

### Council of ACT Motor Clubs Inc.

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# **Council Communique**

September 2019

## **Council meeting notes**

The Council of ACT Motor Clubs held its first face-to-face meeting since February 2020. The meeting was held at the Spanish Club Narrabundah.

Around 32 delegates attended the meeting Items of interest from the meeting included:

- Spanish Club is a good venue for club meetings contact is Chris Lauder 0418 886 344 who will be able to advise floor loadings and availability of space.
- Peugeot and Renault Car Clubs are merging to form the French Car Club.
- Italian Car Club is changing its name to Auto Italia from September 2020.
- The Australian Historic Motoring Federation AGM in Canberra has been postponed to 2021. The 2020 AGM will be a virtual meeting Council of ACT Moor Clubs be hosting the 2021 event.
- Council AGM will be held on October 15 2020.
- Marques in the Park is still scheduled for John Knight Park Belconnen on November 15. The event is being organised by the American Car Cub.
- Wheels 2019 and 2020 badges are available for sale contact Council president Mark Saunders.

- The death of Peter Bray Queanbeyan Councillor and great supporter of Terribly British Day and Wheels in Queanbeyan was noted.
- NSW had banned all motor sport in the State for six weeks.
- The Pie Cart will shortly be going in for hail damage repairs.
- There are still a number of clubs who have either not paid their annual affiliation fee or returned correct paper work. If these clubs have vehicles on CRS they are warned that their members should not use their vehicles until Council receives the necessary paper work and fee.
- If an Affiliate receives an application for membership from a person with a red Suzuki Hatch (with expired CRS plates HIS-2070), the Club is advised to contact a member of CACTMC Committee for advice.
- Red Ford Bronco (HIS-1500), allegedly with non-compliant CRS configuration. If seen, please contact a CACTMC Committee member, preferably with photos of said vehicle.

Further details and a list of coming events is on the Council's website

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Council has been advised that the ACT Liberal party will support the Council request to introduce a 60 day usage of Concessionally Registered vehicles if they win the ACT Government election in October 2020.

Council is urging affiliated clubs and individual members, to write to candidates standing for election pointing out that council has been advocating to the ACT Government since June 2018 for the introduction of the 60 day usage scheme to fall into line with all other justifications, and has not had the courtesy of a reply.

## Pie Cart on display

Council of ACT Motor clubs endorsed unanimously, the use of the Canberra Pie Cart at a Canberra Museum and Gallery (CMAG) event on Wednesday 2 December in Civic Square. The event will feature the Pie Cart as a centre piece and speakers will detail the history and restoration of the 1939 Chevrolet van. Pies and soft drinks will also be for sale close by.

Council is appealing to members to support the event by attending at lunchtime between 1.pm and 2.00pm and by contacting Council publicity officer Graham Gittins at: <a href="mailto:gittins@iinet.net.au">gittins@iinet.net.au</a> with any Images or stories about the pie cart.

#### **Shannons Wheels**

The Southern Tablelands Heritage
Automotive Restorers Club (STHARC) had
advised Council that it will not be able to
organise Shannons Wheels in 2021.
Council would like to hear from any
affiliated club willing to organise the event.

## **Coming Events**

September 17 – **General Meeting** Venue: Raiders Club, Weston - TBC Commences: 7:30 pm

October 15 – **General Meeting and AGM** Venue: Raiders Club, Weston - TBC Commences: 7:30 pm

November 15 - Marques in the Park John Knight Park Belconnen

November 19 – **General Meeting** Venue: Raiders Club, Weston - TBC Commences: 7:30 pm

December 1 - **Terribly British Day** Queanbeyan Park Admission by gold coin donation

### 2021

March 1 - **Shannons Wheels** Queanbeyan Showground

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