

## **MINUTES OF THE CVMCE GENERAL MEETING HELD ON 4<sup>th</sup> March 2013**

The meeting commenced at 7:40 pm, – President Peter Smith presiding.

### **Apologies**

Apologies were received from Paul Rehardt, Paul Annetts, Ray Carnall, Arthur Hurrell, Roger and Marian Pearson, Guy Fluke, Bill McCallum and Rob Patterson.

### **Minutes of Previous Meeting**

Minutes of the previous meeting held on 4<sup>th</sup> February were accepted - moved David Petts, seconded Richard Fisher.

### **Treasurers Report**

Treasurer Paul Johnson reported on activity during the last month and for the financial year. As of 28<sup>th</sup> February the four accounts held the following amounts:

Cheque account	\$ 4291.39
Express saver Account	\$ 1399.57
Term Deposit	\$ 10,534.10
Society Cheque account	\$ 6829.11

The total was **\$23054.17**

There was also \$214.20 in the separate BBQ fund.

(Report attached)

Report accepted John Marsden, seconded Jim Gibson

(Treasurers reports filed with the minutes)

### **Secretary's Report**

Correspondence in:

- John Tillbrook – Re attending Morris Rally in Canberra
- Australia Post – PO Box Renewal
- Bush Council – Meeting 29 March and Affiliation Fees
- Museum of Fire – Classic Truck Show 16 June
- Sunshine Coast Antique Car Club – event in June
- Various Newsletters and membership renewals

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### **Newsletter Editor**

Jim Gibson advised that we may not get \$500 from Shannon's for advertising next year but that he was seeking out other advertisers.

### **Events Report**

Malcolm Mann reported as follows:

The weather for the presidents run to majors Creek via Braidwood was a little unkind and it was decide to cancel early on Sat evening. After the deluge the whole of the district received. This would have been a really great run & we'll have to try this run a little later in the year, won't we Peter.

The Wed runs have been well attended when the weather has been ok, and the adventurous types have attended the slightly inclement trips.

Yesterday a vast hoard of Eurobodalla's finest vehicles ventured south on a first Sunday run to Bermagui. Jan & I started out in a Fiat & after a minor Fiat fault continued by something a little more reliable. I have since changed the carby and the little car is now running magnificently.

Breakfast was in the Sundeck café, which was a bit of a misnomer as it rained from Narooma to Bermby. After we arrived another miracle, the clouds parted, & the sun came out. Breakfast achieved a substantial 9.5 on the heart tick scale. The coffee was very good to. Andrew Green & I had a swim in the Blue Pool which was absolutely beautiful. While the remainder sat in the sun overlooking the boat harbour.

**What's coming up:** - Bermagui Seaside Fair this Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> March assemble at 0930hrs at the top of the headland at Bermagui. It is advised form drivers to enter the Bermby CBD and turn right at the PO and continue right round the town and assemble at the top of the hill. There will be extra parking this year on the oval. The parade starts at 1000hrs, other clubs Bega Pambula will be also attending. There are a lot of interesting events held over the weekend from concert, market stalls, art exhibitions sculpture on the headland or you can just go for a swim in the blue pool. Contact Lori Hammerton 64935909 the parade organizer.

Wed 13th run will be to Lunch at Mogendoura for the Prawn & Sausage feast, part supported by the club cost \$5/head. Peter Smith will explain further.

Mar 29<sup>th</sup>, Easter weekend is the Bush Council Rally at Merimbula, I have entry forms here see me later.

Bermagui Classic Riders were proposing a joint overnight run (all vehicles) to Captains Flat Hotel for the 24<sup>th</sup> weekend; however the Hotel wanted a 20% non return deposit, so it was decided to put this off till a little later in the year, to find a different venue, somewhere interesting but within reach of older vehicles. Please let me know your thoughts.

## **GENERAL BUSINESS**

### **Club Shed – Lance Brazier**

.Lance Brazier asked those members interested in forming a sub-committee to explore options for a Club Facility to met with him after the meeting (Note a group subsequently decided to have a first meeting on Monday 11 March)

### **Motorbike Inspectors**

In view of Gordon Halliday wishing to retire from this role Andrew Redwin and Andrew Green had volunteered to undertake this activity. Deane Price will continue as an inspector. Deane confirmed that inspectors did not need to be approved by RTA, but must have suitable experience.

### **Speaker**

Jim Gibson introduced our speaker – Eric Lane, multiple winner of economy runs in the '50's and '60's. Eric brought with him the permanent trophy from the Mobil Economy Run which he won 3 times and, as the most successful competitor over the 10 year life of the event, was finally given to keep. He gave an interesting talk with good advice on driving for economy.

**Raffle** – First prize Barry Hill second ?

The meeting closed at 8:55 p.m.