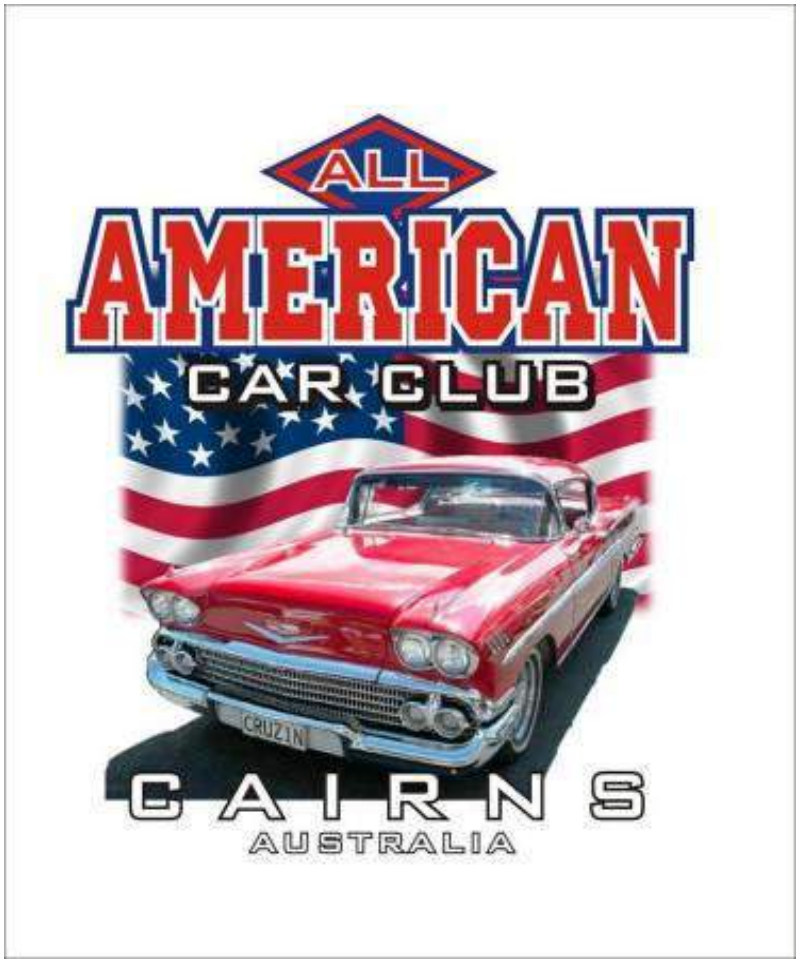
# CLUB TORQUE

# HAPPY 29TH BIRTHDAY




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**Membership Fees**: $50.00

(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 rallies 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,

**Well, the end of another month, and Christmas is now just around the corner.**

**Thanks to all the members that attended the meeting and AGM, it was a good turnout. Good to know that you are all happy with the way the club is going. There were a couple of new committee members with Trevor Brooks the new President, Bruce Nancarrow the new Vice President and Paula Partington helping with events.**

**Thank you, Dave Curtis, for the last 2 years as President and we wish you all the best with your health issue and will see you around.**

**Thank you to the members that attended the Kurrimine Beach Hop or decided to attend the Cairns Auto Spectacular on a very wet weekend.**

**We have our last Classic Car Show for the year at DFO upstairs at the far end, which coincides with our Cars & Coffee at Café Eatz in the DFO centre.**

**We have also put out when our Christmas Party will be on, and we have changed our venue this year to Trinity Beach Sports Club. Hope to see a good turnout like the last couple of years.**



**I will see you at the meeting.**

**James**
**Remember don't live your life a ¼ mile at a time just cruise and see you at the meeting on 25th October.**

# All American Car Club of Cairns Meeting Minutes 27/09/26

**Meeting Opened – 10:26am**
**Apologies – Barry Wilkins, Ann Power, John & Di Chambers, Mel & Cameron**
**Visitors – Nil**

**Acceptance of minutes from previous meeting – Paula Partington**
**Seconded – Helen Nancarrow**

**Business arising from last meeting –**
**Nil**
**Incoming Correspondence –**

**Christmas party enquiries**
**Outgoing correspondence –**

**Treasurers report –**
**Financial statement for FE26 to be sent to Fair Trading**
**Memberships coming in**
**Bank balance $2,744.18**

**Newsletter Report –**
**If anything for the newsletter, please send it through.**

**Event Coordinator –**
**Monthly meeting today followed by AGM with BBQ to follow**
**3 rd October Cardwell Car Show**
**10 th October Innisfail Riverfest**
**11 th October Cars & Coffee**
**16 th – 18 th October Kurrimine Beach Weekend**
**25 th October Monthly Meeting with lunch run TBA**
**Date claimers in newsletter for upcoming events**

**Acceptance of reports – Kelvin Moore**
**Seconded – Bruce Nancarrow**

**General Business –**
**Cairns Swap Meet debrief to occur next week; Rotary are looking to donate $3,500 bringing the total amount to**
**donate this year to $14,500.**
**Gleam Machine Award 2026 is presented to Trevor and Brandon Brooks**
**Christmas Party options talked about; majority liked the option of Trinity Beach Sports Tavern.**
**Tin Hat Mareeba recommended for run after next meeting**

**Next Meeting – 25 th October**
**Lotto – See Paula**
**Raffle – Membership fees won by Kristie Partington**
**T Shirts – Bruce**
**Meeting Closed – 10:54am**

**PLEASE REMBERBER $50 CLUB MEMBERSHIP FEES WERE DUE AT THE SEPTEMBER MEETING. AT CURRENT IF YOU HAVE NOT PAID YOUR FEES AND HAVE YOUR CAR ON SIV, YOU UNFORTUNATELY WON'T BE COVERED UNDER THE RULES OF THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.**
**THANKS**
**JAMES**



# ALL AMERICAN CAR CLUB of CAIRNS – ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING MINUTES 29 SEPTEMBER 2026

**Meeting opened: 11.00**

**All positions vacated.**

**Meeting chaired by Kristie Partington:**

**Kristie thanked all committee members for their work over the last 12 months,**

**and asked other members to think about standing for a position on the club committee**

**President: Trevor Brooks was nominated, he accepted and was voted in.**

**Vice President: Bruce Nancarrow was nominated, he accepted, and was voted in,**

**Treasurer: James Fullerton was nominated, he accepted, and was voted back in.**

**Secretary: Caitlin Fullerton was nominated, she accepted, and was voted in.**

**Newsletter Editor: Caitlin and James Fullerton were nominated, they both accepted, and were voted back in.**

**Events Co-Ordinators: James & Amanda Fullerton and Paula Partington were nominated, they both accepted, and were voted in.**

**Property Officer: Bruce Nancarrow and Amanda Fullerton were nominated, they accepted, and were voted in.**

**Congratulations to all Committee members.**

**AGM Meeting closed, 11.20**

## GLEAM MACHINE TROPHY 2026

**Congratulations to Trevor and Brandon Gleam Machine winners for 2026. The Gleam Machine trophy has been presented for over 20 years and recognises both club participation and vehicle (s) presentation. Congratulations also to Trevor who is our new President.**



# SEPTEMBER CLUB MEETING & AGM

















## PHOTOS BY ANDY FBCC

# Christmas Party!



**Where:** Trinity Beach Sports Club, 1 Nautilus Street, Trinity Beach

**When:** Sunday 29th November 2026 after the meeting 11.30am

**What:** 2 Course Christmas Lunch (2 Meat served with roast & steam vegies, gravy & plum pudding served with custard. Have a drink to celebrate Christmas. We'll hand out the presents Santa has left and have a jolly time.

**Food & How Much:** Buffett lunch will be $35.00 per head which you can pay at the meeting, direct into the club's bank account or James on the day when you get there & the club will provide a Christmas drink.

**Bring:** A Secret Santa for an anonymous adult of the same gender as you to a maximum value of $10. Please don't bring gifts for the wrong gender.

**Drinks:** Will be cold and at bar prices.

**Parking:** We will be parking the cars on the grass area behind the building.

**Parents:** Bring a present for your own kids.

**RSVP:** Numbers will be required by November 26TH for catering and seating purposes. You can RSVP to James or Caitlin.

If you tell us you are coming & change your mind, please let us know. It's only courteous that we keep the venue updated with expected numbers.

# AACCC CARS & COFFEE AT DFO SUNDAY 11TH OCTOBER
















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# KURRIMINE BEACH HOP 2026




























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**PHOTOS BY ANDY FBCC**




It's official time has arrived we will be having a car show @Robert Rossi Park Aloomba arrival time of 9am with presentation @ 2 pm. More information @ a later date



ALL AMERICAN CAR CLUB CAIRNS AUSTRALIA

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DFO Direct Factory Outlets CAIRNS

# CLASSIC CAR SHOW
# SUNDAY 8TH NOVEMBER




## OPEN TO ALL CARS

## 9AM -12PM

NORTHERN END OF THE SHOPPING CENTRE

# EVENTS CALENDAR

## Upcoming Events:

**SAT 24TH OCT TABLELANDS CAR & BIKE SHOW 1OTH ANNIVERSARY AT THE MALANDA SHOWGROUNDS FROM 9AM–2PM. SWAP STALLS AVAILABLE, FOOD, DRINKS AND PLENTY TO SEE. SEE FLYER IN NEWSLETTER**

**SUN 25TH OCT MONTHLY MEETING TO BE HELD AT COMMUNITY HALL YORKEYS KNOW, CNR WATTLE & CUNNINGHAM STREET, AT 10:00AM. RUN TO DUNWOODYS FOR BRUCH AFTERWARDS**

**SUN 1ST NOV THE FBCC CARS & COFFEE INNISFAIL FROM 9AM ONWARDS AT FLYING FISH POINT BEACH CAFE ☕ 🔥 🍳 ☕ 🔥 🍳 ALL WELCOME AND SUITABLE FOR VEHICLES ON SIV REGO AS ORGANISED BY AN INCORPORATED CAR CLUB I.A. 40294**

**SUN 8TH NOV ORIGINAL AACCC CAIRNS CARS & COFFEE FROM 8.30AM ONWARDS AT CAFÉ EATZ DFO, WESTCOURT ☕ 🔥 🍳 ☕ 🔥 🍳 ALL WELCOME AND SUITABLE FOR VEHICLES ON SIV REGO AS ORGANISED BY AN INCORPORATED CAR CLUB. NO SHORT NOTICE RUNS REQUIRED I.A. 18484**

**SUN 8TH NOV CLASSIC CAR SHOW AT DFO WESTCOURT UPSTAIRS AT THE NORTHERN END. SEE FLYER IN NEWSLETTER**

**SUN 29th NOV MONTHLY MEETING TO BE HELD AT COMMUNITY HALL YORKEYS KNOW, CNR WATTLE & CUNNINGHAM STREET, AT 10:00AM. CHRISTMAS PARTY AFTER MEETING.**

**SUN 29TH NOV CAR CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY AT TRINITY BEACH SPORTS CLUB. SECRET SANTA $10 PRESENT BUY FOR YOUR OWN GENDER. MEMBERS WITH KIDS BUY OWN PRESENTS FOR THEM. SEE FLYER IN NEWSLETTER**

### DATE CLAIMERS

**NOVEMBER 8TH 2026 CLASSIC CAR SHOW UPSTAIRS AT THE NORTHERN END DFO**

**NOVEMBER 29TH 2026 CAR CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY**

**DECEMBER 20TH 2025 CHRISTMAS LIGHTS CRUISE**

**JUNE 11TH - 13TH 2027 CHARTERS TOWERS CAR SHOW AND SWAP MEET**

**JUNE 2027 ATHERTON CAR & BIKE SHOW AT THE ATHERTON SHOWGROUNDS**

**JUNE 14TH 2026 CLASSIC CAR SHOW UPSTAIRS AT THE NORTHERN END DFO**

**JUNE 28TH 2026 PADDY POWER MEMORIAL CRUISE**

**JULY 4TH - AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE DAY CRUISE**

**AUGUST 8TH 2027 CAIRNS SWAP MEET & CAR, BIKE & TRUCK SHOW**

**AUGUST BURDEKIN MOTOR MADNESS**

**AUGUST 22ND INNISFAIL CAR SHOW**

**SEPTEMBER 8TH 2027 ALL AMERICAN CAR CLUB CAIRNS 30TH BIRTHDAY**

**SEPTEMBER 12TH 2026 MOUNT GARNET ANNUAL CAR AND BIKE SHOW**

**SEPTEMBER 27TH 2026 ALL AMERICAN CAR CLUB AGM**

**OCTOBER 16TH–18TH 2026 - KURRIMINE BCH WEEKEND AT KING REEF WITH TOWNSVILLE**

**AT ANY STAGE ON THE DAY OF A RUN IF THE WEATHER LOOKS DOUBTFUL, PLEASE CONTACT JAMES 0417451676 BEFORE HEADING OUT OF TOWN**

If undeliverable please return to 56 Golden Grove Dr, Bentley Park, 4869, Qld

