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"QVVA WELCOMES ALL VISITORS TO OUR CLUB"

QVVA welcomes visitors who have an interest in the preservation and restoration of all types of vehicles to an original condition as far as practicable.

GENERAL MEETING: 8PM fourth Wednesday of each month

ADDRESS: Veteran Car Clubrooms, 1376 Old Cleveland Road,

Carindale 4152

Club Room 07 3843 0010

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THE QVVA AGM IS BEING HELD ON THE 25TH July 2018

We will be needing new club committee persons to take a role in managing and running the club.

This is an exciting time to be involved in the clubs future as changes to the way the club operates need to be planned and implemented.

We want members to be part of this and help make this club great.

Don't leave it up to the few that have been doing it for years so please put your name down on the corresponding nomination form and get it into the current Secretary ASAP

Thank you.

MINUTES OF THE 605th GENERAL MEETING OF THE QVVA Inc.

HELD AT THE CLUBROOMS....WEDNESDAY 27th June 2018

Meeting chaired by Barry Shipway

MEETING OPENED: 8pm
APOLOGIES: Nancy Condie, Nev & Joan Schumann, Peter Hall, Robert Wode, Simon Flitcroft, John & Alison Day, Ian & Bev McLucas, John & Ruth Knight.
SPEAKER: Ben Carrol....Subject ATM theft, skimming and credit card security.
MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING: The minutes of the previous meeting were published in the May Vintage News and the secretary moved they be taken as read, seconded by Suzie Shipway. There was no business arising from the minutes.
SECRETARY'S REPORT: No report this month.
MEMBERSHIP REPORT: New member Ray Vanderdrift....has a 1928 Whippet.
TREASURER'S REPORT: Wendy Tyquin delivered the treasurers report and moved the receipts and expenditure since the last meeting be adopted, seconded by Don Lake.
TOURS AND EVENTS CO-ORDINATOR: Suzie Shipway reminded the meeting of the "Pot Luck" trivia night on 30th July we need at least 20 members. The week day run to Walk-About Creek is on 20th July. Ladies Day tour is 29th July. Names are required for all events for catering purposes. Tour details are in the Vintage News.
PUBLIC RELATIONS: Wendy Tyquin has been speaking with Christine Buchanan and sent some flowers on behalf of the club. Suzie Shipway has been speaking with Nancy Condie and her knee replacement is doing well.
SKITES: Clint commented that his Plymouth featured on the front cover of the "Plymouth Bulletin USA", and he visited many car and transport museums while in New Zealand.
Col Hinxman and Don Lake displayed their cars at the Variety Club fund raiser.
Chris Stephens requested some cars for Moggill State School.
RAFFLE: Won by Don Lake.

How to cure a cough

The pharmacist walks into the store to find a guy leaning heavily against a wall.

He asks the blonde clerk, "What's with that guy over there by the wall?"

The blonde clerk responds, "Well, he came in here this morning to get something for his cough. I couldn't find the cough syrup, so I gave him an entire bottle of laxative."

The pharmacist yells, "You idiot. You can't treat a cough with a laxative."

The blonde clerk responds, "Of course you can. Look at him, he's too scared to cough. "

Clint & Lynda Fraters NZ trip June 2018

We spent several weeks travelling around the South Island of New Zealand retracing our Honeymoon of 50 years ago. Many things had changed since those early days so it was a great refresher for us. The weather was very mixed with some cool days down to very cold days which is expected at this time of the year.

The great things that have developed over the last 50 years are the number of car museums and it was great to visit these. Even found the same car we used on our honeymoon in one of the museums. A Vauxhall Wyvern. The first museum visited was Warbirds and Wheels in Wanaka. Wanaka is a very scenic town with a population of about 7000, on the southern end of Lake Wanaka on the eastern side of the Southern Alps. This museum is in two parts being War aircraft and a collection of classic vehicles. Upon entering our mouths fell open at the incredible layout of the museum with everything spotless and shiny. The warbirds display had many war fighter planes including engines and lots of other stuff related to this era. We only spent about two hours in this place but could have spent all day as there was so much detail and stories to read about.

There was another auto and toy museum about 500 metres further down the road that I wanted to visit. Lynda found the cafeteria and a nice open fire to sit by while she waited for me.

I then entered the Car section and this collection was mind blowing with so many classic vehicles. The following pictures tell some of the story.

Entry Sign to the Museum.

Bombs away. Above the entry door

Warbirds display area

Classic car area, 12 Packard's in a row

Some of only a few of the Classic Vehicles on display

1924 Rickenbacker

1931 Auburn

1934 Duesenburg J Dual Cowl Sports Phaeton

Cadillac

1933 Chrysler Royal

1942 Lincoln

Some fancy glass

Some of the 12 Packard's on display

Warbirds on Display

Many aircraft were on display along with different aircraft engines and other war related items.

Everything was well laid out and well documented.

Cost to get in as a senior was only $15NZ

Rating we gave this museum is a

9.5 out of 10

QVVA MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS

THESE WERE DUE ON THE 1ST JULY

"THEY ARE NOW OVER DUE".

For any member not renewing their membership they must advise the Membership Secretary

If you are not intending to renew your membership, please advise our membership secretary so your name can be deleted from our mailing list. Please note, it is a condition of SIVs registration that you maintain a current membership with a Queensland incorporated vehicle club or association while the vehicle is registered under the scheme (unless you have obtained the necessary exemption from the Dept of Transport and Main Roads due to living in a remote area).

If you have already paid we thank you

[Response to event postponement] "You just can't win"

We are very sorry we cannot support you any more Barry.
We have both had our licences taken off us due to be 'they claim we are too old to drive' so now we have scooters. Well low and behold people want to make us get licences to drive these bloody contraptions.

Very kindest regards Peter and Elizabeth Kent

President's Report July 2018

Well where does one start to write, I have had a fun time doing the role of President over the past year and have learnt that it is not an easy job to write something each month about our great club.

The club has had a busy year tripping around the great south east and Northern New South Wales on a variety of events from Mount Tamborine, Lismore and out west to Daly for their 40th anniversary

As our AGM is this Month I would like to thank the current committee for their help and guidance over the past year it has certainly made my job a lot easier with your knowledge and assistance. Thanks to all non-committee members who have put their hand up and help out also when and where needed.

I would also like to thank members who have given stories for the monthly Vintage news over the year, please keep them coming for the Editor. Please remember to put your hat in the ring for a committee role as the current committee has been around for a long time and we need new ideas to take our club into the future and beyond.

Please let Susie or Ruth know if coming on the LADIES DAY TOUR as they need numbers for morning tea and lunch, you also need to per order lunch. See the events page for further details.

Well Robert Wode what can I say, Well done on taking out the winning vehicle at RACQ Motorfest once again.

Yours in Aged & Classic Motoring

Barry Shipway

President & Magazine Editor
Queensland Vintage Vehicle Association

WE NEED SOMEONE TO PLACE A DISPLAY IN OUR CLUB WINDOW
PLEASE LET ME KNOW IF YOU CAN HELP OUT

PRE CLUB MEETING

FREE MEAL

From 6.30pm to 7-30pm

Wednesday 25TH JULY

Followed by the General Meeting

Then the AGM

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Annual General meeting of the Queensland Vintage Vehicle Association will be held at the clubrooms, 1376 Old Cleveland Rd. Carindale on
Wednesday July 25TH 2018

AGM Agenda:

Minutes of previous AGM
Treasurer's report
Auditor's report
Election of office bearers
General business:
Including answers from previous AGM general business. Discussion on points discussed by the Think Tank Committee. Other.

Have you any new ideas on how the club can improve. Come along and speak up.

Garfield on the oil crisis

A lot of folks can't understand how we came to have an oil shortage here in Australia .

Well, there's a very simple answer.

Nobody bothered to check the oil.

We just didn't know we were getting low.

The reason for that is purely geographical.

Our OIL is located in

Bass Strait

East Queensland Shale Fields

Canning Basin

Perth Basin

and

North-West Continental Shelf

Our DIPSTICKS are located in Canberra !!!

Any questions???

NO? I didn't think so

NOMINATION APPLICATION

QUEENSLAND VINTAGE VEHICLE ASSOCIATION Inc.

NOMINATION FORM FOR OFFICE BEARERS FOR 2018/2019

Date of Annual General Meeting
Wednesday 25th- July 2018

I, _____

Being a financial member of the Queensland Vintage Vehicle Association Inc., do here by

Nominate: _____

(Also a financial member of The Queensland Vintage Vehicle Association Inc.) for the position of

_____ for the car club year **2018/2019**

Signed Nominator: _____ **Date** _____/_____/ **2018**
(See Note (2) below)
_____ **(Print name)**

Seconder: _____ **Date**____/_____/ **2018**
(See Note (2) below)
_____ **(Print name)**

I, _____, hereby accept nomination for the

Position of: _____

Signed Nominee: _____ **Date** _____/_____/ **2018**
(See Note (2) below)
_____ **(Print name)**

Notes (1)
In accordance with the Queensland Vintage Vehicle Association (QVVA) section 11. (3)(B**) Nomination shall be lodged with the QVVA secretary at least 14 days before the Annual General Meeting.** Section 11. (3) (E) provides that if at the commencement of the Annual General Meeting, there be an insufficient number of candidates nominated, nominations my be taken from the floor of the meeting.

Notes (2)
In accordance with clause 11.7 of the By-Laws the Nominator, Seconder and Nominee shall be financial members with more than one complete year`s membership.

QVVA RUNS 2018

In the event of bad weather consult QVVA website – www.qvva.org or phone John & Ruth Knight – 07 3207 1261 or 0428 437 580 or 0412 124 980 or knight37@bigpond.net.au

Please sign the attendance book at all rallies.

If driving a Special Interest vehicle to and from an outing, please take the Club Magazine or print this page to take with you.

25th **WEDNESDAY – GENERAL MEETING & ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

JULY (CONT)

29th **Sunday – Ladies Day Tour** – Morning Tea and tour of Summerland Camel Farm at Harrisville. Morning tea will be paid for by the club, but you will have to pay for the tour yourself. The cost of the tour is $15 and will be about an hour. Please have correct money as we'll pay as a group. We will need numbers for morning tea and the tour. Please bring a chair – it could come in handy at the start of the tour. Some members might not want to go on the tour, so we'll need to know what you would like to do.

Please reply to Susie - 07 3357 7801**,** 0412 778 224 or kuppi@optusnet.com.au or Ruth 07 3207 1261, 0428 437 580 or knight37@bigpond.net.au before 25th July or at the meeting on that date. We will be going to the Harrisville Hotel for lunch.

MEET: - Cameron Park in Easton Street, Booval UBD 213 Q 16 at **8.45am for a 9am departure.** We need to arrive at the camel farm by 10am to enjoy our morning tea before the tour at 11am.

Lunch – Harrisville Hotel – **I will need to pre order therefore can you let me know your choice of meal. For convenience there are only three to choose from: -** Crumbed fish with chips and salad $12.50, steak sandwich and chips $12.50 or chicken schnitzel with chips and salad $16.50. If you would like something else you can order on the day but there may be a long delay in receiving your lunch. Please let Ruth know if you would like to ride in a club members car instead of driving yourself and we'll try and arrange that for you.

AUGUST

7th **TUESDAY –** social night

15th **EKKA Wednesday** week day run

22nd **WEDNESDAY – GENERAL MEETING CLUB ROOMS**

SEPTEMBER

4th **Tuesday Night Social**

9th **Bonnets-Up day – Club Rooms**

26th **Wednesday – GENERAL MEETING CLUB ROOMS –** Supper Kathy Day

NOVEMBER

4th **Sunday – Invitation from Veteran Car Club** to join them in cars up to 1930 for their local version of the English London to Brighton Rally. The route will leave the club rooms and head towards Redland City and finish at the Redlands Sporting Club for lunch (at your own cost). Entry forms will be available soon for those eligible to participate.

11th **Social day at Club Rooms. Hold this date!** Invitations are on their way.
Meet up with old and new members for a cuppa and a chat.
Bring your old vehicle or come modern, we'd love to see you.
Morning tea and lunch will be supplied. 10am to mid-afternoon

NATIONAL MOTORING HERITAGE DAY

20th MAY 2018, CAPALABA SPORTS CLUB

We were invited to attend National Motoring Heritage Day in conjunctions with the Bayside Vehicle Restorers Club at the Capalaba Sports Club. The event was a fundraiser for The Cancer Council. We enjoyed glorious weather and the company of likeminded car owners. Many people came to look at our cars after they had enjoyed the barefoot bowls on offer. There were 28 cars in total – 20 from Bayside and 8 from QVVA.

Variety Club of Queensland QVVA Display

Don, Simon & John displayed their cars on behalf of QVVA at a recent fundraiser for the Variety Club of Queensland. Don, dressed in period costume and drove his 1929 Oakland, Simon drove his 1928 Plymouth and John drove his 1941 De Soto.

Hundreds of people milled around and enjoyed revisiting the Gatsby era as this was the highlight for them for the evening. Many spectacular outfits were worm by the guests on the evening.

TUESDAY DINNER 3rd JULY 2018

SOUTHSIDE SPORTS CLUB, MT. GRAVATT

The Southside Sports Club renovations are completed and it is very modern and appealing.

Twelve members attended for dinner and a long chat. Thanks all for coming and see you next time at the same venue on 7th August 2018.
Attending were: - Clint & Lynda Frater, Ross & Wendy Tyquin, Simon Flitcroft and Kathy Flanigan, Jim & Barbara Haydon, Baz & Susie Shipway and John & Ruth Knight. Paul set out from home however couldn't find us. Look forward to having you join us next time Paul.

Links of interest

The Holy Grail of... - Secret Histories of Rare Treasures

https://www.facebook.com/secrethistoriesofraretreasures/videos/222977445102370/

Red Dust Racers

http://reddustracers.blogspot.com/2018/06/blog-post.html

MESSAGE FROM THE PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICER

Vale Ern Perrett. Ern Passed away on 26th June 2018 aged 89. He and Von were active Club members for many years.

Congratulations to Robert & Sunita for winning first place at this year's RACQ Motor Fest with their 1928 Chevrolet.

Best wishes to Nancy after her knee replacement.

Best wishes to Kathy Flanigan following surgery

Happy 70th Birthday to Christine Buchanan for 12th July

Our thoughts are with several members having ongoing medical treatment

Tea Person / Supper Roster

July	Baz & Susie
August	TBA
September	Kathy Day

A GENERAL REMINDER THAT THE SUPPER ROSTER INCLUDES SUPPER, MILK AND THE RAFFLE.

CLUB MART

It is Committee policy that all advertisements are run in three consecutive issues.
The first time it will be prefaced by * the second time ** and finally ***.

GOT SOMETHING TO SELL, LET ME PLACE IT HERE FOR YOU

INVITATION OUTINGS & SWAP MEETS
FOR QVVA MEMBERS TO CONSIDER ATTENDING
Please take a copy of this page with you if you are travelling in a vehicle with 'Restricted' registration.

JULY

28TH Saturday – Sunshine Coast Antique Car Club – Nambour Swap
Nambour Showgrounds $5pp 0498 009 396 nambour.swap@gmail.com

28th &29th South Coast Restoration Society Annual Rally –
www.southcoastrestorationsocietyinc.org.au

AUGUST

4th **Coffee & Cars,** 7.30am Turbo Drive, Coorparoo. First Saturday each month.

12th **Sunday**-The Original Chev Club Swap & Collector Car display
Rocklea Showgrounds 5.30am- $5 pp kids free
Wal 0419 784 688, Kevin 0412 183 804

17,18,19th Lismore Rally- Northern Rivers Veteran & Vintage Vehicle Club –
Join with other QVVA members for a weekend away in the scenic Northern Rivers area – always a good time
Ben Clift 02 6683 2448 a/hours, Narelle Middleton 02 6628 1207 or 0412 299 393

SEPTMEBER

1st **Coffee & Cars,** 7.30am Turbo Drive, Coorparoo. First Saturday of each month.

2nd **Chrysler Expo** Rocklea Showgrounds

6th – 8th **Laidley Spring Festival,** quilt & craft show, art exhibition, orchid show, street parade and show n shine. Free shuttle bus to and from events from the Cultural Centre. email: luvyalockyer.com.au

8th **Gympie Swap –** Showgrounds at Southside

9th **Swap Meet –** Ipswich Vintage & Veteran Car Club, Stan McCrea Soccer Fields, Brisbane Road, EbbwVale. Sites free, $4 pp entry
Swappers 5am, public 6am

23rd **All British Day,** St Joseph's College Sports Ground, Tennyson
7.30 am $20 car & passengers, David Robinson 0417 731 455

OCTOBER

6th **Cars & Coffee,** 7.30am Turbo Drive, Coorparoo. First Saturday of each month.

6TH & 7TH **Lockyer Antique Motor Association – Weekend Rally**
Elise Pakeman 07 4697 6462

27th & 28th **Toowoomba and District Old Machinery Society** Annual Expo
Oakey Showgrounds Saturday $10, Sunday $5 –
Allan 0428 547 168, Bob 0438 306 599, Ann 0429 101 089

NOVEMBER

3rd **Cars & Coffee,** 7.30am Turbo Drive, Coorparoo. First Saturday of each month

3rd & 4th **Historical Commercial Vehicle Association** Annual Show - Gatton

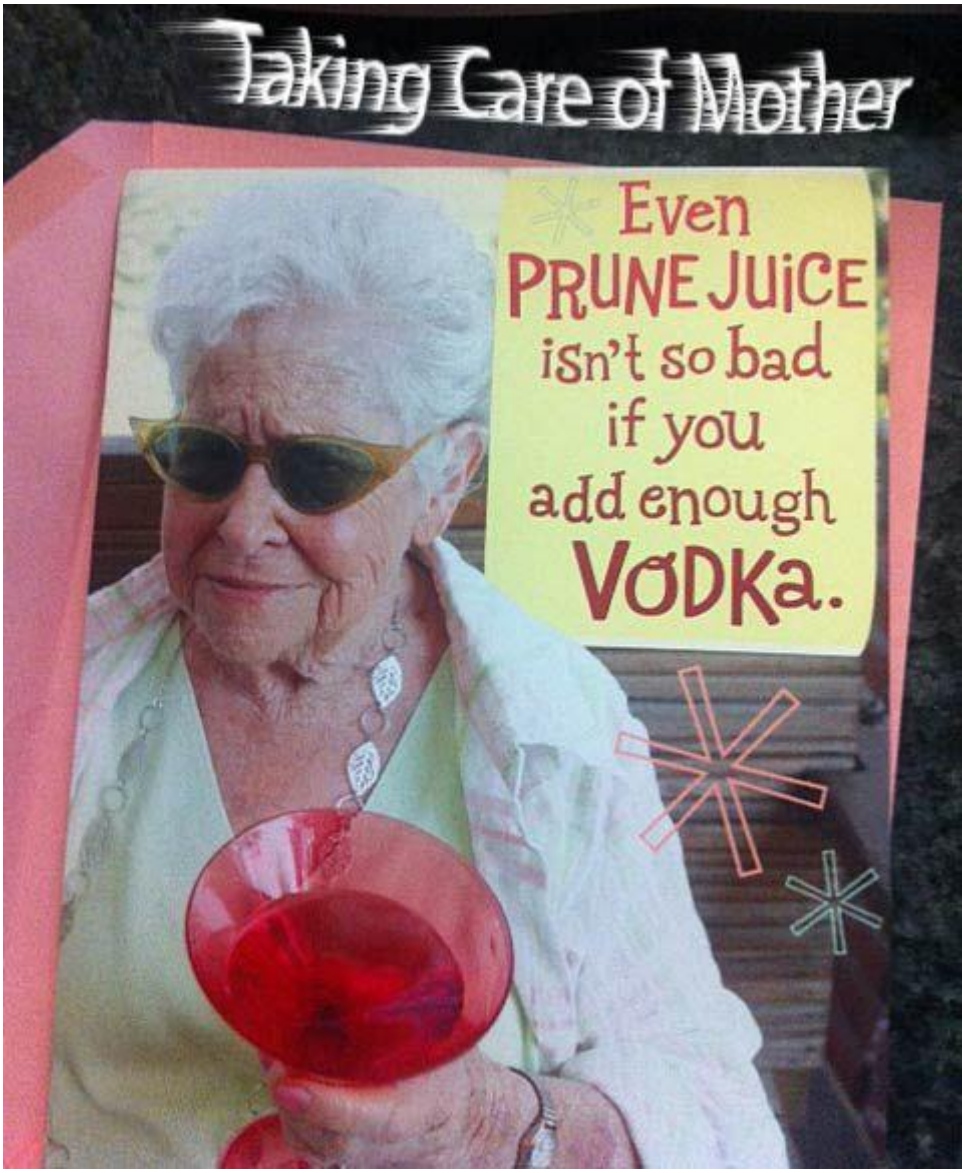
24th **Car Show** -Redcliffe showgrounds, proceeds donated to the breakfast club for the homeless - $10 per vehicle & spectators.
Rohan Robertson 0416 257 586 – All makes & Models

2020

28th March to 4th April 2020 AHMF NATIONAL TOUR – ALBURY N.S.W.
All Historic Vehicles are welcome
Enquiries: - Christine Stevens 0419 789 151 a/ hours, Neil Athorn 0408033839
John Kennett 0419 599 066, Steve Henderson 0408 494 864

2021 JANUARY

17-23 Vero International Festival of Historical Motoring
New Plymouth, Taranaki – New Zealand
NZ always has an extremely good international rally!



1915

THE YEAR IS 1915

This will boggle your mind!

The year is 1915 "One hundred years ago". What a difference a century makes!

Here are some statistics for the Year 1915:

The average life expectancy for men was 47 years.

Fuel for cars was sold in chemists only.

Only 14 percent of the homes had a bath.

Only 8 percent of the homes had a telephone.

The maximum speed limit in most cities was 10 mph.

The tallest structure in the world was the Eiffel Tower.

The average British wage in 1915 was £15 per year!

A competent accountant could expect to earn £800 per year.

A dentist £900 per year.

A vet between £600 and £900 per year.

And, a mechanical engineer about £2000 per year.

More than 95 percent of all births took place at home

Ninety percent of all Doctors had no university education!

Instead, they attended so-called medical schools, many of which were condemned in the press AND the government as "substandard."

Sugar cost two pence a pound.

Eggs were 10 pence a dozen.

Coffee was five pence a pound.

Most women only washed their hair once a month, and, used Borax or egg yolks for shampoo.

Canada passed a law that prohibited poor people from entering into their country for any reason.

The Five leading causes of death were:

1. Pneumonia and influenza

2. Tuberculosis

3. Diarrhoea

4. Heart disease

5. Stroke

The American flag had 45 stars.

The population of Las Vegas, Nevada was only 30.

Crossword puzzles, canned beer, and iced tea hadn't been invented yet.

There was neither a Mother's Day nor a Father's Day.

Two out of every 10 adults couldn't read or write and, only 6 percent of all British pupils went to universty.

Marijuana, heroin, and morphine were all available over the counter at local corner chemists.

Back then chemists said, "Heroin clears the complexion, gives buoyancy to the mind, regulates the stomach, bowels, and is, in fact, a perfect guardian of health!" (Shocking?)

Eighteen percent of households had at least one full-time servant or domestic help...

There were about 230 reported murders in the ENTIRE U.S.A.! In 2014 this figure had risen to 14,249.

In the UK the murder rate in 1915 was 1420. In 2015 it was 537. (Perhaps we are doing something right!)

I am now going to forward this to someone else without typing it myself.

From there, it will be sent to others all over the WORLD all in a matter of seconds!

Can you imagine what it may be like in another 100 years.

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