

President's Report

Happy New Year everyone, I trust you all had an enjoyable festive period and are now well settled into 2023. Good luck for the year ahead.

Over the last couple of months, we have enjoyed both the ACCC Xmas party and Presidents picnic. Both events were well supported by members and a great time was had by all, I'm sure you will see more pictures of both events later in this issue.

Santa was in residence for the Xmas party and the venue, weather and food was fantastic, a very big thank you to all committee who put a lot of work into making this the success it was.

January was time for the annual President's Picnic and again the venue, weather and food were pirfic!! What a treat to be able to have such a beautiful private venue all to ourselves. A huge thank you to Wendy & Murray Marshall for allowing us to use their property for this event which was pirfic in all aspects. From the lake for the kayaks, the village green for games, the park like setting with natural shade for the picnic and many members for company and conversation. Thanks also to Clinton for providing the BBQ which made the day complete with fabulous food, provided by the club for all members.



Time is moving on and our thoughts start to focus on the upcoming AGM. Please give some thought to your participation, in your clubs organisational aspects. It has become clear this year we will have some changes in committee. If you have any desire to be part of the decision making process, then let us know, willing workers for this aspect of any club activity are hard to find. While we all like to turn up to well run and organised events, this doesn't happen by chance. The committee are the life blood of your club, so we need you!

Keep ya motor running and have a Pirfic day.

*Bill Stanley
President*



Secretary / Treasurer's Report.

At every AGM we ask for suggestions from our members about which charities should benefit from a donation from our USA Day proceeds. We are pleased to advise that a donation has been made to PROSTATE CANCER and RESCUE HELICOPTER. Also benefitted this year was the Woodend Pegasus Lions Club. The Woodend Pegasus Lions "give back" to the community in many ways, so we are proud to have donated to them as well.

This of course cannot be achieved without the generosity of our sponsors. Our major sponsor in 2022 was the Classic Workshop. The team there provide classic cars and motorbikes with vehicle servicing, general repairs and pre-purchase inspections. Check them out on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/search/top/?q=Classic%20Workshop>



We are also extremely grateful to our other sponsors for their valued support: EzyStore Storage, Mustang Centre, American Auto Parts, KATS Kaiapoi, Moorhouse Muscle, Haydn Brush, Men at Work, Waimak Classic Cars, Burkes Metal Works, Blackwell Motors, NZ Audio & Video and Chubb (NZ)Fire. Please continue to support these businesses.

At the Christmas Party & President's Picnic, we sold a raffle that was very kindly donated by Bob Harris. This was drawn at the President's picnic and the winner was Paul Williams with number 8. Congratulations Paul and thank you again Bob for your generosity.



Jimmi Anderson,
Secretary / Treasurer

February Event

Saturday 25th February 2023

Hanmer Motorfest (Pre-registration advised)

We will meet at the Hanmer Springs Service Station,
154 Hanmer Springs Road at 9.30am to drive in convoy into the
Domain.



Welcome to New members:

David Clearwater & Yolande
with their 2016 Chevrolet Camaro

Club Captain's Report

Christmas Party December 11th 2022



We didn't have a run this year as all of the committee members started early preparing Pines Kairaki Community Centre for our Christmas event.

People started arriving just before mid-day and we finished up not long after 3pm.

Over 60 people attended and we had 31 classic cars, a good selection of makes and models. A few of the committee brought their everyday vehicles, for convenience to bring the food etc. to the venue.

The day was warm and comfortable and some chose to park their tables and chairs in the shade of the trees adjacent to the hall, others sat and enjoyed their lunch in the sun and some had theirs inside the hall. As usual the ladies excelled themselves with a great selection of food and organization on the day.

Santa Claus arrived between the main meal and desert and all the kids run to find out what he had for them. They waited patiently cross legged on the deck until their name was called. Then it was the older kids turn (Adults) to get their Santa presents. A great day was had by all. Desert was served after Santa left and everyone had plenty of time to have their end of year catchup.



President's Picnic - Sunday 22nd January 2023



Extreme thanks to Murray & Wendy Marshall for providing the most stunning venue for the President's picnic.

We had 28 motor vehicles, 26 American and 2 everyday cars at the picnic this year. The venue was perfect thanks to Murray and Wendy Marshall, our hosts. The BBQ meal was most welcomed by the members and was supplied by the club. We had 50 hungry mouths to feed and the local Colts Rugby Club cooked for all of us.

The picnic area was spread out from one end of the grassed area to the other, with the American vehicles parked strategically around the area. Most people ducked for cover under the shade of the trees around the pond area, some sheltered under a gazebo and some opted to make the most of the sun.

Old and young used the kayaks Murray left out for us to use. After lunch, some joined in on the games that were available.

For those who don't know, the club has a Facebook page and photos have been posted for both events.

We have started off the New Year well, let's keep attending and supporting the club.

Keep on cruising and look out for the other motorist.

Ray Bewley - Club Captain





There has been a change of date for the
AGM - now SUNDAY 21st MAY 2023



***** Non-club Events *****

ALL FORD DAY

SUNDAY, 19th February 2023

Open to the public from 10AM - 2.30PM

AIR FORCE MUSEUM OF NZ GROUNDS, WIGRAM

Refreshments available on the day include a Selection of Food & Drink, Ice cream & Barista Coffee

- Raffles ▪ Flying Display ▪ Inter-Club Challenge ▪ Prize Giving ▪ Trade Displays ▪

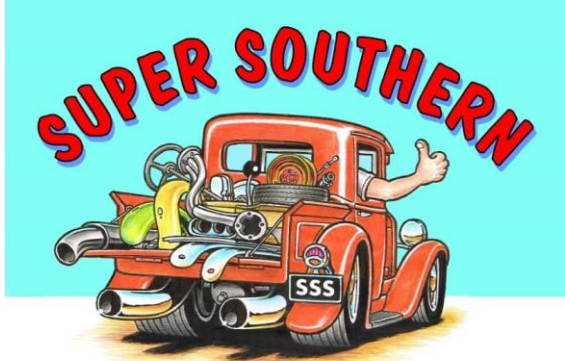


SATURDAY, 18th February 2023
organized car run, meeting at 4pm
for 4.15pm departure from the
Museum car park.

Admission:
Exhibitors: \$5.00 per car
Spectators: \$5.00 per Person or \$10.00 a carload
(Children 12 & under free)

Organised by the Canterbury Mustang Owners Club on behalf of all Ford Clubs and enthusiasts.

www.canterburymustang.org.nz www.facebook.com/CanterburyMustangOwnersClub



SWAP MEET AUTOMOTIVE ONLY

March 12 2023
KUSTOM CAR CLUBROOMS - McLEANS ISLAND
For Info & Bookings 021 254 9471

BellaRat's Gas & Gander:

On the last Friday of each month
from 6pm onwards. Meet at the
NPD, 740 Jones Road, Rolleston.
Good food for sale ... show up in your
rat rod, hotrod, classic or whatever.
All welcome.

OUR CLUB MARCH EVENT IS:



This months feature cars BUICK PONTIAC OLDSMOBILE



SUNDAY
February 5th 2023
8am - 11am
KUSTOMS CLUBROOMS
McLEANS ISLAND ROAD - McLEANS ISLAND - CHRISTCHURCH



Christmas Party December 11th 2022



President's Picnic 22nd January 2023



