



President's Report:

July was a busy month with two runs, first, 4th July Independence Day run to Nth. Canterbury, including the Annual Poker run. Some great support for Stars and Stripes and some very American dress code in support of the event. A fabulous home cooked afternoon tea was provided and a very competitive game of poker was a highlight of a great day out. Results and pics later in this issue.

Mid-Winter Xmas in July gave us a fun run to Glentunnel and incorporated the Quiz for the Annual run. Santa made his usual appearance and gave out the Xmas spirit to all in attendance. Once again a very competitive annual quiz with some very tricky quiz questions to test even the most knowledgeable in our club. Again results and pics later in this issue.

It was good to see a very impressive turnout for both events from members and a very nice variety of club vehicles on display.

The month like most these days has been dominated by covid's global events and the world remains still off limits to most of us. Politics and weather seemed to also play their part over the last month with one of biggest protests ever seen in NZ. Seemly dominated by farmers with a HOWL of a protest but very keenly supported by many other ute supporters with the new "ute tax" the final straw. Mother nature also came to the party and really made her presence felt in Canterbury with much destruction and frustration the end result for many.

Thanks again to the committee for another great month of planning and making it all happen on the day.

Finally, it's time to start planning for this year's USA day so if you have any thoughts for sponsorship opportunities etc. please let Jimmi know.

Keep ya motor running and have a pirfic day.

*Bill Stanley
President*

Welcome to New members:

- Kevin & Tracey Dwyer with a 1995 Pontiac Trans-Am Convertible
- Kathy Jarrett & Neil Graham with a 1965 Chevy Impala Coupe

LUNCH RUN - Sunday 15th August

We will meet at the
Selwyn District Council Car Park
in Norman Kirk Drive, Rolleston.
Meeting at 11am to leave at 11.30am
There will be approximately a 45 minute run
ending up at the
Ashburton Hotel, Racecourse Road, Ashburton
for lunch at 12.30pm.
(a copy of the menus are below ... the seniors lunch is \$20
for two courses, but you don't have to be
a senior to order from this menu)

The Canterbury Aero Club 50th Anniversary Saturday 25th September 2021

The Canterbury Aero Club has invited us display our cars –
pre 1970 American vehicles at the 50th Anniversary of the opening of the
West Melton Airfield on Weedons Ross Road.
They would like at least 20 cars and the day will start at 9am and finish 3pm.
There will be coffee and snacks available to purchase during the day.
Could you please advise Jimmi if you can attend this event.
The details will be sent to those who can be there on the day.
There will be older aircraft as far back as the Tiger Moth,
so it should be a spectacular event.
This show will be weather dependent.
Free admission for display cars
(This is not a club event)



Club Captain's Report

Independence Day – Poker Run on Sunday 4th July

A bit of history about the Poker Run trophy In July 1994 long time Club Member, John Robertshaw, passed away at the age of thirty-seven. John had served on the committee and had been a very strong member of the club. John owned several American vehicles including a '46 Ford Truck, early 60's Pontiac Laurentian and Studebakers. John is also well remembered for his huge collection of car number plates and AA badges from around the world. John regularly organized the Poker Run and this become an annual event to honor his memory. The AA badge on the Poker Run trophy is to acknowledge the enjoyment John took in collecting these badges. John Robertshaw's brother recently donated some memorabilia to the club which was on display at the Poker Run.

It was a great half hour cruise from the Peg to The Old Leithfield Hotel. The day started off with a minus 5 degree frost and by the time we all assembled, the weather was very pleasant. There was a fantastic line up of 26 shiny American cars, and 50 members in attendance. The Poker Trophy and three prizes and were up for grabs, one prize for the Independence Day quiz and a prize for the best dressed Independence Day costume (results below).

After poker and a quiz we had a great afternoon tea. As well as tea and coffee, there were sandwiches, homemade savouries, venison patties, samosas, mini spring rolls, vege parcels, creamed lamingtons and a variety of homemade slices. Everything was delicious.

What with the weather, great hospitality, Independence Day quiz and a game of Poker, we were all winners on the day.

The second event in July was the mid Winter Christmas & Annual Run. We had a change of meeting place as the Rolly Inn car park is getting made into a service station. Another good crowd of members, 50 people and 23 cars. We met at the Rolleston Council car park and had a $\frac{1}{2}$ hour cruise to the Willows Café & Golf Course at Glentunnel. It was windy and cool when we left Rolleston, and we had a little wind on our journey, but when we arrived at Glentunnel, the weather had changed and it was quite calm.

Santa Claus arrived with his sack full of goodies. After the gift exchange we had our Annual Run competition, which made our members put on their thinking caps. Everyone had afternoon tea and to top it off the club supplied Christmas cake.

The traditional Annual Run Cup was won by Steve Pickett, runner up went to Janvier & Sue Marchand and the third prize went to Peter & Christine Craig.

All in all, we had a pleasant days cruising and it was also great place to end up.

Keep on Cruising, Stay safe - Club Captain Ray Bewley

Congratulations to our Poker run winners



1st Prize
Mike & Lil Lilly
with the winning hand
of 3 Aces



2nd Prize
Andre Miller & Anne Baird
with 3 Queens



3rd Prize
Michael & Keren Price
with 3 tens



Left:
Independence Day Quiz
Winners were
Janvier & Sue Marchand

Right:
Best Dressed
Keren Price



Mid Winter Christmas & Annual Run - 25th July 2021

Congratulations to our Annual run winners



1st Prize
Steve Pickett

2nd Prize
Janvier Marchand

3rd Prize
Peter Craig





Lunch Run Menus - Sunday 15th August at the Ashburton Hotel (seniors menu is on the right) \$20 for 2 courses

BAR AND BISTRO MENU

Chips with Tomato Sauce	\$8
Waffle Fries with Aioli	\$10
Cheese & Bacon Wedges With Sour Cream & Sweet Chilli (DFA)	\$13
Salt & Pepper Calamari on a Bed of Salad with Tartare Sauce (DF)	\$16
Ciabatta Garlic Bread with Cheese	\$12
Seafood Basket	\$16
Jalapeno Cheese Bites With Chipotle Mayo	\$13
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Bangers & Mash with Garden Peas & House Gravy	\$19
Thai Beef Salad with Toasted Peanuts (GFA/ DFA)	\$20
BLT with Chips (GFA/DFA)	\$16
Chicken Parmigiana with Tomato Coulis, Cheese, Garden Salad & Chips	\$22
Beer Battered Fish & Chips with Garden Salad & Tartare Sauce	\$24
Traditional Roast of the Day Served With House Gravy (GF/DF)	\$24
Grilled Sirloin Steak Cooked To Your Liking Served With Garden Salad, Chips & Fried Eggs (GF/DF)	\$28
Southern Fried Chicken Burger, Apple Slaw, Chipotle Mayo & Chips	\$19
Homemade Brioche Beef Burger with Streaky Bacon, Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato, Onion Jam Served With Chips	\$20
Bubble & Squeak (Gourmet Potato, Bacon, Onion, Cabbage, Garden Peas) topped with Fried Eggs & Hollandaise (GF)	\$20
Beer Braised Pork Ribs Served With Wedges (DF)	\$24
Pork Schnitzel Served On Creamy Agria Mash, Steamed Veg, Spiced Apple Sauce	\$23
Chefs Special (Please Ask the Server for Todays Special)	\$18

Main Courses
Roast of the day with all the
trimmings served with house gravy
GF

Beer battered fish & chips, served
with salad, lemon & tartare sauce
DF/ GFA

Sweetcorn & kumara pattie, poached
egg, drizzled in hollandaise served
with garden salad GF/ DFA

Beer braised beef stew served with
creamy parsley mash DFA

Panko crumbed chicken schnitzel
topped with mushroom sauce, served
with chips & salad

Desserts
Classic icecream sundae with choice of
topping, chocolate, caramel, berry GFA

Classic berry pavlova GF

Warm banana & walnut cake, chocolate
sauce and chantily cream

Sorbet of the day DF/ GF

Other Club Events - Save the Dates

Sunday 15 th August	Lunch Run to Ashburton
Sunday 5 th September	Rock & Wheels, Amberley
Sunday 10 th October	TBC
Sunday 7 th November	USA Day
Sunday 5 th December	ACCC Christmas Party
Sunday 16 th January 2022	President's Picnic



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New Club Hats - \$15 each



Black or Pink available

Non club events you may like to attend:

1st Sunday of each month:

Rodder's Breakfast meeting at the Kustoms Car Club McLeans Island 8.00am

BellaRat's Gas & Gander:

On the last Friday of each month at 7pm. Meet at the NPD, 740 Jones Road, Rolleston.

On the first Friday of each month at 7pm. Meet at the NPD, 392 Moorhouse Avenue, Sydenham.

All Welcome

November 21st, 2021:

Otago Community Hospice Show and Cruise starting at 9am, at Hancock Park Dunedin.

Sunday 21st November 2021:

Selwyn Motor Festival 2021

ALL AMERICAN WEEKEND, TIMARU 13-14th November

Starting with Cruise from Caroline Bay Sat 3-30pm for 4.30pm depart to cruise around Sth Canterbury ending at an interesting venue and "HEART KIDS STH CANTERBURY" will be having a BBQ.

Sunday Display at Caroline Bay from 10am - 2pm. Proceeds from the weekend goes to "HEART KIDS Sth Cant"

SAVE THE DATE



Daffodil Rally for Cancer

SUNDAY 22 AUGUST 2021

To find out more about your local Daffodil Rally for Cancer, visit www.vcc.org.nz

Proudly supporting the **Cancer Society**
Te Kāhui Matepukupuku o Aotearoa

Come and join the fun
All ages and vehicles types are welcome

Canterbury

Join us for a coffee at one of our four starting points: **Pak'n'Save, Southbrook, Rangiora, 10.00am; New Brighton Club, Marine Parade, 10.00am; Cashmere Club, Colombo Street, 10.00am; NPD Rolleston, Jones Road, 10.00am** After a cuppa we head off on a run to our clubrooms where the public can join the **Public Display at the VCC Grounds, McLeans Island Road, from 12 noon. BBQ lunch for purchase at VCC Grounds. Enquiries to Colin Hey – email: heywolseley699@gmail.com**