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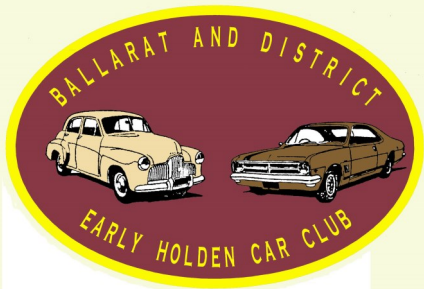
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CLUB MEETINGS

Meetings are held on the
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except January.
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Visitors are most welcome

MEMBERSHIP

Annual Fees
Single Membership \$40
Family Membership \$60
New M/ship Application Fee \$15
Immediate Access Red Plates
\$100
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2010/11 Jim Hare

2011/12 Craig Loveridge

2012/13 Jeff Dickson

2013/14 Justin Mitchell

2014/15 Rob Whitten

2015/16 Peter Wilmot

2016/17 Bernie Sharp

2017/18 Daniel Dickson

2018/19 Doug Reid

2019/20 Pandemic

2020/21 Pandemic

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Events Calendar

CLUB EVENTS NOVEMBER 2022

- 1 Club Meeting
- 9 Little Red Dog Run
- 13 Club Memorial Run
- 15 Club Pub Night Royal Mail Hotel
- 29 Committee Meeting
- 30 Red Dog Run

OTHER EVENTS FOR NOVEMBER 2022

- 26 Ballarat Rock n Roll Festival
- 26-27 Geelong Revival
- 27 Colac Motorfest
- 27 Ballarat Springfest

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CLUB EVENTS DECEMBER 2022

6	Club Meeting
14	Little Red Dog Run
11	Christmas Party - Club Rooms
20	Club Pub Night
TBA	Committee Meeting
-	Red Dog Run (Christmas New Year Break)

OTHER EVENTS DECEMBER 2022

It is the festive season





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President's Report November 22

Welcome members to the best car club.

HOLDEN HOLDEN HOLDEN!!!

What a way to go out at Bathurst in first place. It's never going to be the same again without the roaring Holden V8s on the track. I can't wait for the silence of the electric car's running around the track.

It certainly looked like the guys and girls had a fantastic trip to Bay to Birdwood. Tackling a few flooded roads along the way. Well done guys. Hopefully next year I will be able to join you on the trip.

Congratulations to Greg, Scott and Tom on collecting a few Trophies at the FX FJ state titles.

I would like to thank Scott Campbell for ensuring when we walk into the club rooms for the General Meeting, we can collect the newsletter and enjoy reading everything inside. The time and effort Scott has put into the newsletter over 20 odd years is huge. Last month was Scott's last newsletter. A huge thank you for everything you have done.

Thank you to Lisa Mitchell for taking on the newsletter. I'm sure you will add your own touches and it will continue to be a great newsletter.

Cheers
Jeff

And enjoy Rob's 4WD FC



Club Run December 22



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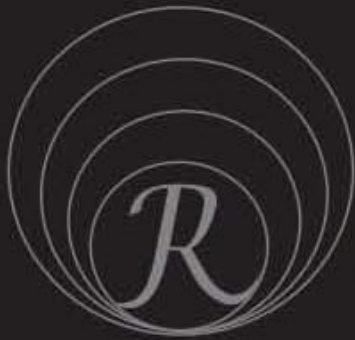
A graphic of a winding road with white dashed lines on a dark blue surface, set against a dark red background. Five orange location pins are placed at various points along the road's path.

10AM - CLUBROOMS

MYSTERY STOP ALONG
THE WAY

ARRIVE AT THE
DICKSONS
BBQ LUNCH
PROVIDED BY THE CLUB

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Club Events

LITTLE RED DOG RUN

WHAT Another Day Out

WHERE Meet at Lucas McDonalds

WHEN Wednesday 9 November 9.30am

Please let Rob Whitten know if you are attending
0448 160 951

SOCIAL ROYAL MAIL HOTEL

WHAT Meal and Drinks

WHERE 290 Albert Street Sebastopol

WHEN Tuesday 15 November 6.30pm

Please let Rob Whitten know if you are attending
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COFFEE N CRUISE (RED DOG RUN)

WHAT Day out

WHERE Meet at Lucas McDonalds

WHEN Wednesday 30 November 9.30am

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Club Events

LITTLE RED DOG RUN

WHAT Another Day Out

WHERE Meet at Lucas McDonalds

WHEN Wednesday 14 December 9.30am

Please let Rob Whitten know if you are attending
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SOCIAL ROYAL MAIL HOTEL

WHAT Meal and Drinks

WHERE 290 Albert Street Sebastopol

WHEN Tuesday 20December 6.30pm

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COFFEE N CRUISE (RED DOG RUN)

Christmas | New Year Break

Run Reports November 22

14–17 October 2022 Bay to Birdwood

After two years of pandemic cancellation the Bay to Birdwood was back on.

Members Attending

Anne & Ross Anderson—HZ Prem
Felicity and Ivan Crowley—Mercedes
Alan Darrell and Lea—Valliant Ute
Liz and Andrew French—Mustang
Paul Irvin—EH
Greg King—HR
Liz and Peter Skrypko—HQ Statesman
Joan and Peter Wilmot—SLE Commodore
Sarah and David Trengove—A9X Torana
Kirsty, Peter, Shelby, and Rob Whitten—FC

The plan was for the first group to meet in Beaufort at 7.30am but with water over the road we headed off at 8.30am. Other members of the group joined us at Horsham McDonalds which gave us a chance for a coffee and a refuel. We headed off after our breakfast all going at our own pace with stops at Bordertown and Taillem Bend. We cruised into Adelaide to our accommodation at The Links Hotel. During our stay at the hotel, we enjoyed two evening meals which as in previous years we fabulous. We were not disappointed the rooms were clean and comfortable.

Our Saturday consistent of varied outings from shopping at Harbour Town (shoe sales went through the roof!) to visiting the Aircraft Museum, a trip to Glenelg Beach and enjoying the Dodgems at the Amusement Park. We then cleaned our cars in anticipation of an early start on Sunday up the mountain – the reason we were there.

We headed off on a glorious morning! Starting at West Beach which was as usual very busy but it was a chance to grab a coffee or an egg and bacon roll. There were hundreds of cars to keep us amused.

Cars started heading off at 8.15am on the 67km trip which heads through the Adelaide Hills and concludes at the National Motor Museum in Birdwood. The entire route has crowds' shoulder to shoulder; all waving and shouting enthusiastic encouragement as the bumper to bumper beautiful cars headed through the hills. It's an advantage if you have "Wavers" in your car to assist the drivers.

On arrival at Birdwood the toilets were popular! It was a long slow drive. We walked from the paddock over to the museum to the food and activities. Liz and Andrew looked great in the fashion parade!

The Museum is an unbelievable collection of Australian motoring history, and it takes a long time to see it all. After perfect weather and 1500 cars to enjoy we headed down to the Adelaide Road Motor Inn for Sunday's night accommodation. The motel had arranged for a courtesy 7 seater which ferried us into Murray Bridge to the Murray Bridge Hotel for another great meal. On Monday morning it was a breakfast at McDonalds and then off on the road back to Ballarat.

Many thanks to the staff at Links Hotel, Adelaide Road Motor Inn, and Murray Bridge Hotel for their welcome and friendliness. My HUGE thanks go out to the fantastic group of friends that attended and put up with the few little hiccups on the road.

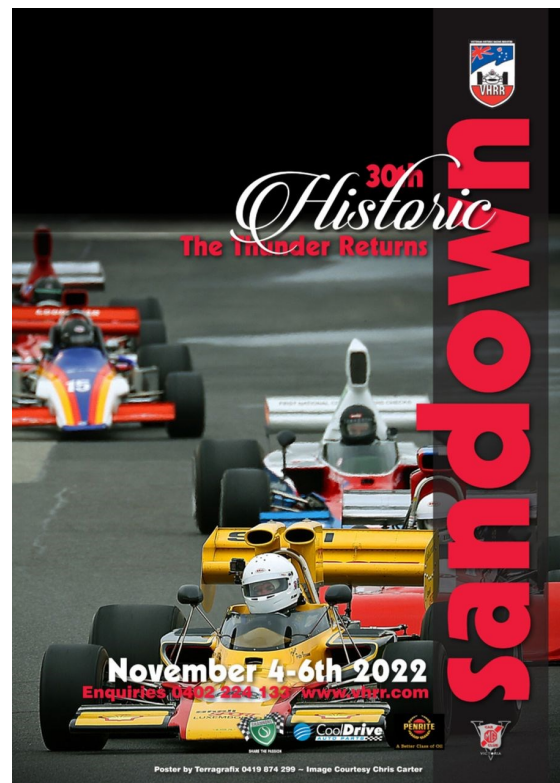
I know there is a lot I have left out, SO join us from the 20 – 23 October 2023 when we will head off again. ALL models up to 1993 welcome! Come along and experience the Bay to Birdwood for yourself. I'm sure you will love it!

Thanks FRIENDS, Rob Whitten

Run Reports November 22



Upcoming Events



VINTAGE, VETERAN & CLASSIC VEHICLES - 25 YEARS AND OLDER

- \$10.00 entry per vehicle (for display or judging).
- Gold coin donation for public entry.
- Trophies on the day
- Special effort with money raised to a local charity.
- Other attractions will be Sausage Sizzle, Coffee & Drinks, Food Van, Face Painting, Art and Crafts,

Upcoming Events

BALLARAT ROCK N ROLL FESTIVAL SHOW 'N' SHINE

Broadhead Arena

Vintage, Classic, Hot Rod, chrome bumper and show cars welcome
Prizes for 'Best' and 'runner-up' per category
\$10 entry per car (includes all passengers)
Entries are required prior to 21st November, no turn-ups on the day
and entries made via TryBooking.
Full details available in the Event section on our Facebook page-
'Ballarat Rock N Roll Festival'.



SATURDAY, 26 NOVEMBER 2022 FROM 10am-4pm

Ballarat Showgrounds

Contact Alan Darrell 0491 134 081 for further information

Holdens and Horses



Holdens and Horses



Out and About



Toranas all in a row !

Car Torque

Ballarat

Creswick Road Car Park

Sunday 23 October 2022

Send me the photos you have taken when you have been out and about for inclusion in the Newsletter....

All photos of Holdens and our events welcome!

Email your photos to:

Lisa Mitchell

lisa@mbballarat.com.au



Congratulations to Greg, Tom and Scott !

Winners

FX FJ State Titles 2022

Out and About



National Motorsport
Museum
Bathurst



Membership Form



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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION / RENEWAL FORM

Personal Details:

Name:	
Address:	
Mobile:	
Email:	
Family m/ship names:	

Vehicle Details:

Model	Body Style	Year	Colour	Rego	Current State	Immediate Club Rego Required?

Current state: (A) completed (B) Near Completed (C) Street vehicle (D) Project

Notes: Minimum vehicle age to qualify for club permit (red plate) scheme is 25 years.

New members requiring immediate access to the red-plate scheme will be charged a one-off fee of \$100 to waive the normal pre-qualification requirements (attendance at 3 meetings and 3 club runs within the first 6 months of membership).

A current Vic roadworthy certificate is required for red-plate applications (to be supplied later)

Fees:

Type	Cost	Tick as applicable
Single Membership	\$40	
Family Membership	\$60	
Immediate Red Plates	\$100	
Application Fee	\$15	
Total		

Note: Application fee includes name badge, key-tag, sticker, monthly newsletters, and access to free club ap.

Payment Options:

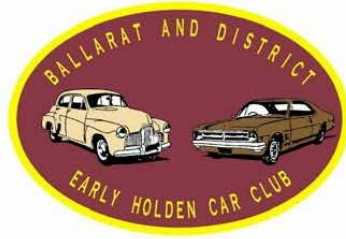
1. In person - attendance at first meeting
2. **D/Deposit: Ballarat Early Holden Club (Bendigo Bank) BSB:633 000 A/C:110 408 309**
Please include your name as a reference

Email completed forms to New Membership Officer: mark.davies.met@gmail.com

Sign: I hereby apply to become a member of the Ballarat and District Early Holden Car Club Incorporated and agree to comply with the rulings of the club.

Signature _____

Permit Scheme Application (Page 1)



Ballarat & District Early Holden Car Club Club Permit Scheme Checklist

- Applicants are required to supply originals of the documentation as listed below when applying for Club Permit Scheme (CPS) approval.
- A RWC is required for all Vehicles entering the scheme.
- Applicants must have been a member for at least six calendar months
- Applicants must be a financial member.
- Applicants must have attended at least two Club General Meetings prior to application
- Applicants must have attended at least two club runs prior to application

CHECKLIST

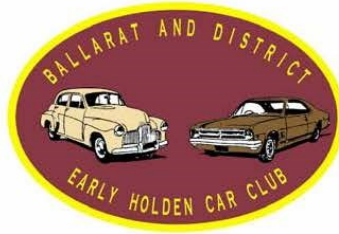
- ___ - Original VicRoads Club Permit Application Form
- ___ - Original of VicRoads Vehicle Eligibility and Standards Declaration Form
- ___ - Original Road Worthy Certificate
- ___ - A signed and completed copy of this Checklist and Declaration
- ___ - Proof of current financial Membership (Membership Card)
- ___ - Proof of ownership of the vehicle
- ___ - Photographs of vehicle
 - ___ Front View
 - ___ Drivers Side View
 - ___ Engine Bay
 - ___ Engine Number
 - ___ Drivers Position
 - ___ Rear View
 - ___ Chassis Number

Is the vehicle modified beyond VSI8 and/or VSI33? ___ YES ___ NO

If YES to above provide:

- ___ - Original VASS Approval Certificate

Permit Scheme Application (Page 2)



Ballarat & District Early Holden Car Club Club Permit Scheme Declaration

Make _____ Model _____

Vehicle Year _____ Build Date _____

Engine# _____ Chassis # _____

List any modifications from standard:

I _____ (Print Name) the undersigned, being a financial member of the Ballarat and District Early Holden Car Club, hereby declare that I:

- 1) Have detailed a true account of this vehicle being considered for the Club Permit Scheme
- 2) Will only use or permit to be used, the unregistered vehicle described above, and issued with a valid permit for its restricted use, in accordance with the requirements as specified by VicRoads.
- 3) Will remain a financial member of the club at all times this vehicle is on Club Permit and will maintain the vehicle in a safe and roadworthy condition.
- 4) Will notify the Ballarat and District Early Holden Car Club of the Permit Number and the expiry date as soon as the permit is obtained from VicRoads.
- 5) Will notify forthwith the BDEHCC in the event of (a) disposal by sale or otherwise of the above vehicle, (b) the vehicle becoming fully registered, (c) the permit being surrendered to VicRoads for whatever reason.

Signed _____ Date _____

Holdens and Horses



General Meeting Minutes October 22

4 October 2022

Meeting opened at 1940 hrs

Members present 40

Apologies

Murray Rogers, James Lowe, Megan Colbert, Daniel and Stacey, Turners, Millards, Rod Hamill, Jim Hare.

Minutes of September meeting

Read by Peter

Moved Steve Booker, seconded Greg Turner. Carried.

10 Year Membership badge presented to Jessica Mann

Business arising

Nil to report

Alan Darrell advised that volunteers for the impending Rock and Roll Festival are being sought. Display car entries need to be submitted by the end of October. \$10.00 per car entry which includes occupants.

Correspondence in

Food Acts Certificate. Invoice for rent paid in advance for 12 months.

President's Report

As per newsletter

Jeff addressed the group regarding Max Moore's passing, and a minute's silence was observed.

Treasurer's Report

Read by Sandra, Profit and Loss statement presented.

Moved Anne Turner, seconded Neil Leckie. Carried.

Membership

Nothing new to report

Run Co-ordinator

Rob reported the Pomonal run was a great success

Friday 7 October 2022

Trip to Motorclassica at Melbourne's Exhibition Building

Friday 14 October 2022

Bay To Birdwood participants depart

Sunday 30 October 2022

Buninyong Hotel Car Show, all welcome

Sunday 13 November 2022

Memorial Run will be hosted by the Dickson family at their Mt. Egerton property

Rob reported he Moore family appreciated our club representation at Max's funeral, together with our well wishes.

Red Dog Report

Catch up on 30 October 2022

Bar Report

May be a special offer made on Fanta. Stay tuned!!!

Club Room Report

All good, however Paul would like a few cleaning volunteers please

Merchandise

All good, adequate stock

CPS

Scott reported nothing new.

AEHF

15,16,17 November 2022 - 70 attendees

General Business

- Bunnings (Delacombe) car display in December
- Sandra Campbell was declared a Life Member

Buy, Swap, Sell

Buy

- Ian Austin is seeking a set of LX Torana callipers and backing plates
- Wayne Mead is chasing a set of HJ armrests
- Greg Turner is after a FJ tow bar

Swap

Nil

Sell

- Mark Boswerger has a 3.55:1 banjo differential centre to sell
- Scott has a contact wishing to sell an unrestored HR ute

Membership Draw

Jackpot

Raffle winner was Scott who is now \$86.00 richer

50/50

Andrew Wheeler is the lucky recipient of (believe it or not) a bucket hat!

Sergeant At Arms

Peter did his usual mischief and collected \$22.10

President Jeff declared the meeting closed at 2035 hrs

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The Rear End