



THE DINKUM OIL # 22

A drop from the Council of Heritage Motor Clubs to keep you going

April 2023

EVENTS

Our 2023 CHMC annual rally is being held at Wagga Wagga June 9th -12th. As this is the long weekend accommodation may be at a premium. Get your entry in at www.heritagemotoringcouncil.org.au/historic-motor-events.php.

- CHMC 2023 AGM will be at Armidale Saturday 28th October.
- CHMC is proud to be sponsoring trophies at the upcoming Pre 31 *Autumn Tour* .

REGISTRATION MATTERS

- Historic unmodified tractors remain eligible for HVS registration. There has been no change.
- The area code on the Certificate of Approved Operation does not restrict vehicle use. Vehicles can be used anywhere in NSW and on longer journeys interstate.
- Clubs are encouraged to distribute the Log Book Club Run Fact Sheet or share the link <https://www.nsw.gov.au/sites/default/files/2022-12/historic%20and%20classic%20vehicles%20log%20book.pdf> . This fact sheet addresses many misconceptions about Logbook use and Club Runs.
- CHMC made a submission to TfNSW on retrofitting of seat belts to pre 1967 vehicles. This topic was extensively discussed at the recent Historic & Classic Car Industry Working Group meeting with all peak bodies. It is our premise that aftermarket seat belts should be installed in a manner that affords improved occupant safety and simplifies any required certification.

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ADVOCACY

- A submission by CHMC has been made to the Dept.of Infrastructure (Comm), Vehicles Policy section regarding Draft ADRs, 109 Electric Power Train Safety and 110 Hydrogen Fuelled Vehicle Safety, ADR's that will regulate both new electric and hydrogen vehicle standards.
- CHMC has written to NRMA Veteran Vintage and Classic Insurance regarding issues reported by members concerning...1 Insurance for Historic Ex-Service vehicles(police, military, emergency etc.)...2 The changes NRMA introduced in the *Travel Care*. We are waiting for NRMA insurance's full explanation of what has caused a change in their policies on these two matters.
- Thank you to our clubs for renewing your affiliation with us and completing your Vehicle Census return. These place us in a strong position when representing Historic Motoring at State, National and International level.

More information about this, and other items of interest, can be found on Council's website:

www.heritagemotoringcouncil.org.au
or www.facebook.com/CHMCNSW

