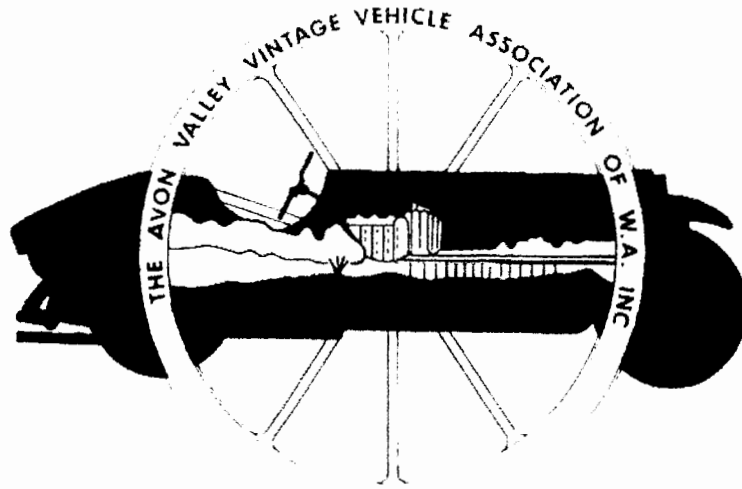


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## NEXT CLUB MEETING THURSDAY JULY 21 2005

8.00pm AT THE CLUBROOMS FITZGERALD STREET NORTHAM

The following Articles/Editorials are published as received and are not necessarily the views of the AVVVA. Deadline for articles: Last day of the month

### FROM THE PRESIDENT

Thank You to Ian Hitchcock and Allan Hicks for organising the shifting of the two stationary motors into position and to all those who helped on the day. The next project is to extend the roof to protect them from the weather and have them on display next to the big Crossley motor.

At last our paving bricks have arrived, thanks to the Town of Northam, so we hope to have a nice outdoor area for our Christmas party which it is intended to be held at the Clubrooms this year.

The Agricultural Shows in the Avon Valley will be starting next month with the Beverley Show in August, so we can look forward to some great displays and outings.

Come along to the AGM on July 21 and see how you can assist with the running of our Club. I would like to thank all the members who have supported the Club over the past year and look forward to your assistance in the future.

**JIM DONOVAN.....President**

### COMING EVENTS

**Sunday July 17** AVVVA Run to Toodyay. Lot 27 Railway Road Toodyay. Details at June Meeting or Phone Stan Eastwood on 95744462.

**Sun July 17** Festival of Motoring. Avon Terrace York. Run by Shannon's & York Motor Museum. Register your attendance, phone Shayne on 0409376000 or e-mail Shayne\_attwater@shannons.com.au

**Sunday July 31** German Car Day. Perth-Northam. Mercedes Benz Car Club.

**Friday August 5** Avon River Festival, Northam.

**Saturday August 6** Avon Descent, Northam.

#### Correction of Date

**Saturday August 20** Beverley Ag Show.

**Saturday September 10** Northam Agricultural Show. Details to follow.

**Sunday September 11.** 100 Years of Austin. Fremantle Esplanade opp Esplanade Hotel. Phone Bruce 92719529 or Sandie 93391096.

**Saturday/Sunday September 18/19** Northam Motorcycle Festival. Details to follow.

**Sunday September 18** Coolgardie Day. Details to follow.

**Sunday October 16** RAC 100 years Centenary. Details from the Fremantle Motor Museum. Phone 0407330390 or Website 100years.rac.com.au

**Thurs October 20** All stars Concert Northam Town Hall 1pm-4pm. Booked \$15 at Door \$25. RSVP early before Sept 20. Phone Karen 96223886. Over 60's.

**Sunday November 13** Chidlow Show. Phone Ruth 95723675.

**Sunday Nov 13** Maurice Brockwell Memorial Run. Departs South Perth.

#### 2006

**Sunday Feb 19** AVVVA 2006 Swap Meet. Northam Showgrounds.

### FROM THE SECRETARY

The Annual General Meeting is in July, so please try and attend if you can.

All Committee positions are vacant at the AGM so come and put your hand up for a committee position.

Plenty of activities over the next few months, so I hope you can attend some these events.

For the Stationary Engine group, please check the list of names in this Newsletter. If you need insurance and are not on the list please advise me and I will organise the insurance.

See you at the shows.

**.Happy Motoring FRED SINGLETON**

## **MACHINERY INSURANCE.**

**August 2005-July 2006**

Fred Plane	Jenni Plane
Betty Gault	Jim Gault
Tony Narducci	Les Pedlar
Ian Hitchcock	John Bourke
Vern Thomas	Chris Thomas
Nicholas Thomas	Chris (Pop) Kennedy
Ian Robinson	Robyn McKay
Trevor Whittington	Tony Breeze
Max Cust	Julia Atkins
Ron Morris	

Please check the list. If you want machinery Insurance please advise the AVVVA Committee ASAP.

Thank You.....Fred Singleton.

## **NOTICE FOR THOSE INTERESTED IN ADVENTURE !!!**

Vern Thomas is organising a dirt rally from Kalgoorlie to Alice Springs. Sunday August 7 to August 27. If interested please phone Vern on 0418959316.

## **BRIDGETOWN HERITAGE DAY MAY 21**

Report by Jeff Mills

The Bridgetown Heritage Day had a large number of exhibits, including Cars, Bikes, Hotrods, Tractors, Military Vehicles, Trucks etc.

Also on display: Horse works and chaff cutting, Miling the cows, Wheelwrights demo, Blacksmiths demo, Stone Wall Building, Wool spinning, Lace making, 1920's display kitchen, Patchwork, Old photos, General old household items, Wine tasting, Wine barrel making, Olive oil production, Leatherwork, Penny farthing bike making, Sweets shop, Automatic apple peeling, slicing and boring, Auto Badges display, Auto tyre vulcanising, Auto tin toys and Matchbox steam toys, Scale model working steam engines, Light horse display, Early Ambulance, Tractor pull, Drag saw race, Cross cut saws, Busselton Old Machinery Club, Collection of chainsaws, Demo of a 2 man chainsaw, Display of Vintage tyres, Videos on timber history, Making & erecting post & rail fences, Ploughman's lunch, Cooking your own damper on a stick, Old Camera display, Book

binding demo, Horse & sulky, Horse & Buggy and much much more.

Sorry but next to be held in 2007.

## **SUMMARY OF MAY MEETING**

**Apologies:** Dale Keayes, Ted Leagas, Mike Camilleri, Don McIntyre, Mick Oliver, E Lawrence, Kevin Christmass, Dave Lucas, Alan McCandlish.

**Minutes read:** Accepted by Clarrie Doust, seconded by Ian Hitchcock.

### **Business arising from those minutes:**

- 1 Letter from Job Futures was read out. The original plans for Job Futures only to use the club meeting rooms was offered to the AVVVA. AVVVA members agreed with this but to be in writing.
- 2 Mick Oliver not at meeting for his book but Alan Hicks offered to pass it on to him.
- 3 Phone/Fax/Answering machine on back order at Retravision.

**Correspondence:** In: 25. Out: Nil. Moved Theo Bekkers, seconded Stan Eastwood.

**Treasurer's Report:** No Financial report available.

Leanne Dunn mentioned a photocopier has become available that includes a 12 month warranty. This also includes a Laser printer, all for \$1400. The motion to purchase the item moved by Jim Donovan, seconded by Fred Singleton. Carried AIF.

The annual Dinner on July 9 needs numbers to Leanne Dunn by July 2. Start time 6pm, sit down by 6.30pm.

### **Committee Reports:**

#### **Events Committee:**

- 1 Jeff Mills reported on the Bridgetown Heritage Day (see full report in Newsletter).
- 2 Toodyay Run on Sunday July 17.
- 3 Northam Show Saturday September 10.
- 4 Beverley Ag Show Saturday August 20.
- 5 Perenjori Show ? Date not available.

**Shed Report:**

Phil Chapman mentioned repairs are needed on the shed hoist.

**Registrar's Report:** Nil.

**New Members:** Nil

**General Business:**

- 1 Colin Campbell voted thanks to Ian Hitchcock and Wayne Hicks for moving the machinery. A letter of thanks to be sent.
- 2 Invitation for Max Trenorden to dinner to be sent.
- 3 Phil Chapman asked that all Club business to come through the meetings each month.
- 4 Next meeting is the AGM July 21.

**Meeting Closed: 9.30pm.**

**Next Meeting Thursday July 21 2005.**

**WANTED**

By a collector and AVVVA Member.  
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**BUSY BEE DATES FOR 2005**

**JULY 16 - AUGUST 13**

**SEPTEMBER 10 - OCTOBER 15**

**NOVEMBER 12**

**DECEMBER TO BE ADVISED.**

**MEETING DATES FOR 2005**

**June 16**

**July 21 + AGM**

**August 18**

**September 15 - October 20**

**November 17 - December 15**

**Safe and Happy Motoring**

**SECRETARY....Fred Singleton**