#### Newsletter

#### November 2018



# USA Day – Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> Nov

Planning is well underway and we are looking forward to seeing everyone on Sunday 4th November.

We would like member's cars there anytime from 8.30am and would like you in by 9.30am to group together.

Entry is free for members on presentation of your current membership card. Otherwise it is \$5\$ per person, maximum of \$10\$ per car.

General public is \$5.00 per person and children are free.

On entry all displayed cars will get a numbered certificate for voting purposes.

Please fill out the certificate and display prominently on the car for judging purposes.

While you are at the gazebo, please check and update your details (if necessary) to ensure we can keep you informed of all upcoming events and club information. There will be about 15 stall holders, (including a bouncy castle) with their various displays. Food and coffee stalls will be there with the usual fare. And of course you are welcome to bring your picnic.

We need your help ... thank you to all those who have offered their help so far, please expect to be seconded for help at some point during the day - many hands make light work!

Help required:

- Assisting with car parking in the display area
- Selling the raffle tickets, there are several prizes. \$2-00 each or 3 for \$5-00
- End of day clean-up this is a big task if left to only a few people.
- Please wear the club apparel and your name tags, this will make for easy identifying you as a club member when undertaking these various tasks.

Thank you Roy Grainger President

#### Secretary's Report:

#### Welcome to new members:

Joe & Yulia Tripp – 1999 Z28 Chev Camaro & 1969 Ford Galaxie 500

USA Day promises to offer something different this year in the way of food stalls. We have many choices which includes Crazy Spuds, The Food Den, Smokin Barrell Texas BBQ, Baked Spuds, Pizza Oven, Mr Whippy, Waffle Mania, Lil Orbit Donuts, Candy Floss & Coffee Carts.

Thanks to Graeme Craig for organising them all, please give them your support and we hope you enjoy the bigger variety.

Raffles will be done differently too, they will be drawn prior to prize giving and all the winning numbers will be displayed on a whiteboard, so you can check your tickets at leisure.

We have many new sponsors as well – Men at Work, Hornby Tyre & Auto, Templeton Panelbeaters, Glenn Burke Auto Upholstery, Smithy's Modified Vehicle Certifications, Spouting Replacements Ltd, Ray White Commercial ChCh, Rolleston Costume Hire, Ray White Town & Lifestyle Rolleston, Dreamit, The Famous Grouse Hotel Lincoln, Burkes Metal Works, Haydn Brush Co, Upper Classics NZ, Z Waikuku, and Mustang Centre

For further information about any of these sponsors please contact me.

Attached is the updated membership list. Free entry to USA Day for all members on it.

#### **MUSTANG AWARDS - Napier Convention 2018....**

TWO TROPHIES FOR ACCC members at the National Convention 2018 held in Napier over labour weekend.

Ray and I had the pleasure of seeing an amazing line up of Mustangs in beautiful sunny Napier.

### Congratulations to Canterbury Winners



Murray & Wendy Marshall 1<sup>st</sup> Prize in 2005 to present convertible category



Ray and Gail Spencer 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize in 2010 - 2014 Fastback category

#### Merchandise - all will be on sale at USA Day

We have club caps, visors, t'shirts, polo shirts, jackets and car banners available for sale at all times. Please contact Jimmi if you require any further information.

#### Club Captains Report: Spring into Oxford

Murray Marshall and I started the day off by handing out USA Day flyers to the attendees at Rodders Breakfast at Kustom Cars Club.

We had great crowd of people in 8 cars that followed the blue Chevy from McLean's Island to Oxford. It was a pleasant drive and the scenery was stunning. They positioned us in a very prominent place, on the perimeter inside the circle. We caught up with a few others from the club who made their own way there.

The weather didn't look too promising, but the further away from the coast we went the brighter it became. It was overcast when we first arrived in Oxford but the sun soon came out to make it very pleasurable day.



It was a low key day and gave everyone the chance to look around the stalls, sit and relax and have a good catch up chat, which is something all of us need, but hardly ever get because of our busy lives.

We even went downtown Oxford to the Sunday Farmers Market and of course stopped off at the Sheffield Pie shop before returning to the park (You can't go past the pie shop while you are in Oxford).

We enjoyed the day that much, that three car loads of us stayed and we were asked by the custodian to lock the gate when we left. He had expected to lock up about 4pm, we finally left at 5.30pm.

I caught up with one of my childhood neighbours that I haven't seen for about 45 years. He owns the house next door to Pearson Park, where the show was held. We went over and saw the Bedford he is restoring, it was a good talking point. Catching up with him was quite a bonus. He is one of the McIver's Oxford Community Men's Shed members.

Until next month safe cruising Ray Bewley – Club Captain

## ACCC Christmas Party Loburn Domain Hall



Please ensure you have set aside
Sunday 2nd December for our Christmas Party.
Book in for this family day out.
All children and grandchildren are welcome.
Remember Santa will once again be with us and if you have children, please bring an appropriate named present.
Time and further details closer to the time.

Numbers for catering purposes to Jimmi 021 2379637 or email acccanty@gmail.com