

The Lion's Roar



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

EST. 1992

February 2024

**Hamner
Motor
Fest
Meet
6.45am
Peg
Hotel
Main
Rd
Belfast**

Saturday 24 March 2024

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**A friendly reminder,
Annual membership subs
are now due!**

Presidents Report

Welcome to 2024, brilliant sunny weather, great long days, calm warm evenings, and busy weekends. Just like summer should be!

I hope you all enjoyed your Christmas and New Year break, are all refreshed and ready to get back to reality for another year of work, as well as car shows and cruises.

We hit the ground running in January, with our annual Pie 'n' Pint run being enjoyed by all who made it to the final destination. If this is an indication of things to come, it will be another great year.

Well done to all involved, as this event was finalised at the December 2023 meeting, and no formal catch up before the cruise.

Your committee has been busy ensuring our monthly events calendar is filled at least three months in advance, but we are always open to suggestions for later in the year, so please feel free to mention these at

our monthly meetings, or contact our Club Captain, Heather Harris. Entry for 2025 Holden Nationals open later this month, and anyone wanting to enter their car, or cars, must be a member of Federation club, which Holden Enthusiasts Club Christchurch is.

If you know anyone who is not a member please get them to get in touch with our committee so that we can get their membership process underway. Remember, we are an enthusiasts club, so if their car is still being built or restored, they can still join.

That's it from me for this newsletter. See you at Hamner Motor fest. Drive safe and enjoy the journey!

Allan



Pie and Pint Run

Saturday 13th January 2024

It's hard to believe the annual Pie & Pint run was little over 1 month ago, and now we are halfway through February.

We had a great turn out on the 13 January, all meeting at the back carpark of the New Brighton Club.

However hundreds of other people had the same idea to come to New Brighton that day for the Summertimes Kite Day. Well at least we gave them something to look at, other than kites.

Once we got ourselves out of New Brighton we headed north towards Sefton, from there through Loburn, and ended up at Oxford for a photo stop.

It was a stunning warm day, and boy it looked good when there was a line of holdens snaking through the back country.

Once the necessary photos were taken in Oxford, it was a short wander down the road to Cust for that post-Christmas Pie and drink.

The quiet Cust pub did well on that Saturday with our pre-order of pies and plenty of glasses of cold drinks.

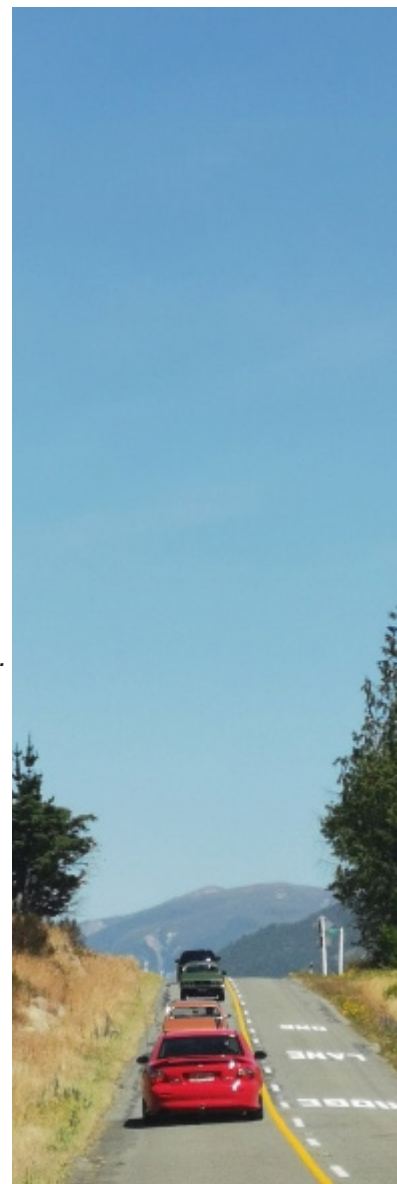
It was a great time to have a catchup with those you haven't seen for a few months, or even to welcome new members to our club.

If you were keen for an antique or something retro in your life, then the Done and Dusted Store is something you will need to visit.

There definitely is something for everyone. Everyone left to head home at their own pace.

Another popular Pie & Pint run done and dusted

Sarah M.



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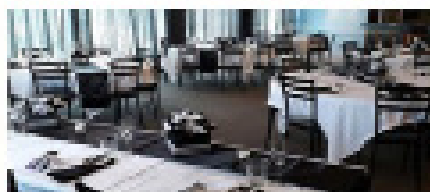
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EVENT LIST

February

Sunday 24th

Hamner Motorfest and BBQ in Hamner
Meeting at the Peg Hotel Car Park 6.45am
Leaving the Peg Car Park 7.00am
BBQ at Allans in Hamner from 4.00pm

March

Tuesday 5th March

HECC Meeting
The Redwood Styx Room 7.30pm

Sunday 24th March

Trains at McLeans Island for Trains and
BBQ - Meeting Bishopdale Mall 10.15am

April

Tuesday 2nd April

HECC Meeting
The Redwood Styx Room 7:30 pm

Sunday 14th April

Car tour at Classic Workshop
Meeting at 10.00am at Ferry Road
Cruise to Little River Hotel
Leaving Ferry Road at 12.00pm for 1.00pm
Lunch

May

Tuesday 7th May

HECC Meeting
The Redwood Styx Room 7:30 pm

Sunday 19th May

HECC Bi Annual Scavenger Hunt
Meet at Redwood Hotel 9.45am Leave at
10.00am

June

Tuesday 4th June

HECC Meeting
The Redwood Styx Room 7:30 pm

Sunday 23th June - Mid Winter Christmas at Red-
wood Styx Room 12.00pm. Lunch served
at 12.30pm

Events are current at the time of publishing.
Covid alert levels may affect events at any time.
Always check with the organiser of the event for the
most up to date information!

RSVP to the club email: general@holdenclub.co.nz

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If you have any issues, you can contact us directly.
We are all willing to answer, or talk through any questions you
may have.

