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NELSON-MARLBOROUGH CLASSIC CARS SEPTEMBER 2024 NEWSLETTER

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Club Presidents 2024 Report from the DRIVERS SEAT

Presidents Report Spring 2024

Hi Fellow Classic Car Enthusiasts

Well, we are into Spring with one last Southern Blast from the south to remind us that Winter is not totally over.

Time to take the dust covers of your pride & joy and get back on the road to attend one of our many clubs runs coming up. Our committee has been busy working on upcoming events as seen in this newsletter.

Membership is very healthy made up of the following: Single 17, Double 163, Made up of Nelson/Tasman 151, Marlborough 131, Other Regions 61, Life Members 5 (Included in the above) Denis LeCren, Pat & Susan Pascoe & Winston & Natalie Williamson.

With our AGM set down for Sunday the 16th of February 2025 it's time for you as members to be prepared to put your name forward for one of the many positions in the club that keeps the club going and vibrant.

Barbara & I look forward to catching up with you at one of our events soon.

Regards

Bob Jamieson

Club President





CLUB CAPTAINS REPORT

What began for the Spring season as settled and warmer weather has deteriorated over the past week but Fear not fellow car lovers as I have it on good authority that Spring and Summer are definitely on their way. Get those cars fettled and be ready to get out and about on the many club runs and events planned over the next few months.

Members are showing by their numbers that the fiscal tightness out there is affecting participation in the overnight and more expensive dining events. To help alleviate this we have planned the next few months of runs around DIY or more cost-effective trips. Have a look at the COMING EVENTS below and show your support by coming along. I can guarantee you will not be disappointed with what has been planned which will cater for members and their partners ... For later Newsletters we will add in a section that will inform you of upcoming car events further afield so that if you are intending attending Sonja will let other members know and you can plan to go together. Feedback from members has been very positive about the WHAT'S IN MY SHED section in the last newsletter. So, we can continue, please send me photos of projects you are undertaking or your line up of toys with the story behind them.

Many thanks to Geradine Haack for volunteering to step in as Club Treasurer to learn the ropes from Wayne before he takes off for Timaru. Thanks Jon Haack for organising the KAIKOURA WEEKEND for which numbers were low and the weather gods decided to let rip with rain and low temperatures which did little to dampen the fun had by members.

Warren Peter 's BEHIND THE SCENES OMAKA visit was fantastic. Those that went were given the opportunity to see the restoration of some outstanding Classic aircraft and the incredible time and detail involved in the rebuild to airworthiness.

All the best team and i look forward to catching up with you on the next events planned by your committee.

Pete Glue
Club Captain



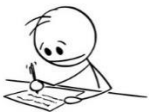


Welcome New Members

Tony And Gill Hawker ... Blenheim

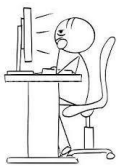
Name Tags:

Please wear your name tag on Classic car runs as we have a number of new members, and it helps greatly with introductions for those of us suffering ageism. Replacement name tags, including lanyard and holder can be ordered through our club treasurer email: waynebell@gmail.com for \$5.00.



Newsletter - Any information you would like to put in the newsletter please

email - Pete: p.j.glue@xtra.co.nz or Anne-Marie: anne-marie.campbell@xtra.co.nz



Website & Emailing of Club Notices - Sonja Greenhill



Sonja will oversee the Club's Website and email out all the club notices you receive and if you change your email address, postal address or phone number, please let her know so she can update the club records or if you have problems not receiving your Club notices contact her: 0275789062 Sonja.

Membership Forms are available on the Website so if you have friends that want to join download or get them too and fill it in and send it back to the club.

Blenheim and now doing every 2nd Tuesday of the month

TUESDAY CRUISE DAY



- see coming events to find out more information

Recent Events



Geoff's Thursday Run.

On the 25 of July 24 Members travelled through Upper Moutere and on to Dovedale then up the Motueka River Highway. We arrived at the Tapawera Hotel around 12 pm and was greeted by our Host for a private Lunch booking in the warm bar. The lunch was huge servings of good Pub Meals. Everyone enjoyed the drive and the hospitality of the day. See you All next Thursday Run.
Cheers Geoff



On the Thursday Run 29th August 10 members visited Crossbow Coffee Roasters (near Caltex Richmond) for a nice coffee. Just before 12 pm we headed out to The Wakefield Hotel for Lunch. With the fire roaring and excellent hospitality from Michelle, lots of chatter good food we headed for home around 2-30 pm.
See you next Thursday Run.
Cheers Geoff



Weekend Runs

July - Omaka Aviation Heritage Centre Visit

The 21st of July saw around 40 club members rock up to the Omaka Aviation Heritage Centre to check out some really cool aircraft. It was a perfect day for flying, hardly a breath of wind and the sun was shining, (a stark contrast to the dreary day we had endured prior to Sunday).

After rounding up the troops, Pat led us off on a wee excursion to the 1st of the two hangers we would be visiting, (can I just add, that trying to move some club members along is like trying to herd cats!). So, first stop was to check out and hear some of the amazing history of the Avro Anson, the only one of its' type left flying in the world today, (also available to purchase at a cool \$1.9 million - pilot not included). It's hard to believe that during the evacuations at Dunkirk, one of these aircraft managed to shoot down what was the premier German fighter of the time, the Me109 - a rather ballsy pilot and his crew managed to shoot down not just one, but three Germans. Even more amazing given the armament of the Anson was one forward facing, single barrel machine gun and a WW1 era Lewis machine gun at the rear.

After having a good poke around the hanger, we moved onto the hanger next door, which housed some iconic kiwi aircraft undergoing restoration, (a couple of P40 Kittyhawks - one an ex RNZAF model). I must say, the teams working on these aircraft have the most amazing attention to detail - in all likelihood producing a finished aircraft that is superior to the originals.

A huge thanks goes out to the teams in both hangers for opening up and letting us have a poke around.

Lunch was beckoning after a rather informative morning session, so we descended en masse to the cafe for a bite to eat, before moving on to perusing the two air museums and car collection over the road at our own leisure. It was really great to have a couple of the Omaka volunteers available to answer questions and give us some history on the aircraft and the people behind them. Hard to believe that some of the WW1 era replica aircraft can still be flown.

A massive thanks must go to Pat Pascoe and the team at the Heritage Centre for an amazing day out.

Cheers

Warren



Bill Reids Hudson Bomber awaits a few minor restoration tweaks



I'm sure I saw President Bob hanging around the hanger



2015 XK Jaguar sport before the take over by Mahindra



Peter Jackson's stunning collection of WW1 aircraft



...Road side repairs on a late model Mercedes SLK



The boys in the stunning Daimler SP 250 needed a ciggy after a cold trip from Nelson on a frosty morning

Waka Workshops dioramas make for realistic stories of a bygone age



...It's hard to believe the time spent to fully recondition to a flying machine these guys have ahead of them on the Mustang and Harvard aircraft from John Smiths collection.



Harry explains to Barbara the workings of a roulette wheel.



Mort is disappointed that his blind rivets he has used on his Capri restoration aren't a match with those used on the Mustangs fuselage.



The attentive Classic Car Club members listen attentively and with awe to the scale and dedication involved in aircraft restoration



... A Mahindra engine awaits final tuning and a wipe with an oily rag



Bill Reid captivation those assembled with the history of his only airworthiness Anson Mk2 still flying in the world.

Daffodil Day

A big thank you from your committee and from the Vintage Car Club. (V.C.C) to the 12 or so members that displayed their cars, supporting the recent Daffodil Day fundraiser for The Cancer Society hosted by the V.C.C recently at Bradshaw Park.

We understand approx \$4000.00 was raised on the day and this is expected to double with other fundraiser activities that they undertook.



Kaikoura trip 17th- 19th August 2024

Hi Members

Saturday 17th September saw a large number of our total group of 18 cars and 35 people meeting for Coffee and socialising at the Kekerangu Store on route to Kaikōura.

Great to see a one-day tripper in attendance on Saturday, Peter and Stephenie Blackmore in their very cool Morris Minor Ute.

Next stop was Bernie's Diner for lunch and a tour of their wonderful car collection. A few changes since our last visit was a pleasant surprise.

Following this we gathered at Jeff Harmon's (Bernie's father) farm. Sincere thanks to Jeff who gave us a warm welcome and tour of his private collection of cars. The murals on his shed walls, very impressive as well. All who attended forked out plenty of cash in appreciation, which was handed to Jeff to pass on to his chosen charity being Saint John's.

We had a change of venue on Saturday night as the Pier Hotel were in the middle of renovations.

Every cloud has a silver lining though and our replacement venue Donegal House. It certainly was a hit. Great hosts and wonderful atmosphere. We had our own private room with big screen TV so got to enjoy the All Blacks v Argentina match while indulging in an excellent meal.

Plenty of laughs as yours truly had some really terrible "True" stories to tell about our members.

Sundays Four-Wheeler Adventure unfortunately had to be cancelled due to bad weather.

However, the silver lining re appeared and we all got to join Sonja and Peter on their alternative to biking Sunday trip to Mount Lyford Hotel. We infiltrated the place, Peter cranked up the open fire while our wonderful hosts of two busied themselves serving up drinks and lunch to us all. We were blessed with gentle snow fall just to add to the ambiance.

Sunday nights gathering was at The Cray Pot Kitchen and bar for a set menu fish and chip meal served up with salad. Another great venue and again terrific hosts.

Before Monday's departure to our respective homes, we meet up for coffee and brunch at the Dolphin Encounter. Nothing disappointing there either as far as I know.

All in all a wonderful turn out of a very happy go lucky bunch of members. It was great also to catch up with members that we don't see that often that travelled from Oamaru, Christchurch, Rangiora and Hokitika to be with us. And of course, our good friends from Nelson.

Foot note:

The Four-Wheeler bike Adventure won't be forgotten and will be resurrected just as soon as we can fit it in.

Watch this space.

Cheers

Jon Haack



Wonderful Kaikoura – view from Admiral Motel



Very Cool Car!!



Craypot Kitchen & Bar



Mt Lyford



Jeff Harmon's Garage



Bernie's Cafe



What's in my Garage – 22nd September

Don't you just hate it when the day you have organised for a day in the country visiting sheds and you awake to a morning of rain and threatening thunderstorms. The great thing is that the weather cleared to a lovely warm, sunny day with just a short bit of rain over lunch.

Gordon Barr's model of the railway from Christchurch to Waipara blew away the 40 plus members that came to check it out. His attention to detail of the buildings, researched from old photographs and the construction of old bridges and homes, complete with long drop and washing in the back yard, were a credit to his eye for construction details... Up to 7 trains could be run in unison from his phone and Gordon was ably assisted by his tech man Trevor Borlase. The only blemish on a great morning was when I ran over a bit of pipe in the paddock resulting in a stuffed tyre. Thanks Max Clarke for running me home to pick up another vehicle and the spare tyre that was in the garage!

It was a 50 / 50 call as to whether or not the micro lights could fly into Wagners grass air strip on Pughs Road. The 1918 Sopworth Pup replica was beautiful and was built over a period of 2 years with 5 guys working Wednesdays putting her together. Her takeoff required little runway as her Lycoming motor from a Robinson 22 helicopter has tons of grunt. Bill Lusty and Pat Pascoes Chekoslavakian plane was a modern version of a microlight with stunning lines and all the mod cons. Many thanks to Frank Davidson for organising the fly in and acting as co-pilot in the jump seat.

The day was topped off with a beer at the Meadows Sprig and Fern. All in all a great day in which the weather gods shone brightly but unfortunately the club treasure, Gary Mortimer could not be talked into wing walking in the Biplane which we will have to work on for a return visit in 2025 to the plane and car collection in Motueka.

Pete Glue
Club Captain





Getting the Billy Graham from Pete Glue



The planes
The planes
Look everyone

Biggles Williamson wants to join the mile high club



The red Baron must be holed up around the cabbage patch





Update on Pete's Car:

Progress has been made. We now have brakes that don't want you to go visiting neighbours when applied. Exhaust just needs a heat shield to prevent scorching your toes, a new clutch and of course a new WOF plus mount external FORD Model T handbrake - so she'll be all go for summer cruising.



Update on Gary's Car:

Coming on good. Exterior almost complete then onto ' interior and all trim hoping for a November completion

Cheers
Gary





I would like to introduce you to Lyndall Edwards who lives in France and Blenheim and belongs to the Classic Car Club. Some of our members will know her already.

I belong to the Jaguar Enthusiasts Club (UK) of South West France....JECSOFA. Thousands of retirees around the world are spending summers in each hemisphere!

JECSOFA has many activities during summer. One big lunch is at Angoulême in September each year....'Round the Ramparts' (Circuit des Remparts) for those who want to Google information. It is/was run in conjunction with the Classic Car Museum (Bugatti's) at Mulhouse in the Burgundy region of France. They usually bring a few Bugatti's (including the Royales) for show and the Bugatti owners have their race around the Ramparts along with other vintage marques.



I also paint and during an 'artists in the street' day at a favourite village of mine, 'Collonges-la-Rouge', 37 Bugatti's drove through!!

Bugatti's passing through!



An annual event, usually 2nd weekend in September, is the 'Circuit des Remparts' of the ancient city of Angoulême. After WW2 Fangio, Moss, McLaren I and others participated in racing this circuit. These days, it has been extended to Saturday being a rural rally for classic car enthusiasts and Sunday is racing around the Ramparts.



Photo of DS cabriolet and ...' if I didn't have my cars then I'd have one of these!!'

There is an annual club BBQ arranged with members in different parts of Nouvelle Aquitaine (SW France).



Photo of Group near Cognac



Picnic at a member's farm at Monpazier near Bergerac



Chateau de Mererie....
Charente



Interior with Portuguese Tiles as features created especially for the owners of the chateau

Near me are:

‘Oradour sur Glane’ - where 672 men, women and children were shot by Nazi’s then burnt the village. De Gaulle made it a national monument, annual service, 10th June, always attended by the President of France. Chalus- 15 minutes where Richard the Lionheart was killed.

Limoges-20 minutes, ‘ Angoulême - 1.08h, Bordeaux -2.30h, St Emilion-2.20h, Toulouse -3.15h, ‘Le Mans’ 3.30h. Loire Valley-2.43h

In Summer, days are still light at 22.15 so plenty of time to do day trips.

During annual July/August holidays there are free night markets of products from local producers in small villages. These usually begin at 18.00h-22.00h are everywhere. Maire (council) supplies the marquees, tables/forms, entertainment (local musicians eg Accordion players). People and families bring their own picnic baskets and buy meals and wines from stalls around the square. Bread usually baked in old way and pastries for dessert. If you buy meat, then that is BBQ’d FREE. Fantastic.

Summers are just busy with so many cultural activities. I’d never seen so many different festivals eg, accordion competitions, farm machinery - working displays, art expositions eg International Pastel Exposition at Feytiat (Limoges), vintage car displays.

ADDENDUM:

If anyone is interested, I let out the ‘other side’ of my cottage for a week minimum. I let only to people I have some connection with.

As a retired geography teacher with a passion for history, I guess that gene is still active in my life!!

There are 2 double bedrooms. 1 en suite downstairs and 1 on mezzanine with own toilet and hand basin. Share shower times!!!



Bon courage

To contact Lyndall for more information her email address is: Pukeko41@gmail.com

Any members keen to attend on the Sunday??

- Pete Glue will have the Classic Car Club banner for us the park together



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George Begg Festival - 10th-13 April AND Wheels at Wanaka 18th-20th April
Teretonga Race Way
Invercargill

Both events highly recommended.

Check them out on the Web and let Jon or any committee member know if you think you might be interested as early booking of accommodation will be required.

Jon Haack

jonhaack2@gmail.com

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Doug Algie doing what he did best thrashing his Chev round the circuits of the South Island 4.



Situation Vacant

Club Vacancy Available - Club Vice President

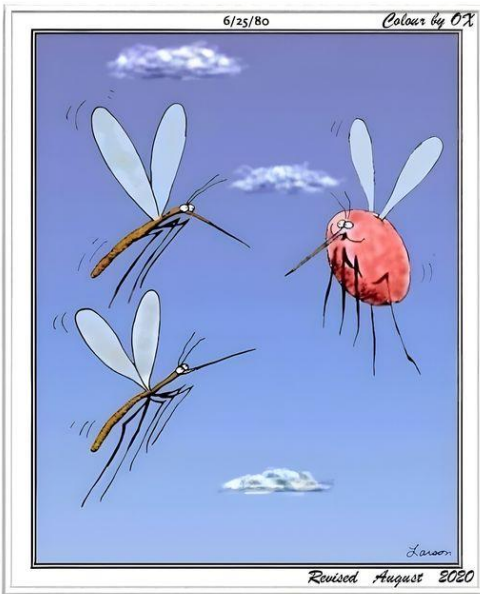
As Bob Jamieson will complete his two years next February as Club President, we are looking for a Club Vice President to take over as President next year.

Also, with the AGM coming up in February 2025 it's time to start thinking about whether YOU would like to be on the committee and help run this amazing club.

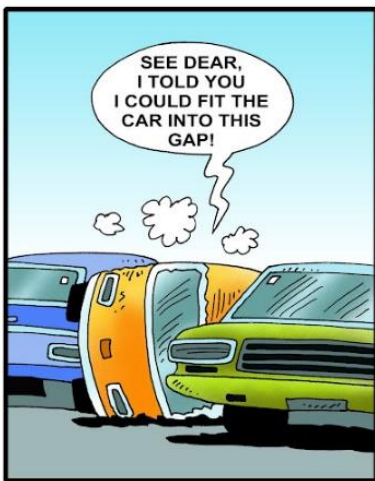
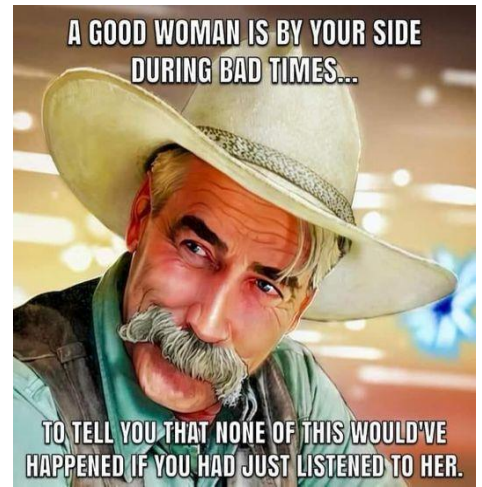
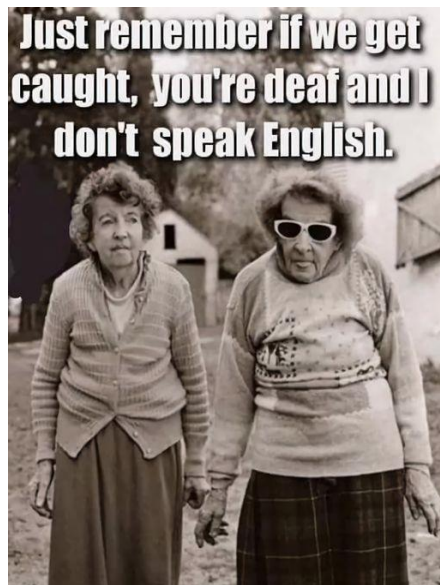
Could all applications be emailed to our Club Secretary Colin Marsden at colinmarsden@xtra.co.nz by the 31st of July 2024.



Think about it the club need YOU!



"Head five miles west until you come to a river, then fly upstream about a mile until you come to the sign 'Sunshine Nudist Camp.'"





Hello All Members

BOOKING SYSTEMS

Many Restaurants and Cafes are now insisting that bookings are confirmed some days prior to attending their establishment. Further they may well insist that even if you do not attend that the meal is to paid for.

This has come about due to them having to order and have on hand enough food for the numbers booked and also have enough staff on hand to provide the service.

They will often have to throw out unused food and pay staff even if people don't show.

On this basis the club, for many functions, may require you to:

1. Confirm your booking/attendance by a given date prior to the event.
2. If required, either pay a deposit or the full amount prior to the date specified.
3. If you decide to cancel after the given date, prior to the event, there will in all probability, be no refund.
4. If you decide after the given date, prior to the event, that you wish to attend then in all probability you will be excluded.
5. If you just show up to attend any function with out confirming booking/attendance then your participation will be at the discretion of the establishment we are attending. Please do not be offended if you are excluded.
6. If the club is subsidising the cost of the event and you do not attend without notifying the club by the given date, prior to the event then you may well be required to refund the club the subsidised amount. This is because the club will be having to pay for your participation in the event even though you do not attend and this results in a direct loss to the club and its members.

When required please ensure your payment is made to the **CORRECT** account specified.

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Tour Account

12-3165-0158467-01

Also please ensure that on the Payee details your:

1. Your surname and initials are entered in the 'Particulars' column
2. The event name or code is entered in the 'Reference' column

Regards to all

Wayne Bell

Treasurer



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- This offer will consist of Fuel discounts applied to 91, 95, 100 octane petrol and Diesel on the following basis.
All petrol grades NPD will offer 12c off the weekly Local Area Price (not pump) at all their locations, this includes retail and their unmanned sites. Fuel cards are designed to default to the best price on the day.
- If NPD are having a special promotion and that discount is better than the discounts loaded on your fuel card it will default to the special promotional offer.
- The weekly Local Area Prices change at midnight Friday.
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- Multiple cards per account, with different purchase limits available on each card.
- Monthly invoice and statement.
- Payment by direct debit on the 10th of the month following invoice.
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Application information

- Applications to be made on the NPD application form, which can be downloaded from the NPD website. <https://www.npd.co.nz/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/24780-Credit-Application-Form-NPDcard-22062021.pdf>
- Please note that you are a Classic Motoring Society of Nelson Inc member on the application form and then email to: npdcard@npd.co.nz

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We track the policies referred by the club by providing a unique promo code and URL link the club can share on its website and social media pages. We do ask new clients where they heard about us from and if they were to say "Classic Motoring Society" we would assign that new quote to the club. If the new client purchases the policy a commission will be allocated to the club.

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The Club has a good arrangement with Swann Insurance and many members have taken up Insurance with them. Ask for a quote when next renewing your insurance – phone 09 9696000.

Club Member Benefits:

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Agreed Value

24/7 Roadside Assist

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Club Benefits: Club receives 5% commission on all policies taken out by the members and 10% whenever the policy renews with Swann.



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Don't forget your Supercheap Auto cash trade price.....

This has been set up and all we as members of this club need to do is present our membership nametag, Pay for the items on the spot and us members will get trade discount.

A Cash sale only account has been set up at BNT Automotive for club members. All club members need to do is advise the team at BNT, (Blenheim, Nelson & Richmond) that they wish to put a cash sale through via the Classic Motoring Society account.



If in Nelson or Richmond, they may want to quote the fast key for the account, which is CMS or the account number #57035.

Warren Peter - Store Manager Blenheim
Warren.Peter@bntnz.co.nz

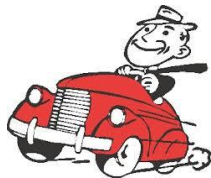
You are nearly at the end of your newsletter just the coming events to check out left – have you thought about joining the committee and/or writing a little article about what's in my shed??? The more you send Pete and I the more interesting your newsletter will be. Come on you can do it!

Anne-Marie 😊

UPCOMING **Mark Your Calendars** **EVENTS**

2024/2025

Events List for Classic Motoring Society / Nelson-Marlborough



*Remember to check your email's prior to runs just in case it has been cancelled.
And don't forget if you need to reply to an event do it now so things don't get cancelled.*



Sunday 22nd September - What's in my Nelson Shed?????

Meet at RICHMOND POLYTECH, Lower Queen St at 10.00am (Second Entrance) **10.15 am**. Depart for Main Rd between Brightwater and Wakefield. Classic car Club sign will be out on road outside 247 MAIN Rd, SPRING GROVE. The shed we are visiting, houses a stunning model of the Railway line between Christchurch and Waipara. Much of the rolling stock has been hand made by the owner Gordon Barr. A stunning model railway which he and friends will have running. Parking in paddock at the end of the drive.

1.15 pm meet back at RICHMOND POLYTECH, Queen St

1.30 pm depart for WAGNER private airstrip 247 Pughs Rd, Hope. Club sign will be outside the long drive. Drive in - Don't Park on the landing strip as if weather permits various aircraft and micro lights will hopefully be dropping in. Vintage and veteran cars on display.

3.00 pm Meet at THE SPRIG AND FERN, BERRYFIELDS / MEADOWS for a coffee or craft beer before you head for home.

Organiser: Pete Glue 021 420 220 (for those that get lost)



26th September (Geoff's Thursday Run) - Meet at 10.30 at Nelson Classic Car Museum Carpark

1 Cadillac Way, Annesbrook for a 10.45 departure to a lunch venue

Venue: Flat Rock Café for Lunch & Coffee – numbers to Geoff by Tuesday night 24th September.

- Organiser: Geoff Morris – Ph: 5474494

8th October (Tuesday Cruise Day Run) - Meet 10am at Blenheim Railway Station

Carpark for pre-trip Coffee (if you wish) ready for a 10.30 briefing and start.

DESTINATION: Queen Charlotte Tavern for lunch. (Linkwater pub as some know it)

Indication of numbers would be useful but not essential.



- Organiser: Jon Haack – Phone - 0272229505

Email: jonhaack2@gmail.com

Sunday 13th October - Richmond Garden visits



Two private gardens to visit in Stoke thanks to the Waimea Garden Club. Hopefully a visit to Penny Lane Nursery in the Pigeon Valley to see Jenny and John's lovely house garden and 50+ Tūis fighting in the trees. If time permits, we may add a couple of park visits as well.

Organiser: Pete Glue

31st October (Thursday Run) - Meet at 10.30 at Nelson Classic Car Museum Carpark

1 Cadillac Way, Annesbrook for a 10.45 departure to a lunch venue

- Organiser: Geoff Morris – Ph: 5474494



12th November (Tuesday Cruise Day Run) - Meet 10am at Blenheim Railway Station Carpark

for pre-trip Coffee (if you wish) ready for a 10.30 briefing and start.

Destination: TBA

- Organiser: TBA



Sunday 17th November - Trip to Rotoiti/Vintage Boat Museum and Top House Inn

Marlborough members, Meeting at 9.30am at Vines Village for coffee. Depart around 10am and head up to Lake Rotoiti, have a wander around lakes edge then on to visit The Vintage Antique and Classic Boat Museum at approx. 11.30, give yourselves sometime as lunch isn't till 1pm at Top House Inn.

Nelson members meet at Richmond NPD AT 9.45 AM.

Entry to the museum is a donation.

Lunch is \$20pp to be paid to the club a/c no. 12 3165 0158467 01, with particulars, your name and reference, Top House.

Numbers and payment by the 7th November



Organiser: Gary Mortimer

28th November (Thursday Run) - Meet at 10.30 at Nelson Classic Car Museum Carpark

1 Cadillac Way, Annesbrook for a 10.45 departure to a lunch venue

- Organiser: Geoff Morris – Ph: 5474494





10th December (Tuesday Cruise Day Run) - Meet 10am at Blenheim Railway Station Carpark for pre-trip Coffee (if you wish) ready for a 10.30 briefing and start.

Destination: TBA

- Organiser: TBA

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Sunday 26th January – BBQ at Onamalutu



Sunday 16th February - Classic Car Club AGM at Alpine Lodge,

Lake Rotoiti



Organiser: Colin Marsden

Saturday 22nd February – Top of the South Motor Show at A&P Richmond Show Grounds



(Photo's from the 2024 Show)

