

## Coming Up

**\*\*GVMVDC Monthly Meeting, Clubrooms – 8:00pm Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April 2024**  
Masks and sanitiser are provided for those who need them.

Meeting  
Reminder!

**Bruce's Bogie Box, Strathbogie – 5<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

Bruce Hargrave has a mobile exhibition of his artwork in Main St, Strathbogie for most of April, with the official opening 2:30pm Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> April. Details 0400-414 547.



**\*\*Club Coffee Run, Violet Town – Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

April's coffee run shall be to Violet Town where we will be having morning tea at Jacksons Produce Store and Café, located in the Main Street next door to the Ellen Francis Hotel.

Whilst in Violet town we will be able to check out the new mural honouring women's contribution to the Australian defence forces. There is also the Southern Aurora memorial garden for those who haven't seen it.



After this we shall depart for Euroa where we will be having lunch at the Seven Creeks Hotel for those who wish to. For those club members wishing to travel as a group please be at the front of the old Pine Lodge Hotel for a 9:30am departure. We will be taking numbers for this coffee run at the April club meeting.

*Leigh Johnston*

**\*\*Saturday Social Day, Peppermill Inn Kialla – 20<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

Our next Saturday Social Day will be on the 20th April 2024, at the Peppermill at 12.00pm. Could everyone wanting to attend please ring **Les on 0417-061727** no later than Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> April so he can book enough tables. ALL WELCOME.



*Sandra*

**Melbourne to MOVE – 20<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

Following the success of the inaugural event last year, the Melbourne to MOVE rally will be held again this year. It starts in north-west Melbourne at 9am, lunch is in Toolamba and the dinner is at MOVE. Proceeds from the day help to keep MOVE running. You can meet the rally participants and enjoy the festival at MOVE at about 3-4pm, and stay for the dinner for only \$20. If staying for dinner, please advise Lloyd Healey.

Details are available on the MOVE Facebook page.



**\*\*Merrigum Heritage Day – Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2024**

Merrigum Historical Society's annual heritage day is on again, Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> April at Waverley Avenue, Merrigum.

This is an interesting day featuring old skills such as hay baling, woodturning, butter churning, etc. Barbecue lunch is available.

For those club members wishing to travel as a group meet in the service road opposite McDonald's in Mooroopna at 9:45 am. Cost is \$10 per adult.

*Leigh Johnston*



**Morris Register National Rally, Shepparton – 24<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

Approximately 110 cars are expected to attend this national rally in April. The rally will include :

- Tue 23<sup>rd</sup> registration and having an early look around the area.
- Wed 24<sup>th</sup> Official start of the rally. Opening dinner at the golf club.
- Thu 25<sup>th</sup> Run to Tatura, including optional ANZAC Day service.
- Fri 26<sup>th</sup> Run to the Goorambar area to see silo art.
- Sat 27<sup>th</sup> **Display Day at the Lake** – the public are welcome to visit 10am-3pm
- Sun 28<sup>th</sup> Run to MOVE.
- Mon 29<sup>th</sup> Closing ceremony and optional day run.

Details are on the club's website at [www.moreg.org.au](http://www.moreg.org.au) or contact Brendan Walsh.



24<sup>TH</sup> NATIONAL RALLY

**\*\*Ladies' Lunch, Shepparton – 26<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

Our next Ladies Lunch is on the 26<sup>th</sup> April from 11.30am at Friars Cafe. All our Lady members are most welcome to come along and have a good laugh and a lovely lunch with lots of chatter.

Please call me on 0407-848 014 by 24<sup>th</sup> April so I can confirm the numbers with Friars Cafe.

Cheers,

*Mary Apostol 0407-848 014*



## **\*\*Club Run to Kerrisdale Mountain Railway – 27<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

You may all remember we were going to run this outing last year but it was cancelled due to rain, anyway we're having another go. Kerrisdale Mountain Railway is located between Seymour and Yea on the Goulburn Valley Highway and is a very interesting place to visit which includes a ride on a private railway to top of Kerrisdale mountain which provides stunning views. It is well worth seeing.



After visiting Kerrisdale Mountain Railway we shall return to Seymour where we will have lunch at the Royal Hotel. The entry fee for Kerrisdale is \$18 per person including morning tea – please have the correct amount of money, no EFTPOS. For those wishing to travel as a group please be at the club rooms at 8:30 am for a 8:45 am sharp departure. Club members from other towns could wait on the Yea side of Seymour to catch up with the group or go directly to Kerrisdale. We will be taking numbers at the April meeting or you can contact the following. It is important that we have fairly accurate numbers of people who shall be attending.

Hugh 0409-215112, Leigh 0409-645556, Alan 0417-084679

## **Historic Racing, Winton – 25<sup>th</sup>-26<sup>th</sup> May 2024**

The 47th Historic Winton, Australia's longest running and most popular historic car and motorcycle race event, will be held on 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> May 2024 at Winton Motor Raceway.

Organised by the Austin 7 Club Inc, President Len Kerwood said that the inaugural N Class Touring Car "Tin Top" (N category touring cars from pre-1958 to 1972) Regularity event was such a big hit in 2023 that it's on the program again in 2024.



Tickets are already available at <https://www.historicwinton.org/the-event/buy-tickets>

## **Tallygaroopna Hall Centenary – 8<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> June 2024**

The organisers of the Hall's centenary celebrations have asked if we could display up to 10 vintage cars at Tallygaroopna in June. If you've got a vintage car and would like to be involved, please contact Lloyd Healey.



## **\*\*Christmas in July, Lake Hume – 6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> July 2024**

This year for Christmas in July we shall be going to the Lake Hume Resort for Christmas dinner with all the trimmings, overnight accommodation and a fully cooked breakfast. We will be taking names for those members who wish to go at the April club meeting. We will require a deposit of \$100, Final payment to be made on or before the June club meeting. The final cost is not yet finalised but it will be around \$200-\$210. Therefore the total cost would be \$300 to \$320 per room for two people. You could also contact the following if you wish to go. Payment can be made at the club meeting or direct deposit BSB 633 000. Account No.1366 25076.



Leigh 0409-645556 Alan 0417-084679 Hughie 0409-215112

## **\*\*Canberra Floriade Rally – 15<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> September 2024**

Departing Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup> 2024, returning Tuesday September 24<sup>th</sup> 2024.

Our rally for 2024 shall be to Canberra to coincide with the annual Floriade festival.

The rally shall run over nine nights and as well as Canberra we will be visiting many interesting towns in New South Wales. There will be no long distance days so this rally will be suitable for all Vintage, early and late classic vehicles. We look forward to your friendship and company.

1st instalment-\$750	due by 31st January 2024.
<b>2nd instalment-\$750</b>	<b>due by 31st March 2024.</b>
3rd instalment-\$750	due by 31st May 2024.
4th instalment-\$TBA	due by 31st July 2024.



Direct deposit into the Bendigo bank GVMVDC. Inc. Rally 2 account, make sure you use your Name as a reference. BSB 633 000. Account 139718027.

If paying by cheque please post to : Leigh Johnston 18 Richards Street Kyabram 3620

**The rally is fully booked, but you can put your name on a waiting list in case somebody pulls out.**

Committee. Leigh and Lynne Johnston, Lynn and Julie Tyrrell.

Contacts, Julie 0400-810 054, email [julietyr@bigpond.net.au](mailto:julietyr@bigpond.net.au) Leigh 0409-645 556.

## **\*\*Rally of the Valley, Shepparton – Friday 1<sup>st</sup>-Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> November 2024**

The Rally of the Valley is on again this year, after being cancelled last time due to Covid. It is the weekend prior to the Melbourne Cup and a committee has been formed to organise it. Details will be released in the next couple of months, but it would pay to arrange your accommodation soon.



## Driver's Calendar

2024

- APR 14 **\*\* Club Monthly Meeting – Clubrooms 8:00pm**
- 5 - 29 Bruce's Bogie Box – Main St, Strathbogie  
Mobile art exhibition by Bruce Hargrave. Details on p.6.
- 14 Chiltern Cancer Cruise – Lake Anderson  
9am-2pm Entry \$10/car or bike.
- 14 Lancefield Car and Collectables Swap Meet  
Entry \$6/person. Details at [www.lancefieldswapmeet.com](http://www.lancefieldswapmeet.com)
- 17 **\*\* Club coffee run to Violet Town**  
Details on p.6.
- 18 - 21 Veteran Car Club Four & More Rally – Kyabram  
Details at <https://veterancarclub.org.au/>
- 20 **\*\* Saturday Social Day – Peppermill Inn**  
Details on p.6.
- 20 Melbourne to MOVE  
<https://www.facebook.com/museumofvehicleevolution/>
- 21 **\*\* Merrigum Heritage Day**  
Details on p.6.
- 24 - 29 Morris Registers 24<sup>th</sup> National Rally – Shepparton  
See details on p.6 and at [www.moreg.org.au](http://www.moreg.org.au)
- 26 - 28 Florence Thomson Tour – Gippsland  
<https://www.aomc.asn.au/car-shows-and-events-calendar>
- 26 **\*\* Ladies' Lunch – Shepparton**  
See details on p.6.
- 27 **\*\* Club run to Kerrisdale Mountain Railway**  
Details on p.6.
- MAY 4 - 5 Drive Back in Time – Beechworth  
Main display in Ford St from 8am-2pm, entry \$5/veh.  
public \$gold coin. Details from David 0407-057 894.
- 4 - 5 GV Hospice Rallye – Bendigo  
Details from Kelvin at [kelvin.maude@gmail.com](mailto:kelvin.maude@gmail.com)
- 19 **National Motoring Heritage Day**  
All heritage vehicle clubs are asked to stage events.
- 25 - 26 Historic Racing – Winton  
Details on p.7.
- JUN 8 - 9 Tallygaroopna Hall centenary celebrations  
Details on p.7 or from Lloyd Healey
- JUL 6 - 7 **\*\* Christmas in July – Lake Hume**  
Details on p.7.
- AUG 25 Federation Picnic – Marong
- 25 - 1SEP Federation Golden Oldies Tour – Maryborough, Daylesford, Ballarat  
Details at [www.federation.asn.au/calendar-of-events](http://www.federation.asn.au/calendar-of-events)  
Entries close 31 May. (Two adults \$250 for entry, most meals)
- SEP 8 **\*\* Shepparton Swap Meet – Showgrounds**  
Details at [www.gvmvdc.com.au/GVMswp.html](http://www.gvmvdc.com.au/GVMswp.html)
- 15 - 24 **\*\* Canberra Floriade Rally**  
Details on p.7.
- OCT 13 Show Us Ya Wheels – Numurkah  
Details at [www.showusyawheels.com.au](http://www.showusyawheels.com.au)
- NOV 1 - 5 **\*\* GVMVDC Rally of the Valley**  
Details to come. Arrange your accommodation soon.

2025

- MAR 13 - 16 GT Falcon Nationals – Shepparton  
Details at [www.20thfalcongnationals2025.com](http://www.20thfalcongnationals2025.com)

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