



Austin 7 Club of S.A.

70th Anniversary 1953-2023

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5.5.23



1922 - Targa Florio, Circuit des Madonnies.
Enzo Ferrari sur Alfa Romeo.

What's on and What's not.

6.5.23-8.5.23 A7C PreWar Run Adelaide Hills

6.5-7.5.23 Naracoorte Swap Meet

7.5.23 British Classics Tour

7.5.23 Port Pirie Swap Meet

7.5.23 Naracoorte Swap Meet

8.5.23 A7C Club Meeting

16.5.23 A7C Leisure Run

21.5.23 Funkhana Cancelled

21.5.23 Cavalcade of Cars Kadina

22.5.23 A7C Technical Night

27.5-28.5.23 Historic Winton

4.6.23 A7C TTM Regularity #3

5.6.23 A7C Committee Meeting

**12.6.23 A7C Monthly Club Meeting at 7.30pm. preceded
by meal at Clubrooms.**

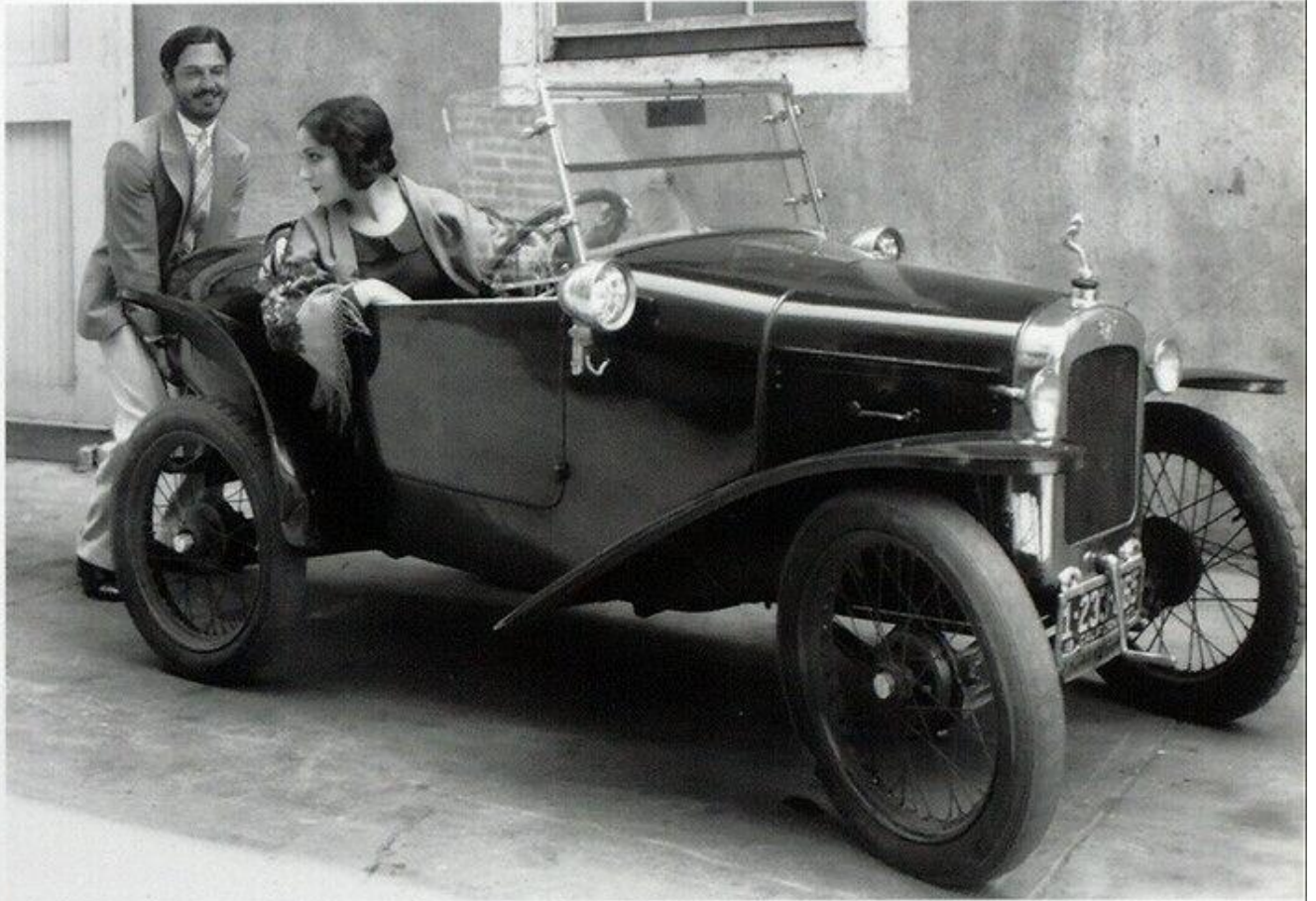
**17/23.6.23 Austin 7 Club SA Inc 70th Birthday drive to
Farina & Marree.**

18.6.23 A7C Sedan Swap Meet

26.6.23 A7C Technical Night

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

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Sports and Specials



Slippery Anne

Sillier than a Seven





2023 Dates

Our competition dates for 2023 are as follows.

June 4, July 23, Aug 27, Nov 5

All at Mallala



Backbone Hillclimb

formally Mt Alma Mile



12th - 14th May 2023
Mt Alma Road Inman Valley SA



SUPASERVICE
TYRE & AUTO

Do It 
For Dolly
Day '23



Austin 7 Club of S.A. Funkhana
Sunday May 21st, 2023



Due to insufficient interest

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Ralph Drage

Austin 7 Club of SA – Membership Secretary

0418 846 082

Leisure Run 16th May 2023

**Morning tea at the Lobethal Bakery at
Woodside**

Lunch at the Littlehampton Hotel

**Contact David Searles for Bookings
0408 700 047**





Austin 7 Club of S.A.

Technical Night 22nd May at 7.30pm

262 Tapleys Hills Rd. Seaton

Let's talk Speedsters.

Wolf's Perkolilli Car on display

Scotty's new car on display

Non-Members most welcome



Bring along your speed equipment for "Show & Tell".

46th HISTORIC WINTON[®]

Featuring
Pre-1965 Tin Top Regularity

27th and 28th May 2023



www.historicwinton.org

Winton Motor Raceway, Benalla, Victoria

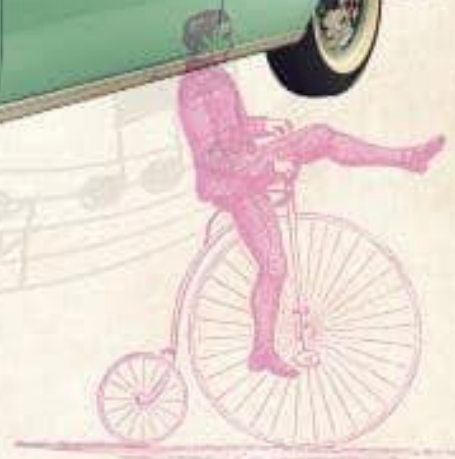




LAST
SUNDAY
OF MAY

CLASSIC & VINTAGE
**SHOW
N'SHINE**

10AM - 2PM
PORT BROUGHTON
FORESHORE



To register a vehicle please contact
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

OVERNIGHT AT Blinman Hotel Ph. 08 8648 4867

Day 3 Monday 19 June Blinman to Marree 214 km

Next two nights at Marree Hotel Ph.08 8675 8344

Day 4 Tuesday 20 June At Marree,

Return journey.

Day 5 Wednesday 21 June Marree to Hawker

OVERNIGHT AT Hawker Hotel. Ph 08 8648 4102 Kms 271

Day 6 Thursday 22 June

OVERNIGHT AT Paxtons, Burra 273 Kms

Day 7 Friday 23 June

Burra to Adelaide 160 km Total Return Journey 700 Kms

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

BURRA - MORGAN RUN

*A weekend of motoring
nostalgia & adventure*



Come and see the wonderful
collection of historic vehicles on

July **16** 2023

Cars will be lined up at Paxton Square
Cottages, Burra from 8.00am
to be flagged off at 9.30am

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

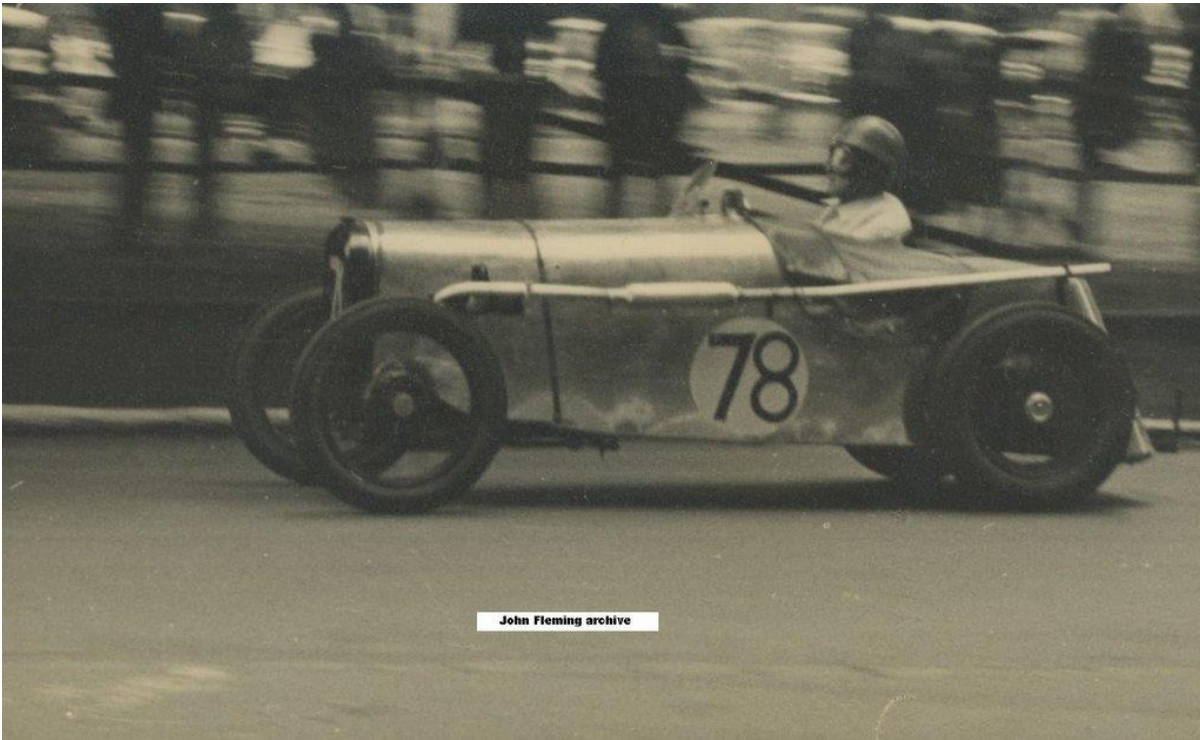
Regards

Tony Groom

AOA 2024 Director

0412 036 774

The Doc Grosvenor Austin 7



Raced by John Fleming at the 1953 Australian Grand Prix



Now in the care of Scott Appleyard.

Event 7 Entry list at the 1953 AGP

Event No. 7

2 p.m.

SCRATCH RACE FOR RACING CARS GRADE "B" 8 LAPS — 25 MILES



NO.:	ENTRANT:	CAR:	STATE:	CAPACITY:
36.	J F. Hickford	Lancia	Vic.	2660c.c.
25.	J Hall	Bugatti Holden	Vic.	2400c.c.
24.	J. H. O'Dea	H.R.G. Holden	Vic	2370c.c.
55.	G. W Baillieu Dvr H. Firth	Triumph Special	Vic.	2250c.c.
37.	D. J Landrigan	Vanguard	Vic.	2088c.c.
38.	G. D. Barr	Kestral Special	Vic.	1996c.c.
31.	E. A. Clay	H.R.G.	Vic.	1496c.c.
23.	R. Edgerton	M.G. Special	Vic.	1496c.c.
54.	H. Thompson	H.R.G.	Vic.	1496c.c.
39.	N. Wade	Austin	Vic.	1489c.c.
15.	N. Hamilton Dvr E. Tadgell	Porsche Special	Vic.	1488c.c.
40.	R. O. Robinson	Javelin Special	Vic.	1485c.c.
41.	L. A. Duckett	Jowett	Vic.	1485c.c.
30.	N. K. and S. B. Charge Dvr. N. K. Charge	M.G.	Vic.	1480c.c.
42.	W. H. Egan	M.G.	Vic.	1475c.c.
44.	G. H. Jennings	M.G.	Vic.	1286c.c.
20.	Platypus Stable Dvr. G. Nankervis	M.G.	Vic.	1250c.c.
29.	J E. Maurer	M.G.	Vic.	1250c.c.
21.	J. R. Lanyon	M.G.	Vic.	1250c.c.
19.	W Pile	M.G.	S.A.	1250c.c.
32.	M. Robertson	Indian	Vic.	1200c.c.
16.	E. Perkins	Volkswagen Special	Vic.	1192c.c.
46.	Ecurie Australie Dvr A. N. Davison	Cooper-Irving	Vic.	1115c.c.
47.	O. Bailey	H.R.D.	Vic.	1098c.c.
48.	E. J Davey-Milne	Cooper	Vic.	1098c.c.
22.	D. E. Jolly	Decca Special	S.A.	1097c.c.
49.	O. Stone	M.G. K3	Vic.	1086c.c.
26.	K. Wylie	Cooper	Vic.	998c.c.
50.	J. Fleming	Austin	Vic.	747c.c.
51.	D. Colbourne-Veel	Austin	Vic.	746c.c.
27.	L. Murphy	M.G. "Q"	Vic.	746c.c.
52.	G. Hепенstall	Neptune	Vic.	498c.c.

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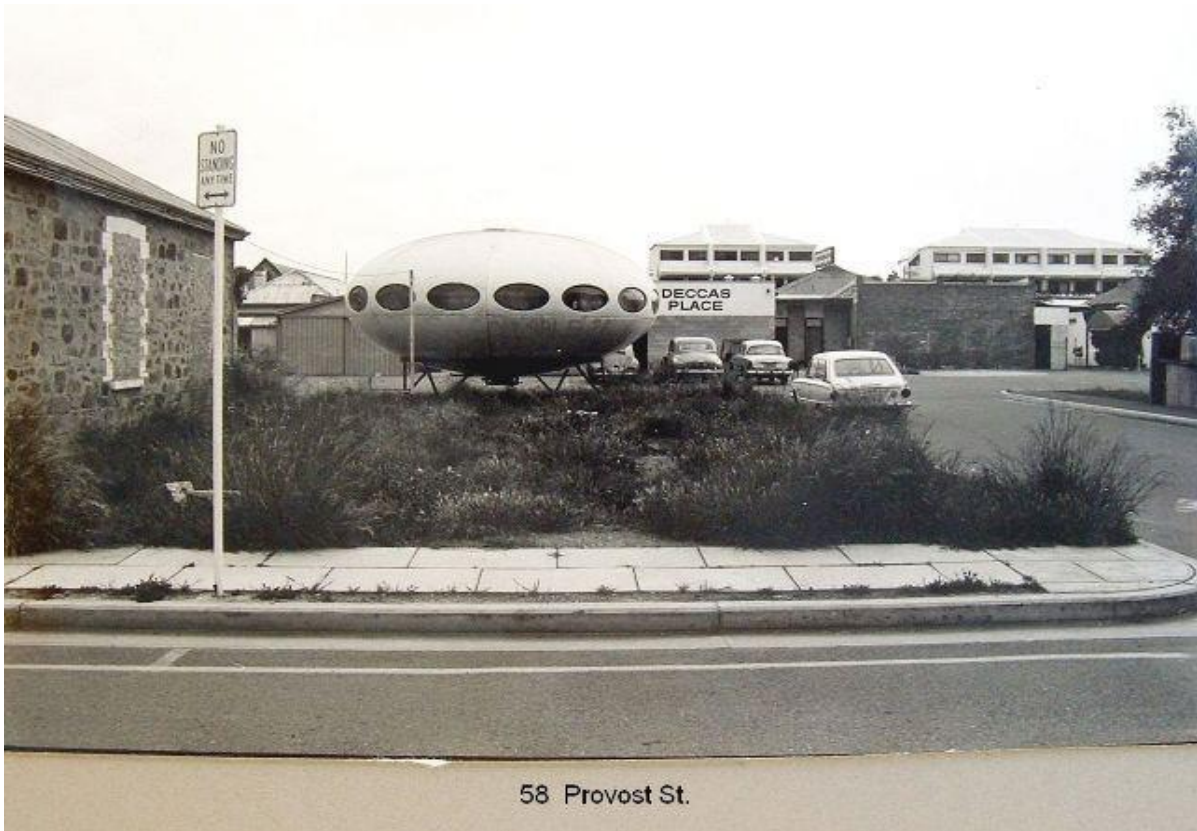
Outright Winner £40, 2nd £20, 3rd £10.

RESULTS

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Time

Old Adelaide



Futuro House in the car park behind Deccas Restaurant in Melbourne Street owned by Derek Jolly.

The Space Ship Building in Melbourne Street

by **Bob Byrne** on August 30, 2014 in **Places**

It was called 'Futuro' and was owned by Derek Jolly, entrepreneur and "larger than life" character who was responsible for much of the development of Melbourne Street in the early 70's. The building caused something of a stir among local residents at the time who felt it did not fit with the character of the area. (I think I see their point!)

The Futuro site was eventually purchased for the construction of an apartment building. As a result the Futuro was then relocated to Provost Street.

Dave Wally, writing on his regular blog, Weekend Notes commented; The Futuro house was made in the 1960's and early 1970's and was a round prefabricated house originally designed as a ski cabin by a Finnish man. It was quite popular originally although ultimately only less than 100 were made.

It certainly polarised opinion at the time, but after Derek Jolley's death the house was sold and has now "flown" to a remote location at Deep Creek, somewhere in the Cape Jervis area.

Former Adelaide radio personality John Kenneally stumbled on the Futuro space ship just recently while hiking the Heysen trail. It's now located at Blowhole Creek on the Fleurieu Peninsula.



Futuro House in its present location

It's good to know that this little piece of Adelaide's recent past has survived and has a new home.



Derek Jolly's Austin 7 Woodside December 1948



Derek Jolly was a Distributor and Factory Representative for Lotus.

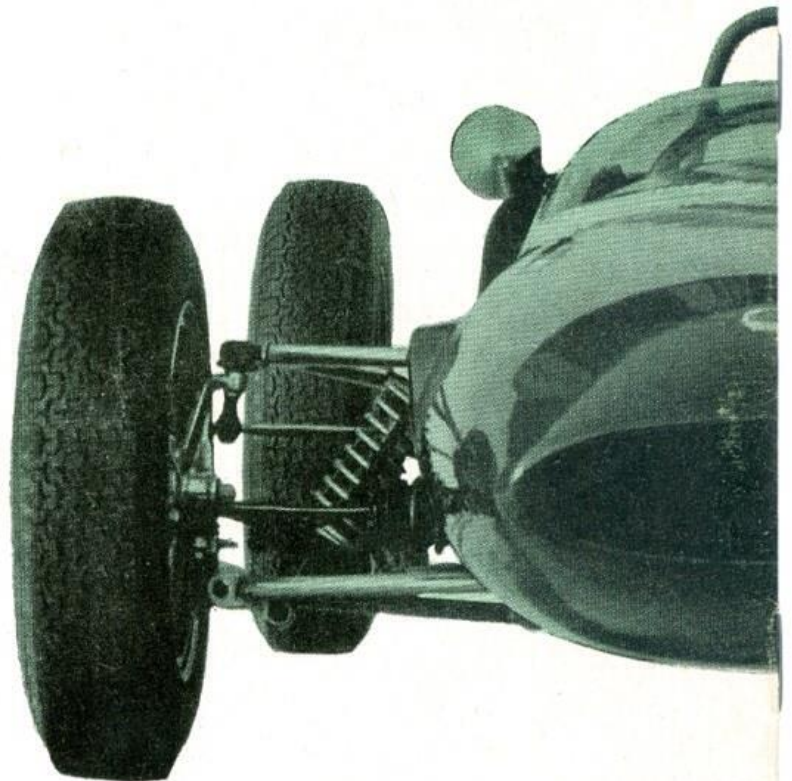
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LOTUS FORMULA 1

Derek E. Jolly

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The first appearance of the F.1 Lotus at Monaco 1961 was sensational to say the least — with front springs tucked inside the bodywork, the car looked more of a projectile than ever. The general opinion of everyone was that "Chapman had done it again."

And so it proved during the race; losing feet on the straights to the superior engine power of the Ferrari, the Lotus drivers were more than making up ground at curves and corners where cornering and braking power were immeasurably superior.

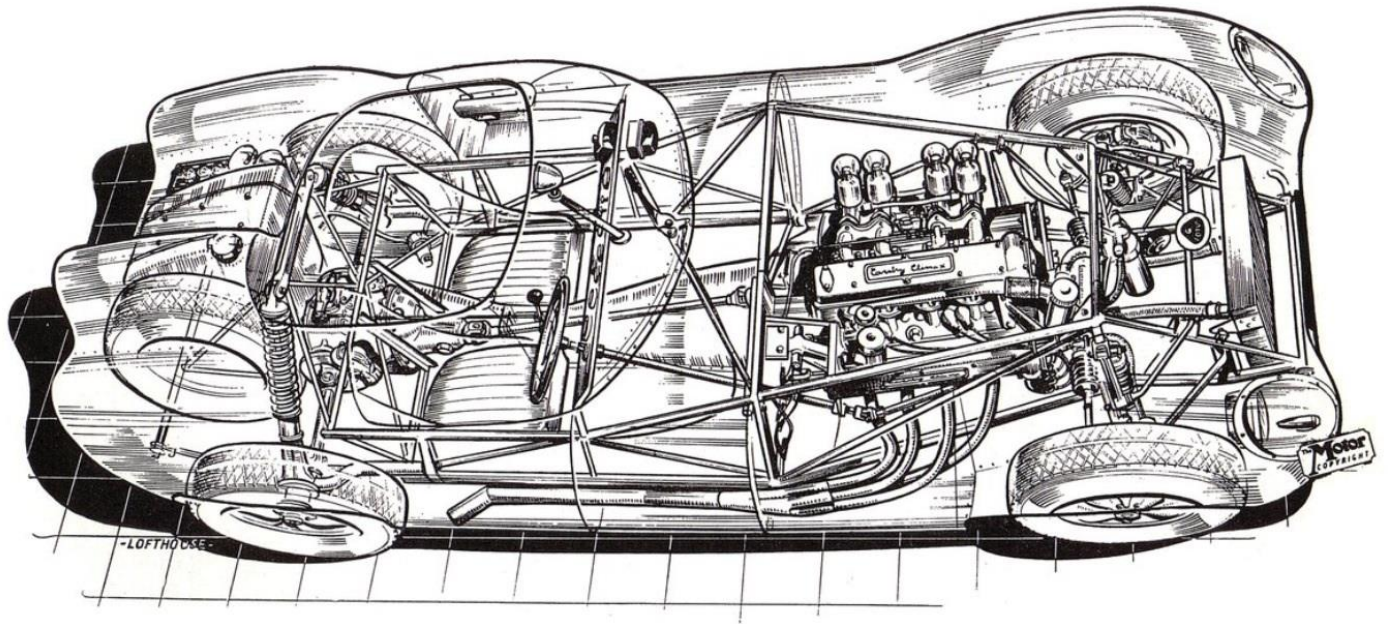
Brilliant successes during the year, were crowned by a win the Grand Prix of America, and capped off by four resounding victories in a row in South Africa.

Colin Chapman is regarded now as the most outstanding young designer in England. He regards it as the sincerest form of flattery that his designs are unashamedly copied all over the world. His work is entirely original and shows a freshness of approach that pleases the severest critic.

Jack Brabham was on the doorstep of the Lotus factory at Cheshunt, the moment he started out on his own, and not only purchased a 1961 model, but is hoping to take delivery of a brand new 1962 version for the start of the season.

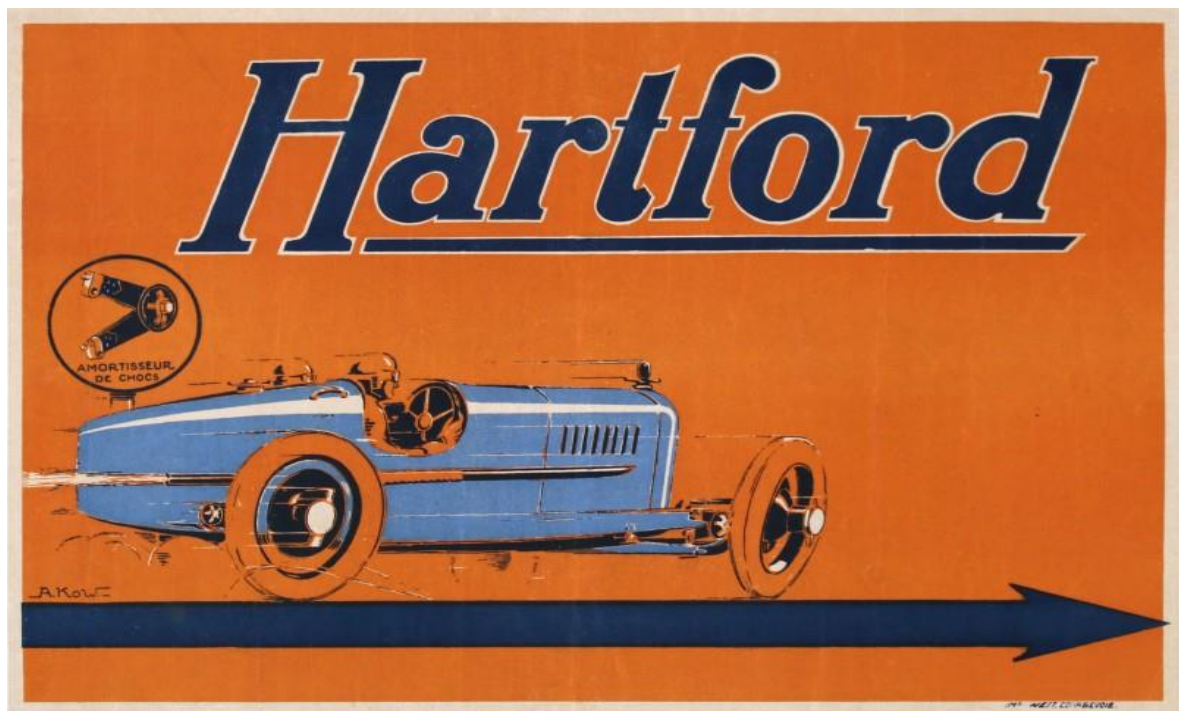
Soon the appearance of the 1962 model will be past history — and fans throughout the world will be following the fortunes of Lotus once more.

ART DIRECTION: JOHN LANYON



Lotus 15 Cutaway drawing.

Buy, Sell & Exchange



For Sale



Austin 7 1932 in need of restoration, not running motor in pieces some new parts see photos. Spare motor in pieces also.

Car is an old restoration that stopped running 20 years ago. See photos for condition. top in good condition, tonneau in good condition.

inspection recommended and welcomed.

Advertised on Ebay

Rob Underwood Goolwa S.A. 0431 822 937.



Looking to purchase an Austin A30 (preferably two door but understand they are quite rare).

Any condition will be considered but hoping not too much work required, I owned one many years ago and had a lot of interesting fun times in it.

Please contact me on Ph 0472 582 704

Ernie Rack

25 Nankitta Road

Mt Compass SA 5210

For Sale

**One set of Pistons with rings to suit an
Austin 8 2.235 +.060**



Phone Karl 0412 344 198

FOR SALE 1929 AUSTIN 7 SPECIAL

John Hewson would like to sell his Austin 7 2 Seater he has built up over the past few years.

It has a reconditioned motor which runs OK, Good Tyres and has 12 volt electrics.

Also included is the trailer to fit the Austin 7.

John is asking for a reasonable offer for this pair.

Please contact him on 0448 380 989

Photos are available in the July 2020 Austin 7 Club Journals.

Click on the link to see the photos.

[Microsoft Word - Jul 20 Journals \(austin7clubsa.com.au\)](http://austin7clubsa.com.au)

Friday Funny

Let's all take a moment to appreciate the time and effort this guy spent putting a strap on his dirt so it wouldn't fall off.

