



# THE DINKUM OIL # 31

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

## CHMC 2025 ANNUAL RALLY AT DUBBO.

This year's rally was hosted by Dubbo Antique Automobile Club who were also celebrating their 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. It was an excellent rally which was held from 28<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> March and attracted 120 historic vehicles from all eras.

The rally incorporated a meal at One or Two Brewing Co, and runs to Billy "O" at Wongarbron, the historic village of Mendouran, and Gilgandra which is famous for the 1915 Cooee March.

The rally incorporated a CHMC Delegates meeting which welcomed representatives from Transport for NSW who answered a wide range of questions relating to historic vehicles. The following link will provide answers to most questions relating to the AIS Rules for Light Vehicle Safety Check Standards:

[www.transport.nsw.gov.au/system/files/media/documents/2025/light-vehicle-safety-check-standards\\_0.pdf](http://www.transport.nsw.gov.au/system/files/media/documents/2025/light-vehicle-safety-check-standards_0.pdf)

## Trophy winners:

Best Veteran	1916 Ford T	R Day	Outback Model T Ford Club
Best Vintage	1929 Ford A	Ian Whittle	Dinosaurs Drivers Register
Best Post Vintage	1946 De Soto	N Beattie	South Coast Vintage Car Club
Best 1950's	1959 Chevrolet	G Tait	Bathurst Historic Car Club
Best 1960's	1969 MGB	B Merrick	Lithgow Vintage Motor Club
Best 1970's	1971 Valiant	Ross Brownlow	Lithgow Vintage Motor Club
Best 1980's	1980 MGB GT	W Clarke	Lithgow Vintage Motor Club
Best 1990's	1990 Mercedes Benz 420	Ray & Janette Ives	Newcastle District Vint & Classic CC
Best Commercial	1954 Holden FJ Utility	David Sullivan	Newcastle District Vint & Classic CC
Best Motorcycle	No Entries		
Most Original	1934 Reo	T King	Bathurst
Concours d Elegance	1969 MGB	B Merrick	Lithgow Vintage Motor Club
Mal Mason Shield	Central Coast Historic Car Club		

Congratulations to all winners.

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

[www.heritagemotoringcouncil.org.au](http://www.heritagemotoringcouncil.org.au)

