

President's Report

Welcome to winter, I think it has finally arrived so indoor runs will be on the agenda for the next couple of months at least. Our last run was a fun poker event to Leithfield and enjoyed by all who attended.

Last month we had a lively AGM, and those who attended will know our remit was passed so you will receive an amended copy of the club rules including the changes resulting from the remit.

Big welcome to the new committee members, Cathy Martin (secretary), Maria Van Nus (treasurer), Elaine Clarke (committee member). Thank you again to departing committee members Jimmi Anderson and Tony Condon. Also a note of thanks to Ray, while remaining on committee is stepping down from the role as Club Captain. Other committee members remain, Murray, Ray, Brendon, Maggie, also with additional responsibilities, Peter Craig (Club Captain), Barb Court (Magazine editor) and Sam Ng (Webmaster).

At our last committee meeting it was agreed to offer a new section in the club Newsletter "Club Members Correspondence" this will provide you with the opportunity to communicate with fellow members on points of interest. This could be items for sale, or items you may be trying to obtain / find, or just something of interest that you feel other members may benefit from. The committee / editor will use judgement with regard to content and publication in this area. Look forward to seeing you all at our next run.

Bill Stanley
President.

**LOOKING FORWARD TO
SEEING YOU ALL FOR THE
INDEPENDENCE DAY RUN,
SUNDAY 2ND JULY -
MEETING AT 1PM AT THE
YALDHURST TAVERN**



Incoming Club Captain's Report (by Peter Craig)

Ray will be covering this run in detail so at the risk of duplicating I'll contribute my thoughts as asked. The weather left a little to be desired but certainly wasn't as bad as it could have been. It did as it happens serve to lower the numbers attending to a very manageable 26 members travelling in 12 cars at my count. Not a negative at all really as we all fitted into one room with plenty of banter and lots of humour happening. The Leithfield is a great little pub and the atmosphere, staff and catering was all excellent on the day. Ray will elude to the winning Poker hands but I was pretty amused by Sue Williams insisting she needed an award for her hand of "One of A Kind" - that being her beaming husband Paul!

From my perspective it was an excellent opportunity to further get to know other members in a really convivial atmosphere. Moving forward, I'm looking forward to working with the committee to maintain as much vibrancy and interest as possible in the coming events mapped out so far this year and into 2024. I'd really encourage ideas being brought to us to keep members engaged, not all can be used straight off the bat due to existing and annual run commitments however an open ear can provide some excellent opportunities. Ray has offered his continued support out front where needed and I'm grateful for his thoughts and those of the committee of course- Thanks again Ray, you've put in huge efforts over the years to make for some brilliant runs and I'd hope to build on that.

Cheers

Peter Craig

(Incoming) Club Captain



Retiring Club Captain's Report (by Ray Bewley)

Hi folks the Poker Run marks the end of an era for me and the club. I started as club captain in June 2018, while Roy Grainger was President. I had just done a term of Presidency myself. It is now time to step down and let some new blood into my shoes. Peter Craig will lead us into the future as Club Captain with his new and innovative ideas, from now on. I am staying on the committee to help out in the meantime, if it is needed. I ask you to support Peter as you all supported me.

The Poker Run - We all met at the Peg and traveled to The Old Leithfield Hotel. The committee supplied afternoon tea for all. We all settled in for a chat about 2pm and before too long, we began to play Poker. There is no experience required for our poker, just luck. The winning hand was a straight won by Sam Ng and Maria van Nus. The other two place getters are mentioned later in this newsletter. We had 13 starter cars and 26 people. Not too bad for a winter's day. One of the cars pulled into a service station on the way to the hotel, he had not filled up before the event. He decided not to carry on any further because it started raining heavily. We didn't see any heavy rain on our way there but to be fair, we did get a couple of misty rain patches on our journey. The same thing happened on our way back home, nothing untoward. It was a great day, the hotel staff welcomed us and had reserved a private, nice, cosy and warm area for us. We'll see you at the next event - American Independence Day Celebrations, Sunday July 2nd. Dress up for the occasion - Prizes for Cars and people.

Keep on Cruising, drive safe and watch out for the other motorist
Ray Bewley - Retiring Club Captain



Winners:
Sam & Maria
Jack High Straight



2nd:
Melissa & Brendon
3 of a kind



3rd:
Jonathan & Joanne
1 Pair of Jacks



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Club Events - Planned Dates

Sunday 13 th August	Annual Run
Sunday 10 th September	Event TBC
Sunday 15 th October	Event TBC
Sunday 5 th November	USA Day
Sunday 3 rd December	Christmas Party

Non-club Event



Old Skool Kool - Classic Car Festival

SUNDAY, 28 APRIL 2024
FROM 09:00-17:00
Euromarque Motorsport Park

Gas & Gander - NPD Rolleston


The June gathering was the last on a Friday night for the cooler months - from July onwards it will be held on the LAST Saturday of the month in the AFTERNOON.

Non-club Events

GERALDINE

Motor Muster

Proceeds go to charity



KENNEDY PARK	Fri 5 pm Rego & cruise	Gold coin donation
Vintage cars, hot rods, motorcycles, trucks & all	Sat 10 am - 2 pm Public car show	14-16 JULY
	Sun 10 am Car museums tour	

Head to Geraldine Motor Muster FB page for information

METHVEN EXHIBITION Fete

Methven Racecourse

15th October
10am-4pm



Adults \$15 Under 14 FREE

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A FANTASTIC FAMILY FUN DAY OUT

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SUNDAY July 2nd 2023
8am - 11am

KUSTOMS CLUBROOMS
MCLEANS ISLAND ROAD - MCLEANS ISLAND - CHRISTCHURCH

Vintage FEST NZ

★ WELCOMES ALL ★

Classic Cars, Hot Rods, Show Cars, Street Cars, Military Exhibitors & Caravans as part of our Vintage Car Show at Vintage Fest NZ



\$15 ENTRY, \$5 PER ADDITIONAL PASSENGER.

9:00AM - 4:30PM

23 SEPTEMBER 2023
LINCOLN EVENT CENTRE, CANTERBURY.

Prizes to be Won
VINTAGEFEST.CO.NZ

Sheffield Volunteer Fire Brigade Wheels & Wings

1st October Rain Date 8th October 2023

The Officers and Members of the Sheffield Volunteer Fire Brigade are writing to you to see if your Club or group would be interested in coming along and supporting our Wheels and Wings fund raising event.

All the money raised from this event goes to the Sheffield Volunteer Fire Brigade and the Malvern Order of St John Ambulance and other local organisations.

We will have planes from the Tiger Moth era to the present. Also present will be Gliders, Helicopters, Homebuilt air craft and maybe a hot air balloon weather dependant. There will be Cars, Motor Bikes, Trucks and other vehicles from the early 1900 to the latest available. A great World War two Amy display. Alpine jet boats will have their air boat on display. We had about 50 Aircraft and 500 cars attend our last Wings & Wheels. We estimate around 2000 general public came through the gates the last time we ran it.

The Fire Service will have its kitchen fire display along with their emergency evacuation tunnel for the children. Other display hopefully will be the remote-control planes. This event will be run on the Sunday the 1st October and the 8th October Rain off Date.

If you need a certain size area for your display, please contact one of the below numbers soon as possible so we can arrange it.

Gates open from 7.30am.

Location; Peter Morrison and Liz Natrass farm.
Kimberley Road Darfield.

General Public.

The cost would be \$10.00 per adult. Or \$25.00 family pass.

Display Vehicles.

The cost is \$15.00 per Vehicle no matter how many occupants.

or if you come as a club make a donation which is fair to both parties.

Hot Food & Drink would be available to purchase. (The local Malvern Loins) and Young Farmers Club.

The Coffee guy will be present to quench the biggest thirst

STRICTLY NOTE NO DOGS OF ANY SIZE OR ALCOHOL ALLOWED Thank you ROAR [Right of Admission Refusal]

Any inquires or interest please get in touch with:

Aircraft. Graeme Piper 027 604 1824

Email: pipergraeme62@gmail.com

Vehicles and General Enquires Nev Croy (03) 318 3818 or 021 650 554.

Email: nev.croy@gmail.com

Yours faithfully, Chief Fire Officer. Nev Croy

Aircraft | Motor Vehicles | Motorbikes | & Much More!

Sheffield Volunteer Fire Brigade
Fundraiser
Wheels & Wings

Sunday 1 October 2023
Rain Off Day 8 October | Gates Open 8.30 am

Signposted Kimberley Road, Darfield
No Dogs Allowed
No Alcohol

Hot Food and Drinks
AVAILABLE

Adults \$10
Family Pass \$25

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:
Graeme: 027 604 1824 (Aircraft Inquiries)
Nev: 021 650 554 (Vehicle Inquiries)

The poster features a collage of vintage cars and a small airplane on a grassy field. The text is arranged in a structured layout with bold fonts for key information. The background has a yellow and black striped border at the top and bottom.