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Please remember that submissions to TTorque must be received by the Editor 2 weeks prior to the next meeting

NEXT MEETING FRIDAY 9TH FEBRUARY 2018 @ Ashburton Library, High Street Ashburton 8pm

MTFCV web page address: www.mtfcv.com Email: ttorquenews@hotmail.com



#### PRESIDENT'S REPORT

#### Hi All

Hope everyone has had a pleasant and relaxing holiday period. We have another year of T modelling ahead of us which will be great.

Our first rally of the year was to Marysville for Australia Day. We had a pleasant day at Gallipoli Park. Members attended in various vehicles from a Veteran push bike to Classic cars. Numbers were down a bit as it was hot and the first day of a long weekend.

We have the Labour day and the Mildura 500 rallies coming up. Please look at the information in the magazine. We especially need to know definite numbers for the Shepparton rally for booking at various venues.

During the national rally we had a Facebook page and this is still running. Is there anyone interested in making it a MTFCV page and posting rallies and things to do with the club? Please give me a call (0407986395).

I am getting in early this year regarding the 2018 AGM as we have two executive and four general committee positions to fill this year. Please have a think about this. It is not an onerous commitment and we are happy to help the incoming committee as much as possible.

Our next rally for February is to Yarra Glen for the RACV Showcase on Feb 25th. Hope to see you there.

Fiona





**FEBRUARY:** Friday 9th General Meeting

Sunday 18th All Ford Day - Deakin University Waurn Ponds

Friday 23rd - Saturday 24th Ballarat Swap Meet

Sunday 25th RACV Classic Showcase

**MARCH:** Friday 2nd General Meeting

Friday 9th - Monday 12th Labour Day Holiday Weekend

L MTFCV "'T", Tour, Shepparton Rally Saturday 17th Workshop Day - Ray Smith Sunday 25th Annual Kalorama Rally

**APRIL:** Friday 13th General Meeting

Workshop Day at Pakenham 'A' Grade

# Model T Club Of Victoria COMING EVENTS CALENDAR



	2018		
Labour Day Friday March 9th - Monday March 12th	Rally Director: Dean Williams Location: East Gippsland		
Queen's Birthday Friday June 8th – Monday June 11th (Plus additional days for Broken Hill)	MILDURA 500 RUN - Ballarat to Mildura (With route variation to 2017 tour) Plus optional Silver City Dash - Mildura to Broken Hill Expressions of interest are invited - Contact: paul.daley@neo.com.au		
Melbourne Cup Weekend Friday November 2nd – Tuesday November 6th	Rally Director: Bruce Csorba Location: TBC		
2019			
Labour Day	Rally Director: John Docker Location: Glenrowan Area		
Queen's Birthday	MILDURA 500 RUN - with route variation to 2018 tour		
September 28 - October 9	National Rally - Maryborough, Queensland		
Melbourne Cup Weekend	'Memory Lane' back to Wangaratta 30 Year Anniversary Nostalgic Event		

# Labour Day Long Weekend 2018 $9^{th} - 12^{th}$ March.

Shepparton and surrounding area.



**Friday:** Meet and greet welcome BBQ at the caravan park 6:30. Club supplied.

**Saturday:** Violet Town market, Car display, pub lunch or picnic, car museum, antiques.

Night drive for those who are keen.

**Sunday:** Lake Nagambie / Kirwans Bridge / Historic Whroo, Cemetery, Mines shafts / Rushworth / Tatura P.O.W museum.

**Monday:** TBA, still organising should be good!!!

Contact Dean Williams 0413 462 224.

Note: Important. If you are coming on this rally please fill out entry form that is located elsewhere in mag and contact Dean as we need to know numbers so we can organise numbers.

# Labour Day Long Weekend 2018 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> March.

# Shepparton and surrounding area.

## Entry Form.

Details		No	Total
Entry per car	\$35.00		\$
Passenger numbers			

Name.
Email.
Contact No.
Dietary requirements.

This will be a pay as you go rally "See revised flyer"

Post entry to:

P.O. Box 26 Clifton Hill 3068

Direct Deposit:

A/C Name: Model T Ford Club of Victoria.

National Australia Bank: BSB 083-004 A/C 039230022

Deposit Reference [Please enter your surname and initials.]

Contact rally organiser Dean Williams 0413 462 224

#### **Federation Report**

#### **Federation Meeting October 14th**

**Welcome to Bendigo** by President Lloyd Cameron, of Veteran, Vintage and Classic Club (Bendigo), who talked about the 42 years of the Bendigo Swap.

Bendigo Swap is in the top four City activities for Bendigo council. The club has 200+ members with 300+ cars.

Federation President, Neil Athorn, then welcomed delegates and spoke of the VicRoads review of the recent review.

Possible outcomes will be in line with full registered vehicles, e.g. maybe bring vehicle to VicRoads office for inspection before club permit is issued, maybe original number plates to be retained on vehicle and maybe deceased member's vehicle to Partner.

**Audits of Vic Roads record of clubs vehicles** showed a discrepancy of 2.5% of club cars not listed on VicRoads data base.

Very important for members to check that VicRoads have our vehicles current.

Australian Historic Motoring Federation new President is Mike Beal.

RACV is now an associate member of AHMF.

#### **Stolen Vehicles**

AHMF will send out email details to protect our club members from purchasing a stolen vehicle.

**Asbestos in imported vehicles** is still an issue, but a company is now advertising a guarantee that they will have all removed before arriving into Australia.

**100** years of Veteran to Vintage 2019 – to be celebrated in 2019. Members attending any of the 5 picnic days 2018/2019 will receive a badge to acknowledge 100 years Veteran to Vintage 2019 celebration.

The past 43 years the Federation has been involved with Australia Day celebration in the Treasury Gardens in Melbourne. Two years ago there were 450 vehicles last year 130, but now the Department of the Premier, and Cabinet are dealing with the RACV and only 50 vehicles will be permitted.

Federation would like to hear from member clubs as to what they are involved with on Australia Day.

#### **Bendigo Swap Meet**

Display will be 100 years of Fordson Tractors.

The Government Anti Terror Policy has impacted on the Swap planning. Our members who are helping on Gate 2 and 3 must be aware of emergency and evacuation procedures.

#### **Working with Children Check**

If our club has any under 18 year old members the editor needs a Working with Children Check. (he has one)

The check is free for volunteers.

Insurance for Public officers etc is due for payment by end of October.

**Importing Vehicles.** RACV rep. mentioned that if you import a vehicle into Australia you pay GST as well as import costs and if the total amount exceeds \$65940.00 you are up for Luxury Car Tax (LCT) on the amount above this figure at 33% on every dollar above the threshold.

Next meeting February 10th at Tottenham.

Regards Geof Baulch Federation Delegate

#### **Heads up!**

#### **Historic Winton**

Our Club has been asked to display some of our cars at the 42nd Historic Winton Motor Car and Motor Cycle race meeting.

Our cars will celebrate the 110th anniversary of Model T Fords. I think that we should try to have about fifteen cars on display for the two days of the event. Some speedsters would really set the scene as well.

The date is 26th and 27th May 2018 and those participating have free tickets supplied for the event. There is a run on the Friday for cars who want to see the local surrounds, this is run by The Benalla Car Club. Camping is available for those who want to do it this way and costs \$25 per person per night. Plenty of parking for trailers is available.

Trade sales and displays are there to fill in time as well as food stalls.

So if you want to see some really good cars and bikes racing for two days and have a good weekend away, please contact me for more details. I need to get some names of those who will display so we can organize some tickets etc.

Robbie Dalton 9801 7170 0439 363 283



#### <u> All Ford Day - Sunday 18th February</u>



The All Ford Day is in its 27<sup>th</sup> year and will be held at Deakin University Waurn Ponds on Sunday 18 February 2018.

The exclusively Ford Motor Show features an extensive range of 1,200 vehicles covering an array of models, years and types.

The festival encapsulates the rich Ford history that Geelong has been a part of for over 90 years and

celebrates the company and the workmanship that was put into the cars over the years.

The event is held on the grounds of Waurn Ponds Estate behind Deakin University from 8am – 3pm. Cars and exhibitors will be displayed throughout the 25 acres of grassland, surrounded by beautiful trees and lakes.

Free parking will be available throughout the Deakin University campus on the day of the event. Tickets can be purchased online at the All Ford Day website or on the day at the event.

https://www.allfordday.org.au

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#### **RACV Classic Showcase - Sunday February 25**

Sneaking in before summer bows out for another year is the RACV Classic Showcase being held at the Yarra Glen Racecourse on the 25th February.

Club displays are encouraged, so it would be great to see a large number of members T's on show! Display cars \$15 all occupants included.

See flyer below for further information.



Club displays encouraged.

For more info contact 03 9890 0524

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## Chris Dillon (Temp Secretary) General Meeting Minutes December 2017

Minutes: Meeting Opened at 8:01 PM December 8th 2017 by President Fiona Dillon at the

Ashburton library Ashburton.

New Members: Nil.

Visitors: Nil.

Present: 38 present as per register.

**Apologies:** 13 as per register.

#### **Confirmation of November minutes:**

Moved: Geoff Brooke. Seconded: Bill Wallace.

#### **Confirmation of October minutes:**

Moved: Geoff Brooke. Seconded: Robbie Dalton.

Business arising from minutes: Nil.

Tonight's Meeting: Christmas break up, Pizza night, Video of Yarrawonga rally.

#### **Correspondence In:**

- Curry Printing Invoice 00018487 November.
- Curry Printing statement November.
- Bill Fish Membership renewal.
- Clockit Corporate membership renewal.
- JLT Club insurance renewal 2018

#### **Publications:**

- Buzzer Box November 2017.
- Buzzer Box December 2017.
- Adelaide's T Torque November 2017.
- Brass Notes November 2017.
- Brass Notes December 2017.
- Backfire Vol 51 No.8 December 2017
- The Bent Wire Nov / Dec 2017.
- The Early Ford V8 Club Nov / Dec 2017.

#### **Correspondence Out:**

- Posted No Claims Declaration form back to JLT.
- Chris Dillon has posted a welcome letter and mag to Duncan Kinghorn.

#### Flyer's:

- Shannon's 2017 Melbourne Summer classic auction.
- Berrigan Show and Shine Jan 14th 2018.

Treasurer's Report: The treasures report was presented to the members by Rhonda Huitt



#### Last month's rally report:

- Bendigo swap, Bruce Csorba gave a talk about meeting.
- Bunnings Club combined A and T Christmas break up. Fiona Thanked Scott and Caree Staples for all their efforts, what a great day, there were toy car races, Santa, drinks and lots of raffles. Scott talked about the Timer Toser award, Bruce Csorba won this year with a distance thrown 22 meters, Bruce also took out the toy car race. It was stated that Rhonda was half a toser as she only got 10 meters. All taken in good fun.

**Swap Meetings/Clearance Sales report:** Bruce Csorba went to Eastfield park hot Rods Swap on Cup day, good day, met Andrew Brand there.

Committee Report: Presented by Chris Dillon.

#### **Delegate's Reports:**

AOMC: Nil.

*Federation*: Geoff Baulch went to Bendigo for Meeting, A Vic roads review was discussed, 21/2% of Red Plate permitted clubs are not listed on Vic roads web site.

Asbestos in vehicles was discussed and Federation celebrating 100 years of Veteran, Vintage.

#### This month's activity/run:

Club combined A and T Christmas break up last weekend

#### **Upcoming Events:**

- Jan 26th. 2018 Australia Day, Marysville
- Robbie Dalton talked about Winton, will put information in magazine.
- Paul talked about and asked for expression of interest for the Mildura 500 2018
- Chris and Dean talked about Labour Day weekend 2018.

Technical Tips/Queries: Nil Restoration Progress: Nil New or unusual products: Nil.

Parts Wanted: Bruce Csorba after 12 rivet differential cases.

Parts for Sale: Dean Williams re spoking wooden wheels, Scott Staples spoke (pun intended) very

highly of workmanship.

#### **General Business:**

Robbie Dalton gave a very informative talk on military service medals leading up to an O.B.E. (Over Bloody Eighty) presentation to Borg Sorensen

**Next Meeting:** February Classic Showcase Yarra Glen .

#### Raffle Draw:

<u>Drawn by:</u> Fletcher Sorensen <u>Won by</u>: Maureen Cartledge <u>Prize selected:</u> Bunnings Voucher

Meeting Closed: 8:50pm



#### REGISTER YOUR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

You are invited to join the **2018 Mildura 500** which is currently being planned by The Model T Ford Club of Victoria. The event is proposed to start from Ballarat on Friday evening June 8, 2018 and conclude in Mildura on the evening of Sunday June 10 with a celebratory dinner and presentation to entrants. Daily runs will be approximately 250km on each day, on roads that are well suited to Model T motoring.

We are in the process of negotiating places of interest, accommodation options, routes etc and approximate costs will be listed in our first newsletter early next year.

To assist with planning we are now seeking Expressions of Interest (EOI) for this event.

The event will only proceed if there are a minimum of 15 entries at this time, and you must register by end of January 2018.

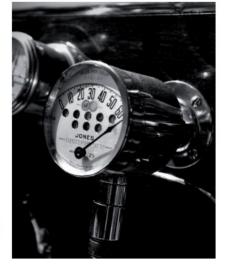
Registration for this event commences by completing your entry details on the EOI form and returning the form as soon as possible to: MTFCV Treasurer, PO Box 26, Clifton Hill VIC 3068







Please post the following information to: MTFCV, PO	Box 26, Clifton Hill, VIC 3068
Name:	
Address:	
Number of additional passengers/supporters:	
Email:	
Phone number: Mobile:	
Vehicle Make / Model	/ Year
☐ I wish to join with other entrants who are driving their Model Ts	for the return trip back to Melbourne
All enquiries for The Mildura 500 to: paul.daley@neo.com.au	Entries close Jan 31st, 2017





#### **Ravenswood Interchange Model T Test**

Article submitted by Shirley & Bob Draper



On Friday 15th December 2017 we were given an opportunity to be the first, non construction vehicle, to drive on the new Ravenswood interchange road alignment.

This was a trip that has been two years in the making since the first sod was turned for the \$86 million upgrade. The south bound Calder Alternative Highway had been closed to all traffic for 3 months, and Friday was the reopening day.

At 11am all construction was stopped and all personnel withdrawn from the site for a safety briefing. During this 30 minute meeting, Bluey was given free access to the new alignments (overseen by a Vic roads patrol car)

The design of the intersection is a first for Victoria – a circular roadway some 300 meters in diameter positioned above the Calder Freeway which allows traffic to merge from all directions.

Calder Alternative Highway traffic and all local traffic can leave and enter the Calder Freeway, safely, without the need to stop.

The project has had its, critics, especially huge community concern regarding the loss of hundreds of old red gums that were removed from between existing North and South bound lanes of the Calder Highway to make way for the new alignments.

We have watched this project evolve and have been extremely interested and impressed at the skills of engineers and road builders as they have sculptured the landscape to form this interchange.

All new traffic lanes are expected to be completed by the end of April 2018, but landscape and tidying up work will continue throughout the year.

Our photos are another example that owning a Model T can get you anywhere!



#### **Upcoming Workshop Day - Ray Smith**

#### Saturday 17th March

With the first Workshop Day for 2018 due to be held in March, there is plenty of time between now and then to go through the safety checklist below and take note of anything that may need some tinkering with on the day. Further details next month.

# MODEL T FORD CLUB OF VICTORIA SAFETY SELF INSPECTION CHECKLIST

THIS SHEET MUST BE SATISFACTORILY COMPLETED PRIOR TO CLUB PERMIT RENEWAL OR CLUB SAFETY DAY INSPECTION

Date Steering	Reg./Permit No	Signed
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	connecting rod (tie rod) to yoke ball	
<ul> <li>Spindle bolts (I</li> </ul>	king pins)	
<ul> <li>Spindle connection</li> </ul>	cting rod bolts	
Cotter keys (or lock	washers, if holes not drilled) installe	d:
• Radius rod (wi	sh bone) to front axle (2 required)	
Steering gear I	oracket to frame (3 required)	<del>_</del> _
Ball arm (pitma	an arm) to steering post (1 required)_	<del>-</del> -
Steering gear of	connecting rod (tie rod) to yoke ball (2	2 required)
Steering gear of	connecting rod (tie rod) to steering ge	ear ball (2 req.)
• Spindle connection	cting rod to spindles [2 (1 per spindle	)]
• Spindle bolts (I	king pins) [2 (1 per spindle)]	
• Spindle arms [	2 (1 per spindle)]	
<ul> <li>Front spring ha</li> </ul>	ngers (shackles) [4 (2 per side)]	
• Front spring to	frame [2 or 4 required, depending or	ı year]
Yoke ball [1 red	quired]	
Safety-wire crank	case studs holding radius rod ball ca	p
Grease in steering	gear case and steering gear bracket	
(also check ge	ar post and pinion gears for wear)	
Check for play in st	eering gear case to steering column	(check rivets/taper pins)

<u>Brakes</u>
Brake pedal (and, reverse pedal) should bottom out before reaching floorboards
Both rear wheels should lock up under hard braking
Auxiliary brakes are highly recommended for stock cars and should be
installed if car has an auxiliary transmission
Emergency Brakes
Hand brake sets securely before limit of its travel (check pawl and spring)
Both rear wheels should lock
Cotter keys (or lock washers, if holes not drilled) installed:
Control shaft assembly to frame [4 required]
Brake shoe bolt [2 (1 per side)]
Brake rods [4 (1 per end)]
Engine/Power Train
Oil leaks – within acceptable limits
Petrol leaks – none, when parked (in-line shutoff valve recommended)
Cotter pins installed:
Carburettor rod [2 (1 per end)]
Choke/carburettor adjustment rod [1 at carburettor]
Commutator rod [2 (1 per end)]
Crankcase arm to frame [4 (2 per side)]
Low speed connector [2 (1 per end)]
Universal ball cap [2 (top bolts)]- bottom two cap screws safety wired together
Fan bolt (on earlier cars)
Wheels Spekes (and follows an earlier care) should be tight
Spokes (and felloes on earlier cars) should be tight
Front wheel bearings – no play, good condition and greased
Lug nuts tight on demountable rims
Check tires for wear, weather cracks, rim cuts etc.
Rear Axle
No oil looks at outer soals
Differential gearcase oil level
Cotter keys (or lock washers, if holes not drilled) installed:
Rear to spring to frame [4 required]
Rear spring hangers (shackles( [4 (2 per side)]
Rear spring perches to wheel flanges (backing plates) [2 (1 per side)]
<u>Other</u>
Lights function, no shorts in electrical system
Brake light (may not be original equipment, but recommended)
Safety glass
Rear view mirror(s)
Fire extinguisher
First aid kit
REGISTRATION AND INCURANCE NAMES

#### **T-RADN' TABLE**

#### For Sale

Left: Complete Ruckstell axle assembly with original shifter lever assembly, knob and shifter rod. Surplus to requirements. Have stored for many years, is in good condition.

Asking \$3,000.00





Right: Ruckstell housings and parts as per photo

No 1 has a bent tube No two has a worn flange plate, both have dater brass plates, No 3 is a large flange plate in good order no dater plate and the parts assembly on right of photo is very complete and could be made into a running diff with limited trouble.

Asking \$1,200.00.

Discount for the diff and diff parts for the job lot. Offers considered.

Left: Have a pair of plain top after 1915 globular side lights and one original mounting bracket, unrestored in excellent condition Mounting bracket has T7266 with diamond imprint stamped on base asking \$200.00



Right: Have a brass gas generator branded (WILMAR satisfaction and service) complete with wing nuts and filler cap etc in reasonable restorable condition together with an unbranded unusual side light.

Generator \$250,00 Sidelight \$50.00



Open to reasonable offers to Ralph Zwar 84 Blair. St. Harrow. Vic 3317. Email plumwoodofharrow@gmail.com Phone 03/55881317

#### **MORE T-RADN' TABLE...**

#### For Sale

Complete set of after 1915 sidelights branded CLASCO in excellent condition asking \$300.00

Ralph Zwar 84 Blair. St. Harrow. Vic 3317. Email plumwoodofharrow@gmail.com



#### For Sale

1912 Model T Torpedo Project:-

Rootlieb long alloy bonnet

Repro Tub with doors and polished firewall with filler panels

Valance panels and running boards

Original Rands windscreen complete with hinges and brass channel (no glass)

Triple twist Rubes horn, restored

Complete brass steering column, original for 1912 1912 clamshell diff, undamaged (no internals) Complete two piece tail shaft, good order

Original working brass radiator

1912 Transmission cover with CRB pedals and script cover Front and rear tapered springs complete

Various body brackets, original for tub 2 veteran radius rods ready for paint

Front axle with speedo perch and draglink

2 original sight light brackets and tail light bracket

Complete original brass running board generator

2 headlight forks, ready for paint

Early complete handbrake and muffler

Round Veteran fuel tank, original with brackets, in good order

Veteran running board brackets and brake rods

Brass hub veteran fan

Genuine 1913 engine, head and sump, good condition, no rust

\$9,000 for all listed above

Phone Ian Oates 0429 001 910



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Phone Ian Oates 0429 001 910

#### T-RADN' TABLE

A free trading place to advertise your goods - and to pick up a bargain or two! Note that an ad stays in for two issues unless otherwise advised. All For Sales must include prices. Vehicles for sale must include engine number or registration number (Not Club Permit Number) by law. Publication of ads does not

constitute endorsement of price, condition, or authenticity by the Club.

Please send your ads to the Editor at ttorquenews@hotmail.com or to the Club's post office box 2 weeks prior to the next meeting.











Left: Borg Sorensen being awarded an O.B.E. (over bloody eighty)

Awards presented at the December General Meeting - Congrats to the winners!

Right: Scott Staples awarding Bruce Csorba timer tosser Award for 2017











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The Model "T" Ford Club of Victoria (MTFCV) was formed in 1980 and is aimed at encouraging and promoting Model "T" Fords; to help in the restoration of Model T's and to create a register of Model T owners.

Meetings are usually held on the second Friday of the month at the club rooms at the Ashburton Community Library, 154 High Street Ashburton corner of High Street and Munro Ave (Melway ref 60 C9) and an outing is usually held on the Sunday following the monthly meeting.

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# Australia Day Run 2018 - Marysville













