

ANNUAL REPORT TO AHMF

COUNCIL NAME: CHMC NSW

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For the year ending 30th June 2019



UPDATE ON COUNCIL COORDINATED/RUN/HOSTED EVENTS:

Council's annual rally held in Griffith in May 2019 was well organised. Entries came in from all over NSW & some from Victoria. This event took place over the weekend of the National Motoring Heritage Day which also attracted a large number of participants. Numbers were well up on the previous couple of years events. The event was co-hosted by Griffith Historic Motor Club & MIA Veteran Vintage & Classic Car Club who combined to present a well run Rally which attracted over 150 entries who toured the Griffith area visiting wine production plants, local historical sites as well the Pioneer Park museum, which was the main area for the daytime activities.

It was also the AGM meeting of the CHMC which had one of the largest attendances seen for a number of years.

Many other events were held in the state eg the June Long weekend had several rallies in many areas, also the October long weekend events were held in many areas. The Pre31 Tour, hosted by Orange Club, was again a major success catering also for approximately 150 entries. This is such a great event with only Veteran and Vintage vehicles being eligible. A highly recommended event for the 'traditionalists'.

RESTRICTED/CONCESSIONAL REGISTRATION UPDATE:

The Classic Vehicle Scheme (CVS) is now running well. CHMC has appointed Mr P Wright as the **Responsible Person** replacing Mr W Waddell and heading a CVS management committee of seven (7). Currently we have only under 20 vehicles on CVS. Two have moved across to ACMC via SMA with membership to a Coffs Harbour club. CHMC have retained very strict guidelines for a Heritage/Historic/Authentic vehicle under CVS (guidelines link is Note 1 on our CVS page <http://www.heritagemotoringcouncil.org.au/Classic-Vehicle-Scheme.php>). Currently the RMS is conducting a club-based survey to ascertain how the Log Book Trial is affecting clubs & the participating members. Results will be released at a date to be announced.

COUNCIL NEWSLETTER & WWW ARTICLE HIGHLIGHTS:

Council's magazine is now only available on the website. Important information will be sent out to clubs as updates, interesting information, etc via a new newsletter format known as 'The Dinkum Oil'. The name is based on the newsletter that was sent around the troops during WWI.

NATIONAL MOTORING HERITAGE DAY EVENTS – PLANS/DETAILS:

There were several events throughout NSW held on this day. As mentioned above, the Annual Rally was held in Griffith this year over the NMH weekend (rather than at Easter); a motoring extravaganza was held at Tamworth, hosted by Rotary & supported by many clubs from the north west/New England areas. A display day was held with local clubs supporting in great numbers across NSW.

UPDATE RE NATIONAL EVENT/RALLY 2020:

Clubs belonging to CHMC along the proposed travel routes will be supported/catered/possible hosted by them. This will all depend on which route the travellers from Qld & Northern NSW take ie either the New England, Pacific or the Newell highways. Distances to be travelled by what category of vehicles will be required and time frames. I am seeking some figures re distances to be travelled & also which clubs are willing to host or do whatever they can to assist prior to January 2020 so this can be organised.

CHMC will be heavily involved with the Registration Day, so I will be calling on members from CHMC clubs to help out on the day. Registration will take place from 11am to 4pm at the SS&A Club. At this point entrants will collect everything that has been organised for each. The day will be free to take self-guided tours around the area prior to the official start to the week. The Welcome Evening & Opening Ceremony will take place from 6.30pm till 10pm in the QEII Square.

OTHER BUSINESS:

RMS website www.rms.nsw.gov.au for enquiries re HVS & CVS

The website for CHMC for those who wish to visit is - heritagemotoringcouncil.org.au