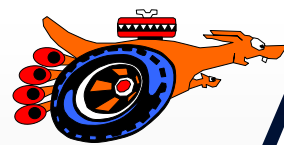


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The Falcon G.T. Club of Geelong holds monthly meetings on the second Tuesday of every month at 7:30pm at The Fyansford Hotel, 67 Hyland St, Fyansford VIC 3218. Guests Welcome.

Club Filing Cabinet

Our club filing cabinet is located at Shane & Belinda's place. It currently holds our Nationals Videos, old Newsletters as well as a few books for loan to members. Drop in and see Shane & Belinda if you would like to borrow any of these items. Don't forget to fill in the Logbook!

This Month's Cover Picture

This Month's Cover Picture is of our Club Display at the Euroa National Show 'n Shine on 1/10/2022.





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President's Ramblings

November - December 2022

Greetings fellow Falcon GT enthusiasts,

Yes, Christmas is upon us again, this year has certainly flown!!

Our Christmas function went off really well, earlier this month! Those who weren't able to come really missed out! Our new Club Spirit Award was a dead heat, so two were issued. One went to dual recipients David & Kat, the other to Malcolm Lloyd. Both very deserving members, recognised for their outstanding contributions to the club! The Bob Lock Memorial Trophy for Best Clubman was awarded to yours truly. Many thanks to all those members involved in the preparations of and organising every facet of this event!

All accommodation and dinners for the GT Nationals are now booked out. Entries are still open, though if you don't get in by the end of December, then you will miss out on the Event shirt and other goodies that have a significant lead-time. So get moving and enter!!

In other GT Nationals news, the Falcon GT Club of Australia announced last Wednesday that after serious consideration, they will not be bidding for a host or co-host role in the 2025 GT Nationals, scheduled for Victoria. This leaves the remaining 2 clubs - Falcon GT Club of Victoria and our own club, to re-evaluate our respective positions for this event. It is still planned for the respective club presidents & delegates to get together for a discussion on this topic early next year. Keeping in mind that a summary of any bids need to be presented at the NAFGTC delegates meeting on the Monday after the 2023 Nationals. As I've said before, we are not in a position financially or resource-wise to successfully run a GT Nationals, in its current format. Nor could we really do a 50-50 co-host. However, if the FGTCOV wish to make a bid, we would definitely be supporting them in any way we can! While the standard of the Nationals has improved drastically over the last couple of decades, it has grown into a very expensive and resource hungry monster! I feel that it is outgrowing itself to the point where no club will be able to afford to host it. Rather than trying to maintain or raise the standard of the previous event, it may well be time to pare back the event into something like what was held at Geelong in 1997..... Food for thought!!!



On behalf of the Committee and myself, I wish you and your loved ones all a Merry & Safe Christmas/New Year period!!

Until next year,

Tony Porter





Meeting Minutes 9/11/2022

Meeting held:	@ Fyansford Hotel	
Meeting Open:	7:38 pm	
Members Present:	22	
New Members:	Nil	
Guests:	Nil	
Apologies:	David Irvine, Darryl Mennen, Ross Barry, Mustafa Bala, Big John and Morris Dal Bosco.	
Minutes of Last meeting:	Accepted:	Mal Lloyd
	Seconded:	David Willmott
Treasurer's Report:	Accepted:	Ian McArthur
	Seconded:	Giorgio Dal Bosco

General Business:

- **Club Runs:** President discussed at length the recent club runs providing feedback for future attendance. Bright rod run was attended by five of our members who have highly recommended this event for future participation. The Lake Mulwala Rod Run Yarrawonga was held at the same time as the Bright event. Maryborough Carz and Coffee is now held monthly at KT's Cafe, facebook page available for further information at [Carz & Coffee Maryborough](#). The 21st Early Falcon Nationals was held in the Barossa Valley on the 21st to 23rd October this year and was attended by member of our club who again highly recommend this event. Giorgio Dal Bosco recently won a trophy for his Sierra at the Geelong Waterfront.
- **Christmas Function:** The club XMAS party is being held on Saturday the 4th of December at the Geelong Soccer Club Stead Park, Station Street Geelong from 12 to 2 pm. The President will send all members a personal email requesting attendance numbers to confirm catering. Lunch will be provided via a BBQ and a selection of deserts. The club will provide the first drink all further beverages may be purchased at the bar. All gold coin donation will be accepted on the day for the club charities.
- **Club Trophies:** In addition to the current Bob Lock trophy a further trophy will be awarded to a club member, details to be advised of the name of the award and subsequent criteria.
- **GT Nationals:** No further updates of the 2023 GT Nationals.
- **2025 GT Nationals:** Proposed meetings of the three Victorian GT Clubs have yet to have occurred.
- **Meredith Car Show:** The Meredith Car show planned for Sunday 20th November has been postponed due to weather affected areas for cars.
- **Colac Motorfest:** The Colac Motorfest has been postponed to the 13 to 15th January 2023. Further details of this event may be found at www.colacmotorfest.com.au
- **Motors at the Mansion:** This Sunday 13th November at Pirra Homestead 108 Windermere Road Lara, 8 am to 2 pm. Attending members will be meeting at the Bunnings Car Park North Geelong at 9:00 am.
- **Geelong Revival:** Members are urged to register online ASAP for this event occurring from the 25th to 27th November 2022. Further information available via www.geelongrevival.com.au
- **Camp Quality (ESCARPADE):** This is a club promoted event occurring from the 21st to 28th October 2023 FROM Lismore to Narrabri via Rockhampton. A Ford ED Falcon Station Wagon, Burgundy in colour, has been acquired for this event and is currently being refurbished for this event. Any club member who wish to participate or help out in any other way please make direct contact with the club president. Further details of this very worthy event may be found at fundraise.campquality.org.au.

Meeting Closed: 8.32 pm





Meeting Minutes 13/12/2022

Meeting held:	@ Fyansford Hotel
Meeting Open:	7:59 pm
Members Present:	14
New Members:	3
Guests:	Shane, Lance and Annette, Brett
Apologies:	John & Kerry McMahon, Sam, Martin Coote, Joe, Ian MacArthur, Jarrod Witcombe, Dave Wescombe, Giorgio & Morris Dal Bosco.
Treasurer's Report:	Accepted: Mal Lloyd Seconded: David Willmott

General Business

- **Geelong Revival:** Verbal debrief from attending members. Acknowledged Matt Branch on his winning his class in the revival with an exceptional time of 12.53 seconds and also Celine Lloyd on winning her class also (time unknown).
Christmas Party: A well attended end of year function with over 80 people at hand to enjoy a meal together. A big thank you to Graham McMahon (Belmont Tyre & Auto) for supplying the victuals and to the team from Camp Quality EsCARpades who cooked for us. Desserts were supplied by CAPRI Catering and salads by BM Catering – great spread overall, another big thankyou to those 2 member businesses as well!
- **Bunnings Meet:** Bunnings Community Xmas market was supported by the club with 10 cars in attendance, with a Bunnings \$500 voucher donated to the club. Photographs from this event will be posted in the next newsletter. Also a flow on from this the Camp Quality Escarpade teams, consisting of Graeme's and our club backed car, will be hosting the Bunnings Sausage Sizzle on Sunday the 8th of Jan 2023. Anyone not attending the Drysdale Show should come down for a snag. Additionally, we won't knock back any volunteers.
- **GT Nationals:** Advice is that all accommodation has been booked out for the 2023 GT Nationals. Entries however are still available. Camping is the only option left for accommodation to attend the event.
- **Drysdale Car Show:** The Drysdale AutoPro Classic Car and Bike show will be held on the 8th January 2023 at the Drysdale Recreation reserve. Also, their Saturday night cruise will be on the evening prior. Both great events! Further information available via their Facebook page.
- **Colac Motorfest:** Colac Motorfest Show and Shine is on the 13, 14 & 15th of January 2023 at the Colac Show grounds, 54 Chapel St Colac. A number of varying activities over the 3 days.
- **Colac RSL Car Show:** Colac RSL will be hosting a Show and Shine on 4th March 2023. This has always been well attended by the Falcon GT Club of Geelong previously.
- **Small Ford Day:** Small Ford Sunday 5th February 2023 to be held on the grounds of Deaf Children Australia, 597 St Kilda Road Melbourne.
- **All Ford Day 2023:** Our Clubs biggest event for the year is the Geelong Allford day on the 19th March 2023. Entries are open now and all members are encouraged to have their bookings in early. The event is held at Eastern Park Geelong. Further info is available at allfordday.org.au.



Meeting Minutes 13/12/2022 (cont.)

- **2025 GT Nationals:** Club president briefed meeting on the progress of hosting the 2025 GT Nationals. Wide discussion was held on the viability of the Falcon GT Club of Geelong hosting or co-hosting the event. However the consensus was that our club did not have the resources to host such a large and complex event by ourselves. Club president is in constant discussion with the other two car clubs in Victoria and hopefully a way forward will be found.
- **LORNE Car Show:** Harry Hatsi raised a proposal for a car show in the new year to be held at Lorne, which was discussed. This is an early discussion into the feasibility of having a car show in Lorne.
- **Jan 2023 meeting:** The January 2023 club meeting will be held on 10th January 2023 at the Fyansford Hotel.
- **Raffle:** No Raffle was held

Meeting Closed: 8:50 pm





2022 / 2023 Club Events Calendar

Month	Date	Event	Venue/Comments	Notes
November 2022	Tue 8 th	Club Meeting	Fyansford Hotel	Fyansford Hotel, 67 Hyland St, Fyansford VIC 3218 7:30 pm
	4 th - 6 th	Bright Rod Run	Bright	Details TBA
	Sun 13 th	Motors at the Mansion	Pirra Mansion Lara	Details TBA
	25 th – 27 th	Geelong Revival Motoring Festival	Geelong Waterfront	Details TBA
	26 th	Colac Motorfest	Colac Show Grounds	Details TBA
December 2022	Sun 4 th	Club Breakup	Geelong Soccer Club	Details TBA
	Tue 13 th	Club Meeting	Fyansford Hotel	Fyansford Hotel, 67 Hyland St, Fyansford VIC 3218 7:30 pm
January 2023	Sun 8 th	Drysdale Auto Classic Car & Bike Show	Drysdale Recreation Reserve	Details TBA
	Tue 10 th	Club Meeting	Fyansford Hotel	Fyansford Hotel, 67 Hyland St, Fyansford VIC 3218 7:30 pm
	Sun 15 th	Drysdale Classic Car & Bike Show	Drysdale	Details TBA
February 2023	Tue 14 th	Club Meeting	Fyansford Hotel	Fyansford Hotel, 67 Hyland St, Fyansford VIC 3218 7:30 pm
	Sun 19 th	Daylesford Motorfest	Daylesford	Details TBA
March 2023	Sat 4 th	Colac Show 'n Shine	Colac Memorial Square	Details TBA
	Tue 14 th	Club Meeting	Fyansford Hotel	Fyansford Hotel, 67 Hyland St, Fyansford VIC 3218 7:30 pm
	19 th	All Ford Day	Eastern Park Geelong	Details TBA
April 2023	Tue 11 th	Club Meeting	Fyansford Hotel	Fyansford Hotel, 67 Hyland St, Fyansford VIC 3218 7:30 pm
May 2023	Tue 9 th	Club Meeting	Fyansford Hotel	Fyansford Hotel, 67 Hyland St, Fyansford VIC 3218 7:30 pm
	18 th – 21 st	19 th Falcon GT Nationals	Bathurst	Details TBA
June 2023	Tue 13 th	Club Meeting	Fyansford Hotel	Fyansford Hotel, 67 Hyland St, Fyansford VIC 3218 7:30 pm

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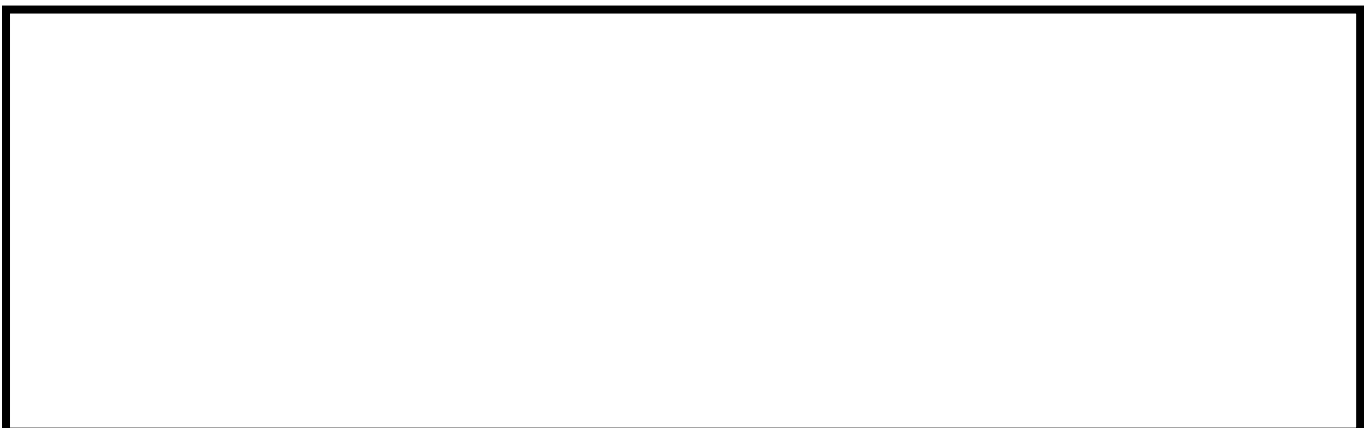


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Item	Price to Members	Price to Non Members
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Nitro Jacket	\$105.00	N/A
Soft Shell Vest	\$80.00	N/A
Pull Over Hoodie	\$60.00	N/A
Zip Up Hoodie	\$60.00	N/A
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Club Garage Shirt	\$75.00	N/A
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Stubby Coolers	\$5.00	\$5.00
Flag	\$60.00	N/A
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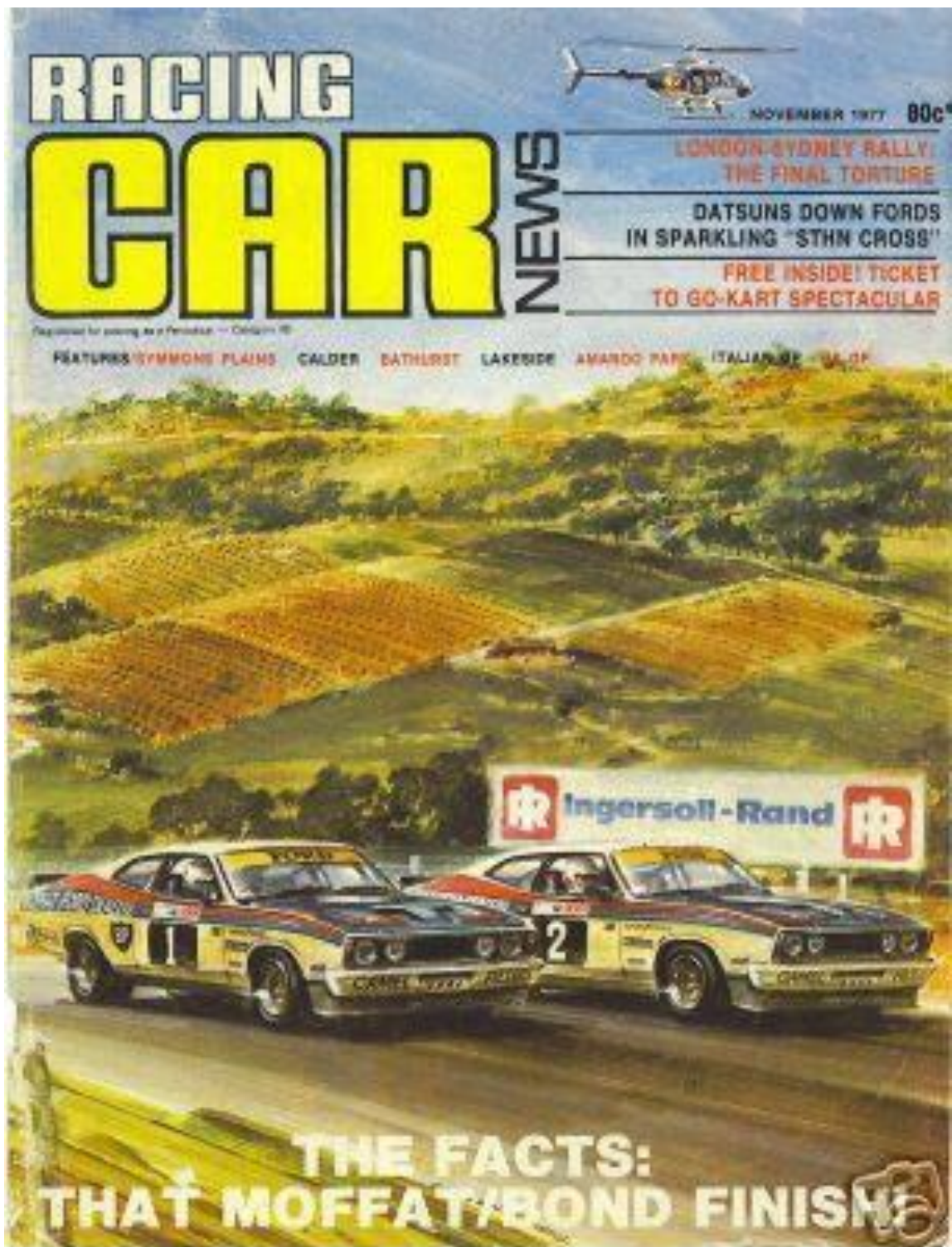
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Club Christmas Party 4/12/2022



**Club Spirit Award Winners:
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**Best Presented Car Award Winner:
David**



**Clubman Award Winner:
Tony**



Club Christmas Party 4/12/2022 (cont.)



Club Cars on Display

