2022		November 2022	December 2022
2 nd	Ned Kelly Run, Phil Cook	1 st	11 th
		Cup Day Car Display and Picnic Yarra Glen Racecourse Colin Brown 0408 343 176	Christmas Lunch Venue details TBA
21 st - 23 rd	Indulgence weekend to Pt Fairy Peter McKiernan	3 rd - 16 th 27 th	
		Third Time Lucky Sapphire Coast Tour Tony 0425 789 997 (if your Lucky) Paradise Run, visiting Vietnam Museum and lunch at the RSL at Philip Island. Ian Terry. Details in this edition	

Assistance: If you are attending any of these events pls consider writing a few quick lines or comments and send to the editor, we can include in the next edition! Email editor@abccc.com.au

WHAT HAVE WE BEEN DOING

July 10th – Annual luncheon at Killara Estate (pictorial)

Another great year!

Another great turnout of ABCCC members to the Annual luncheon at Killara Estate in Seville.

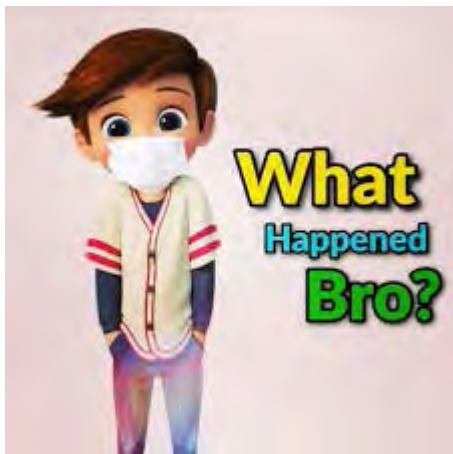
The lovely camellias from Joy & Colin's garden, were stunning.







Sunday 24th July - we had our Gippsland Countryside Run



..... don't forget to send photos of events

Facebook - don't forget to like ABCCC on facebook link.....
[.https://www.facebook.com/AllBritishClassicsCarClub/](https://www.facebook.com/AllBritishClassicsCarClub/)





REGISTER YOUR INTEREST

Seeing that our members are now in their senior years, Sandra & I thought this First Aid & CPR course could be quite valuable & we are looking for a response from the members of ABCCC.

Duration of the course is 3hrs at a cost of \$95 pp.
Location is in Dandenong.

If interested, please contact Leigh at leigh@wishartautotech.com.au or 0403 243 700



Reminder for upcoming ABCCC events

Looking ahead to what's happening

August

7th August - "ON YOUR MARQUES" Geoff And Judy Birkett

We will meet outside the Olinda Community Centre on the Olinda/Monbulk Road Melway Map 66 ref K8 at 9.00 for a 9.30 departure. Grab a quick coffee in Olinda or the coffee caravan situated on the LHS in the old golf club carpark on Olinda/Monbulk Road, just before our meet-up point.



We will then proceed to an alpaca farm that has its own spinning mill with a retail shop attached. The cost of a tour of the mill is \$10 p.p and is very interesting, showing the process from start to finished yarn. Yarn is available for purchase in 100gr skeins, in all colours imaginable, some in alpaca/camel mix, alpaca/possum and alpaca/merino as well as pure alpaca. 4ply, 5ply and 8ply available and purchases can be made via EFT. Cash is requested for the mill tour.

Luncheon is planned at York on Lilydale at the Bistro. Those who attend on the day and come in their classic car will have their names entered for a prize to be drawn at lunch.

Please advise of your intention to attend by 31st July, so as numbers can be confirmed for the lunch venue and alpaca farm, email confirmation preferred.

Geoff and Judy Birkett, email greengem3@bigpond.com

Phone 9755 1772

Sunday 21st August 2022 A tour of Chinatown



A guided tour of the of the Chinese Museum of Australian History followed by a guided walking tour of Chinatown and Yum Cha Lunch (Set Menu – please advise of any dietary requirements).

Costs:

Great Explorer Museum Tour and Walking Tour of Chinatown \$20.00 p.p. (Concession \$16.00 p.p.)

Yum Cha Lunch - \$25.00 p.p.

Meet at the Chinese Museum 22 Cohen Place Melbourne at 10:15am ready for tour to commence at 10:30am.

For further information contact Greg or Geraldine Anglin 9876 3293 or 0419 882 155 or gregsbusy@msn.com

Terry's Magic Island Mid Week Run

An ABCCC Event for Wednesday 7th September 2022



Start Point Caldermeade BP Servo
Map Ref: 96 A/5

A quick run, to fun in the sun! Join us on our tour to Phillip Island, tasting the wares and having a ball! Or was that a bowl? Finishing with a delicious meal at the RSL Bistro Cowes.

Assemble at 9.30am and depart 10.00am for Phillip Island on the M420 @ BP Service Strn. Caldermeade **Map Ref: 96 A/5**

At Newhaven just over the San Remo/Phillip Island Bridge, stop at The Chocolate Factory for a taste. **Map Ref: 95 G/10**

Continue on to Cowes for our 11.00am Ten Pin Bowling activity, loads of fun there. One game booked, strike? **Map Ref: 95 F/9**

We are booked into Phillip Island RSL for lunch as a group for 1.00pm

Map Ref: 95 E/9

After lunch return home or tour the Island at your leisure

Directory Used This Trip is:

RACV VicRoads Country Edition 7

For bookings please SMS/ring Ian Terry on: 0409 097 496
On The Day: Peter Jones will be your Tour Leader:

04165054240



Sandra's September Run 16th, 17th & 18th September 2022

Hi to the people who have booked to come along or are about to book for Sandra's September run.

Some more details for you & an update on our little trip to Maryborough.

Friday 16th, we will meet at the BP Service Station Rockbank. [M8]. On the Western Freeway, there is a McDonald's there for coffee & a toilet break if required. Ps. Not the 7 Eleven exit to Wallace [C702]

Our aim is to get to the Wallace Hotel for lunch at approx. 1pm. Earlier.

Anybody with special dietary issues are asked to call ahead to discuss with the hotel staff. 5334-0322.

For anybody running late & missing the starting point you can go direct to the Wallace Hotel along the Western Freeway for 63.5 Kms from the BP. The start of the run. Turn left at C291 Wallace Bungaree Creswick & Maryborough. The hotel is about 200 meters on your right.

We will be going along some interesting back roads & through some cute little towns.

We will have 4 stops along the way with one being for lunch - Wallace Hotel.

We have booked out a motel in Maryborough, please call Leigh or Sandra for the details.

All rooms at the motel in Maryborough are fitted with hair dryers, microwaves, toasters, coffee & tea making facilities. There is also a Continental breakfast available to have in your room.

All rooms are ground floor. Parking is allocated directly outside your room.

Dinner has been booked for the Friday & Saturday night.

Saturday 17th is a free day for you to explore the area. We will have some information / brochures for you.

On your way home on Sunday 18th there is a Farmers Market that you might be interested in going to approx 10km from Maryborough.

Weather permitting we can catch up Saturday afternoon near the pool for drinks & nibbles before heading off to dinner.

We are very pleased with the great response to our September Run.

We are fully booked now but would welcome anybody who wanted to go on a waiting list.

We are really looking forward to the run & catching up with everybody.

Call Leigh on 0403243700 or Sandra on 0402215367



The Paradise Tour: Phillip Island Sunday 27th November 2020

An ABCCC Event organized by Ian and Lyn Terry

Contact Ian for booking: 0409 097 496

Start Point Caldermeade Dairy Farm & Café

Map Ref: **96 A/5**

Assemble at 9.30am and depart 10.00am for Phillip Island on the M420

At Newhaven we attend the National Vietnam Veterans Museum for bites and coffee: Time there is an hour to take all in.

Veterans Drive Newhaven- next to Airport

Map Ref: 95 G/10

We are booked into Phillip Island RSL for lunch as a group for 1.00pm

Map Ref: 95 E/9

After lunch return home or tour the Island at your leisure.

Penguins at Night, Nobbies Drive, Blow Hole

Shops and Pier Walks, Wineries, Ryll Drive

San Remo Bakeries, lots of choices!!!!

Directory Used This Trip is:

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Latest News from Federation

Federation Events.



- Bendigo to Castlemaine event 27th August 2022
 - Marong Picnic. 28th August 2022
 - Bendigo Swap 12th and 13th November 2022
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VicRoads News



The following information has been supplied by VicRoads after an enquiry from the AOMC.

Electronic Road Worthy Certificates Licensed Vehicle Testers (LVTs) will be able to generate electronic copies for emailing to vehicle owners.

LVTs will provide a printed a copy for the vehicle owner upon request, or the vehicle owner can simply print it themselves from the email they receive.

The Certificate of Roadworthiness continues to include all the fields that are required to submit a registration, registration transfer or club permit application form.

VicRoads staff are also able to verify the Certificate of Roadworthiness details provided on the Certificates of Roadworthiness from the E RWC system. Roadworthy e Certificate (eRWC) system is already being used by a number of Victorian Licensed Vehicle Testers (LVT) to create, manage and store their certificates of roadworthiness online.

So if your club requires a hard copy certificate for recording then the applicant needs to request a copy from Vic Roads. Our Customer Service Centres Before you visit, please check for any temporary closures and changes to VicRoads operations and opening hours due to COVID-19. Some of our Customer Service Centres are delivering services via appointment only.

Don't forget - if you can complete your transaction online we encourage you to do so to limit movement between our sites and to continue to protect the health and wellbeing of all our customers and staff.

Please do not visit us if you're unwell. Open a myVicRoads account. The quickest and easiest way to view your vehicle information, update your registration period, change your personal details and manage registration payments and reminders is through a myVicRoads account.

Details on how to open an account can be found on the VicRoads website by clicking on the 'I want to' icon then the 'sign up to myvicroads' link.



This is what we, who are aged 70 or 80 years plus, can look forward to.

This is something that happened at an assisted living center. The people who lived there had small apartments but they all ate at a central cafeteria. One morning one of the residents didn't show up for breakfast so my wife went upstairs and knocked on his door to see if everything was OK. She could hear him through the door and he said that he was running late and would be down shortly, so she went back to the dining area.



An hour later he still hadn't arrived, so she went back up towards his room but found him on the stairs. He was coming down the stairs but was having a hard time. He had a death grip on the hand rail and seemed to have trouble getting his legs to work right. She told him she was going to call an ambulance but he told her no, he wasn't in any pain and just wanted to have his breakfast. So, she helped him the rest of the way down the stairs and he had his breakfast. When he tried to return to his room, he was completely unable to get up even the first stair step, so they called an ambulance for him.

A couple of hours later she called the hospital to see how he was doing. The receptionist there said he was fine, he just had both of his legs in one side of his boxer shorts.

I'm sending this to my children so that they don't sell the house before they know all the facts.

[Thanks Peter Hibbert](#)



[Thanks to Lance Brazier](#)

