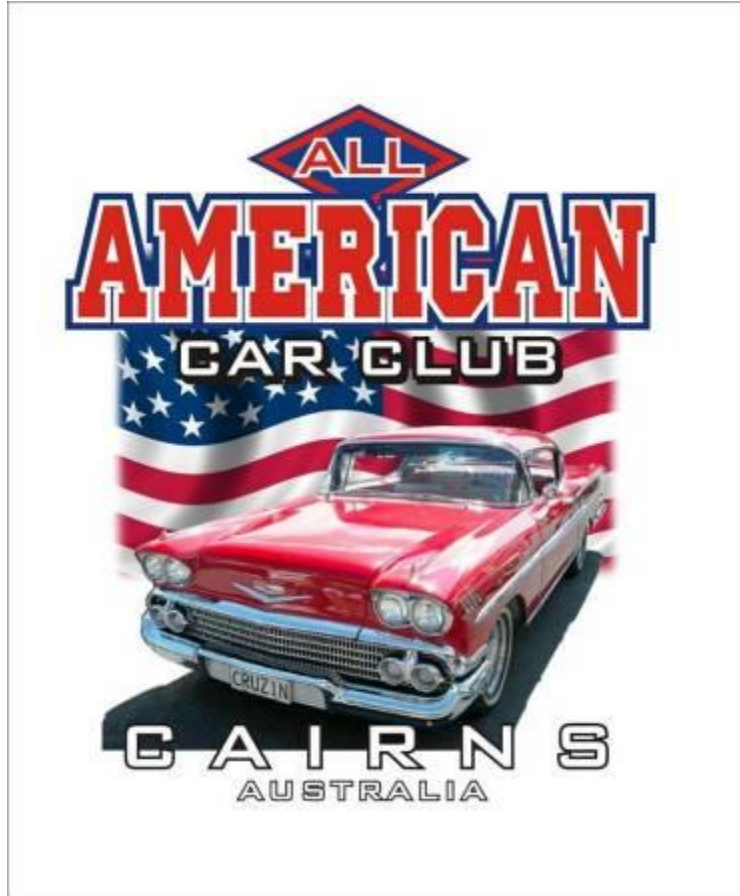


CLUB TORQUE

All American Car Club of Cairns Newsletter



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**Club meetings are held at Yorkeys
Knob Community Hall, Wattle
Street, on the last Sunday of every
month, commencing at 10.00am.**

Membership Fees: \$45.00
(due each September)

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Objects of the Club

*To promote ownership and appreciation of American motor vehicles.
To promote and provide owners and admirers with car shows, car rally's and social events.*

Note: Members are required to attend 3 meetings/events before eligible for Special Vehicle Registration and must repeat yearly to continue to qualify.

Hi Members.

It is the best time of the year and there have been plenty of events to attend and this cool weather is a great time to do those jobs you have been putting off over the hot summer months.

Our next big event will be the Swap Meet so reserve the weekend of 11th and 12th of August now so you will be able to attend. As usual we will need manpower on Saturday afternoon at 2pm to assist with the set up and we need you and your car for the show on the Sunday. Some other events advertise as the biggest swap in NQ and the biggest car show but our event is usually bigger than them all. Please make an effort to attend.

It was a good turnout for the July 4th cruise, there were approx. 30- 40 cars in the park. It was a great night for a cruise around town. Some members and other attendees finished the night off at Zarraffas Coffee.



Attendance at the meeting for the sports day was disappointing and we were heavily outnumbered by the other clubs. The members who attended had a fun day and the winners on the day were the TOTS. Having the event at the Community Centre worked well and we will probably have it there in future.



The August meeting on the 26th is the same day as the Wheels for Angelee charity car show at Cannon Park, we have decided to support it and will have the meeting at the usual time there. If you are not showing a vehicle it will only cost you a gold coin donation to get in to attend the meeting.

Our next meeting is on Sunday 29st July, usual place and time.

See you there. Bruce

All American Car Club of Cairns – Meeting Minutes 24 June 2018

Meeting Opened: 9:20 am

Attendees: Per attendance register

Apologies: Chris Grossetti, Ann Power, Vicki Disson, Pam & Demelza

Visitors: Nil

Acceptance of Minutes from previous meeting: Moved by James

Seconded by Drew

Business arising from last meeting: Vic Fenech sold all of his model cars & donated \$100.00 to the club.

- **Incoming correspondence:** Nil
- **Outgoing Correspondence:** Nil

Treasurers Report:

- **Monies Incoming:** \$100.00 donation from Vic Fenech
- **Monies Outgoing:** Balance of account \$4600.00 approx.

Newsletter Editors Report: Thanks to Bruce, Dennis and Marg for contributions to the May Newsletter. Members can submit photos, stories or items of interest to Kristie at: kristiepartington@yahoo.com.au.

Event Co-ordinators Report: Email received from the Caravonica Waters Retirement Home thanking the club for attending the Family Fun Day. Full details on all planned events can be found later in Newsletter, as well as on the Club's website.

Acceptance of Reports: Mover: Kel

Seconder: Trevor

General Business: 1. Annual Swap Meet 12 August – flyers available should anyone want to put up on Notice Boards. Congratulations to Marg & Murray for Best Ford and to Taylor for Best Chevrolet at Kurrimine Show & Shine. 3. Atherton High School Car & Bike Swap Meet had over 200 cars on display; Fletch was also in attendance.

Next Meeting: 29 July 2018

Lotto –see Helen.

T-Shirts & Caps: See John Partington

Raffle: 50/50 Money Board

Thanks to Marj Nix for these photos from the recent trip that she and Murray took to Motor Ex...





And a couple of shots from the Atherton High School Show at the end of June. Not too many American there according to Marj.





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Presents...

CAIRNS SWAP MEET CAR, BIKE & TRUCK SHOW

12th AUGUST 2018

CAIRNS SHOWGROUNDS (Scott St. Entrance)



Proudly Sponsored by All Calibration Services

Gates Open 6am - Trophy Presentation 1pm



Proceeds to:
The Pyjama Foundation



**LIVE ROCK & ROLL BAND &
PERFORMANCES BY TAS JAZZ
CAR PARTS, ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES**

ADMISSION: \$5 per head (Children under 12 free)

Show Vehicles: \$5 | Swap Sites: \$15

Car Show entries close at 9am on the day

This Event is Proudly Supported by:



80s, 90s & NOW



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- Cairns Hardware • Green & Tidy Garden Saks

For swap sites & general enquiries contact: James 0417 451 676 or Barry 0407 741 442

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AUGUST CHARITY POKER RUN

PRESENTED BY FAT BASTARDS CAR CLUB INC. 1A 40294



2:00 PM SAT 11TH AUGUST 2018
Leaving From Shed 41/193 Hartley St

Cars & Bikes, All Makes & Models Welcome

If You Would Like to Come Along and Don't have a Car, We Can Find You a Seat.

**\$5 Per Hand, Half of entry money goes to the winning hand the other
half will be donated to the Pyjama Foundation Cairns. So the more
people who come along the more you could win and the more that
will be raised for the charity**

Please Fuel Up Before Arriving

ANGELEE'S QUEST

WHEELS FOR ANGELEE

Sunday 26th August 2018

10.00am to 3.00pm

VENUE: CAIRNS JOCKEY CLUB

STATIC CAR AND BIKE SHOW

**GOLD COIN DONATION FOR GENERAL PUBLIC
TO ENTER**

**CAR AND BIKE ENTRANTS ALL WE ASK IS A DONATION -
YOUR TIME AND EFFORT IS VERY MUCH APPRECIATED**

**OUR GOAL IS TO RAISE \$15,000 by undertaking
various fundraising events to get a wheelchair friendly
van.**

Enquiries to : wheelsforangelee@gmail.com

**ANGELEE'S
QUEST**



Giggling Gertie's Gut Busters!

A wife asks her husband, "Could you please go shopping for me and buy one carton of milk and if they have avocados, get 6."

A short time later the husband comes back with 6 cartons of milk. The wife asks him, "Why did you buy 6 cartons of milk"

He replied, "They had avocados."

[illegible]

WATER IN THE CARBURETOR

WIFE: "There is trouble with the car. It has water in the carburetor."

HUSBAND: "Water in the carburetor? That's ridiculous "

WIFE: "I tell you the car has water in the carburetor."

HUSBAND: "You don't even know what a carburetor is. I'll check it out. Where's the car?"

WIFE: "In the pool".

[illegible]

I've sure gotten old! I have outlived my feet and my teeth, I've had two bypass surgeries, a hip replacement, new knees, fought prostate cancer and diabetes: I'm half blind, and can't hear anything quieter than a jet engine.

I take 40 different medications that make me dizzy, winded, and subject to blackouts, have bouts with dementia, and poor circulation.

I can hardly feel my hands and feet anymore.

I can't remember if I'm 85 or 92.

I've lost all my friends. But, thank God, **I still have my driver's license.**

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Reporters interviewing a 104-year-old woman:

"...and what do you think is the best thing about being 104?" the reporter asked.

She simply replied, "No peer pressure."

EVENTS CALENDAR

Upcoming Events:

SUN JUL 29TH MONTHLY MEETING TO BE HELD AT COMMUNITY HALL YORKEYS KNOB, CNR WATTLE & CUNNINGHAM ST AT 10:00AM. RUN TO STRATFORD DELI FOR COFFEE

FRI AUG 3RD TOP OF THE STATE HOD ROD & CUSTOM CAR CLUB INC MONTHLY KROOZE NITE 6PM FIRST SHOT COFFEE AND GRILL 484 MULGRAVE RD OPPOSITE STOCKLANDS KROOZE FROM 7.30PM. ASRF SANCTIONED SA 108-03-2018

FRI 3RD – SAT 4TH AUG AEROFLOW OUTLAW NITRO FUNNY CARS / TRACK CHAMPIONSHIP ROUND 3 AT SPRINGMOUNT RACEWAY. FULL EVENY DETAILS: [HTTP://WWW.SPRINGMOUNTRACEWAY.COM/EVENTS/AONFC-400THUNDER-SPORTSMAN-ROUND/](http://www.springmountraceway.com/events/aonfc-400thunder-sportsman-round/)

SUN AUG 5TH CARS & COFFEE, CAFFEINE & GASOLINE AT COFFEE HAVEN AT DFO. THIS WILL BE A WEEK EARLY DUE TO THE SWAP MEET.

SAT-SUN AUG 11TH-12TH CAIRNS SWAP MEET CAR, BIKE & TRUCK SHOW AT THE SCOTT ST ENTRANCE OF THE CAIRNS SHOWGROUNDS. SATURDAY 11TH A HAND TO SET UP FROM 1.00PM ONWARDS WOULD BE WELCOMED. THEN ON SUNDAY 12TH GATES OPEN 6.00AM. TROPHY PRESENTATION ABOUT 1.30PM. SEE FLYER, FACEBOOK OR NEWSLETTER FOR MORE INFO.

SAT AUG 11TH FAST BASTARDS CAR CLUB POKER RUN. 1.30PM POKER RUN/CAR CRUISE LEAVING THE [FAT BASTARDS CAR CLUB INC](#) CHARITY POKER RUN/CAR CRUISE ON THE DAY BEFORE THE [CAIRNS SWAP MEET, CAR, BIKE & TRUCK SHOW](#). HALF OF THE ENTRY MONEY GOES TO [THE PYJAMA FOUNDATION IN CAIRNS](#), THE CHOSEN CHARITY FOR THE SWAP MEET THIS YEAR. THE OTHER HALF GOES TO THE WINNING HAND. SO, THE MORE ENTRIES, THE MORE MONEY WE'LL HAVE TO GIVE TO THE CHARITY AND THE MORE YOU CAN WIN. EVERYONE IS WELCOME. EVEN IF YOU DON'T HAVE A CAR COME ALONG ANYWAY, WE'LL FIND YOU A SEAT.

SUN AUG 26TH MONTHLY MEETING TO BE HELD AT [THE CANNON PARK RACECOURSE](#) IN CONJUNCTION WITH WHEELS FOR ANGELEE SHOW AND SHINE. WE WILL [START THE MEETING AT 10.30AM](#) WITH TEA, COFFEE & CAKE PROVIDED BY THE CLUB. BRING YOUR OWN CHAIR. THE WHEELS FOR ANGELEE SHOW AND SHINE WILL START AT 10.00AM TO FINISH ABOUT 3.00PM WHICH WILL BE HELD AT THE CAIRNS JOCKEY CLUB AT CANNON PARK RACECOURSE. A STATIC CAR & BIKE SHOW WITH A GOLD COIN DONATION FOR THE PUBLIC TO ENTER. CAR & BIKE ENTRANTS ASKED TO MAKE A DONATION, YOUR TIME AND YOUR EFFORT IS VERY MUCH APPRECIATED. SEE FLYER IN NEWSLETTER FOR MORE INFORMATION

DATE CLAIMERS

AUGUST 12TH 2018 CAIRNS SWAP MEET & CAR, BIKE & TRUCK SHOW

SEPTEMBER 2ND 2018 INNISFAIL CAR SHOW

SEPTEMBER 9TH 2018 AACCC 21ST BIRTHDAY

SEPTEMBER 15TH 2018 CAIRNS SHOW ASSOC CAR SHOW

NOVEMBER 25TH 2018 CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY

DECEMBER 23RD 2018 CHRISTMAS LIGHTS CRUISE

MARCH 17TH 2019 PADDY POWER MEMORIAL CRUISE

APR 7TH 2019? TOP OF THE STATE SWAP MEET & CAR BIKE SHOW

MAY 27TH 2018 – BENT RODS SHOW N SHINE & SWAP MEET

JUNE 8TH – 10TH 2018 - CHARTERS TOWERS CAR SHOW AND SWAP MEET

JUNE 14TH – 16TH 2019 - KURRIMINE BCH WEEKEND WITH TOWNSVILLE

JUNE 15TH 2019 – CAR & BIKE SWAP MEET & SHOW. ATHERTON HIGH SCHOOL

JUNE 30TH 2019 SPORTS DAY AT GOOMBARRA PARK – LAST SUNDAY IN JUNE

JULY 4TH - AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE DAY CRUISE

JULY 19TH TO 21ST 2019? INGHAM AUTO FEST

JULY 27TH 2019? CYCLONES SHOW N SHINE. TOWNSVILLE STRAND PARK

AT ANY STAGE ON THE DAY OF A RUN IF THE WEATHER LOOKS DOUBTFUL PLEASE CONTACT EITHER [JAMES ON 0417451676](#) OR [AMANDA ON 0409349103](#).

2017 Gleam Machine: Robert Hall & Rosemary Hall – 1968 Pontiac GTO.



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