



# **Austin 7 Club of S.A.**

**70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary 1953-2023**

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# **What's on and What's not.**

**8.10.23 Strathalbyn Swap Meet**

**9.10.23 A7C General Meeting**

**14.10.23 A7C Working Bee at Clubrooms 10-12**

**15.10.23 A7C 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration**

**17.10.23 A7C Leisure Run**

**22.10.23 Bay to Birdwood**

**23.10.23 A7C Tech night**

**28.10-29.10 A7C Coorong Adventure**

**5.11.23 Regularity**

**11.11.23-12.11.23 Bendigo Swap Meet**

**13.11.23 A7C General Meeting**

**17.11-19.11.23 Adelaide Rally**

**19.11.23 A7C Breakfast Run**

**27.11.23 A7C Technical Night Subs & Rego**

**10.12.23 A7C Christmas Dinner at Mawson Lakes**

**11.12.23 A7C Monthly Meeting Subs & Rego**

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

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Doreen Evans

## Sports and Specials





# Sillier than a Seven



**Our last competition Date for 2023 is Nov 5th**



# EVENT PROGRAM



## FRIDAY 6 OCT MURRAY BRIDGE SPEEDWAY

4:30PM GATES OPEN

4:45PM ENTRANT DRIVERS BRIEFING

5:00PM MOORE MECHANICAL AUTOKANA

5:30PM JIM WRIGHT EXHAUSTS GRAB A FLAG

6:00PM OUTLAW SPEED SHOP ROUND 1 BURNOUT COMPETITION



## SATURDAY 7 OCT STURT RESERVE

9:00AM SHOW N SHINE (Gold coin public entry fee)

*including Food Stalls, Trade Displays, Jumping Castles, Face Painting & more!*

1:00PM ENTRANTS ROLL THE DICE CRUISE

3:00PM SHOW N SHINE AWARD PRESENTATION

## MURRAY BRIDGE SPEEDWAY

2:00PM GATES OPEN

2:15PM ENTRANTS DRIVERS BRIEFING

2:30PM MOORE MECHANICAL AUTOKANA

3:30PM JIM WRIGHT EXHAUSTS GRAB A FLAG

4:30PM WILFUL DAMAGE GO TO WHOA

5:30PM OUTLAW SPEED SHOP ROUND 2 BURNOUT COMPETITION

10:00PM DRIVING AWARD PRESENTATIONS

*\*the times set out above may change without notice*





# 70 th Anniversary of the Austin 7 Club of S.A.



The club held its first meeting on the 29<sup>th</sup> of June 1953 at Glenelg and is still going strong today.

The Austin 7 Club of S.A. Inc. turned 70 years old this year and we are having a celebration at the clubrooms on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2023. between 11am and 3pm.

If you have a “club” vehicle (historic or race), feel free to bring it so it can be on show as part of the celebration.

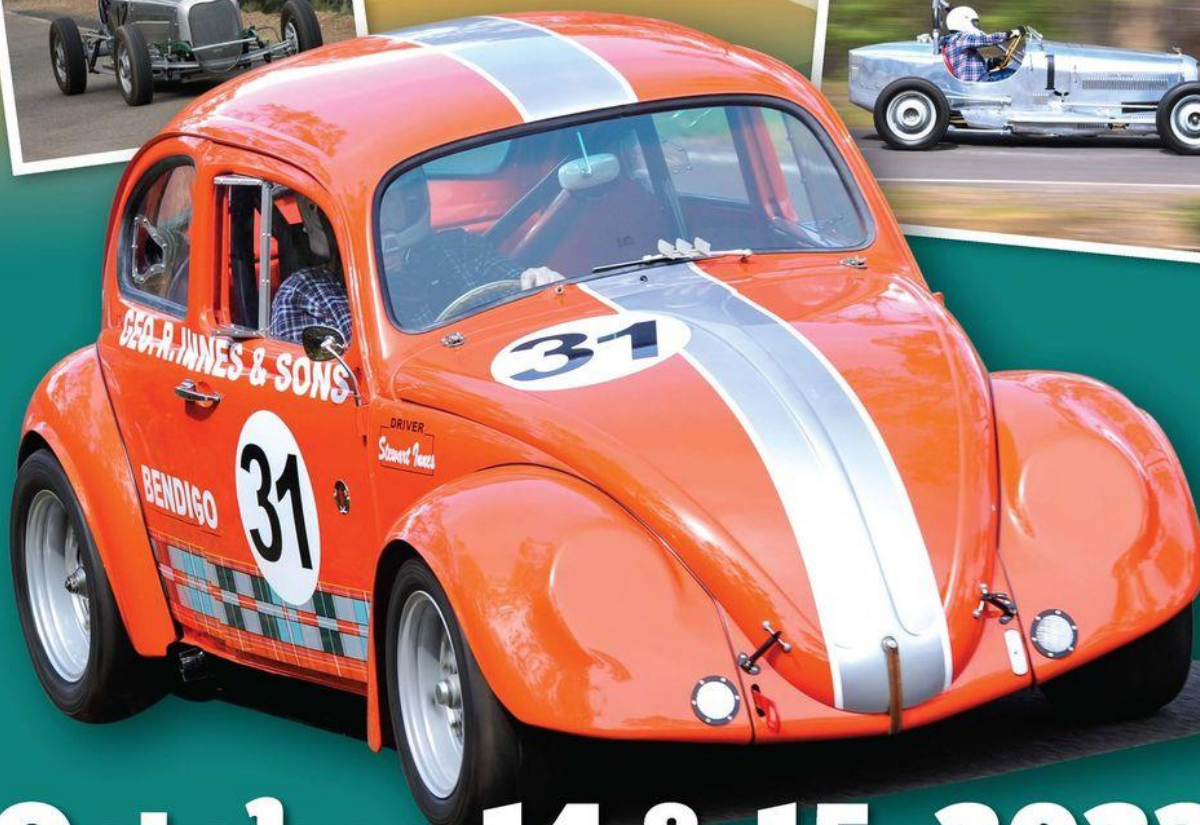
The first 50 years of the club’s history has been well documented - see <https://austin7clubsa.com.au/club-info/50th-book/50th-book-contents/>



# MOUNT TARRENGOWER

## Historic Hillclimb

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# October 14 & 15, 2023

*The bikes are running...*



TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE GATE ON BOTH DAYS.

Organised by Bendigo Car Club

[bendigocarclub.com.au](http://bendigocarclub.com.au)



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# **Leisure Run**

**17<sup>th</sup> October 2023**

**Strappers Café Denham Ave Morphettville  
for Coffee.**



**Then to the Broadway Hotel 61 Broadway  
Glennelg for Lunch.**





# BAY to BIRDWOOD

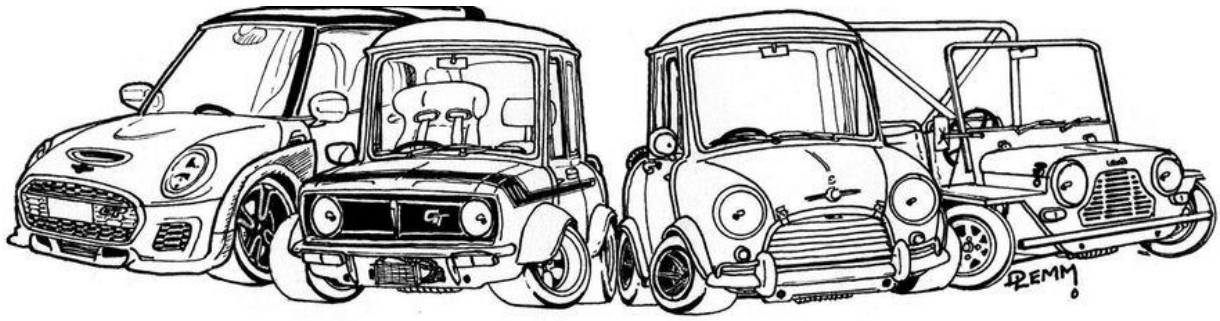
22 October 2023



27 - 29 October 2023

The Bend Motorsport Park

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# Minis at the Mill

1993 **30<sup>TH</sup>** 2023  
ANNIVERSARY

## Sunday November 5<sup>th</sup>

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**SUNDAY**  
5 NOVEMBER 2023  
10 AM - 3 PM

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**The Bendigo Swap Meet**

**The next Swap Meet will be held  
11-12 November 2023**



**WAYVILLE SHOWGROUNDS ADELAIDE**  
**Friday night November 17th &**  
**all day Saturday November 18th**



MARCH 3, 2024

## ALL BRITISH DAY INCORPORATED

PO BOX 3153, SALISBURY EAST, SA 5109  
WEBSITE; [WWW.ALLBRITISHDAY.COM](http://WWW.ALLBRITISHDAY.COM)

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

September 2023

Dear All British Day Entrants,

It is pleasing to report our new committee is on track to stage and celebrate the 40<sup>th</sup> All British Day next March. Each year I am aware that, many years ago, many may have attended a much smaller display of cars at St Clair Reserve Woodville in the early 1980s which was the start of All British Day. A day put on by the clubs for the clubs.

The growth of the event necessitated a couple of changes of venues. After many years at Uraidla we had out grown the space available, and ten years ago we moved to Echunga. We have been fortunate to be able to display a wide range of British vehicles, made possible, thanks to the rich and diverse engineering and manufacturing might of Britain, complemented by the many enthusiastic and talented owners that keep these vehicles in fine fettle for the public to appreciate and admire each year.

All British Day has always been a family picnic day with vehicles displayed by marque or club. Many clubs use the day to bring awareness of their club and vehicles to the public. Some of the vehicles on display may not be all that well known to the public, but on the other hand, many vehicles on display earn recognition from passers-by, and it is not uncommon to hear "I had one of those"! And, of course, the day is a good chance to catch up with friends and fellow enthusiasts.

All British Day is a community event, and we all must take some satisfaction that All British Day offers great fundraising opportunities for many of the local community groups that provide food and refreshments on the day. We have also been able to support the local school and the CFS with donations each year. However, we have had our obstacles, the biggest being Covid. This had a devastating effect around the world and a negative impact on many organisations, including those in SA.



From a financial perspective, as a not-for-profit event, our objective each year is to generate just enough funds to permit us to put on the event in the following year. Since 2016 we have both weathered and absorbed many price rises from suppliers and service providers. A minimal increase in entry prices will be introduced for 2024.

In March next year, we will have much to celebrate! An impressive display will be provided by the MG Car Club, the inaugural International British Bike muster including many and varied motorbikes, and finally, the 90th birthday of the Sporting Car Club of South Australia, a club that has a rich history in the South Australian motoring community. For those attending Echunga next year, I have no doubt many fine examples of British engineering will be on display.

All this is in addition to the other many excellent examples of British engineering that attend each year. September 30, 2023, is the date when we will open the website for registrations. We are looking forward to hosting ABD 2024. See you there!

TO REGISTER: Visit our website [www.allbritishday.com](http://www.allbritishday.com).

Yours faithfully

Jamie Sandford-Morgan

President

All British Day



# *Austins over Australia 2024*

7<sup>th</sup> March -11<sup>th</sup> March 2024



## **NEWSLETTER No.2**

**Hello fellow Austin enthusiasts.**

**Planning is nearly complete, and Orange is waiting for us.**

**To date we have had 125 expressions of interest and now it is time to sign up for AOA2024.**

**The official registration form and the regalia / meals form.**

**Note: These forms can't be filled in on-line.**

**You will need to print them off to fill in your details, then scan and email or post them back to us ASAP. Along with payment. If paying by EFT (our preferred method) please use your initial and surname as a reference and include a copy of your receipt.**

**Don't forget to include a photo of your Austin for the rally book.**



# **Entries close November 1st, 2023.**

**Thursday Afternoon registration will be at the Orange Function Centre and a full Meet and Greet meal will also be there the same evening. Award winning Smoking Brothers Catering will provide a buffet of smoked meats and sides plus dessert.**

**Friday lunch at Millthorpe includes entry to the Golden Memories Museum and will consist of rissoles and coleslaw, a cake plus tea and coffee.**

**Saturday's picnic lunch will be supplied by Molong CWA.**

**On Sunday the 3 course Gala dinner will be at Orange Ex-Services Club and the morning tea on Monday includes entry to historic Abercrombie house.**

**Rally packs and Regalia items are specially made to order and are therefore non-refundable but available for a friend to pick up for you in your absence.**

**One cloth badge and one metal badge will be included in your rally pack. Extra badges can be ordered via the regalia form.**

**And lastly, don't forget to book your accommodation if you haven't already done so.**

**[Link to the official entry form](#)**

**[AOA 2024 Entry Form.pdf \(amvcnsw.com.au\)](https://amvcnsw.com.au/entry-form)**

# ALL HISTORIC

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# 05

MAY  
2024

# INVITATION OLD CROCKS' RUN

# 90

YEARS

To celebrate the 90<sup>th</sup> Year of the Old Cocks' Run. All pre 1935 vehicles are welcome to attend this commemorative run from the **Adelaide CBD to Wigley Reserve, Glenelg, on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2024**. Please mark this event in your calendar. A display of vehicles along with food and drink stalls and other entertainment for the whole family and car enthusiast is planned at Glenelg.

More details soon.

8373 4899



ADELAIDE CBD  
TO GLENELG

**WIGLEY  
RESERVE**



Organised by the Sporting Car Club of SA as part of clubs 90<sup>th</sup> anniversary

[sportingcarclub.com.au](http://sportingcarclub.com.au)



**Historic Collingrove Great Weather, Great Cars and some of our members learning the craft of Hillclimbing.**



**David Biven's Singer**



**Jim Henderson's Austin 7**









**Gary Brock's Oldsmobile**





**Chris Frost's Hartwig Fargo Special**



**Toby & Sophie Wilson's Austin**



**Jarrett's Mini**



**Palmer Rod run was on the same day.**











## Old Adelaide

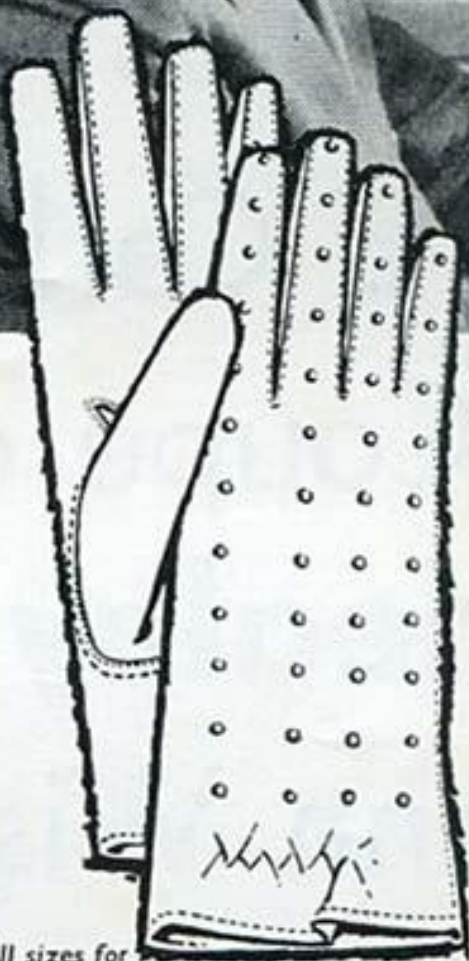


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# **For Sale**

## **1937 Austin 10**

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<https://photos.app.goo.gl/6rwbFABK8Qfb3Jsk9>



- Definitely not running and likely plenty to do mechanically.
- I think all the major metal and glass parts are present and in one piece (including window glass).
- All the original seats and interior lining fabrics are long since broken down. (The blue seat covers are ones that Dad made about 30 years ago, they may be salvageable, unsure)
- The tyres and some rubber/plastic parts are as-new - he bought some items about 6 or 7 years ago.
- Darren Fidler
- 0416349402

## **Friday Funny**



# **ZIPTIES**

**Good for holding stuff together.  
Better for playing practical jokes.**