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MEETINGS

2nd Tuesday of each month
Drag-Ens hot rod club
17 Childs Rd Chipping Norton 7.00pm
Members, family & visitors
welcome

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PRESIDENTS REPORT

Hello Members,

First of all I would like to thank all the members and their families who helped at the 2016 Camden Car Show.

We are finally getting it down to a fine art. What a fantastic weekend to have the car show. We could not have asked for better weather and a better turnout of cars and spectators . We had over 300 entries and considering that there was another 4 car shows on at the same time, this was a great result.

Also, I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our sponsors. We really appreciate their generous donations towards our Club and our nominated charity, the Recreation Sports and Aquatic Club for People with Disabilities, and Mak a Wish.

Next years show will take place on the 15th of October and it is the 60th Anniversary of the 57 Chev. We look forward to organising this show.

Also, in May 2017 we are going to the Hot Rod and Car Expo at Rosehill. Andy from Andy's Restorations suggests that we do a car club display to promote the 57 Chev so any ideas would be appreciated because they are offering a prize of \$1,000 for the best car club display.

Another event is MotorX which we are booked in for July 2017.

Our next club meeting is on Tuesday, 8 November so please message me if you are able to come so I can organise the food.

Regards
John



MINUTES

Minutes of GENERAL Meeting for No.490 of the 55'56'57' Chevrolet Club Of Australia INC.

Held on Tuesday 11/10/ 2016 at Drag Ends Clubhouse Milperra.

Meeting opened at: 8.15pm

Apologies: Terry Burrows, Charlie Pace

Attendance: 28 general members

Visitors: Kay Wright, Flora Moskos, Ms Georgia Marks.

New Member: Ela Crisafulli '56

Meeting Chaired by: John Fenato President

Present - Committee members John Fenato, Gary Wright, Ben Marks, Bevan Joseph and Frank Mamone.

Minutes Read /Business Arising from previous Minutes for October - None.

Accepted: Ken Taylor. Seconded: Steve Barks

Treasurers Report:

Details of monthly financial statement on a separate page. For September accounts. Statements made available for scrutiny.

Monies IN \$50.00

Monies Out \$278.00

Profit for year \$483.00

Accepted by [Richard Mifsud](#) Seconded by [Richard Mifsud](#)

GENERAL

Membership renewals, Cards

Club membership number "1956" was offered for purchase for \$50.00, due to Shane Plumridge not renewing with the club. taken up by Rick May, no other members contested.

Club Jackets

The committee has arranged for new winter black jackets to be made.

There are samples here for the night. The cost is \$160.00 per jacket.

The club logo will be embossed on the back. We will also offer to have your name on the front

Kay Wright and Flora Moskos will be assisting in the orders and fitting etc.

Mail

Mail or correspondence picked up for this meeting:

QLD Chevrolet (October)

WA Chevrolet (October)

Camaro/ Firebird (July/August)

NSW Chev Car Club (September)

Click print Invoice.

Bank Statement

National Street Machine Association

CLUB SANCTIONED EVENTS

Camden Car Show

John summarized what needs to be done.

He has ordered a fine day from the Chevy God, this is the 10th year that we have held the event as Camden car Show, It was held previously under other names, in all the club had held the event for over 30 years

Members to arrive for the 6.00am start will be offered food and coffee and Free entry to the day.

Members arriving after 7.00 am will HAVE TO PAY and No freebies offered

Meat has been ordered through member Scott Newbury -IGA

Traffic control for the day was discussed -Gary Wright to attend to this. Yellow vests to be worn.

John's assistance nominations

There are the following issues that have been sorted –

Hire of Equipment-Tent s and BBQ from Camden Hire. They are being asked to assemble the marquees as the same as last year. Eric Jones has volunteered the usage of the generator and cool room. Electrical cords must be tagged.

Items must be delivered to Johns place on the Friday so it can be filled up with drinks and the bread /meat.

Brian & Joe D'Alfonso will organize the parking.

The trailer will need to be towed to the oval on Sunday AM



MINUTES

Club members are asked early for volunteers on the day to help unload and reload at the end of the day. More Camden Car Show raffle tickets to be sold and please see John Fenato for replacement books. Sponsor entry passes will be issued and these people only get free entry. They will be asked to hand out the trophies on the day.

24 sponsors supporting the day's events, will be announced throughout the day by Vintage FM
Yellow safety vest to be worn whilst the site up is being arranged.

Larry Turner will be the official photographer.

Exterior fencing will be installed

Food to be cooked by Stewart & Joey

11am cut off time for peoples' choice. No forms given out after that time.

Steve Barks to arrange for next year's flyer and have it ready for May to hand out at car shows

Events and Club invitations.

2016-

21st - 24th October: Chev festival Mt Gambier, SA

21st -23rd October Chromefest Central Coast

23rd October All Chrome bumpers Marsden Park

29th Autobahn – Gregory Hills Grand Opening \$25.00 per car Discounts on goods for the nights show.

30th October is Muscle Car Masters at Sydney Motorsport Park.

30th October Rod & Stock show -Ludenhams Herbutus Club

6th November Trinity Catholic Grammar School car show -Kemps Creek

13th Golbourne swap meet

13th Idle wild rod show

19th November Drive In Night

2017 – '57 60 years' anniversary

Summernats Canberra 30 years' anniversary (Charlie Hutton and Dave Kindig to attend).

14th-15 May Hotrod & Custom Car Show - Venue -Rose Hill gardens

Is now taking bookings for next year's show \$100.00 per entrant + \$20.00 if you want your car judged on the day. Cars in on Friday and to be at the show till close Sunday, Exit after 4.30pm. The display is focusing on '57 models as a display. Members wishing to go as follows:

Joe D'Alfonso, Peter Bryen, John Neske, Eric Jones, Michael Frankie, John Fenato so far more members required
Entry forms available next meeting.

18th July 2017 Motorex - Venue – Homebush Olympic Dome

Alan Webb has given John the thumbs up that our club will be most welcome to come. As well as John McCoy-Lancaster has recommended that we go as well. John has secured 8-10 spots and has asked for entrants for the show. We will be going as a Club entrant to be displayed as one group.55,56,57 models required with a focus on the '57. The club will supply ropes and fences as no people other than club members will have access to the cars. The Cool Customs Club will also share the same space as a joint display. A show of hands was asked for and these guys have accepted the invitation:- Eric Jones, Steve Barks, Ben Marks, John Neske, Aldo Muss, Joe Zammit, Gary Wright, Rick May, Garry Foreman (nominated by GW), Gizmo
Nominated by JZ (Charlie Pace possible display On his own)

3 "G" May Run

1st Sunday in May. as it was originally held is on for next year for this year only as one of the events celebrating the '57 years, **Gary Wright, Garry Tant and Garry Foreman** have volunteered to arrange the event. Cost \$15.00 for the day, Morning Tea & lunch provided. Open to all makes and models. More details to follow

Meeting BBQ

Members should confirm attendance so catering can be arranged. We had enough for the night and no left overs taken home. Thanks



MINUTES

ANSTMA Associations

Confirming that we have joined this association and we have received their acceptance letter . We have paid for the years' membership.

Gary answered questions about the CVS scheme.

This gives the club a nominated club to allow the affiliation and this gives allowance to join the CVS Scheme when it will be announced later this month. All paperwork has been started with the RMS and is yet to be announced.

Vehicles that can apply for this scheme must comply as follows:

1. The vehicle that is modified must be fully engineered, can be registered on modified plates, with a fee of approx. \$80-\$100 p.a.
2. 60- day logbook trial to total the number of runs including club events to 72 trips per year.
3. The logbook must be signed by the permit holder and have an originating start point noted.
4. A new Blue Slip must be produced as part of the paperwork. The following year will only require a Pink Slip.
5. Current application form must be signed by the club registrar.
6. The signed form must be sent to (ACMC) for its stamp of approval; the fee will be approx. \$25.00. The turnaround time for this service is 5 working days to two weeks, depending on the method of receipt. The suggestion to email the form and direct deposit the fee, could mean that the form may be returned within 5 days to our club to also stamp the form.
7. This allows for either a **“D” Plate** to run for a 2- year trial.
8. Your existing number plates can be put on hold at the RMS during this period.
9. Take to the RMS for processing.
10. Once the club has validated the RMS form, this applies to financial members only.
11. Inspection of the cars will fall due at the end of the registration period.
12. Ongoing owners are to have a Blue Slip.
 13. Nil Stamp Duty applies on transfer to new owner of vehicle.
 14. No under 25- years age penalty for insurance companies (Shannon's only at this stage) to apply.
 15. Existing registration to run its course or the RMS will refund a pro-rata amount if registered prior to renewal date.
 16. Club Member behavior: Club is to encourage good behavior at events held by the club.
 17. Owners must have a copy of the club magazine in their car whilst using the car and the logbook has to be signed noting the origin of the run, i.e. start point of home address.

The ACMC are pushing for existing plates to be retained. Apart from the CVS Scheme and HRS Scheme, clubs will be encouraged to join a major motoring organization to facilitate participation in the Scheme. This will tighten up rules to stop people registering vehicles incorrectly. This has a direct result on the club's ability to be registered as a participant in the Schemes.

Magazine and Insertions

It is noted that we have changed to a new printing company from Riverstone arranged by Ben, the costs have been reduced by half from Clickprint.

Raffle

Raffle was drawn by our youngest family member, Georgia Marks, and she chose her dad Ben Marks and Kay Wright drew out Greg Richardson again for the second month in a row.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 9.35 pm

Bevan Joseph

The Classic Chronicles



EDITOR'S NOTES

G'Day Everyone,

Welcome to the November edition of the '55 '56' '57' Chev Club Magazine.

How good was Camden Car Show eh! We had great weather, over 300 quality cars, awesome bands, loads of lookers, cool merchandise stalls, and hot food. It 's a lot to organise, but it was made easier with all the help we had from members and volunteers - thank you to you all. I hope you all enjoy the following pages with the pictures and results of the day. Thanks to Bevan for the article, and Larry Turner and Steve Barks for the pictures.

With loads of events on the horizon, keep an eye on the Events Page, and be sure to send us the photos!

Sadly the CVS has not had the final box ticked as yet, but that will hopefully change by the time we see you at the next club meeting, Tuesday 8/11/16 at 7.30pm. Please let John know if you are coming so we have enough food for all.

Happy cruising,

Ben Marks



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Notice of a special resolution at a General Meeting Incorporated:
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A Special Resolution at a General Meeting of 55-56-57 Chevrolet Club will be held on 13 December 2016, at 17 Childs Rd Chipping Norton NSW at 8pm

Agenda

1. Welcome to Members and Guest
2. Apologies
3. Discussion on Special Resolution Agenda item 1

To consider and approve the following special resolution

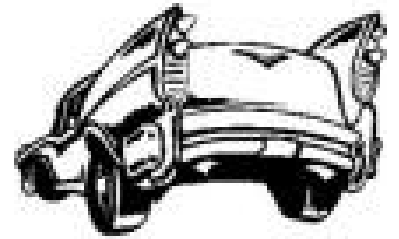
That the members of The 55-56-57 Chevrolet Club Inc to approve the changes to the clubs Constitution and take affect once the documentation is submitted to the Department of Fair Trading.

Note: These changes are in line with Department of Fair Trading. As the new changes to associations Incorporation constitutions came into effect on the 1 September 2016, these changes were made using the Department of Fair Trading Model Constitution Rules and our club By Laws to cover Historic/Classic conditional registration.

To be passed the special resolution requires 75% of members attending the special resolution at the general meeting as set out in Agenda 1 of the meeting to be approved.



Upcoming Events



- 5/11 Classic Yass Motor Show
Banjo Patterson Park, Yass.
- 6/11 Trinity Car Show
Trinity Catholic Primary School, 10am
61-83 Bakers Lane, Kemps Creek.
- 6/11 13th Annual Charity Car Show
The Carousel Inn, Cnr Woodstock Av & Duke St, Rooty Hill
- 7/11 Beaches Rod 'N' Custom Picnic 2016
James Meehan Reserve, Dee Why (enter from Richmond Av)
- 12/11 Cruise and Dine Night
Hungry Jacks, Cnr Box Rd & Port Hacking Rd, Sylvania..
- 13/11 23rd Annual Idlewild Memorial Run 2016
Horsley Park Reserve, Horsley Drive, Horsley Park.
- 19/11 Old Skool At School Car Show
Arcadia Public School, 140 Arcadia Rd, Arcadia.
- 19/11 Blacktown Drive Inn & Old Time Street Rod Club
Blacktown Drive Inn, Cricketers Arms Rd, Blacktown. **5.30pm**
- 20/11 American Car Nationals
Queanbeyan Showground, Queanbeyan. 10am-3pm.
- 20/11 Pedal Car Swap Meet
Shire Hall, Northern Rd, Luddenham. 9am-1pm.



Camden Car Show 2016

The Chevy God delivered what John had asked for. Gary Wright had always said that it never rains in Camden and he was **Wright** again.

What a perfect day. As John and the committee had asked, we as a group of enthusiastic members arrived to set up for the day. Most members were there prior to 6.30am, with a few stragglers arriving by 7.00am. There was a guy from Camden Hire supervising the erection of the main canopy as well as the official tent. All things needed were assembled by around 7.00 am and the cooking started in earnest by 7.30am. Coffee and Bacon & Eggs were given out to a hungry horde.

The temperature was very cold when we arrived, but warmed up to 30 degrees during the day, we all got sunburned by the end of the day.

There was a small drama in the cooking shed as John had lost his car keys and the girls were employed to have a girls Look to find them. Adriana saved the day and found them with the proper search.

By 8.00 am there was a steady stream of entrants lined up at the Gate. Aldo was doing a sterling job, Steve Barks encountered the entrants with his camera, ready to post the shots on (Book Face).

Brian & Joe D'Alfonso arranged the parking in order and true to plan, the cars were all lined up in the correct years and then the general parking looked after itself.

The Sports for Disabled Association were also busy collecting donations and selling raffle tickets for their association as they were the nominated charity for the day.

The cut off for entrant's judging sheets was 11.00am, though we still had submissions till well after 1.00pm.

The tallying calculated with the failsafe system controlled by Chris and Gary, all worked well. Till A little glitch happened when some sheets were misfiled, but the lost sheets were found on time. Final accounting was carried out and all sheets vetted. Rick May printed the winner's sheets and they were handed over to John for announcements to be made.

The judging papers were done as usual by the all participants on the day. We had around 300 cars entered, not counting on others that just came in for a look. The most popular votes were all tallied up, showing the cars that were the favourites.

The trophies were a very high standard as usual and they were presented to their recipients by John and Frank Nuffalie. The quality was outstanding for the expense. As a former recipient of a trophy it is displayed in pride of place in my trophy cabinet. By 2.30pm the awards were all handed out.

John announced a thank you to all the sponsors and volunteers and all that was left to do was to pack up all of the hired stuff and load it onto Steve's truck. The same loyal members once stepped up to do their jobs.

A recommendation should go to little Georgia Marks who worked all day selling raffle tickets, asking questions and helping with the cleaning up of rubbish all day. She is a credit to her father Ben Marks. As well a big thank you to all the ladies who helped all day with the food preparation, as well as the Fenato brothers who cooked all day till the food ran out, even after more was purchased to supply the demand.

Story by Bevan Joseph.

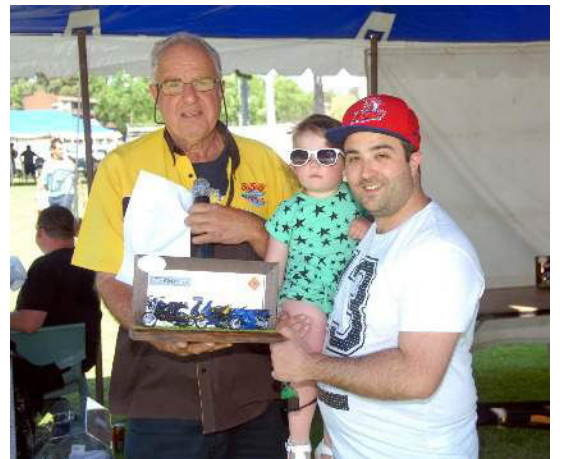










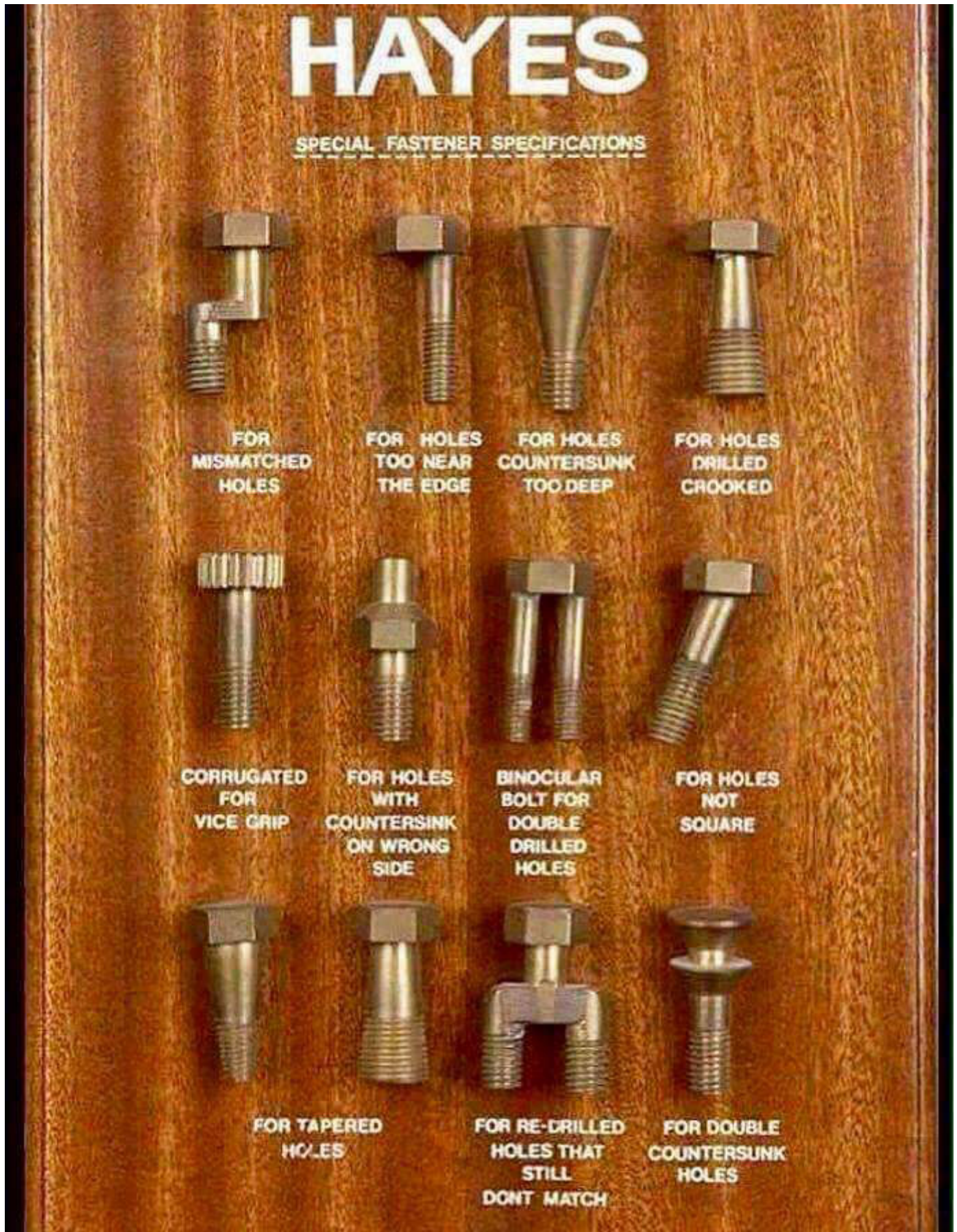


2016 Camden Car Show, Results.

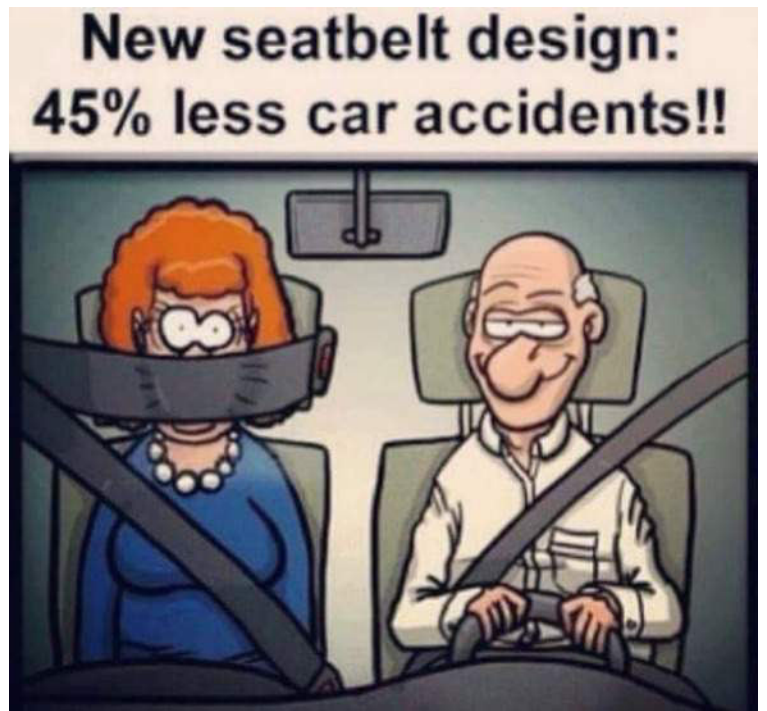
Top commercial	Ent 242 George Agius Chev ute Burgandy
Second Top commercial	Ent 166 Andrew Byrne Ford delivery van Cream & Gold
Best individual Display	Ent 129 Larry Tuner Harley Davidson Bike & trailer
Best Club Display.	Rat Pac
Second Best Bike.	Ent 164 Tony Crisafulli Harley Davidson Yellow
Best Bike.	Ent 196 John Niko Velocette Black & Orange
Second Top Rat Rod.	Ent 71 Frank Vitacco 1951 Morris Truck Rusty
Top Rat Rod.	Ent 22 Frank Napoli 1937 Maple Leaf Table Top Truck
Second Top Hot Rod.	Ent 70 Jim Cutajar 1933 Ford 3 window coupe Red
Top Hot Rod.	Ent 91 Ray Crisp 1937 Burgundy Black
Second Top 55.	Ent 13 Chris Lowger Chev 210 4 door sedan Blue & White
Top 55.	Ent 3 Craig Hatcher Chev Belair 2 Door sedan Yellow & White
Second Top 57	Ent 10 Steve Barks Chev 150 2 sedan Black & White
Top 57	Ent 12 Charlie Pace Chev Belair convertible
Second Top 56	Ent 77 Tony Penna Chev 210 4 door sedan Yellow & White
Top 56	Ent 96 Troy Said Chev 2 door hard top Black & Red
Top 56 non Chev	Ent 199 Peter Paice Ford Victoira Orange & White
Rat Pac Pick.	Ent 83 Rod Hutchinson 1957 Buick Blue
Top 10.	Ent 31 Michael Harloff 1974 LSH Torana Blue
Top 10.	Ent 58 Russell Wylie 1956 Ford Victoria Blue & White
Top 10.	Ent 62 David Bartolo 1966 HR Holden Red & Black
Top 10.	Ent 124 Clint Rowles 1963 XL Falcon Orange
Top 10.	Ent 140 Glenn Whittingham 1936 Chev Tourer Gold
Top10.	Ent 28 Joe Sultana 1968 Holden Monaro Silver
Top 10.	Ent 21 Frank Napolli 1956 Chev Nomad Green & White
Top 10.	Ent 97 Michael Sullivan 1956 Chev Nomad Cream & Green
Top 10	Ent 222 Nathan Grima 1961 EK Holden Cameo Beige
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TOP CAR.	Ent 14 Tom Heath 1948 Chev Pickup Black



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Bel-Air-ious

A banker is proudly driving his brand-new Jaguar sedan around New York City. On reaching his destination, he parks the car at the curb and gets out on the traffic side. Just as he opens the door, a taxicab slams into it, ripping the door right off its hinges. The cabby drives off as if nothing extraordinary has occurred.

A policeman who witnesses the whole thing walks up to the banker, who is now wailing loudly, "Ohhh myyy gaaawdd! Look what that idiot did to my new Jaaaagggguuaar!"

The cop looks at the banker, shakes his head, and says, "You bankers are so damn materialistic! Here you are whining about your expensive car, and you don't even realize the cab tore off your arm!"

The banker looks down at where his arm used to be and begins to wail loudly, "Ohhhh myyy gaawd, my Rolllllleeeexx is gone!"

A motorist runs a red light and is photographed by an automated police camera. In the mail a short time later, he receives a photo of his car committing the infraction and a citation for \$60. Instead of paying the fine, the motorist mails the police department a photograph of three 20-dollar bills. Several days later, he gets a letter back from the police department. Inside is a photograph of a pair of handcuffs.

A teenage boy tells his father, "Dad, there's trouble with the car, it has water in the carburetor." The father looks confused and says, "Water in the carburetor, that's ridiculous!" But the son insists. "I tell you, the car has water in the carburetor."

His father, starting to get a little nervous, says "You don't even know what a carburetor is.... but I will check it out. Where is the car?"

"In the pool," replies the son.

Five Englishmen in an Audi Quattro arrive at the Italian border.

The Italian Customs agent stops them and says, "It's illegal to put 5 people in a Quattro."

"What do you mean it's illegal?" ask the Englishmen.

"Quattro means four," replies the Italian official.

"Quattro is just the name of the automobile," the Englishmen retort disbelievingly. "Look at the papers: this car is designed to carry 5 persons."

"You can't pull that one on me," replies the Italian customs agent. "Quattro means four. You have five people in your car and you are therefore breaking the law."

The Englishmen replies angrily, "You idiot! Call your supervisor over—I want to speak to someone with more intelligence!"

"Sorry," responds the Italian official, "he can't come. He's busy with 2 guys in a Fiat Uno."

Someone at the auto repair shop locked the owner's keys inside his car.

While the locksmith was working on the driver's-side door lock, the anxious owner walked up and tried the passenger's-side door. It opened.

The locksmith looked up. "Yeah, I already got that one."



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