



Studebaker
CAR CLUB OF QUEENSLAND INC.

General Meeting 19th. November 2019

President Brett opened the meeting at 7.35 p.m.

ATTENDANCE: Brett Hampson, Tracey Hampson, Sheree Copelin, Phil Copelin, Paul Chapman, Peter Ellis, Phyllis Ireland, Harrold Ireland, Michael Black, Janelle Black, George Udovicich, Greg Devantier, Linda Packer, Rob Fletcher, Jim McKinnon, John Cosgrove, Gus Trouchet, Carolyn Trouchet, Jim Dack.

Welcome to Gus and Carolyn for attending their first meeting.

APOLOGIES: Nil.

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING:

The Minutes of the previous October meeting were emailed to all members on 25 October.

Moved: Harrold Ireland

Second: Paul Chapman

BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES:

No business arising from minutes.

CORRESPONDENCE:

IN: Studebaker News
Bank Statement
Insurance

OUT: Nil

TREASURERS REPORT:

Incoming \$138

Outgoing \$845.92 being Studebaker News and Annual Insurances

The SCCQ bank accounts are currently held on the books as Nationals and Club Funds but within a single account. The funds will be merged as Club Funds now that expenditure from the Nationals has been finalised.

Moved: Sheree Copelin

Second: Michael Black

Treasurers report was adopted.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT:

Phil advised that the club membership is 84 members, and four life memberships.

SALES REPORT:

Tracey reported the following sales:
One T Shirt.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT:

George reported that library business was slow.
We would encourage members to understand what resources there are available in the club library.

SOCIAL REPORT:

i. Rivermill

The Historic Rivermill has a cafe, petting zoo, small museum and is located in the picturesque Mount Nathan Shire, 10 minutes inland from Nerang.

Arrowroot was first grown and milled on this site in 1910.

The first mill was built to operate with steam power but was renovated and enlarged when converted to electricity in 1932, after which it operated for a further 12 years before closing in 1943 as the industry started to decline.

The Rivermill was the first and largest of three mills which operated on the Coomera River. It was part of a thriving industry in the area which boasted more than 27 mills, none of which are now in operation.

Seven cars made the journey to the Rivermill, and the nearby Mount Nathan Winery. A coffee shop located in a back alley of Canungra proved to be a welcome surprise.

ii. SCCA Geelong 25 to 27 October

Friday 25th:

* BBQ social night

Saturday 26th:

* Show day at Eastern beach.

72 cars were present between 9 am and 4pm on a blustery and squally day at Eastern Beach. Entry was free, with the Lions Club and Coffee Van on hand to sell breakfast and lunch.

* Mid morning bus trip followed by lunch

* Trophy presentation dinner

Sunday 27th:

* BBQ breakfast

* Mid morning visit to Ford car museum

* Pub lunch at Bannockburn Railway Hotel. Phil reported that the lunch at the Railway Hotel was huge and was sufficient for a doggy bag meal the next day.

Phil and Sheree also caught up with some of the older members on the Sunday evening at the caravan park where most people were staying to reminisce about the good old days and the future. Both Phil and Sheree reported that the Geelong event was very enjoyable.

As an aside, it is noted that the mid 1850s to early 1920s architecture that is present along the Western Beach road and the Esplanade north of the Eastern Beach venue is stunning, and a reminder of the wealth brought to the district by gold and wool.

iii. Bunkers and Bombshells 3 November

Brett described this as a very interesting Sunday morning run through the suburbs of Brisbane and

noted that ‘you wouldn’t know about the war time history of some of the structures. It is interesting that Brisbane is still dotted by the structures that were built to protect our residents during this period of conflict.

iv. Newcastle Meet 10 November

The Newcastle meet was attended by Phil and Sheree, Gus, and Denis. Gus and Denis were travelling approximately an hour ahead of Brett and Tracey and were one of the last cars allowed through the detour around the bushfires.

Tracey and Brett determined that it was safer not to proceed south through the fire grounds.

Phil reported that the meet was well organised, and a very friendly and enjoyable event.

v. Espresso Twenty5 16 November

13 cars were in attendance at the venue and were given pride of place in the cul-de-sac area for display. Members who attended had a great time socialising and the opportunity to view the Tony Longhurst collection,

PUBLICITY REPORT:

George advised that publicity was up to date.

GENERAL BUSINESS:

i. Christmas Lunch Club Southside 1 December

Tracey requires confirmation of attendees by 27 November.

Three lucky door prizes will be on offer.

The SCCQ is subsidising lunch for the first time ever as an appreciation gesture for a great 2019 National rally

ii. Club show & Shine for 2020 September 5-6

This will be a bigger event for 2020, planning to make it an overnight activity similar to rally style event, Stay tuned for location. It will be somewhere that will include on-site accommodation.

iii. Upcoming Runs / Proposed Activities

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| Nov. 30. | Car & Coffee – Espresso Twenty5
Historic Speedway Association Boonah Showground. Cancelled due to the Showgrounds being used as a fire relief centre for the Scenic Rim area. |
| Dec. 1. | SCCQ Christmas Party at Club Southside. |
| Dec. 7. | Hot Rods for the Homeless Redcliffe. The attendance of Triple Eight and Penske DJR is mooted. |

iv. Club Trailer

The trailer that was purchased to keep all the club show & merchandise has yet to be branded with club logos.

PRELIMINARY 2020 CALENDAR:

January	26	Australia Day Rally Ormiston State School – Collect at Alexander Hills Hotel
February	1-2	Toowoomba Swap

March	22	Café Run Be-bop-alicious Café Petrie
April	5	Queens Park Ipswich. Breakfast and Railway Museum
April	10-13	NZ National Rally - Nelson
May	16-17	David Hack Memorial Toowoomba
June	6-7	Cooly Rocks
June	10-14	Beachfest Caloundra
June	21	Ricks Garage Palmwoods Breakfast
July	3-5	Gladstone (River City Rod Run)
July	12	RACQ Motorfest
July	18-19	Jumpers & Jazz – we will need to get organised early for accommodation
August	28	Espresso Twenty5 – Breakfast Sun
September	5-6	Club Show & Shine – this will be overnight activity for those that may be coming from some distance accommodation will be available on site.
September	12	Drive Your Studebaker Day
September	13	NSW Club Show & Shine
September	27	QLD Air Museum – Sunshine Coast Breakfast run
October	11	Gatton Transport museum
October	TBA	SCCA Show & Shine
November	TBA	Newcastle Display Day
November	27	SCCQ Christmas Party
December	5	Rods for the Homeless

RAFFLE:

Jim Dack won the two bottles of Studebaker wine.

There being no further business President Brett closed the meeting with thanks to all present at 8.22pm.

NEXT MEETING:

Date: January 2020
Time: 7.30 pm.
Location: With thanks to
The Veteran Car Club of Australia (Queensland) Inc.
1376 Old Cleveland Road,
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<http://www.vccaq.org/>