



NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER 2015

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P.O. Box 8, Penguin Tas 7316

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7.30 p.m.

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SPRING CLEAN 12th Sept.

Thank you to the 21-22 members who cleaned the Club Rooms & grounds.

It is a credit to you all, they looked pristine.

RUN DAY 19-20th Sept.

A very enjoyable weekend was held at the Club Rooms Penguin.

The weather was kind, Saturday perfect and Sunday a little cooler but warmed up mid afternoon.

The men did themselves proud with their machinery looking immaculate & working (most of the time).

The women worked tirelessly in the kitchen keeping the kiosk up with the soup, sags, sandwiches & beverages.

We had a great Saturday evening, delicious casseroles & sweets, followed up with some fun and games.

Brian our President nearly smoked us all out when one of his engines back fired. Great to see Joe Young with his B.S.A. motor bike, trust he didn't ride it all the way from South, tiring trip, he had to have a snooze after lunch.

Good to have Gerry & Riza from Claude Rd. join us on Sunday, with his little engine not so warm, but the club gives our warmest welcome. Peter showed us a good array of old lawn mowers, back breaking jobs. Ray made sure he wasn't going to be cold with his Santa beard, he displayed a couple of workable engines.

Lovely to have Lutz come along to join us for Sunday.

Ron Casey 1906 Ransom Symmes & Jefferies engine was running



Kelvin and Bobby driving to Penguin Run Day



perfectly, also his “senior” tractor, yet another toy! Great to see a young member Caleb there with his machines, also Lloyd had engines ticking away, Tom's balls were bouncing after he



perfected the belt to stay on but his ducks decided to go on strike just like us older generation have days off.

Nigel had his lovely train exhibition giving delight to young & old. Viv & Pat had their smaller engines ticking over without a hitch, and a good roll up of tractors & old trucks creating much interest from all.

Phil showed his exquisite Packard car (pictured below) that has been several years being restored, we don't realize how the older generations had the knowledge & expertise.

David had his Potato Planter & digger on display which would have done its fair share of work, but now in pristine order.

The Model Engineering Society based at Clayton, had an interesting array of bits and



pieces, including a mini jet engine, a mini loco and a rocket, aimed at anyone who may have stepped out of line!!

Sorry if I've missed any member with their exhibits, but thank you to all who contributed to a great display.

The event served as a fund raiser to help "Lily Best". Dear little Lily is having a set back with a brain tumor. Our love & prayers go out to Lily, her courageous mum & dad & little brother Ockley.

Once again we thank all the exhibitors & helpers. Great job.

Barb Moore





XMAS DINNER

Would members please take note that the date has been changed due to a clash with the Penguin Xmas Parade which is supported by the Riana community who are doing our catering.

Date: Friday December 11th

Time: 6pm for 6-30 start

**Place: Riana Community Hall,
near the Riana School**

Cost: \$25 per person for a 3 course meal

Music: Pam Fielding on the keyboard

**Bar will be open and run
by the cricket club**

There will be no Santa this year so no gifts required

Raffle - would members please bring along a grocery item to the next meeting or on the night of the dinner, to go towards our hamper to be raffled on the night.

(No out of date items please)

Names for the dinner need to be phoned to Wayne Wood or Joan Fielding no later than closing date which will be the December 1st meeting
Thank you, we look forward to a nice turn up of members.

The Historical Machinery Club of Tasmania.

September 2nd, 2015 - General Meeting

PREVIOUS MINUTES Read by Phil Weeks, moved by P Weeks and seconded by F Harris. Carried

The Agfest survey not yet filled in and returned, Brian will collate info from other clubs as intended and will send survey back.

SHOW AND TELL

Rick Diprose showed a pair of bunion pliers used for stretching shoes.

CORRESPONDENCE

INWARDS Sport & Recreation Tas, Scottsdale Show 13/14 November, Whittlesea Rally 4,5,6 March 2016, Pearn's Steamup 31 October 1-2 November, Entally Estate Garden Fest 7,8 November. Wynyard Tulip festival Phone call. 10 October

FINANCIAL REPORT Accounts for payment: - Lyn Richards - for newsletter \$28.50, E Voss various cards \$29.60, B Scott postage \$93.10, Burnie Trophy centre - 2 Life membership Plaques \$110.00 Moved that accounts be authorized - I Best seconded V Reeves Carried.

EVENTS Working bee for clean-up of yard etc, September 12th Open days on September 19th/20th - Advertising A Wilton to do fliers

Burnie Show 2-3 Oct Tulip Festival 10 Oct
Launceston Show 8-10 Oct Pearn's Steamup 31 October 1, 2 Nov
Entally Estate Gardenfest 7, 8 Nov Scottsdale Show 13, 14 Nov
Devonport Show 27, 28 Nov Circular Head Show 5 Dec

NEW BUSINESS

Invitations have been received for Burnie and Devonport Show Mark Money not well and is in care. Elaine will send a card. Moved Derrel & Barbara Haines that a gift to be sent to Marc and Kristal Best for Lilly's support, Seconded David Perry - Carried, resolved to send proceeds from run day.

Next meeting is on October 6th 2015

Meeting closed at 9.15 pm

The Historical Machinery Club of Tasmania.

October 6th, 2015 - General Meeting

PREVIOUS MINUTES Read by Phil Weeks, moved by P Weeks and seconded by P Harris. Carried

BUSINESS ARISING Thanks for those who attended the clean up day and all who came to the run weekend.

SHOW AND TELL :- I Best. Showed a plasma cut David Brown tractor.

GUEST SPEAKER :- Stephen Dutton insurance broker.

CORRESPONDENCE INWARDS Thankyou card from Marc Best and Family. **OUTWARD** - Entally Gardenfest Accepted T Moore 2nd V Voss

FINANCIAL Accounts for payment: - Burnie Plumbing \$75 (sign material), Advocate AGM ad \$21.21, Shannons Truck \$87.37, Trailer \$108.44 Total \$195.81, B Scott Postage \$116.60 I Best Gas bottle for club trailer \$28.95. Moved that accounts be authorized - I Best seconded D Burk Carried.

REPORTS Run day Sat Canteen \$249.90 Gate \$517.00

Sunday Canteen \$481.55 Gate \$368.35

Gate Total \$885.35,

Canteen Total \$728.45. Less Supplies \$477.95 Profit \$250.50

Total donated to Love for Lilly Fund \$1135.85.

Burnie Show very successful

EVENTS Tulip Festival 10 Oct Launceston Show 8-10 Oct
Longford Show 17 Oct Pearn's Steamup 31 Oct 1,2 Nov
Ulverstone Show 31 Oct. Entally Estate Gardenfest 7,8 Nov
Scottsdale Show 13/14 Nov Woolmers Estate 15 Nov
Devonport Show 27-28 Nov Circular Head Show 5 Dec
Christmas Dinner 11 Dec Ulv Christmas Parade 12 Dec
Sprent School Show 12 Dec Ross Rodeo 14 Feb

NEW BUSINESS

Ulverstone Show. Lionel Bonde explained some aspects of proposed building at Ulverstone show grounds in the southwest corner where we normally exhibit.

Motion "that we write a letter supporting the Show Society in regards to the proposed building be located at the end of the Recreation Hall" Moved L Bonde 2nd D Burke.

Funding for Sassafras. Alan Wilton

Books from Nat Rally have gone to Auditor.

Sassafras 2016 Moved A Wilton that we borrow \$25,000 from the club. 2nd B Ling

Club Christmas Dinner 4 Dec Riana Public Hall 3 course meal \$25 a head.

"Moved K Ling that we accept event and Club pay half of cost 2nd W Wood ."

For sale. 1909 Sunshine Harvester Carl Burger Snr. 229 Bonneys Road West Pine Brian Scott to check out.

Dean Viney Auction 11 Nov 237 Calder Road Assorted Machinery.

Membership Nominations. Constitution to be amended in July to clarify nomination procedure. Action P Weeks

W Wood Woolmers Estate open day Sun 15 Nov invitation to attend.

Ross Rodeo Feb 14 2016.

Sprent School Show 12 December. 10 till 3.00pm

Ulverstone Christmas Parade 12 December. 4.30pm

Next meeting is on November 4th 2015. Meeting closed at 9.20 pm

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Janine a call.**



TULIP FESTIVAL 9TH Oct.

We arrived at our complex site about 8.20am., a rather overcast morning with a few drops of rain which improved as the day went on. A hive of interest in getting the fence erected in the picnic area on the wharf and the machinery & wares were all being placed around the arena.

Nigel with a great assortment, Edison Phonograph, one being quite ancient 1875, also film projector & cameras. He serenaded the ladies with a bits & pieces old record player he made-up with an old meat mincer, scales & hand drill with turn table & handle to turn. It was not a very romantic tune and we didn't know it, next time Nigel please country & western.

Viv blew a gasket, pleased to say it was one of his engines, Int. 1930 1 1/2 H.P. FairBanks Morse 1 1/2 H.P.U.S.A.

Hands up the culprit who kindly placed a religious brochure in Pat's tool box, so he can now get a monthly edition, they must have thought he needed guidance in his life. He found the water in his M-2 Ajax Water pump & Moffat -Virtue petrol engine gets rather hot when he forgot to empty it before he packed up & loaded at end of day.

Rex had a great variety of garden tools & rotary hoe, shows how the hard yakka was used.

Ray displayed Int. M-3H.P. 1930 Villiers M.K.40. FOR SALE picture of 2 Boer x goats, don't know whether he got any tyre kickers?

David, Ben & Bethany very immaculate miniature Air Compressed engine. David & Judy Moffat Virtue 2 1/4 H.P. used on milking machines, Farmal Cub engine Pick-up Baler. David would be the only person capable of jamming a spark plug in his socket for 1/2 hr.

Tom, after swapping his engines to a Southern Cross, Dawn M.F.G.Co. Forge Blower, Villiers Mark 25, Moffat Virtue Pump his balls kept a bouncing & his ducks kept a swimming.

Gerry had his ever reliable C.A. 1914 Int.Titan ticking over nicely.

Brian displayed Lister A-2 Ajax Water Pump, variety of hard work, old lawn mowers, rotary hoe.

Heather & myself went for walk to the foreshore market, by the time we arrived back to the complex, as Reisha would say I was "Bugged"

There was plenty to see for the women to keep occupied & the crowd was in abundance. Perfect weather & all seemed to enjoy. 16 members present. The tulips were spectacular. *Barb Moore*

Upcoming Events

Nov 7, 8 - Entally Estate
Gardenfest

Nov 13, 14 - Scottsdale Show

Nov 15 - Woolmers Estate

Nov 27, 28 - Devonport Show

Dec 5 - Circular Head Show

Dec 11 - Christmas Dinner

Dec 12 - Sprent School Show
10 till 3.00pm

Dec 12 - Ulv Christmas Parade
4.30pm

Feb 14 - Ross Rodeo

Feb 26, 27, 28 - Sassafras
Heritage Farming Weekend

Sassafras Heritage Farming Weekend

Planning for this busy weekend
is well underway.

We now have a web
page and facebook page
dedicated to this event.

The facebook page is being
updated with information and
is a contact point if you have
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Longford Show

Another great little show, the weather was cool and windy at times. It was well attended by approximately 7000 patrons who seemed to enjoy all the activities that was there, these included wood chopping, horse events, dog show, trials bike demo, and our old engines of course consisting of 3 tractors, 5 Listers, 1 Petter and Generator, 2 Villers, 1 reel mower, 1 Guildner, several film projectors and old record players.

Members in attendance, Colin & Martin Jones, Nigel Boyd, Graham & Heather Howard, Rodney & Alison Springer, Jeffrey Springer, Fred Harris.

Jeff Springer



BUY SELL OR SWAP

WANTED TO BUY

Diesel engine, unrestored for junior contact Caleb Dover 0478 289 774

Bosch U4 and ZR4 Magnetos or parts. Phone Kerry 6456 1222 and leave message.

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WANTED TO SELL

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Farmall A Mouldboard Plough Complete except for brackets onto tractor. Phone Rex Green 0408 142 630

Sunshine Seed Drill Phone Paul Austin 0408 516 499

2 x 28 Fergie Tractors. Phone 6429 3268

28 Fergie tractor parts new and used, also has 6" flat pulley drive belt (17 foot) 12 ton pipe bender, 1/2"- 2" for hire (members only) Contact Michael Clarke, phone 6442 3875.

Britstand Concrete Mixer, very large. Contact Mark Austin, phone 0407 120 090, or Phil Weeks, phone 0408 330 813 for more details.

Howard Rotary Hoe, Gem, 1953, Price negotiable, John Lee, Phone 6496 1354.

Massey Harris MH 11 side delivery rake, in good order. Phone Barry Evans for details and location. 6491 2654

BUY SELL OR SWAP

WANTED TO SELL

Sunshine chaff cutter and seed cleaner. Contact David Perry for details 0418 140 901

Old tools. Call John Pethybridge for details. Phone / fax 6437 2600 or PO Box 400, Penguin, Tas 7316

John Deere ride on mower, 54" cut, \$1500 Phone Mark Mooney 0417 880 483 or 6384 1038

1945 Chev Maple Leaf truck, dual wheels, in going order. \$7000. See Jim Pearce, Edward St, Somerset. Ph 0407 522 095

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WANTED KNOWN

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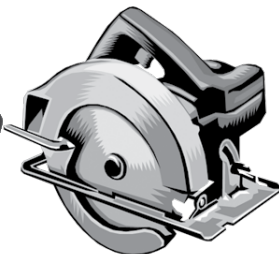
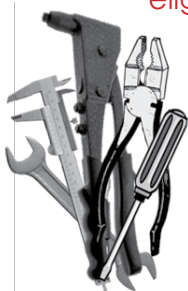
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Members please note

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Please note if you require a name tag please let Ian Bessell know. Contact details are on page 2 thank you.

Next Meetings

Dec 1st

Feb 2nd

Meetings start 7.30 p.m.

Members please bring food for supper.

If you have an item of interest for show and tell please bring along and share or even a good joke.

The NHMA Mission Statement.

The NHMA Inc is an Association of enthusiasts from across Australia, formed in 1987 by a small band of clubs with similar interests that provides a fellowship with common interest of collecting, restoring, displaying of Heritage Farm Machinery, Tractors, Vehicles and Associated Memorabilia.

The necessity of a working handbook for NHMA member clubs has grown over the past years. The issues of insurance, safety matters, club record keeping have and will continue to become more complex. It is also becoming more difficult for clubs to elect officers who are willing to take on these positions that are vital to the clubs future. The guideline handbook is now updated regularly, to keep up with latest developments. The main theme is on SAFETY FIRST AT ALL TIMES.

Taken from the NHMA current guidelines. Your President, Secretary and Treasurer have the current handbook. Please ask if you would like to check on an issue.