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## Meetings

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 Harry's XY Falcon GT.

This picture was taken at our recent Camp Quality Blue Oval Show n Shine in Belmont.





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## President's Ramblings

April 2024

Last month, we had 25 cars attend All Ford Day, which was a good display by our club, with two of our members' cars winning their respective classes. Congratulations to Giogio with his Sierra and also Brendan with his Fairlane. Thank you to everyone who helped with the setup and also judging on the day as this can make for a long day.

On Sunday 7th April we had our first Blue Oval Show and Shine with Camp Quality. The day started a bit damp under foot but by 9am the sun was out and turned into a great day with around 140+ cars on display. Thanks to the Falcon GT Club of Victoria, Early Falcon Club of Geelong, The RS Club, the Falcon GT Club of Australia, and the Cortina Club for attending. Everyone from our club should be congratulated as we had 55 cars in attendance, which was fantastic, and we received some really good feedback from everyone that attended. Many said they had such a good day; they will be back next year. Special thanks to the cricket club for their support and allowing us to use their venue and grounds.

I would like to thank everyone for helping with judging, parking, setting up and making it such a great event. As our first show and shine was such a great success, this is likely to become an Annual Event.

All money raised will be going to Camp Quality and the exact amount will be announced at our next club meeting.

*Malcolm Lloyd*

A vintage-style advertisement for Alan Coffey Motors. At the top, the text "COFFEY for FORD" is written in a bold, stylized font. Below this is a black and white photograph of a Ford Falcon GT sedan. Underneath the car, the words "FALCON GT" are written in a large, bold, italicized font, with a checkered racing flag pattern to the right. Below that, the text "Australia's fastest production car" is written in a smaller font. At the bottom left, it says "INSPECT TODAY!" and "ALAN COFFEY MOTORS". At the bottom right, there are three columns of contact information for different locations: RINGWOOD (87 7821), FRANKSTON (783 7999), and DANDENONG (792 0314). The address "CITY: 16 YARRA BANK RD., SOUTH MELBOURNE. 61 3641 (Just over Queens Bridge) CNR. RUSSELL &amp; LIT. COLLINS STREETS. 63 8031" is also included.





## Minutes of Club Meeting 12th March 2024

<b>Meeting Opened:</b>	19:43
<b>Members Present:</b>	32
<b>Guests:</b>	1
<b>New Members:</b>	Nil
<b>Apologies:</b>	Bruce Dolezal, Warren Smith, Paul Clark, Tony Porter and David Willmott.
<b>Venue:</b>	Fyansford Hotel
<b>Treasurers Report:</b>	<b>Accepted:</b> Ma McInerney <b>Seconded:</b> David Irvine
<b>Previous meeting minutes:</b>	To be acknowledged in April meeting following an email via Club President to all members.

### General Business

- **Interstate club newsletters:** Advice from Club President that he will continue to send out all interstate ford club newsletters to all members.
- **Memberships:** Joe has successfully updated our memberships database with 116 fully financial members. A well done for Joe in his efforts in his role as the memberships Officer.
- **Birregurra Car Show:** The Birregurra Car show was held on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> February 2024 and our club proudly displayed 18 cars on the main road in Birregurra and was able to be placed equal first in the best club display. Well done to all those participated.
- **Weekend Club Run:** The Club President asked for ideas from members on the possibility of an overnight club run to an appropriate venue which would be attractive for members and their partners to attend. This will be followed up in the coming months.
- **Colac Show N Shine:** The Colac Show and Shine was held on Saturday 2nd March 2024 in the Memorial Square Colac. This event was hosted the local RSL and attracted a wide variety of cars. Our club won an award for the best club display. We had a very good turnout of 19 cars on the day.
- **2025 GT Nationals:** David Irvine who is our club representative for the Shepparton 2025 GT Nationals gave a comprehensive update on the progress of this event. Final costings are yet to be finalised however he advised that costs have risen since the last Nationals. 13 to 16th March 2025 are the dates for this event.
- **Club Web Page:** Our new club web page is nearing completion and is set to launch in the coming weeks. David Witcombe has been very busy with a web page developer and is confident that this will be a bonus for our club to have. James has volunteered to test the new web page prior to launch to ensure that there are no bugs in the system.
- **Christmas Party:** Sunday the 1st December 2024 has been booked for our club XMAS party. The venue will be the Bellarine Estate Winery 2270 Portarlington Road Bellarine. Timing of the day to be advised. A full sit down menu will be provided and we will have the entire winery to ourselves. There is generous grass parking available for members to bring their glorious fords for display on the day. Cost is yet to be finalised and will be announced closer to the day with the full menu.
- **All Ford Day:** Due to our smaller numbers we have been allocated a site on oval three this year. For those members attending we will have a pre meet at the Centrelink car park at the rear of Office Works Geelong CBD Little Malop Street. 7 am meet time with a 7:15 am departure.
- **Camp Quality Blue Oval Show and Shine 2024:** Sunday 7th April 2024 will be the inaugural Camp Quality Blue Oval Show and Shine at the South Barwon Reserve, Barwon Heads Road Geelong. \$10 entry per car and a gold coin donation for the viewing public. Flyers have been made by Jarrod Witcombe and will be distributed around local business. All members are encouraged to attend as the funds raised will help negate the need for the club to raise funds via a raffle.



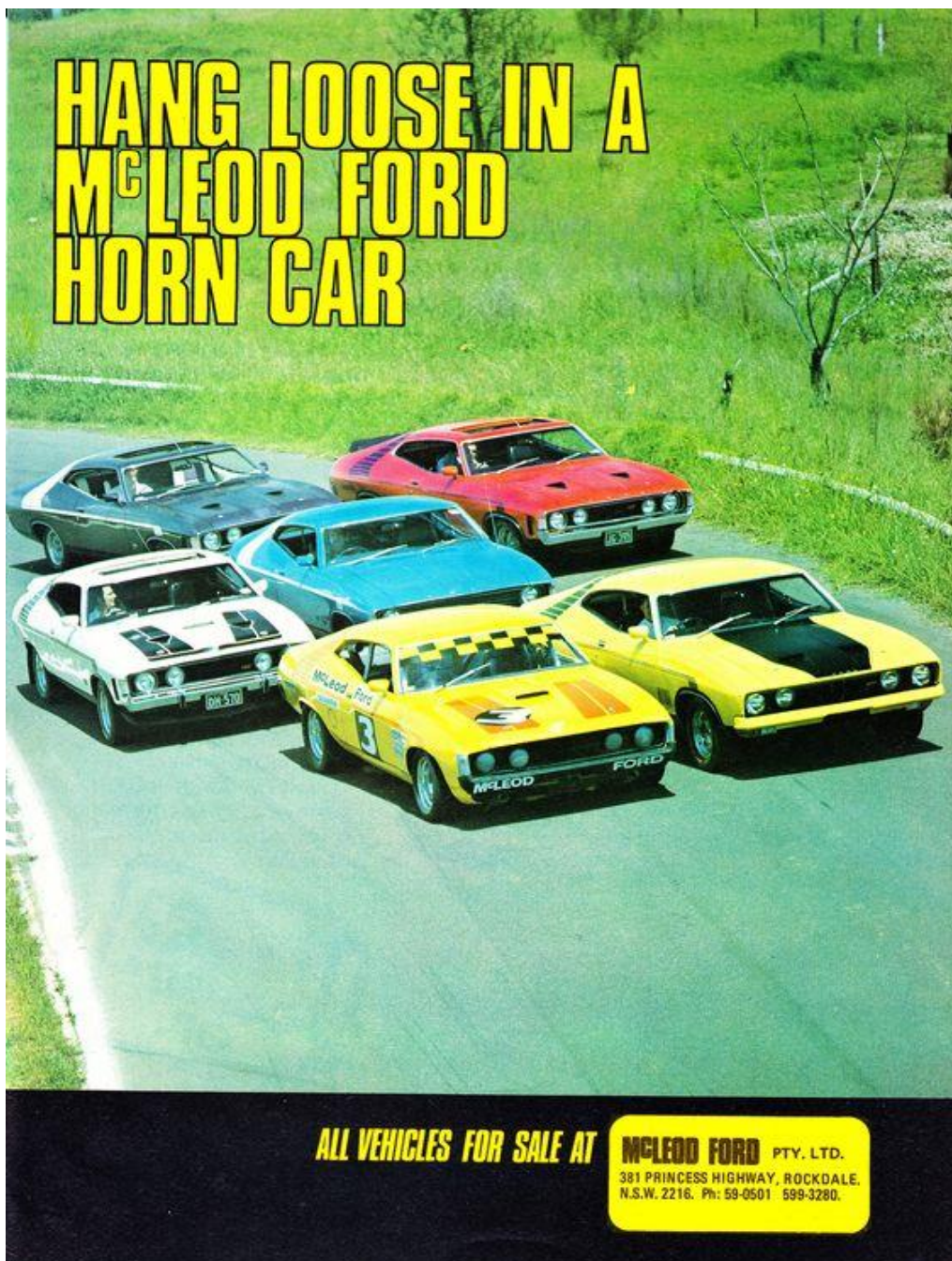


## Minutes of Club Meeting 12th March 2024 (cont.)

- **Club Merchandise:** The Club President has been busy in incorporating our club merchandise on the new upcoming club web page. This will allow people to be able to view our merchandise and purchase online. An email will be sent to members with the link in the web page for club merchandise purchases.
- **Jan/Feb Meeting Venues:** Due to the lack of availability during the summer months at the Fyansford Hotel to be able to host our meetings the committee has agreed to seek alternative outdoor or other suitable venues. The McDonalds graciously hosted a meeting on their property, and this turned out to be a great day for all those involved. The committee will continue to seek alternative venues for the January, February meetings.

Meeting Closed:

20:35



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Month	Date	Event	Venue/Comments	Notes
<b>March 2024</b>	Sat 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Colac Show n' Shine	Memorial Square, Colac	<b>Details TBA</b>
	Tue 12 <sup>th</sup>	Club Meeting	Fyansford Hotel	Fyansford Hotel, 67 Hyland St, Fyansford VIC 3218 7:30 pm
	Sun 17 <sup>th</sup>	All Ford Day	Geelong Botanical Gardens	<b>Details TBA</b>
<b>April 2024</b>	Sun 7 <sup>th</sup>	Blue Oval Show n Shine 2024	South Barwon Reserve	Meet at the Show 9:00 am (Barwon Heads Roda, Belmont, Geelong)
	Tue 9 <sup>th</sup>	Club Meeting	Fyansford Hotel	Fyansford Hotel, 67 Hyland St, Fyansford VIC 3218 7:30 pm
<b>May 2024</b>	4 <sup>th</sup> – 5 <sup>th</sup>	MotorEx No22	Melbourne Show Grounds	<b>Details TBA</b>
	Tue 14 <sup>th</sup>	Club Meeting	Fyansford Hotel	Fyansford Hotel, 67 Hyland St, Fyansford VIC 3218 7:30 pm
	Sat 18 <sup>th</sup>	Tampered Motorsport Family Fun Day	Sandown Raceway	<b>Details TBA</b>
	Sun 19 <sup>th</sup>	Cavalcade of Transport Geelong	Pickers Union Café, 3 Mackey St North Geelong	<b>Details TBA</b>
<b>Jun 2024</b>	Tue 11 <sup>th</sup>	Club Meeting	Fyansford Hotel	Fyansford Hotel, 67 Hyland St, Fyansford VIC 3218 7:30 pm
<b>Jul 2024</b>	Tue 9 <sup>th</sup>	Club Meeting	Fyansford Hotel	Fyansford Hotel, 67 Hyland St, Fyansford VIC 3218 7:30 pm
<b>Aug 2024</b>	Tue 13 <sup>th</sup>	Club Meeting	Fyansford Hotel	Fyansford Hotel, 67 Hyland St, Fyansford VIC 3218 7:30 pm
<b>Sep 2024</b>	Tue 10 <sup>th</sup>	Club Meeting	Fyansford Hotel	Fyansford Hotel, 67 Hyland St, Fyansford VIC 3218 7:30 pm
<b>Oct 2024</b>	Tue 8 <sup>th</sup>	Club Meeting	Fyansford Hotel	Fyansford Hotel, 67 Hyland St, Fyansford VIC 3218 7:30 pm

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Nitro Jacket	\$105.00	N/A
Soft Shell Vest	\$80.00	N/A
Pull Over Hoodie	\$60.00	N/A
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Car Stickers – Club Logo	\$2.00	\$3.00
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T-Shirt (White / Blue / Black)	\$25.00	N/A

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## Blue Oval Show n' Shine 7/4/2024



Left: Joe's 59 Fairlane 500



Right: XB Falcon GT Hardtop



Left: Yellow Fire XA Falcon GT Sedan





# Blue Oval Show n' Shine 7/4/2024



**Left:** Falcon GT Club of Vic  
20<sup>th</sup> Falcon GT  
Nationals Display



**Right:** Terry's XY Falcon Wagon



**Left:** 1965 Mustang



## Blue Oval Show n' Shine 7/4/2024

**Right:** Jarrod's Vanish FG FPV GT



**Left:** Brendan's ZL Fairlane



**Right:** 1968 Mustang GT Fastback

