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Our upcoming events

Please attend if you possibly can

OCT	2022	
Wednesday 5 th	BATHURST DRIVERS PARADE As this is the last year of the Holden Racing Team, it looks like we will not be required to help out this year.	CE10/22
Friday 14 th - Sunday 16 th	PORT MACQURIE WEEKEND Please contact Richard Jagger for details, on 0409-815-503.	CE11/22
Thursday 20 th	CODGERS RUN – ORGANISED BY STUART Meet 10.15am at The Waterfall Café Kariong for coffee, leave by 11.10am cruise south to The Mooney Mooney Workers Club for lunch @12 noon. If attending email Stuart by Monday 17 th October. studurant@htmail.com	CRN9/22
Friday 21 st – Sunday 23 rd	CHROME FEST – THE ENTRANCE (ZONE D MARINE PDE) Register on-line @Chromefest.org Corvettes will be parked in Zone D, Marine Pde.	CE12/22
Sunday 30 th	BREAKFAST RUN – ORGANISED BY MANDY Meet @ 8.am Carnes Hill McDonalds (Main Street Carnes Hill) Leave 8.15am travelling via Camden Valley Way to Camden Valley Inn, arrive approx. 8.45am. If you wish to attend, please advise Mandy on 0409-668-341 by Sunday 23 rd .	CE13/22
NOV	2022	
Tuesday 1 st	CLUB MEETING – THE CROSSROADS HOTEL- CASULA Club Meeting is held @ The Crossroads Hotel Hume Hwy/Camden Valley Way Casula. General meeting starts @7.30pm All Welcome. Bistro is open if you who would like to have some dinner before the meeting.	CM10/22
Thursday 17 th	CODGERS RUN – ORGANISED BY PETE Please contact Pete for details, on 0438-323-744	CRN10/22

PLEASE NOTE:

DUE TO COVID 19, SOME EVENTS MAYBE CANCELLED OR POSTPONED, PLEASE CHECK OUR ANNUAL EVENTS CALENDAR, FOR ALL OUR MAJOR EVENTS.

AS MOST VENUES TAKE BOOKINGS, IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOU ADVISE THE ORGANISER, IF YOU WILL BE ATTENDING AN EVENT BY THE RSVP DATE, OR YOU MAY MISS OUT. FOR ALL UPDATES, PLEASE CHECK FACEBOOK THE FORUM OR CONTACT MANDY ON 0409-668-341.

MESSAGE FROM THE

President

G'day Corvetters,

The first meeting at the new venue worked out great - good food, a very comfortable room (if you don't count the problem with the music!). We have rebooked the venue for the next two meetings.

I went on the Codgers' Run with the 'northern chapter' and had a fab time despite it raining all the way up; they all waited for me, as I was running a little late. Then we all jumped back into our 'vettes and drove down the road for coffee. After a short break we again jumped behind the wheel and headed for 'The Sunken Monkey'. We travelled not by the most direct route, but by a very scenic and pleasant route. A delightful lunch was had by all and the company was, as per usual, entertaining. My trip home was uneventful but it did rain - all the way!

I also attended the car show at "cars under the stars". This was my third time in attendance and I must say what a great variety of cars show up (of course, motor bikes too) - all types and makes of cars from Dodge to Mini to Aussie muscle, Hot Rods and even a beautiful FB Holden. The food vendors are plentiful with everything from seafood to pizza.

With over 200 cars and bikes there is plenty to look at. Once again, thanks to Jorge for introducing us to this event. If you would like to attend please contact Jorge or myself. The event is held at Greenway Wethereill Park. We all meet nearby and go in together so we can park together. Cost is \$10 per car.

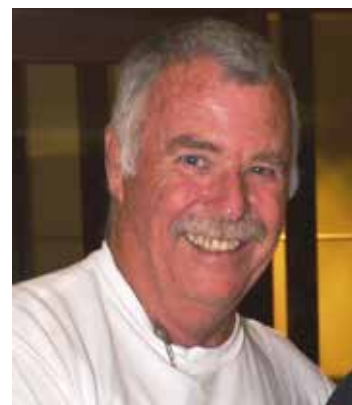
We are trying to organise our show and shine. If you know of a venue please let me know.

Just a reminder, if you would like to attend any of our functions but your 'vette is not available or you have too many people who would like to come with you, then by all means, bring the famiy 'shopping trolley'. The main thing is your attendance, the 'vette is a BONUS!.

A vote will be held at the October meeting to allow us to have life members covered if they want club rego. They have to be financial members to qualify for club rego, so the club will pay their dues which will make them legal (no debt will be incurred by the club as it is only a book entry). If you require any further information please contact me.

See you all at our runs and at the meetings.

Jeff



CORVETTE TRIVIA:

Sun Visors (called 'sunshades') became a Corvette option in 1959.

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Hello Fellow Members,

This has been a busy month for me.

As a club we attended Bulli Cafe for breakfast, big thanks to Mandy for organising this run. 25 Members attended the breakfast and it was a cold morning when we got there but sunny skies prevailed later in the morning. We had a great time catching up with our members, but it would be lovely if we could have more of you attend these runs. No excuses now as the weather is warming up and your Corvettes love to see the sun shining.

On Tuesday 13th September an old friend, Keith Swaine nicknamed 'Magpie' who was a long-standing member of our club (an absolute legend) and now lives in Queensland, came to visit Paul and I to catch up on old times. He also visited other Corvette members which was a blast from the past. Such a pleasure to catch up with old past members who contributed so much to our Corvette Club. It just goes to show old members are friends for life.

That's all from me until next time ...

Cheers, **Cathy**

Vice President

NSW Corvette Club Unlimited Inc.



Secretary's Report - Belinda

HI CAR CLUBBERS,

It is so nice to be getting out and about, now we are coming to the warmer months. The last few events and run have seen a good turnout.

Quite a lot happening this month, on the event front, so hoping to see some of you out and about. I am looking forward to the Port Macquarie weekend.

Last month's meeting was held at the new location and although a few teething issues, we are going to give it another go.



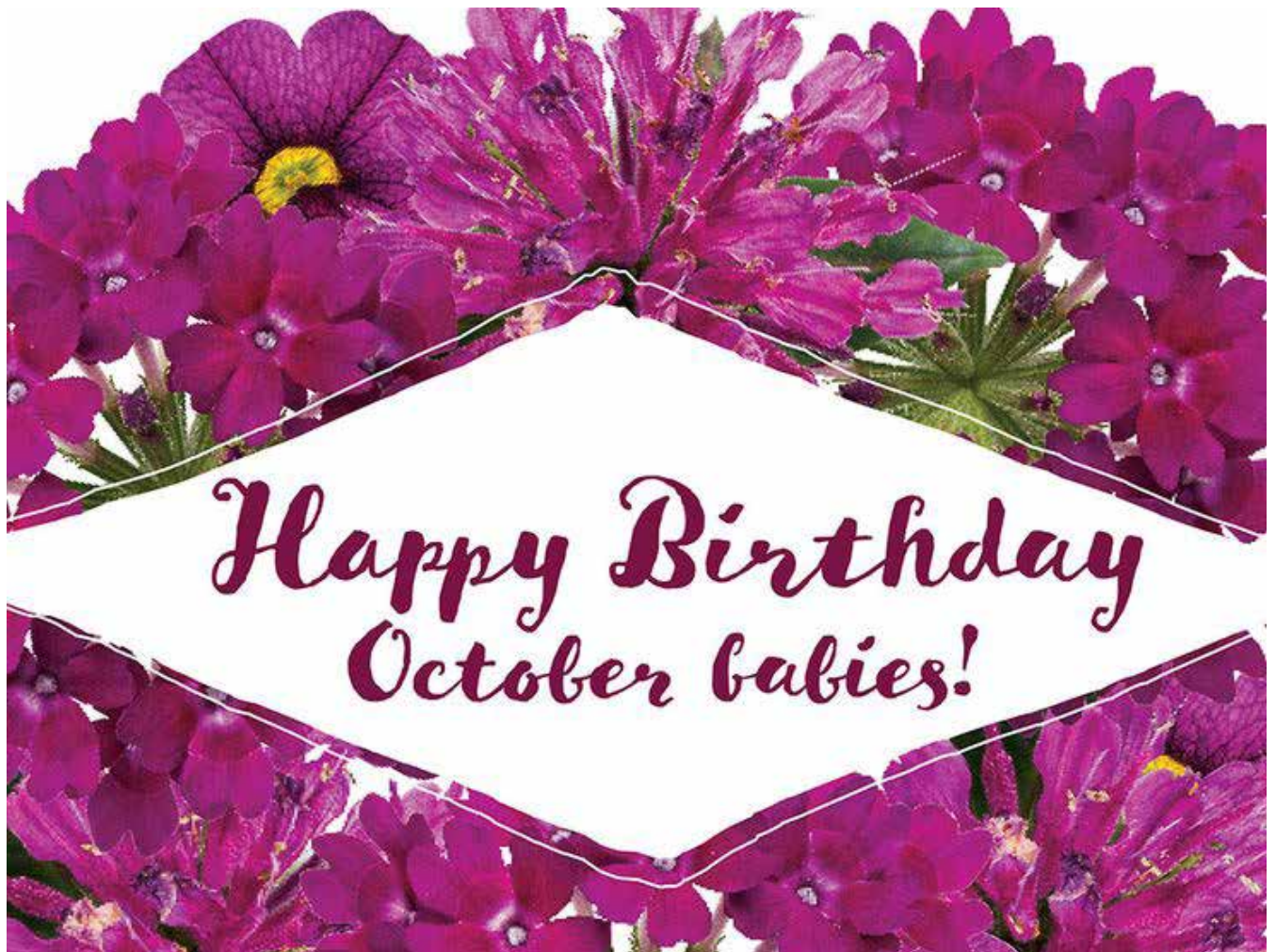
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30 Years - Paul Tullock
10 Years - Wayne Tremellen
5 Years - Chris Royer

New Members

George Barry ... Colín Cefai





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CODGERS RETURN TO THE SUNKEN MONKEY

Our September cruise began at the Ourimbah Interchange under gloomy skies with just the odd spot of rain but it wasn't an excuse to stay at home.

We were very pleased to welcome President Jeff and Treasurer Doug from the other side of the Hawkesbury and we set off with a good looking convoy of two C-3s, two C-4s and 2 C-6s and Col in his Toyvette for morning coffee at the nearby nursery.

We enjoyed the coffee and the great spring display and had a good chat with everyone before it was time to head off on the main part of the cruise over the Ridgeway through some good curves, plenty of bushland and some rural properties to Erina and the Sunken Monkey Hotel for some indoor tables overlooking Erina Creek. Here we were joined by Tim and Jane back from 18 months in West Australia, Ed and Ree and Rob and Kim making up two large tables for lunch.

The menu was good and it was soon time to go our separate ways.

In October Stuart has put his hand up to be the leader for the next Codgers Cruise which will be on Thursday 20th.

The meeting point will be the Waterfall Café at Kariong at 10.15 am for coffee. The cruise will head south to the club at Mooney Mooney for lunch at 12 noon.

In November the destination will be the hotel at Patonga. As they no longer take bookings the plan will be to arrive there fairly early at about 11.45. When Pete returns he will post the details early in November. But please save the date - **Thursday 17th November.**

If you are thinking of going to the Nationals at Ballarat next year my advice is book soon as there is not much accommodation left close to the venue as I found out when I booked this week.

CHEERS **PETE 0438 323 744**



Cancelled



Jamberoo Car Show & Family Day

13 September at 10:48 · 🌐

...

We are very disappointed to advise the cancellation of the Jamberoo Car Show scheduled for 30th October 2022.

Due to the extreme weather conditions over the past few months we have a high water table and it only takes a small shower for the ground to remain saturated. As such we are unable to park the anticipated 500 cars on Jamberoo Oval.

We would like to thank our sponsors, vendors, car enthusiasts and their families for their loyalty and helping to make the Jamberoo Car Show such a special day.

We certainly share everyone's disappointment.

We are especially disappointed that we are unable to raise much needed funds for the Jamberoo Red Cross and the Jamberoo Rural Fire Brigade at this time.



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To enter into Zone G click on this link <https://chrome-fest.iwannaticket.com.au/event/zone-g-the-entrance-hotel-hub-speciality-car-zone-MjY4NTk>

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The Program

Friday 24 March 2023

On Friday, book into the event, receive your gift bag, and mingle at the traditional **Meet and Greet** to follow that night.

The National Presidents' meeting will take place at 4pm.

Saturday 25 March 2023

A **Show 'n' Shine** will be held at scenic Lake Wendouree.

On Saturday night, we'll venture over to **Sovereign Hill** for a unique gold rush experience and to take a closer look into history of the era. Substantial finger food will be provided and drinks will be available to purchase from the bar.

Sunday 26 March 2023

On Sunday, we'll take a **picturesque cruise** through the local gold country and surrounding country towns, enjoying lunch together and some **Show 'n' Shine awards** presentations before returning to the Mercure Hotel.

Upon arrival back at the hotel, there will be time to relax and have a drink with old and new friends.

The **gold-themed gala dinner** will be held on Sunday night at the Mercure Hotel. There will be plenty of music, so glam up in your finest attire, dress to impress, and wear your best gold dancing shoes. Here, there will be additional presentations as well as auctions and raffles.

Monday 27 March 2023

Time to pack your Corvettes, say **farewell**, and make the safe journey home.

2023 Gold Rush Nationals



Corvettes of Melbourne, Vic Vettes and Surfcoast Corvettes will host the first Corvette Nationals since Queensland in 2019, due to the enduring Covid 19 pandemic. It is important that we recognise and thank the South Australian and Canberra Clubs for their ongoing efforts attempting to hold the Nationals in the face of insurmountable odds.

Taking place in historic Ballarat, the **2023 Gold Rush Corvette Nationals** will run from **24-27 March**. This event has been moved away from Easter to avoid congestion and make our event more affordable for attendees.

All rooms have been secured at **Mercure Ballarat Hotel and Convention Centre**, which will transform into the Corvette HQ during the event. The campus-style facility means your cherished Corvettes can be parked immediately adjacent to, or in close proximity to your room, with additional security provided. The good news is we've been able to negotiate a fantastic rate for these Nationals so we advise you to get your bookings in early – otherwise, overflow accommodation will be available at a nearby hotel.

Spruce up your Corvettes, pack your favourite convention- and nationals- themed shirts, dig out your club regalia, pack your gold dancing shoes for the Gala dinner, and make your way to Ballarat for fun with the Corvette family. We look forward to seeing many familiar faces and to meeting the growing number of new enthusiasts.

2023 Gold Rush Corvette Nationals
Friday 24 March until Monday 27 March
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Meeting Minutes

First Tuesday every month

Call to order 7.30pm

Roll call – 36 members present



Apologies –Simon Smith, Brian Mitchell, Ed Maszluch, Jean & Peter Cox

Previous Minutes: Approved by Jeff Wilson and Tony Charlton

Matters arising from Previous Minutes: Change to the position of Vice President from the AGM. Bob Sauers stood down and Cathy Tullock accepted the position.

a) Presidents Report: - Jeff Wilson

We had no new members attending the September Meeting.

Welcome to the Committee for the coming session.

If you are interested organizing or have suggestion for club runs, please coordinate with Mandy, our Events Coordinator.

Club members would like to see the mid-week evening BBQ come back, however, we need to have somewhere that has toilet facilities, so if you have any suggestion, please forward to the committee for consideration.

b) Vice Presidents Report: - Cathy Tullock

Thank you for the opportunity to represent the club for which I have been member for 30years.

c) Secretary's Report: - Belinda Ford - Nothing to add.

d) Treasurer's Report: - Doug Ford

Any member with-Plates need to make sure that their membership is up to date and financial.

The club now has only two accounts:

Everyday Account Balance: \$6103 this is due to membership payments coming in. Investment Account: \$41,307.77

Looking to amend the Club Constitution for our founding lifetime member.

e) Historic Registration: - Jorge Vazquez

When applying for H-Plates, you are required to provide the declaration form and a copy of your Pink Slip for Club records. I went to Rutherford to sign up a new member for H-Plates.

f) Stock Controller: - Vicki Micallef

I have stock of the following items tonight: ... • Sloppy Joe's - \$40 • Polo's: -\$35

g) Events – Mandy Caprin

Past Events

CMC Day, we had 13 Corvettes representing the Club. The cars were able to Laps, however, some got caught behind some Vintage cars. There was a large variety of cars.

At the Cars under the Stars, run by the Australian Muscle car Club, Professional Photographer will take Photos of your car, you can purchase these of his website at a cost of \$8.90 per print.

East Hills Car Show - It was a good day for those who attended, a large variety of cars on display.

Coming Events

- Port Macquarie Weekend
- Chrome Fest, The Entrance
- Club Show N Shine
- Corvette Nationals in 2023

BREAK 7.55 PM

General Business

A couple of Run suggestions being investigated, If you have any 'out of the box' ideas for social events, please bring them to the committee, as we are always looking for something different.

A One Drive has been set up between Club secretary and our IT provider for a better way to provide pictures for the website. If you have pictures that you would like put on the web site, please contact the Club Secretary to provide you access to upload these.

The Corvette club will not be taking part in the Driver Parade around the track at Bathurst, confirmation from GM, that Holden vehicles are the main focus for this 2022 as it will be their last year of involvement in the Supercars.

RAFFLE – \$132.10 ... Jan Eldred, Joe Farrugia, Bill Cleary, Rosie Browne, Margaret Fisher, Mandy Caprin, Les Dobrowolski, Gail Vazquez

Meeting closed at 8.30pm

From the Trea\$ury

This month I will not prattle on about "H" Plates as I've done now for several months, I'm sure the rules for "H" Plates is now well and truly understood.

Finances. The club's investment account has finally matured and gained the princely amount of \$103.27 which was earned at the phenominal rate of 0.25%pa.

At the time of writing this report I have an appointment with St.George to discuss re-investment and what rates are now available, with this decision to be completed by 9th October, 2022. I have no idea at this time of what the rates may be, but I'm pretty sure I will not re-invest for a 12 month period, since rates now seem to be on the move. This account closes at \$41,411.04.

The everyday account opened August at \$5,799.20 and closed at \$6,158.90 with credits of \$1735 from renewals, new Memberships and \$800 from advertisers Keen & Corvette Central whilst debits of \$880 Printing, \$141.18 Post and \$354.17 made up of WEB/IT, account cost (\$20), Raffles tea/coffee, although our new meeting site has kindly supplied tea & coffee, but of course the club will supply some cake/biscuits etc on the meeting night. Whilst the account closed as per above it stands at \$6437.72 (26 September)

We had renewals from T.Ruse, Karl Taylor, A.McKee, Richard Thomas, John Moore plus Clive Alcock and Jeff Cooper and Mr Peter Middleton up in Medowie.

Welcome new members!

Treasurer Doug.

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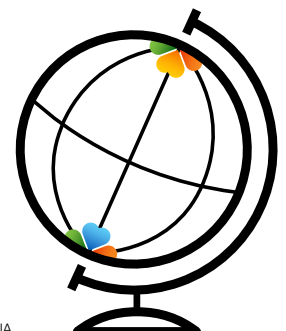


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