



THE DINKUM OIL

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

FITNESS to DRIVE

Transport for NSW intends that *Fitness to Drive* assessments will be “paperless” by 2021.

TfNSW has improved this assessment process so that all GPs, specialists, occupational therapists and optometrists can now submit NSW Fitness to Drive assessment forms for their patients *online*.

- From now, those who need medical assessments for Drivers Licence renewal may take advantage of “online” submission of Medical reports.
- *Fitness to Drive* requests will still be mailed to those who require assessments by TfNSW.
- When the required eyesight examination is carried out, a request may be made for the Optometrist to email the report direct to the Doctor who will be providing the Medical Assessment.
- When the Doctor has completed the *Fitness to Drive* assessment (which in some instances may be by ‘phone), a request may be made for the examination report to be lodged with TfNSW on line.
- When the form is completed online, it is instantly sent to TfNSW, saving a trip to a Service NSW Centre to hand in the paper form.
- The Doctor will get an instant response confirming the assessment has been received and a copy of the completed form will be stored for future reference.
- When additional assessments are required (by specialist etc), these may be processed in a similar manner.

OLD PHOTO RECORDS

CHMC is proceeding with some of the activities associated with the Golden Anniversary celebration. One such activity is the compilation of a photographic record of activities.

- Photographs and footage of the vehicles, members and events are important to celebrating and documenting our Council’s history.
- Whilst we have plenty of photographs and some video film from the last few years we are lacking such material from before 2010
- Have you photos or films from past CHMC Rallies?
- If you have any photographs or film that you would like to share please contact Council’s Webmaster Webmaster@heritagemotoringcouncil.org.au or the CHMC Secretary, phone 0418 235 797.

For further information contact:

Peter Wright (RMS Liaison) phone 0417 250 798 regarding *Fitness to Drive*, or

Jenny Faubert (CHMC Webmaster) phone 0417 203 384 regarding old photographic records



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

www.heritagemotoringcouncil.org.au