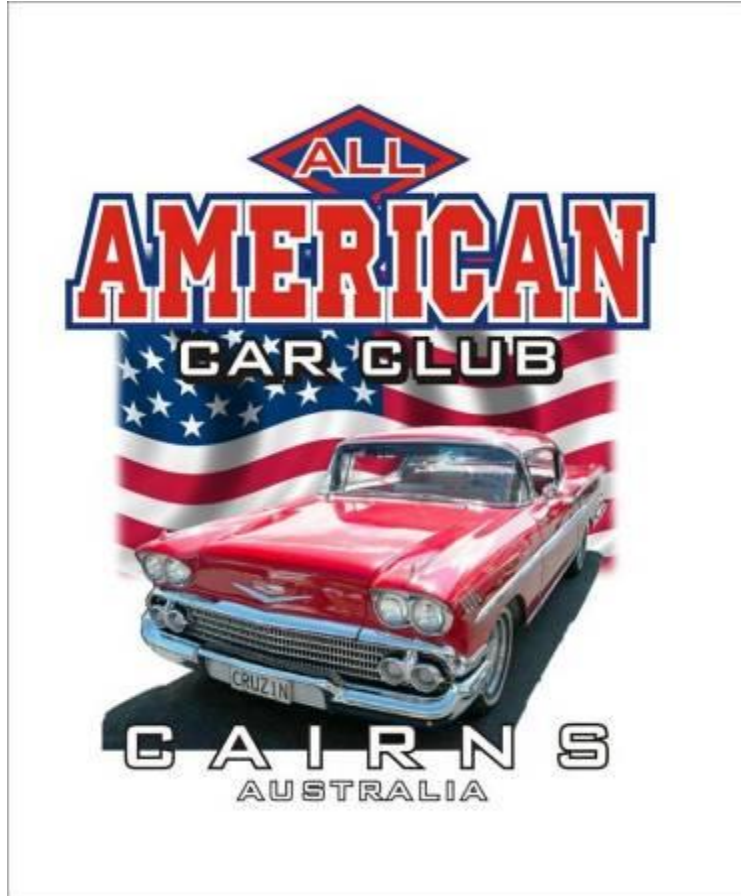


CLUB TORQUE

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.

The Kurrimine Beach Hop is over for another year and those that attended had a great time with the weather being the best it has been for many years. The Saturday night party was a lot of fun and it did not take a lot of effort to get into the Bogan and Sheilas act. The show and shine went off well and I noticed that most of the cars on show were Australian, Holdens Falcons and Valiants and only a few American and Hot Rods.



The Atherton show and swap went off well with the oval being full of cars and bikes. It gets bigger every year. Fletch was there and will have an episode on the Shannons website shortly.



The Swap Meet is only a couple of months away and we have plenty of posters and flyers available, if you have anywhere you can display them, pick them up from me at the meeting on Sunday.

Please make an effort to get to the next meeting which will be the usual breakfast one but it will be at the Top of The State Club house at Meerawa. Breakfast will be from 8am with the meeting at 9am. After the meeting stay around for a fun day with our members and members from the other clubs for our annual sports day.

Safe cruising and see you at the sports day meeting on the 30th^h June at Meerawa.

Bruce

All American Car Club of Cairns – Meeting Minutes 26 May 2019

Meeting Opened: 10:15 am

Attendees: Per attendance register

Apologies: Marj & Murray, Cristy & Aaron, Paula & John, Drew Nelson.

Visitors: Nil

Acceptance of Minutes from previous meeting: Moved by Kel

Seconded by Trevor

Business arising from last meeting: Sports Day: Bruce has spoken to the MG & Restorers Club as well as the Northern Motoring Club & the Fat Bastards – all are OK with Meerawa as the venue this year. Bruce also suggested he may implement a roster with all clubs to take turns hosting the event.

- **Incoming correspondence:** Snail mail: Suncorp Bank statement; Registration Renewal notice for the Club trailer; emails: Yorkeys Knob Community Hall – condition of venue after last month's meeting; Atherton Car/Bike/Swap Meet flyer for 15 June; Cairns & District Historic Vehicle Club Bearing Chatter newsletter.
- **Outward Correspondence:** Letter for Mike Bowman for SIV registration.

Treasurers Report:

- **Monies Incoming:** Nil
- **Monies Outgoing:** Sale of Club shirts. Balance of account \$5400.00 approx.

Newsletter Editors Report: Members are welcome to submit photos or articles (including cars for sale, etc.) - email to Kristie at: kristiepartington@yahoo.com.au. Articles are required to ensure an even number of pages are produced.

Event Co-ordinators Report: Lunch at Yankee D's following today's meeting. Full details on all planned events can be found later in Newsletter, as well as on the Club's website. Mareeba Field Day on Wednesday to Friday of this week.

Acceptance of Reports: **Mover:** James
Seconder: Geoff

General Business: 1. Swap Meet Tee shirts are for sale - \$20.00 each; 2. Application for membership from Brett Nutter with 1962 Cadillac – approved.

Next Meeting: 30 June 2019

Lotto –see Helen.

T-Shirts & Caps: See John Partington

Raffle: Bunnings Gift Card

Wintersun @ Murwillumbah

Dennis and Lynda recently visited the Murwillumbah Showgrounds for Wintersun. It was only the 2nd year of the 'new' event but had a lot of stalls and food vans as well as music bands. They even had a display of vintage caravans.





It all starts here...

Cassowary Coast Car Show

PCYC Innisfail



CAR SHOW

Swap Meet and Men's Expo

Best Hot Rod | Best Holden | Best American | Best British | Best Ford | Best Coupe
Best Modern | Best International | Best Ute | Best Classic | Best Original | Best Paint | Best Mopar
Best European | Top Street Machine | Car of Show

INNISFAIL SHOWGROUNDS

25th August 2019 | 9am-2pm

Car Show Pricing - \$10 undercover | \$5 outdoors

Come and grab Dad a great gift for Father's Day!

Food & Drinks Available

Entry - Gold Coin Donation

Fun day out for the whole family!

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Things you need to know:

- Gates open at 5.00am for cars and stallholders
- The gates will open to the public at 9.00am
- All cars and stallholders must be into the venue by 9.00am. Any cars or stall holders arriving after 9.00am unfortunately will be refused entry, due to WHS
- All cars and stallholders must remain in the venue until 2.00pm for WHS
- Undercover car spots are limited so booking prior to the event is essential



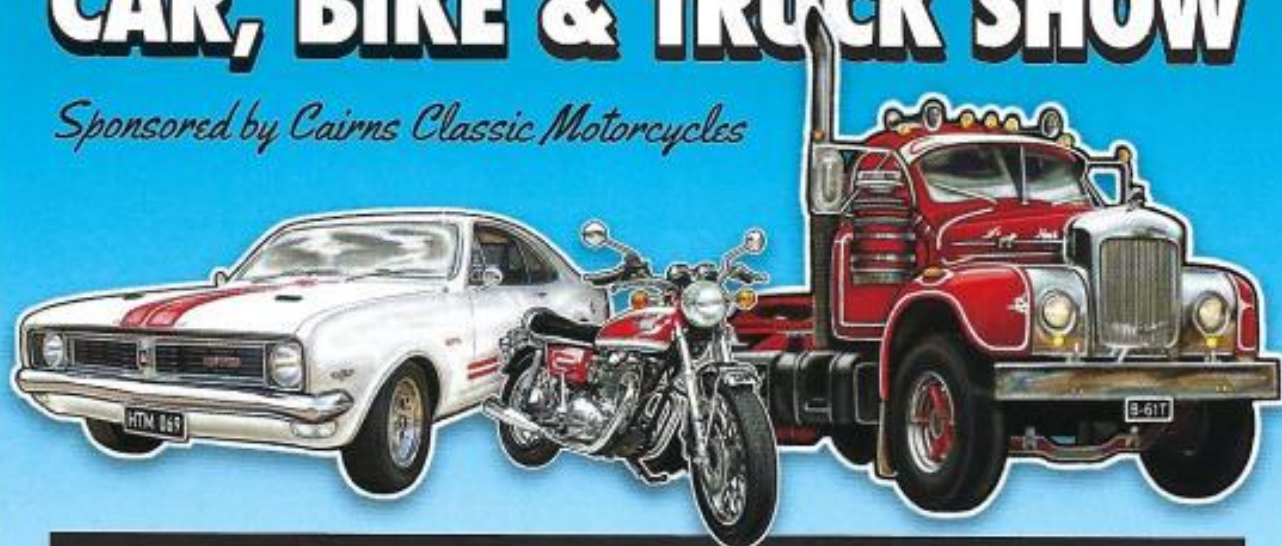
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Presents...

Cairns **Swap Meet** **CAR, BIKE & TRUCK SHOW**

Sponsored by Cairns Classic Motorcycles



SUNDAY 11th AUGUST 2019

CAIRNS SHOWGROUNDS (Scott St. Entrance)

Gates Open 6am - Trophy Presentation 1pm

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

Show Vehicles: \$5 | Swap Sites: \$15 | Car Show entries close at 9am on the day

PERFORMANCES BY CHERRY DIVINE | CAR PARTS, ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES



Proceeds to:
Indie Rose Foundation & Redlynch Razorbacks



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- 4CA AM846 • FNQ Auto Electrical • Innovative Automotive • Cleanaway • Repco Cairns North
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For swap sites & general enquiries contact: James 0417 451 676 or Barry 0407 741 442
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All  *Day*

Saturday 10th August, 2019
Hansen Ford, Mareeba

*Car Show
9am til 2pm
Food & Drinks for sale
Raffle prizes*

 Hansen Ford

4092 9400

*Contact All Ford Club FNQ:
0438 153 204 Michelle
0407 572 129 Liz
0438 010 346 Marg*

allfordclubfnq@gmail.com

Giggling Gertie's Gut Busters!

Two Little Old Ladies

Two little old ladies, Connie and Betty, were sitting on a park bench outside the local town hall where a flower show was in progress.

The short one, Connie, leaned over and said, "Life is so boring. We never have any fun anymore. For \$10 I'd take my clothes off and streak through that stupid, boring flower show!"

"You're on!", said Betty, holding up a \$10 bill.

So, Connie slowly fumbled her way out of her clothes.
She grabbed a dried flower from a nearby display and held it between her teeth.

Then, completely naked, she streaked (as fast as an old lady can) through the front door of the flower show.

Waiting outside, her friend soon heard a huge commotion inside the hall, followed by loud applause and shrill whistling.

Finally, the smiling Connie came through the exit door to the sounds of a cheering, clapping crowd.

"What happened"? asked Betty.

"I won \$1,000 as 1st prize for 'Best Dried Arrangement!'!"

The Irish Diesel Fitter.....

Paddy and Mick were both laid off, so they went to the unemployment office. When asked his occupation, Paddy answered, 'Knicker Stitcher.. I sew da elastic onto ladies' knickers and thongs..'

The clerk looked up Knicker Stitcher on his computer and, finding it classified as unskilled labour, he gave him \$120 a week unemployment pay.

Mick was next in and when asked his occupation replied, 'Diesel Fitter.'

Since a diesel fitter was a skilled job, the clerk gave Mick \$200 a week.

When Paddy found out he was furious. He stormed back into the office to find out why his friend and co-worker was collecting double his pay.

The clerk explained, 'Knicker Stitchers are unskilled labour and Diesel Fitters are skilled labour.'

'What skill?' yelled Paddy. 'I sew da elastic on da knickers and thongs, then Mick puts 'em over his head and says: 'Yep, diesel fitter.'

The Pitfalls of being Green

A woman from Sydney who was a tree hugging, vegetarian and anti-hunter purchased a piece of native bush land in northern N.S.W . There was a large gum tree on one of the highest points in her property. She wanted a good view of the natural splendor of her land so she started to climb the big gum.

As she neared the top she encountered a koala that attacked her. In her haste to escape, the woman slid down the tree to the ground and got many splinters in her crotch.

In considerable pain, she hurried to a local ER to see a doctor. She told him she was an environmentalist, vegetarian, and an anti-hunter and how she came to get all the splinters. The doctor listened to her story with great patience and then told her to go wait in the examining room and he would see if he could help her.

She sat and waited three hours before the doctor re-appeared. The angry woman demanded, "What took you so long?"

He smiled and then told her, "Well, I had to get permits from the Environmental Protection Agency, Native Vegetation, Parks and Wildlife service, and the Bureau of Land Management before I could remove old-growth timber from a 'recreational area' so close to a Waste Treatment Facility.

And I'm sorry, they turned you down."

EVENTS CALENDAR

Upcoming Events:

SUN JUN 30TH MONTHLY MEETING TO BE HELD AT TOP OF THE STATE CLUBHOUSE AT MEERAWA COMMUNITY HALL AT 9.00AM. COME ALONG EARLY AT 8.00am FOR BREAKFAST PROVIDED BY CLUB FOR FINANCIAL MEMBERS ONLY.

SUN JUN 30TH ANNUAL COMBINED CLUBS SPORTS DAY FOLLOWS THE MEETING TO START AROUND 10. 00AM

THU JUL 4TH AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE DAY CRUISE. MEET AT HUNGRY JACKS DFO AT 5.30PM ONWARDS TO LEAVE AROUND 7.00PM FOR A CRUISE AROUND THE ESPLANADE.

FRI JUL 5TH TOP OF THE STATE HOT ROD & CUSTOM CAR CLUB INC MONTHLY KROOZE NITE 6PM FIRST SHOT COFFEE AND GRILL SCOTT STREET

SUN JUL14TH CARS & COFFEE, CAFFEINE & GASOLINE AT COFFEE HAVEN DFO 🏠🍷🍷🍷🍷🍷

SUN JUL 21ST RUN TO FISHERY FALLS PUB FOR LUNCH. MEET AT EDGE HILL McDONALDS CARPARK 10.45AM TO LEAVE 11.00AM.

SUN 28TH CYCLONES SHOW N SHINE TO BE HELD AT TOWNSVILLE'S JEZZINE BARRACKS. CARS ARE TO BE IN PLACE BETWEEN 7am TO 8.30am. SHOW RUNS FROM 9AM TO 3PM. MUST REGISTER BEFORE THE EVENT.FOR ALL ENQUIRIES PLEASE PM THEIR FACEBOOK PAGE OR EMAIL: events@cyclones.org.au SEE FLYER NEWSLETTER FOR MORE INFORMATION.

SUN JUL 28TH MONTHLY MEETING TO BE HELD AT COMMUNITY HALL YORKEYS KNOB, CNR WATTLE & CUNNINGHAM ST AT 10:00am. RUN TO STRATFORD DELI FOR SMOKO

DATE CLAIMERS

JULY 4TH - AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE DAY CRUISE

JULY 19TH TO 21ST 2019? INGHAM AUTO FEST

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

AUGUST 11TH 2019 CAIRNS SWAP MEET & CAR, BIKE & TRUCK SHOW

AUGUST 25th 2019 INNISFAIL CAR SHOW

SEPTEMBER 15TH 2019 AACCC 21ST BIRTHDAY

NOVEMBER 25TH 2019 CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY

DECEMBER 15TH 2019 CHRISTMAS LIGHTS CRUISE

MARCH 15TH 2020 PADDY POWER MEMORIAL CRUISE

MAY 19TH 2020? TOP OF THE STATE SWAP MEET & CAR BIKE SHOW

JUNE 6TH – 8TH 2020 - CHARTERS TOWERS CAR SHOW AND SWAP MEET

JUNE 19TH – 21ST 2020? - KURRIMINE BCH WEEKEND WITH TOWNSVILLE

JUNE 13TH 2020? – CAR & BIKE SWAP MEET & SHOW. ATHERTON HIGH SCHOOL

JUNE 28TH 2020 SPORTS DAY. LAST SUNDAY IN JUNE

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

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