

Austin 7 Club of S.A. Inc.

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262 Tapleys Hill Road, SEATON S.A. 5023

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7.4.23



What's on and What's not.

**16.4.23 A7C Club Day Run to St Kilda Tram
Museum**

16.4.23 TTM Regularity #2

17.4.23 A7C Monthly Club Meeting at 7.30pm.

18.4.23 A7C Leisure Run

23.4.23 McLaren Vale Vintage & Classic

24.4.23 A7C Technical Night

6.5.23-8.5.23 A7C PreWar Run Adelaide Hills

7.5.23 British Classics Tour

8.5.23 A7C Club Meeting

14.5.23 A7C Funkhana

16.5.23 A7C Leisure Run

21.5.23 Cavalcade of Cars Kadina

22.5.23 A7C Technical Night

27.5-28.5.23 Historic Winton

**17.6-23.6.23 A7C 70th Anniversary tour to
Farina**

Please check with the organisers as dates and events may be subject to change.

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Sillier than a Seven



Sports and Specials





2023 Dates

Our competition dates for 2023 are as follows.

Apr 16, June 4, July 23, Aug 27, Nov 5

All at Mallala

Austin 7 Club of SA Inc

Tram Museum Run

Sunday 16th April 2023



Start the day at ***Café de Vili's***, 426 Main North Road, Blair Athol **from 10:00am**

At 11:15 we'll head up the Port Wakefield Road at a leisurely pace to the St Kilda Beach Hotel for lunch. (20km)



Then back to the Tram Museum. All our members will get into the Museum at the discounted price of \$7.00. Photo opportunities of our historic cars with the trams (including the “Toast Rack” tram pictured above) will be available to us.

Bookings are essential.

Please book in with Christine Cutting (0412 092 760) or Martin Lewis (0414 727 893).

Bookings close Monday 10th April

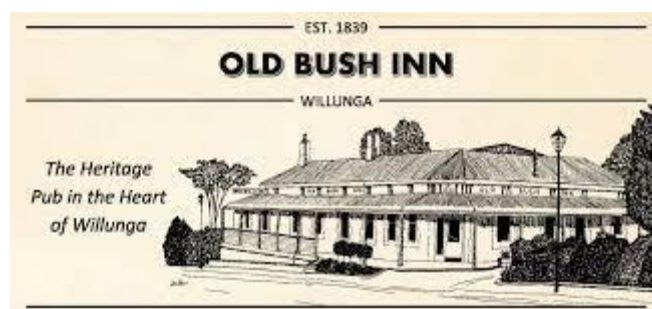
Leisure run Tuesday 18th April 2023

Destination the Old Bush Inn Willunga



Bookings with David Searles 0408 700 047

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ABOUT

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Held at the Birdwood Oval - Classic Cars, live music, a huge dance floor, food and stall vendors and local beer and wines suppliers will keep you entertained for the day. Gates open at 9am. First band on stage at 10:30am.

Owners of a vehicles made between 1950 and 1989 are welcome to enter as a 'Classic Entrant'. Your \$30 admission fee includes entry for all legally seated occupants and parking for display on the oval. Make sure your vehicle is polished and ready to be admired.

General Admission \$20 per person.

Children Under 15 Years FREE, a ticket must be shown at the gate.

DATE

Sunday 23 April 2023 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM (UTC+10:30)

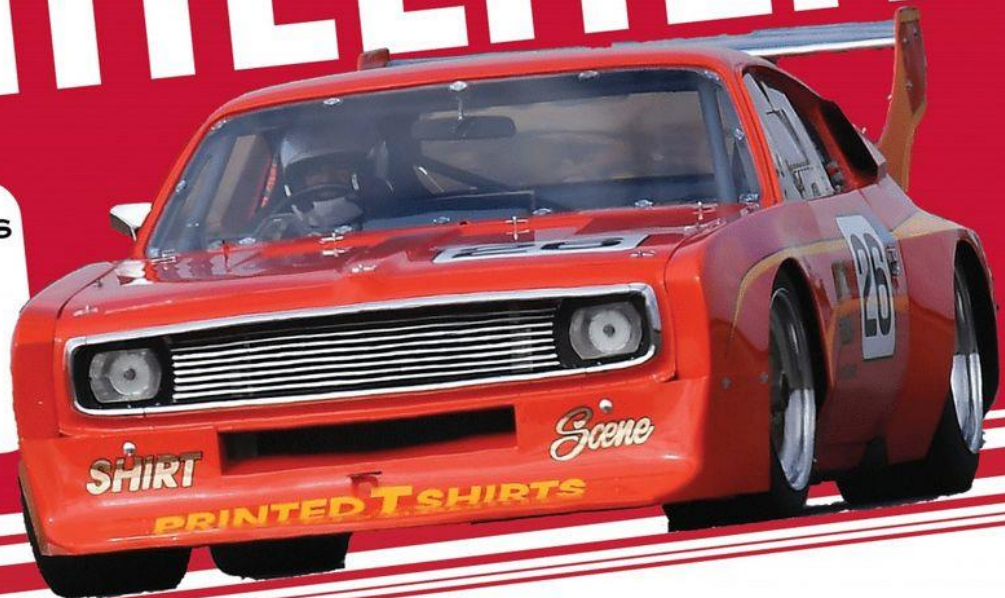
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Birdwood Oval & Park



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Entries for the 2023 McLaren Vale Vintage & Classic are now open.

The committee is already working to make this event better than ever on Sunday 23rd April.

A new system for placing your entry has been put in place through Trybooking.com with the entry fee of \$35 per vehicle and payment being made using credit card or Paypal.

Please read the attached Conditions of Entry before placing your entry online.

Enter using this link <https://www.trybooking.com/CEHMP>

Once you have submitted the completed entry form a confirmation email will be sent from Trybooking. It is not necessary to print this entry ticket but it will be useful to keep it as a reminder that you have entered.



PRE-WAR RUN – AUSTIN 7 RUN SA MAY 6-8, 2023

A \$50 deposit is required, per booking, paid to A7 bank account or phone The Treasurer to pay by CARD.

Preliminary plans are underway to have a weekend Austin 7 run up to the Adelaide hills on May 6th - 8th 2023.

The Itinerary could end up something like the following.

- Meet at Hazelwood Park and travel up Greenhill Rd ready for a 9.00am departure travelling up Greenhill Road then turning right onto Mount Lofty Summit road proceeding to Mawson Drive on your left and make your way to Mount Lofty Botanical Garden where we will have a walk through part of the garden.
- On departing the garden, I suggest we follow the leader and return back to Crafers perhaps driving around the historic Mount Lofty House car park on the way. Once back at the Crafers roundabout take the first exit on the left and proceed to the SE freeway briefly before taking the Stirling exit and slowly making our way to Aldgate where we have a number of options for lunch including Fred's Eatery, Dirty Doris's or possibly the Aldgate Pump Hotel.
- After lunch we will make our way to Hahndorf and check in to our accommodation for the next two nights (The Old Mill). After this participants are encouraged to explore Hahndorf until pre dinner drinks prior to an evening meal at a venue yet to be determined.
- Sunday morning breakfast will be of your choosing with a number of establishments offering traditional German style breakfasts. Following breakfast, a 9.30am departure will see us heading for Woodside with a visit to the Chocolate factory before heading up to Lobethal for lunch (possibly at Lobethal Bierhaus). After lunch we will take a different route back to Hahndorf where we will have our evening meal.
- Monday will see us depart Hahndorf and head for home.

**EXPRESSION OF INTEREST TO
ANDREW DAWES FOR ACCOMODATION**

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dawes@internode.on.net

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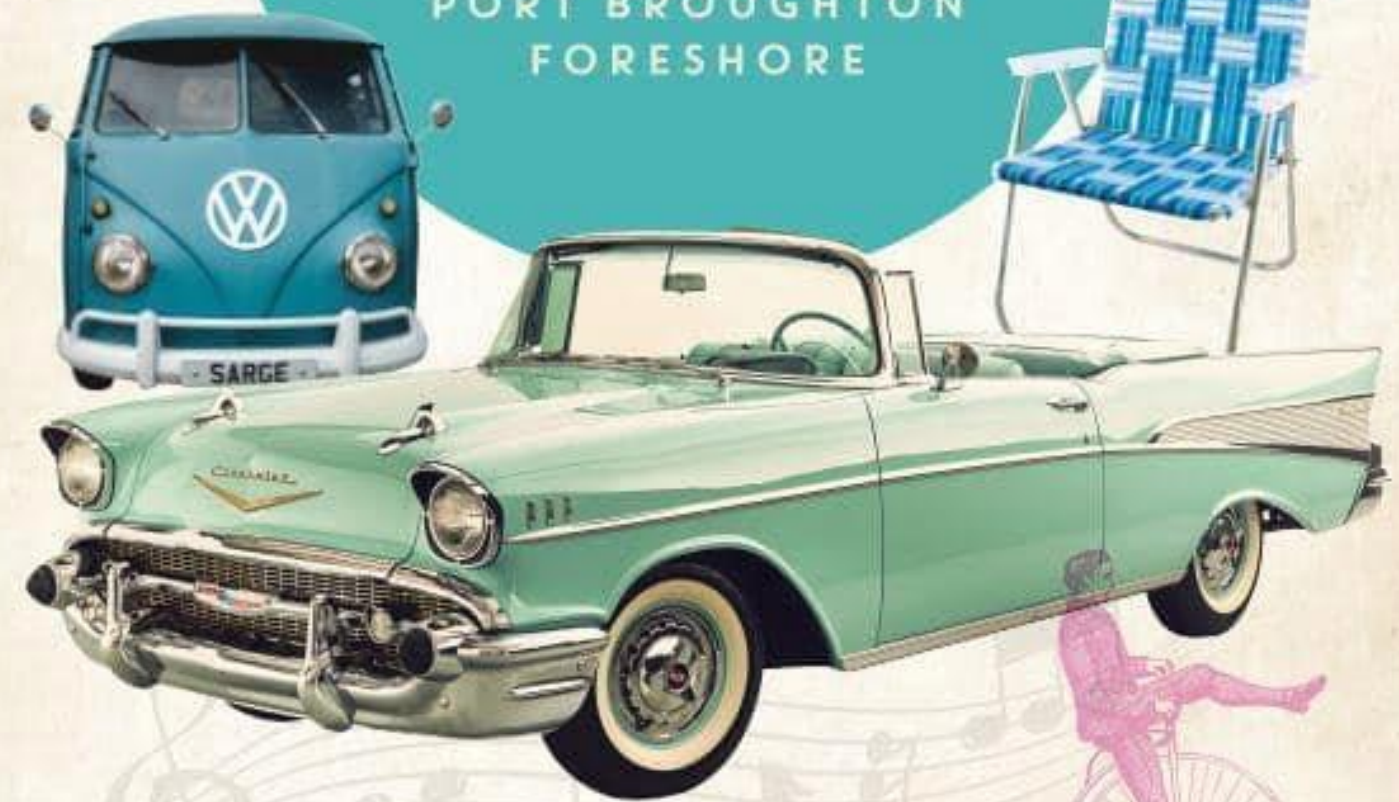
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Barunga West Council on **8635 2107**
or barunga@barungawest.sa.gov.au

70th Anniversary Austin 7 Club Run to Marree via Farina Bakery and other eateries.

17 to 23 June 2023 – overview of event.

Day 1 Saturday 17 June: Adelaide to Burra 160 km

OVERNIGHT AT: Paxton Cottages. Ph. 0488 513 101

Day 2 Sunday 18 June Burra to Blinman 342 Km

Lunch at Cradock Hotel Ph. 08 8648 4107

Stopping to view the Flinders at Hucks Lookout

OVERNIGHT AT Blinman Hotel Ph. 08 8648 4867

Day 3 Monday 19 June Blinman to Marree 214 km travelling the 32 Km through the picturesque Parachilna Gorge (this is unsealed but very do-able (and really highlights the beauty of the Flinders) in our cars.

Lunch at Farina Bakery where they will be expecting us.

Next two nights at Marree Hotel Ph.08 8675 8344

Day 4 Tuesday 20 June At Marree, “a day of touring and looking around”. If people feel inclined, they could also do a flight over Lake Eyre as the Marree Hotel has aircraft doing joy flights (this would need to be booked well in advance).

Scenic air flights: <https://aridair.com.au/marree/>

Total distance to Marree 716 KMs.

Return journey.

Day 5 Wednesday 21 June Marree to Hawker via Farina for morning tea or to pick up more fresh bread or visit Talc Alf (outback Art Gallery) at Lyndhurst.

Lunch at the Prairie Hotel at Parachilna.

In Hawker, Jeff Morgan (Tony's Brother) has a fantastic Art Gallery and has offered to cook a sausage sizzle for us so this could be our tea.

OVERNIGHT AT Hawker Hotel. Ph 08 8648 4102

Kms 271

Day 6 Thursday 22 June Breakfast at the Flinders Food Company in Hawker. To Burra via Quorn, Wilmington, Wirrabara & Stone Hut for lunch. Evening meal at a Burra Pub.

OVERNIGHT AT Paxtons, Burra 273 Kms

Day 7 Friday 23 June

Burra to Adelaide 160 km Total Return Journey 700 Kms

If coming on this event, you will need to confirm your accommodation by ringing the following places. If you wish to only come for a couple of days, make your booking accordingly but please let me know of your partial attendance.

Day 1 Saturday 17 June Burra Paxton Cottages 0488 513 101

Also book for Day 6 Thursday 22 June

Day 2 Sunday 18 June ----- Blinman Hotel 08 8648 4867

Day 3 Monday 19 June ----- Marree Hotel 08 8675 8344

Also book for Day 4 Tuesday 20 June

Day 5 Wednesday 21 June ----- Hawker Hotel 08 8648 4102

When you have confirmed your accommodation, please let me know on dsearles10@bigpond.com so that I can monitor progress of numbers coming on this event.

Thank you

David Searles

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FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
ROGER BOEHM 0437322734 OR PAUL WILSON 0419869109

Austins over Australia 2024

7th March -11th March 2024

<http://www.amvcnsw.com.au/aoa/Expression%20of%20Interest%20AOA%202024.pdf>



Expressions of Interest forms available from Martin Lewis (0414 727 893) so you will receive newsletters as they are issued by the organisers.

If you are even slightly interested, please advise Martin by 30th April so tentative accommodation bookings can be made – no obligation at this point.



Austins Over Australia 2024

Thursday 7th March to Monday 11th March 2024
in Orange, NSW



NEWSLETTER No. 1

28/3/2023

With under a year to go we would like to give fellow "Austineers" an update as to the progress on AOA2024

Orange is a significant regional centre with a population of over 40,000 and is renowned for its gourmet wineries, award winning restaurants, and magnificent gardens. The trees will be revealing their vibrant autumn colours when we are there. Day temperatures average a pleasant 24^o with cool 11^o evenings.

To date we have over 100 Expressions of interest and support from the locals has been extremely positive.

There are many types of accommodation options in Orange and we suggest you book early with your chosen provider to avoid disappointment. Budget accommodation is extremely sought after.

Event headquarters will be The Orange Function Centre but, to avoid traffic congestion, not all outings will start there. Final run details along with registration forms and meal arrangements will follow in a later newsletter. Daily runs will be on sealed roads excluding potholes and roadworks which are out of our control and avoiding highways where possible. Lunches will be available on Friday and Saturday.

We propose registration will be at The Orange Function Centre on Thursday afternoon with a full meet and greet meal later that evening at the same venue.

On Friday 8th We're off to Millthorpe via historic Carcoar. (100k return)

Saturday 9th. We will meet at Lake Canobolas then out to Molong. (75k return)

Sunday 10th. Display day in central Orange.

Followed by an official dinner and presentations at Orange Ex Services Club.

Monday 11th On our last day we will visit Abercrombie House in Bathurst. (56k one-way) This 1870's home is an Australian treasure and the owners, the Morgan family, have had an association with Austin Sheerlines for many years. Several cars are displayed on the property. A tour of the house and a substantial morning tea will be offered.

AOA2024 will officially conclude at Abercrombie House. Entrants can choose to explore Bathurst, head home, or return to Orange for another night with friends.

Looking forward to meeting old friends and making new ones

Regards

Tony Groom

AOA 2024 Director

0412 036 774



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WEBSITE; WWW.ALLBRITISHDAY.COM

Patron: Mr Jeremy Cordeaux AM, K.G.S.J

March 2023

Dear All British Day Entrants,

A belated but grateful thank you to everyone who participated at All British Day this year, either as a loyal entrant or possibly as a first-time attendee. The feedback we had on our new date has been well received.

There were many positive responses made on the day to the committee. We were delighted with the rich diversity of vehicles on display and the number of entrants and spectators for ABD 2023. Given the passage of time since our last physical event in 2020, the spectator attendance of approximately 4000 exceeded our expectations.

The Rootes Group did the Coventry City of Motoring theme credit with their comprehensive display of sports cars, saloons and commercial vehicles. The Triumph Riders Club also presented an excellent display of past and present Triumph motorcycles. These displays, complementing fifty other clubs in attendance, were an excellent celebration of British craftsmanship to the many spectators.

You may recall our attempt to beat a record set in the UK with 82 BSA Bantams at one event. With the aid of the Mayor of the Mt Barker Council, I am most pleased to advise that we had 83 Bantams on display at Echunga! This was an excellent result for the Australian BSA Bantam Community, both locally and interstate. Thank you to the many who owners who travelled from afar to participate.

For All British Day 2024, our 40th year, we would like to celebrate MG's rich history. We also intend to accommodate the motorcycle community with our British Motorcycle Muster.

We have the drive, momentum and passion to head into 2024 and celebrate the British vehicle industry! Unfortunately, this may not be possible.

Due to health issues and other commitments, the positions below will become vacant at the Annual General Meeting; there will be NO All British Day in 2024 if we do not fill the following roles.

- Secretary
- Entries Coordinator
- Programme /Print Coordinator
- Marshal Coordinator
- At least two general committee members

Most people I speak to enjoy ABD and there are many positives the event brings to both the British vehicle clubs and the local community groups. We have endured so much in the past two years It would be a pity for the momentum to stop for want of volunteers.

ABD has its history as a day put on by the clubs for the clubs and I hope you, as a club member reading this sees the merit in joining the committee and consider coming forward. It is not hard or complicated, and it is rewarding, and **all** are welcome to join.

I will not sugar-coat it, if these positions are not filled at our AGM, I cannot see how ABD can continue.

The AGM will be held on

Tuesday, 11 April 2023, at 7.00 pm at the Sporting Car Club, King William Road, Unley.

The future of ABD is in your hands.

Yours faithfully

Jamie Sandford-Morgan

President, All British Day



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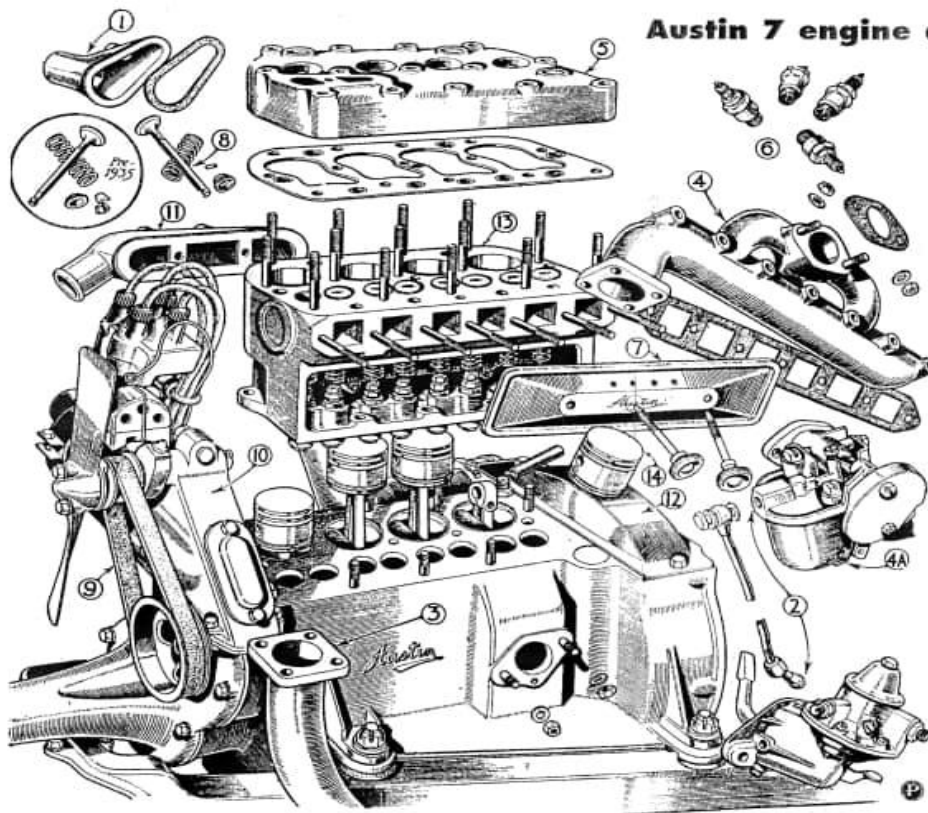


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Austin 7 engine dismantling order

If you are about to dismantle your engine and don't know quite where to start - here's quite a handy little diagram that has come our way - courtesy of Fred Gauci .

The parts are numbered in order of removal and are as follows:-

- 1** Upper water connection from cylinder head.
- 2** Petrol pipe from pump (tank on early boxes) to carburetor.
- 3** Exhaust pipe joint.
- 4** Combined exhaust and inlet manifold which may be removed complete with **(4a)** carburetor.
- 5** Cylinder head.
- 6** Spark plugs
- 7** Valve cover and **(8)** valve assembly with old type shown in circle.

This completes the dismantling for decarbonising and valve grinding but if it is also desired to gain access to the pistons - the following additional parts must be removed...

- 9** Fan belt.
- 10** Dynamo - distributor - fan assembly.
- 11** Lower water manifold.
- 12** Flywheel cover plate.
- 13** Cylinder block and **(14)** pistons.

To dismantle this complete list requires only 3 sizes of spanners.

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7/8 AF for the spark plugs.

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