

The Lion's Roar

Mumblings from across the desk in the den of the Holden Enthusiasts Club Christchurch



October 2016

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Presidents Report

October is upon us. One month has passed since the AGM and behind the scenes the executive and committee have been working on fine tuning documents, some of these you will have already noticed. Changes to, such as, the event list, membership forms and club website. We are also working on procedures so that roles are in writing and if you would like to help organise one of our events there is a checklist to help you through it

October is a big month for the club with Monthly Meeting, Meet at your Local, VCC Swap meet, Bathurst at Ray's, All OZ Car Show & Show n Shine.

So far this month we have had our monthly meeting with lots of items to discuss. Meet at your local had our best turn out to date and a good evening chatting between members. VCC Swap meet on Friday had a few members go out to snap up the early bargains, Saturday we had a cruise with a good show of cars and even had a few new members come on the run or joined the club as out of town members.

Bathurst at Rays had a few less members than previous years but still a great day with a BBQ once the rain cleared outside, a few beverages and good racing, helping to get the excitement up for our members heading to Pukekohe next month for the racing

Lots of exciting things happening in the way of events and behind the

scenes changes to help evolve the club into the future. I hope to see you on a run soon.

Josh Bentham

Bathurst at Ray's

A few members were up before the birds for breakfast and the pre-race build up. Rain was falling outside but it was warm and dry in Ray's garage with the projector screen set-up for the race. A very fast paced first half of the race with no safety cars, Nick decided that this meant it was time for a nap after watching 20 or so laps.

By mid race things started to get more eventful as cars ran off track and strategies started to play out, A few members helped out with the BBQ for a late lunch a few beverages were had. As the race came down to the closing laps, fuel strategies and crashes helped to form the podium of which some were a big talking point as to who was the major cause of the crash.

By the last couple of laps it came down to Holden 1,2,3,4 before Whincup got a penalty for his involvement in an accident. Podium ended with Holden 1,2,3. A good race had by all and thanks to Ray and Marg for hosting us for another year

Josh Bentham



VCC Swap Meet

Another huge swap meet at the Vintage Car Club, Friday had a few members go out to find the bargains early. Saturday the weather played in our favour with an overcast but fine day, we had a meet at Bishopdale Mall from there we cruised out to McLeans Island as a group, the club had a display area to showcase the club, we also used it as an opportunity to promote All OZ day, A new member came along on the cruise and another enquired at the swap meet. Lots of sites with parts and other items with some bargains to be found if you looked hard enough

Josh Bentham



Welcome to **DIY Workshop**

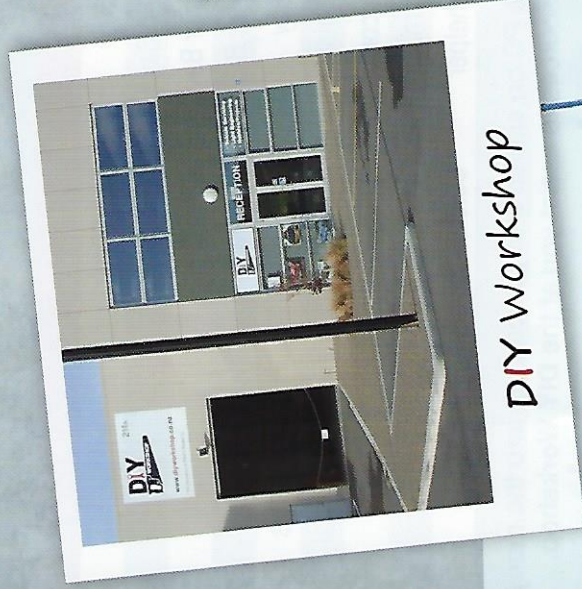
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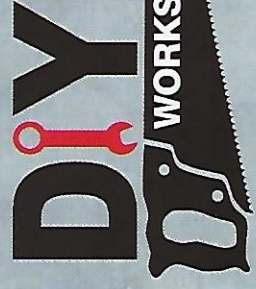
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- Automotive tools – Engine hoist, Engine stand, Transmission jack.

DIY Workshop Contact Information

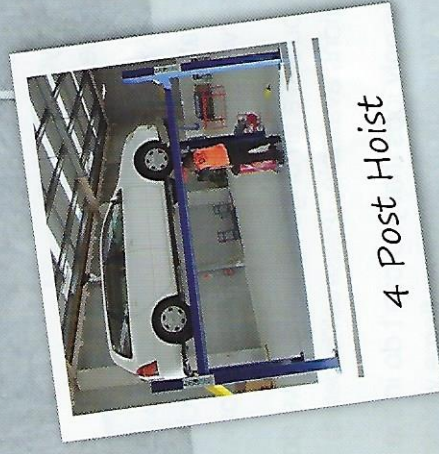


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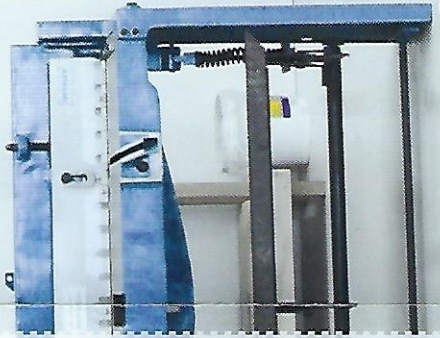
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4 Post Hoist



MIG Welder



DIY Workshop

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Welcome to DIY Workshop

DIY Workshop Hire Information

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DIY Workshop is open 7 days, we do ask that you book online or ring ahead to ensure that the Bay/Hoist you require is available. *Please bring your driving license with you*.

There's a minimum **1-hour** charge for flat bays, and then you will be charged in ½ **hour** intervals, Hoist is charged in ½ **hour** intervals.

If you have an ongoing project, we do have storage options available. *(Please ask for details)*

The only jobs that you can't do in the **DIY Workshop** are open flame welding/cutting and work on fuel tanks or containers.

The workshop space is flexible and can be configured to suit your needs. Please call today to enquire about your **DIY Workshop** needs.

Open 7 Days from **8am to 8pm** *(or by arrangement)*



Parts Washer



Sand Blasting Cabinet

| Item Hire | Price From | Additional costs |
|-------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| Bay 1, 2, 3 | \$15.00/Hr | |
| Sheet Metal Bay | \$20.00/Hr | |
| Parts Washer Bay | \$25.00/Hr | |
| Sand Blaster Bay | \$25.00/Hr | |
| Welding Bay | \$25.00/Hr | Wire & Gas |
| 4 – Post Hoist | \$25.00 per ½ Hr | Oil disposal |
| Workshop computer | Free with bay hire | Printing |
| Workshop machines | Free with bay hire | |
| Assistant/helper | \$8.00/session | |

There is a PC on site so that you can tap into the many online resources to assist you at the **DIY Workshop**.

| Item Hire | Price From | Other Info |
|-------------------------|----------------|------------------|
| Small hand tools | \$1.00/session | |
| Swap 5 small hand tools | \$5.00/session | Swap as required |
| Larger hand tools | \$2.00/session | Pullers etc. |
| Power tools | \$5.00/session | |

Commonly required tools are available for hire. Specialist tools will be available as the business grows and needs are recognised.



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A refundable **\$100** bond is required.

Peter Brock's six greatest moments

[Motoring.com.au](http://motoring.com.au) - [Peter Brock's six greatest moments](http://motoring.com.au)

Full Article published online at Motoring.com.au

It might be hard to believe, but it's exactly 10 years since the great Peter Brock was killed doing what he loved: wowing crowds and crushing the competition in fast cars. Here's our pick of the six best performances by Australia's undisputed King of The Mountain.

6. 1972 Bathurst 500

The last 500 mile race, the last time solo drivers were still allowed and the first win for Brock

Used the legendary HDT LJ Torana GTR XU-1 to overcome Allan Moffat and the mighty Ford Falcon GH-HO Phase III in wet conditions, kickstarting a legend that continues to this day.



5. 1977 Spa 24 Hour

No, not a win, but by far the most successful of his few overseas forays. Brock and co-driver, the weighty Englishman Gerry Marshall, qualified only 28th but drove through the field to finish second in a Vauxhall Magnum



4. 1979 Repco Round Australia Trial

Won the 20,000km event with co-drivers Matt Phillip and Noel Richards to deliver the new fangled Holden Kingswood replacement, the Commodore VB, it's first major motorsport victory.

Brock's inclusion in the rally was dismissed as a publicity stunt by many who had forgotten his dirt success in rallying and rallycross in the early 1970's.



The full article (including the Top 3 moments) can be found and read at the link at the beginning of the page..

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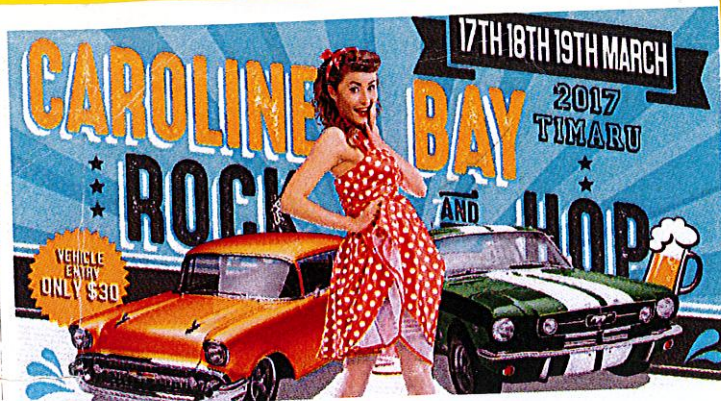
Forza Horizon 3 (Xbox ONE) screenshot



1977 Torana A9X

Just a random screenshot of a Torana I acquired during many hours game time, and upgraded using a community saved body skin and mechanical upgrade. I take no credit for any actual accuracy or inaccuracies in the detailing..... Darryl





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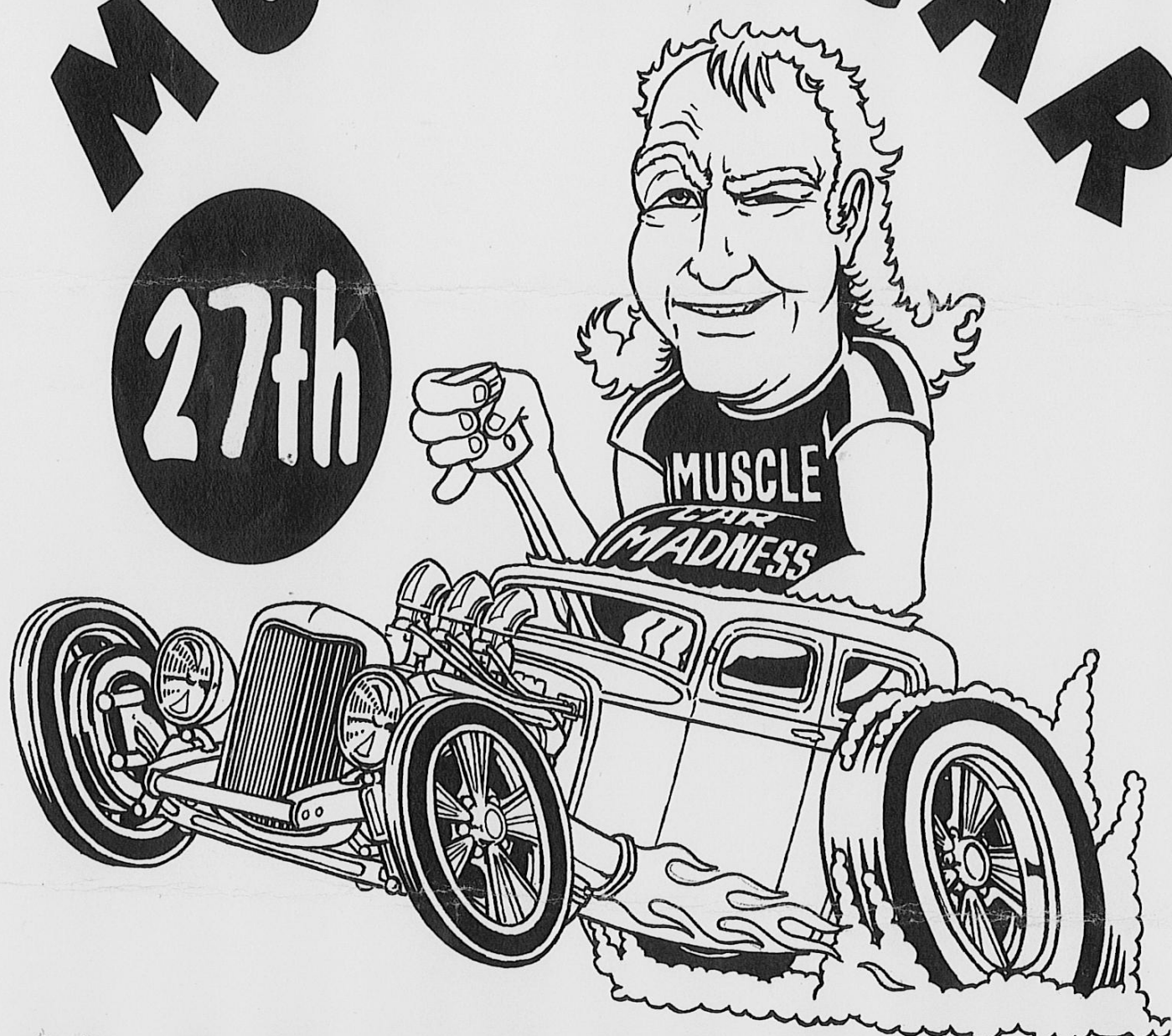
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Registration Form.

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NUMBER OF ADULTS\$100.00 \$ _____ :

NUMBER OF KIDS UNDER 15 (under 5 free)\$20.00 \$ _____ :

_____ TOTAL \$ _____ :

Add on Options



ON SITE COOKED BREKKY \$15 AT DOOR \$12 IF PRE ORDERED

Friday..... Saturday..... Sunday..... TOTAL \$ _____ :

Friday



Picnic box lunch\$12 \$ _____ :

World Famous Spit Roast\$25 \$ _____ :

Kids Spit Roast (under 12)\$15 \$ _____ :

Saturday

Evening meal at A&P rooms\$20 \$ _____ :

Kids meal (under 12)\$14 \$ _____ :

_____ TOTAL \$ _____ :

If you can't afford to pay it all at once enclose a deposit. \$ _____ :

_____ BALANCE TO PAY \$ _____ :

PAYMENT OPTIONS (tick one) CASH..... CHEQUE..... BANK DEPOSIT.....

PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE PUT SENSIBLE, UNDERSTANDABLE, REASONABLE, LOGICAL, REFERENCE/NAMES ON THE CHEQUES AND BANK DEPOSITS. JUST SAYING "DAVE" OR "MUSCLE CAR MADNESS REGO" DOESN'T REALLY GIVE US MUCH OF A CLUE OF WHO THE HELL YOU ARE!!!!!! AND A POSTAL ADDRESS!!!!!!

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NAME _____ Signature _____

Address _____

Contact

Phone _____ email _____

Vehicle Make _____

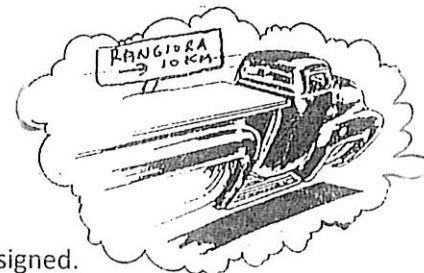
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Passengers

Name _____ Address _____
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NOTE

The driver is responsible for all the passenger's behaviour! Entry not valid unless signed.

By entering the event Muscle Car Madness, the organisers and helpers will not be held responsible for any damage to human bodies (or brain cells). All care but no responsibility. All persons causing damage deliberately or accidentally will be responsible for their own actions.

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IMPORTANT: use surname as reference or send me and email giving me a hint to what you are paying for. (The word CAMPING or MUSCLECAR is **NOT ENOUGH !!!!!**) Entries must be in by 13th January. Cheques to STOTTLE PROMOTIONS. Late entry 13th – 20th add \$20 per entry/ **DON'T MISS OUT...**

Showers available onsite and also available for a nominal cost at camping ground other end of town.



Cromwell

Classic Car & Hot Rod Festival

Organised and Hosted by The Southland Ford Falcon Club Inc.

Recreation Ground Alpha Street, Cromwell

Saturday, 21st January 2017, 11am - 4pm

Public Admission: \$2.00 Adults & Children Under 12 Free

Entry: \$10 per car/bike, entries close 13th January 2017 (after this date you will have to register on the day)
 \$20 per car/bike on the day of the car show (price of entry covers all passengers in vehicle)
 \$20.00 per stall/stand(s)
 \$35.00 each for Cromwell Classic Car Show T-Shirts, orders close and payment to be made by the 19th December 2016 to confirm your order.

T-Shirts will be available for collection on the day at registrations.

Cheques made payable to THE SOUTHLAND FORD FALCON CLUB INC.

Or pay by internet banking into our bank account 03 1750 0088763 000

Note: If paying by internet banking please ensure you use your surname, first name and car registration as reference. Entry form can be sent to the address below, or if you prefer please scan and email entry form to fordgirl1971@gmail.com. Internet banking payment must be made by the 11th January so we can see it in our bank account by the 13th January. **Note:** Both entry form and money need to be received otherwise your entry will not be accepted and you will not be registered for this event. NO REFUNDS.

Format: 8.30am - 10.30am Parking and Set Up, 11am - 3pm Show, 3pm - 4pm Prize Giving

Trophies: Top 10 Cars, Top 3 Bikes, People's Choice and Judge's Choice

For entries and/or further information contact:

Tena McCarthy 7 High Street, Gore 9710

Phone: 027 2292 843

Please be a responsible and safe driver whilst at the show and leaving the premises after the show

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| Type of Entry: Please tick appropriate box(s) | Car: | Bike: | Stall/Stand: | Boot Sale: |
| Entrants Name: | | | | |
| Address: | | | | |
| Email Address: | | | | |
| Make of Car/Bike: | | | Phone: | |
| Model: | | | Registration No: | |
| Club (if applicable): | | | Year: | |
| T-Shirt: Yes / No (State size and quantity) | | | | |
| Type of Stall/Stand: | Entry Confirmation: Yes / No (please circle one) | | | |

UPCOMING EVENTS

October

30th Show and Shine at the Groynes Area
2B at 10am

November

1st Montly Meeting at Joe's Garage
7.30pm

3 - 6th Club trip to Pukekohe Raceway for
V8 Supersprint

4th Friday meal/drinks TBC

19th Overnighter to Little River TBC

December

4th Xmas at Stewarts Gully. More info to
follow

6th Monthly Meeting at Joe's Garage
7.30pm (last for the year)

9th Friday meal/drinks TBC

FOR SALE

Sarah Club Shirts - \$62
Polo Shirts - \$46
Club Stickers - \$5
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For more information contact
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through any questions you may have.

