

PAST TIMES



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1948 Ford - Four door sedan

This yellow 1948 Ford four door sedan was restored by Rob Stewart several years ago and is now proudly owned by Russell Warren, and it is in very good hands.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Another very busy month for the VAA with the British car day and Debbi's run to the Pig & Whistle, both having significant numbers in attendance.

The car inspection day also went well.

The big morning tea for Cancer had an estimated 50 plus people turn up and I can assure you that **no-one** went home hungry. It was pleasing to see a contingent of the Daimler car club turn up for the morning tea. But I do have to mention Jon Ramirez's Brownies which were delicious.

Some of us went on a short "not quite a mid-week run" to Kalamunda for a coffee, there was a nice display of cars of all makes and models in attendance.

As we stated at the May meeting, we will be having a run on the Thursdays after the meeting, assembling at the clubrooms at 9:00 am, with those who are there deciding where to go. So put this in your calendar.

In the past month we have lost two members - Charles Heinrich and Dennis Tattersall both were long term members. Our sympathies to their respective families.

I am sure most of you are aware that your club turns 50 next year, so some of us got together to start planning a years' worth of events, so watch this space as we are heading for an exciting year. We have an ambitious schedule, but it can and will only work, if firstly - members turn up, and secondly - if we get enough volunteers to help to run the events.

The workshop is about to gain the use of a vehicle rotisserie, with the first car to go on it to be - Brain Tuckers FJ Holden. It never ceases to amaze me just how much work goes through the workshop.

Keith & Ray Smiths Austin engine has been completed, Loris's Fiat has been painted, the Riley almost looks like it is mostly together, and the Rugby was run up ready for a new owner.

Looking forward to seeing you all at the next meeting.

Kind regards,

Tony Warner

President - Vintage Automobile association of WA Inc.
0417 555 073



Australia's
**BIGGEST
MORNING
TEA**

Every cup counts in the fight against cancer

CANCER FOUNDATION – AUSTRALIA'S BIGGEST MORNING TEA

Guys, if you didn't come to our Morning Tea on Saturday 29/05/21, well you missed out on some delicious food!

This is for a good cause, and supported by our club, just makes it even better.

Loris Cooper is the one behind all the organisation and preparation. Our hats go out to you

Loris Cooper!! The amount of food that Loris had put on the tables was fit for a King.

Geez ... Tony, we bet you get spoilt!!

Along with Loris, there were other helpers.

Shirley looking after the kitchen and helping with the preparation of food, and the cleaning up. Its like you wave a magic wand Shirley, and then it is all done!! Our lovely Cynthia who produced Gluten Free cakes and scones, who was also hands on to help set up.

We also had a good turn out for the event, with some outsiders coming from other areas.

Well done Loris and team for your efforts.

Lets make this an annual event, as each year it will just get better!!

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MINUTES OF THE V.A.A.W.A. GENERAL MEETING - CLUB ROOMS, Bellevue, 11th May 2021

Meeting Opened at	2000 Hrs	
Attendees	54 members and guests present	
Apologies	Tom Polich, Lars Boujos, Brian Pilton, Alan & Linda Warner, Peter Egan, Rhonda & Graham Barton, Brett Robinson, Ron & Jenny Perry, Joe Brajkovich, Brian Pilton	
Visitors	4 - Phil, Phil's friend, Robert Cannon, Michelle Smith	
New members	nil	
Previous Minutes	Accepted by – Ron Dunn Seconded by – Grahame Hough All in favour	
Business Arising	nil	
Correspondence in	Ken Wyatt, sorry but not successful in our request for funding Canberra Vintage car museum magazine	
Correspondence out	nil	
Business arising	nil	
Treasurer's report	Bank balance is currently - \$28611.68	
Business arising	nil	
Events	<p>Thursday 13 May - The Not quite midweek run. Meet at the clubrooms at 9am with a destination of Chrome Bumpers.</p> <p>Sunday 16 May - British Car Day 10-4pm at Gingin. Meet at Gingers Roadhouse at 8.45am for a 9am departure.</p> <p>Sunday 16 May -Debbie's run. Meet at clubrooms at 11 for 11.30am departure to Swan View tavern for lunch at noon. Mud map available on the day. Can also just meet at the tavern.</p> <p>Saturday 22 May – 50th Anniversary planning meeting - all genders welcome. 12.30pm</p> <p>Sunday 23 May - Car Inspection day – 8 -12noon. If you get an official Roadworthy inspection, it costs \$130, so make use of this great free unofficial service. Clubrooms</p> <p>Saturday Cancer Council morning tea to fundraise. 10-12noon. Clubrooms. Please help by supplying something to eat. Everyone would know someone who has had cancer of some sort so please donate to help us all.</p> <p>Sunday 30 May -WW2 Underground tunnels - Mosman Park. Meet there at 10 then have lunch afterwards – Postponed until further notice</p>	
Swap Meet	Provisional date of 3 October to be confirmed	
Editor/Magazine	Nice square photos with a bit of a story or details of the vehicle welcomed	
Vehicle examiner	Nil	
Registrar/New Member approvals	New member application - Ben Walker approved 255 current members	
CMC	Currently looking for a secretary	
Library	Technical materials welcomed but historical not so much due to lack of space. Some magazines have been donated which can be free for members	
Workshop Report	<p>Dodge is gone to get licensed.</p> <p>Riley is back Bruce did a brilliant trim job and it's his last job before retiring. He did this for the cost of materials only. Bruce is a bloody legend.</p> <p>We have gained a Holden for restoration - there's structural rust on the rocker, oil leaks, and possibly an engine overhaul.</p> <p>The Fiat, the Rugby and the Sprite are works in progress</p> <p>A (safe-ish) billy cart is to be made for the kids.</p>	
General business	<p>Shirley suggested we do another calendar for the 50th anniversary - a suggestion that was widely supported. So please send good quality photos to sian@weemptyhouses.com.au. Photos need to be high res, with a nice (or appropriate) background- I.e. no bollards, power lines, have a title and an explanation of the car (its history, what it is, who restored it, engine details etc) There's a suggestion box for 50th Anniversary events on the counter – Bill Redeckis suggested car badges.</p> <p>2 block mounted prints available for sale from Frank Ferrari for \$30 with funds to go to the club. Print is titled 'Speed limits 1919-1925'</p>	
Raffle winners	<p>\$ 200 raised</p> <p>1st -Kevin Sweeney</p> <p>2nd - Noel De Costa</p>	<p>3rd - Ron Dunn</p> <p>4th - Peter Callo</p> <p>Thanks Dom and Elijah</p>
Display car	Yellow 1948 4 door sedan restored by Rob Stewart owned by Russell Warren.	
Wanted, Sales and Sightings	<p>Peter Callo wants Toyota Crown boot '74</p> <p>John Griffiths wants door glass for a 76 Toyota Crown</p> <p>Keith Agar wants to sell a HZ Station wagon</p> <p>There's a XW wagon for sale at the corner of Welshpool and something Road - Ask bill Redeckis</p> <p>Mark wants to sell a HZ 1 tonner.</p> <p>Peter Callo is selling his garden art cars – Bushmead Road</p> <p>Mark McKenzie wants a bumper bar for a Mark 2 Zephyr with good chrome. Don't we all.</p>	
General Meeting closed	20.55 Hrs	





Vintage Automobile Association of WA Inc.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2021 TUESDAY 13th JULY - NOMINATION FORM

Office Bearer and Committee 2021/22 - Call for nominations.

If you would like to become more involved in running our club, please consider nominating for one of the offices or management committee positions. You will be very welcome and there will be plenty of support for you. Nominations are required by the 15th of June 2021. This allows time to have the written nominations ready for the AGM on July 13th.

Please make sure that you get the person that you are nominating to sign the form as well as yourself.

Please note that once written nominations are in for various positions there can be NO nominations from the floor at the AGM for that position. The following is a brief description of each position followed by the nomination form

President

To be the public face of the VAA, to chair all meetings of the VAA and to provide guidance and advice to members in general but more specifically to the committee. (Chairs Management Committee)

Vice President

To act as the President in all functions in the absence of the President. (Member Management Committee)

Secretary / Registrar

To arrange for all incoming and outgoing correspondence notices to members as required. Record minutes of all meetings. Provide information to prospective members, and current members. Prepare agenda and minutes for meetings. Maintain a list of all members and their vehicles, provide mailing lists for the Past Times magazine Provide a full membership and vehicle lists as required. Issue CMC Form 1 to eligible members. Arrange for new member badges to be purchased and sent. (Member Management Committee)

Treasurer

To manage the finances of the club in accordance with best accounting practice. Maintain the financial records of the club. Pay accounts in a timely manner as directed by the executive committee and or the general meeting. Provides financials at the end of each financial year for examination by the membership. (Member Management Committee)

Events Coordinator

To collect, collate events and advise members through the Past Times magazine, website and direct mail or email. Events thus noted are then available for members to use their concessionally licensed vehicle. Note that any member can arrange an event at any time, but it is advisable to liaise with the Events Coordinator and have it listed in the monthly run sheet. (Member Management Committee)

Committee Member

To participate on the management committee of the club to manage the affairs of the club. To take all reasonable steps to ensure that the club complies with the Associations Incorporation Act 2015, the Constitution and Rules of the club and the by-laws (if any). (Member Management Committee)

Magazine Editor

To receive information from various committee members, articles from members and other sources as required for inclusion into the Past Times Magazine. Constructs the layout and edits all received contributions for the Past Times to be print ready.

Scrutineer

To examine members vehicles to be assessed for originality. Arrange for periodic inspections, provide advice generally on vehicle condition.

Librarian To maintain the library in good order, chase up outstanding loan books, catalogue new donations and record the donors inside the book covers promote the library from time to time.

Club Historian

To maintain a knowledge and document the key people and events that occur in the club. Generally, a member with a longstanding historic knowledge of the club.

Publisher

To send out by post Past Time magazines to members each month, with the magazine and cover sheets printed.

Dating Officer

To ascertain what category concessional vehicles are licensed for.

Building Manager

To arrange and manage major maintenance and improvements to the clubroom and grounds. Coordinate busy bee activities.

Club Caretaker

To maintain the grounds and building in a fit for purpose state notwithstanding busy bee's occurring from time to time. To maintain a register of all club assets and advise when replacement and or repair is required.

Raffle Coordinator

To coordinate the monthly raffle and conscripts help for tickets sold during the monthly meeting.

Kitchen Manager

To ensure that there is tea, coffee, milk, sugar, and cool drinks available for members at monthly meetings and other times as required. Keeps the kitchen, fridge clean and well stocked.

Swap meet organiser

Arranges for the booking of a suitable venue, hires equipment as needed, arranges for advertising, food, drinks, and refreshments as needed. Organises labour for setting up the swap meet and demobilising, also labour on the day of the swapmeet.

Merchandising Manager

To purchase and manage stocks of suitable regalia for members to purchase at cost.

Workshop Manager

To coordinate the activities of the Wednesday and Saturday workshop sessions. Liaise with members and workshop participants to assess and schedule work and projects. Audits safety periodically and assesses equipment as fit for purpose.

Webmaster

To maintain the club's website <http://www.vaawa.org.au/> and Facebook page with latest events, magazines and club information ensuring all content remains relevant and up to date.

CMC Delegate

To represent the club at Council of Motoring Club meetings, be the contact point and keep the committee and members informed of relevant information.



Vehicle Inspection Day Sun 23rd May

Although the weather was not looking promising we still managed to get around 15 cars to attend the inspection day. The team of inspectors were Ray Roberts, Keith Agar, Brett Roberts and Warren Hutchings. Ably supported by Shirley and Neville Everett who provided sustenance.

Tony Warner



Article from the Secretary/Registrar

Hello everyone.

We are getting to that time of year where we need to start the process for electing a new committee.

Critical dates.

The AGM will be held on the 13th of July at the clubrooms – (Covid dependant of course)

Cut-off date for nomination for elected reps is 15th of June 2021.

Rules as per Division 3 of the VAAWA Constitution - see attached.

- A member who wishes to be considered for election to the committee at the annual general meeting must nominate for election by sending written notice of the nomination to the secretary at least 28 days before the annual general meeting.
- If there is **no** nomination for a position, the chairperson of the meeting may call for nominations from the ordinary members at the meeting.
Please note that once written nominations are in for various positions there can be NO nominations from the floor at the AGM for that position.

Thanks

Jason Ferris
Secretary and Registrar
Vintage Automobile Association
<http://www.vaawa.org.au/>
0475 625 209



Vintage Automobile Association of WA Inc.

2021/2022 Nomination Form

Please return to:

Secretary V.A.A. of W.A. P.O. BOX 1399 MIDLAND DC 6936 WA or email secretary@vaawa.org.au

I wish to nominate the following person for the position of _____

NAME OF PERSON BEING NOMINATED _____

SIGNATURE OF PERSON BEING NOMINATED _____

NAME OF PERSON NOMINATING _____

SIGNATURE OF THE PERSON NOMINATING _____

DATE ____/____/____

Note all written nomination MUST be in the hand of the Secretary Tuesday 15th of June 2021



Cancer Council Big Morning Tea – Saturday 29th May, 2021.

Very pleased with the support given for this event. Fifty + people turned up to support this great cause. The Club raised \$621.50 from the morning Tea...Thank you everyone. Apart from Club Members and their friends, we had a group of Daimler Club Members turn up and in addition local Midland/Guildford Ward Councillor, Ian Johnson came along.



Plenty of yummy food



A few of the Club Members.
And a friendly group of Daimler Club Members



All British Car Day at Gingin Sunday 16th May 2021

A reasonable turnout of our Club's cars turned up for this event. Half a dozen cars met at Ginger's Roadhouse and went in convoy to Gingin – those that came included Brian and Kerry White, Mark McKenzie, Shirley and Neville Everett, Tony Warner and Loris Cooper, Bob De Jong, and Liam O'Connor and two of his friends. When we arrived at Gingin, we had to part company and park with our appropriate car group. The day was a huge success, having a turnout of hundreds of beautiful British cars.

Loris Cooper



WANTED Truck rims 5 stud, 1 3/4" hole with 5 7/8" centre hole and approx. 5" wide for 7.00 x 20 tyre to suit 1940's Dodge. If able to help please contact M Davey 96201245 or email: mmdavey@westnet.com.au Maitland

WANTED
Wanted - 1942 - 1945 Willys Jeep. It is a BG model. Cash buyer waiting.
Call Tom on 0401803675

Name: Olivier LEYMET

Email: olivier.leymet@aliceadsl.fr

I recently bought a Salmson S4D aero semi wrecked half sedan.

I am looking for the current owners of the few survivors of this model and I was told that one is in Australia, by chance, do you know this car or can you help me with my search?

Thank you in advance

Best regards - Olivier

For Sale

We are looking for expressions of interest in purchasing this Durant Rugby from the club. Your committee believe that the workshop may not have the space or time to undertake a full restoration in the short to medium term. The car was donated to the club without condition and it would be great if a club member were to purchase it and restore the car. It appears to be complete, and the engine turns over and the workshop may attempt to get it running over the next few weeks.

Please contact Bob D'Jong or Tony Warner if you are interested.

Kind Regards,

Tony Warner

President



The Good, The Bad, The Ugly (In the Workshop)

The Good

With the long awaited dispatch of a rebuilt Austin 1800 engine from the workshop, our attention turned to the Rugby. With some trepidation the bonnet was removed and the donk revealed. After a bit of head scratching and parts identification on the Flathead 6, it was thought worth tickling the points, timing her and throwing some fuel down her throat. Oil – check, Water – no need, Exhaust – no need, ... ohh just crank her over !!

Well, with no small surprise the radiator was doing its best Puffing Billy imitation when cranking but didn't fire up. Blown head gasket was the diagnostic 'guess'. Bob strides off and returns with a socket and bar to rip the head off. No need! All the head stud nuts were only finger tight. Silver paint the gasket, button her up, kick it in the guts. Fires first time, smoke, noise and smiles !!

Quick, put the bonnet back on and put the 'For Sale' sign up.

The Bad

Every organization needs key people to function properly. The workshop has one in particular. This person doesn't turn spanners, she turns up with crib. Unfortunately, 26.5.2021 was a dark day for the expectant morning tea crew - - Shirley didn't turn up – important personal business !! Hence ...

The Ugly

Our first reserve was called up to the plate (excuse the pun). Now I love Bob Hyde – I really do, but as a stand in for Shirl he is a very distant second. Okay, the tepid tea I can accept, the burnt bums on the party pies – it happens, but THE SCONES UNCUT – Oh COME ON !!!

I quickly add – I grizzle but will never step up to do crib – the bar is too high and the workshop crew too spoilt !

Hutch



FIAT X1/9

See the before and after photos of Loris's Fiat.

She has it at home at the moment to fit all of the glass, lights etc while waiting for the engine and gearbox to be completed. A big thanks to Alan Warner for the paint work and to Trevor Holmwood for his patience on assembling the engine.

Tony Warner



Run to Swan View Tavern and lunch, Swan View 16 May 21

A merry band left the clubrooms consisting of Martin and I and our lovely passenger Cynthia Payne in the Caddy, Jason and Sian Ferris in their Valiant, Graham Hough in his wild shirt driving his hot Mercedes, Ron and Dorothy Dunn in a modern and Ron and Jenny Perry, (unfortunately Ron's car wouldn't go so had to bring a modern) . It wasn't a long run as Graham Hough pointed out but we were able to look down on the city and suburbs from Swan View road.

We were met at the tavern by Lance and Cheryl Glew and Brian Tucker, (Brian deciding to forgo sheep dredging to enjoy a beer and lunch with us).

So 12 of us sat down to a great lunch and a laugh, lovely day out.

Debbie Paine



Dorothy and myself had intended to go the British car day at GinGin but with Paddy our new puppy to look after, we decided to stop closer to home so decided to join the lunch group at the Pig and Whistle.

After a short tour around the area we all arrived at the hotel for a lovely lunch and a good get together.

A photo of the group enjoying a good meal and spinning a few yarns.

Also a photo showing a Line up of members classic cars....err the i30 was a bit of a ring in - not quite classic yet!

Thanks to Debbie for organising an enjoyable luncheon.



VAA Office Bearers - 2021



* Denotes committee of management

POSITION	MEMBER	PHONE	
President	Tony Warner	0417 555 073	*
Vice President	Keith Agar	0417 966 862	*
Secretary / Registrar	Jason Ferris	0475 625 209	*
Treasurer	Rhonda Barton	0409 880 378	*
Assistant Treasurer	Val Smith	9309 4837	
Scrutineer	Graeme Barton	0409 880 378	*
Assistant Scrutineers	Keith Agar	0417 966 862	*
Assistant Scrutineers	Brett Roberts	0402 233 487	
Assistant Scrutineers	Ray Roberts	0438 911 387	
Building manager	Graham Hough	0408 905 226	*
Caretaker	Mark McKenzie	0400 701 142	
Librarian	Martin Paine	9247 1729	
Club Historian	Ron Perry	9295 3420	
Workshop Manager	Bob D'Jong	0400 064 937	
Magazine Editor	Frank Ferrari	0419 421 087	
Events Coordinator	Pauline Velden	0405 144 919	*
Dating Officer	Trevor Harrison	9398 1272	
Kitchen Manager	Shirley Everett	0424 422 270	
Swap Meet organiser	Vacant		
Raffle coordinator	Domenic Paoliello	0407 446 682	*
Raffle assistants	Elijah, Isabella, Jackson, Macey, Lani & Tyler		
Social media	Vacant		
CMC Delegate	Frank Ferrari	0419 421 087	
Committee of management	Ray Smith	0416 018 119	*
Committee of management	Kevin Lockyer	0407 355 245	*

FOR SALE

Unfortunately, one of our members has passed away, and the family have offered our club members first pick on the car a 1926 Model T Ford. It has a few other parts from another car with it. No price discussed. Please contact - Graham on 0409 737 977

Jason Ferris





VAA Club 50th Anniversary - VAA Ladies Planning Committee

Report/Update from the VAA 50th Anniversary Planning Committee

We have "lift off". The first planning meeting was held on Saturday 22 May 2021 at the Club Rooms. Sixteen members turned up and provided very valuable input into a list of already received suggestions for events during 2022, our Club's 50th Anniversary. We worked through the list of suggestions and significant thought went into identifying events for the full twelve months.

Those in attendance volunteered to do further research into venues and various aspects of the proposed events. Once we are able to confirm venues etc we will be able to advise you all further on events/dates etc.

Loris Cooper

Wanted

Dear Members,

We would like to borrow Vintage Clothing, male or female for the periods of 1920s through to 1970s.

As part of our 50th anniversary celebrations in 2022, we are thinking of holding a fashion event. Ideally, we would love garments to be modelled, but any garments too fragile or valuable could be displayed. Clothing can include, men's and ladies clothing, formal/informal, dresses, suits, hats, gloves, shoes, handbags, shawls, etc, etc.

If you would like to model your own garments, we are keen for you to walk the runway.

One person will be in charge of keeping your treasures safe and they will be returned after the event.

Please contact: Cheryl Glew on 0432239349 or email: cheryl.glew@outlook.com

Kind regards

Cheryl Glew
VAA Member

BANNAWARRA STATION

YALGOO

WEDNESDAY 25TH AUGUST – MONDAY 30TH AUGUST 2021

Take some time out and come along to the above Club Run.

This will take you away from the Huggle and Bussell of everyday life.

At the moment numbers are needed as this will also incorporate a BUSY BEE at the property.

Bring your own caravan, camper, tent or even a swag and sleep in the barn.

Limited accommodation on the site with limited Telstra service.

1st in best dressed. Please book with Peter 0418 914 617

Saturday Night - Back to 1950's Barn Dance Night will be held in the shearing shed.

Ladies bring your partners in period dress or just turn up.

Gents - jeans/boots and hat.

During the stay we have a major item for those interested in helping to stand up a CRANE.

We are trying to obtain a front end loader along with the Matatu loader and a bob cat. We will try dig under one side of the crane to stand this up.

HELP!!! People with experience required PLEASE !!

2nd is to repair shearing shed equipment.

For more information, please contact Peter 0418 914 617 or Keith Agar 0417 966 862



VAA EVENTS 2021

Don't forget our Pre Meeting Sausage Sizzle BBQ from 7:00PM

Workshop at the Club Rooms 9AM-12PM Every Wednesday and Saturday

MTH	DATE	DAY	TIME	NAME	ADDRESS	CONTACT	PHONE
JUNE	8th	Tues	8:00pm	VAA CLUB MEETING	CLUB ROOMS	Jason Ferris	0475 625 209
	10 th	Thurs	9:00am	VAA EVENT MID WEEK RUN	CLUB ROOMS	ROB HYDE	
	12th	Sat	8:00 – 5:00pm	Cruise for Mens Mental Health All Proceeds to Black Dog In- stitute	Brew Thru Coffee Shop 3 locations: Balatta 8:00am – 1:30pm South Trigg Beach 3:10 – 3:45pm		
	19 th	Sat	12:30pm	VAA EVENT 50 TH Anniversary Planning	Club Rooms	Loris Cooper	0402 032 270
	20 th	Sun	TBA	VAA EVENT Cannington Zone Bowling	Cnr Manning Road & Burton Street, Cannington	Alan Warner	
	20th	Sun	8:30 – 10:30am	Classic Cars & Coffee \$10:00 per car	University of WA Hackett Drive Crawley		
July	13th	Tues	8:00pm	VAA CLUB MEETING AGM MEETING	CLUB ROOMS	Jason Ferris	0475 625 209
	25 th	Sun	8:30 – 10:30am	Classic Cars & Coffee \$10:00 per car	University of WA Hackett Drive, Crawley		
AUG	10th	Tues	8:00pm	VAA CLUB MEETING	CLUB ROOMS	Jason Ferris	0475 625 209
	20 th	Fri		VAA EVENT Bannawarra Station Yalgoo Run	Further Notes in Club Mag	Keith Agar Peter	0417 966 862 0418 914 617