# SUNSHINE COAST ANTIQUE CAR CLUB



(Incorporating Antique Car Club of Nambour) A.B.N. 64 010 012 781

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## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Our Club exists to foster, encourage and advance interest in the history, restoration, care and preservation of old engine driven vehicles which come within the scope of the classification of vehicles as defined in the Rules of the Club.

### Meetings

We meet on the fourth Tuesday of each month except December. Meetings usually take place in our Clubhouse at the Nambour Showground, Coronation Road, Nambour commencing at 7.30pm. Usually a short vehicle related movie is shown beforehand. All members and associates are encouraged to attend meetings and in particular the AGM in November.

### **Membership**

Membership is open to anyone with a genuine interest in our aims. Ownership of a car, restored or unrestored, is not a requirement but active participation is.

Applicants are asked to complete an application form and attend three Club organised events so that members can get to know you before being accepted at a committee meeting prior to being introduced at the next General Meeting. Partners of members automatically become an associate member (without voting rights) but may elect to become a dual member in their own right for a reduced annual fee.

## Financial Year and Annual Subscription

Our financial year ends on the 30<sup>th</sup> September but subscriptions are due by the end of February.

Currently (2021) the annual subscription is \$45 for single/associate membership and \$55 for dual membership. These fees are subject to review at the AGM in November each year.

## Rallies and Events

The objective of our car rallies is to use and show the public our cars for an enjoyable safe outing, sometimes including a driving and/or navigation challenge. An event is organised for most months. Some events will be in conjunction with other like-minded clubs and can range from a breakfast run to a full weekend or week of activities. Members are encouraged to attend as many rallies as possible.

#### Concessional Registration

In all States and Territories a system of concessional registration and third party insurance exists for special interest vehicles but there are <a href="strict">strict</a> rules that all must abide by and usage is limited. The concession is designed for 'hobby' use only and not for daily use of your vehicle. Go to <a href="www.qld.gov.au">www.qld.gov.au</a> and search 'special interest vehicle scheme guide' which should take you to a screen where you can choose a PDF format print of the rules. The Club's Dating and Inspection Officers can also help you with the necessary paperwork for Queensland Transport.

#### The Company

Sunshine Coast Antique Car Club is a not-for-profit company limited by a guarantee of \$20 per member.

# The Swap

Apart from the membership fee, the only fund raising comes from our annual swap, always held the last Saturday in July. Members are expected to give a minimum of 3 hours towards the running of the swap, which is only 1 day, but setup is the 3 days prior. With an ageing membership it is becoming increasingly difficult to have enough volunteers so we need your full support.

#### Club Funds

Funds raised from the swap enables the club to support the club expenses throughout the year and finance at least 2 events for disabled adults. Many aged care homes on the coast also request visits by members and their cars.