

To the Motoring Enthusiast



Federation Motorfest Classic 2017

Motorfest Classic for 2017 is here and welcome to this year's events. The events have been organised by some of South Australia's great historic car clubs and will certainly be of interest to our Interstate, Country and local enthusiasts. Again the various day outings will take you to many well known, and some not so well known places of interest. For this Motorfest Classic we have some very different never been done before destinations which range from the lower mid north to the Fleurieu showcasing so much of our great state of South Australia. We trust that as many of you as possible will take advantage of this wonderful programme and avail yourselves to as many Motorfest Classic events as possible. Please be aware that you do not require a specific vehicle to enter any of these events. You may use any vehicle you wish to, including your current model family car or Mum's taxi.

Happy Motoring.

Graham Tonkin
Federation Motorfest Classic Director

Programme

18 September to 29 September – Entries close 8 September 2017

Please note: ALL EVENTS ARE OPEN TO ALL MAKES & TYPES OF VEHICLES (including moderns)

Entry into the "Bay to Birdwood Classic" is not a prerequisite for participation in "Motorfest Classic" events.

Day 1 Monday 18 September

FLOUR MILLS OF THE ADELAIDE HILLS

Hosted by the Adelaide Hills Motor Restorers Club

Join members of the Adelaide Hills Motor Restorers Club for a drive through the Adelaide Hills to their clubrooms for Morning Tea. Then a look at various flour mills then on to the Bridgewater Mill with its turning waterwheel. Here you can enjoy an optional lunch which also has a wine tasting lounge or BYO lunch.

Limited to 40 vehicles

Day 2 Tuesday 19 September

A DAY AT THE FLICKS

Hosted by the Early Ford V-8 Club of SA

Last time it was a huge success so once again we invite you to travel 140 kms to the historic mid north town of Blyth. On arrival enjoy a country style Morning Tea courtesy of the local ladies. Then settle in for a movie in the restored old time Blyth cinema complete with kiosk where you can buy Jaffas to roll down the aisle. After the movie lunch can be taken at the historic Blyth Hotel (optional) or you can BYO lunch in the nearby park.

Limited to 80 people.

Day 3 Wednesday 20 September

A MUSEUM & A SHED OR TWO

Hosted by the Gawler Veteran, Vintage & Classic Vehicle Club

From Glandore we will travel to Balhannah to visit the Wicks Family Museum & Car Collection. This will also be our morning tea stop where members of the GVV&CVC will serve morning tea. From here we will proceed north through the Adelaide Hills to Humbug Scrub & a Patternmaker's Shed specialising in Veteran & Vintage car parts. Our next stop will be for a BBQ lunch at Nyroca Stud where we will be met by members of the GVV&CVC with a display of their cars. After lunch we continue our cruise along the One Tree Hill – Gawler Scenic Route to another shed in Gawler with a collection of early Fords, Stationary engines and auto memorabilia. A perfect way to finish your day is by exploring the main Street of Gawler with many cafes and shops to browse. Cruise approx. 92 km.

Limited to 100 persons

Day 4 Thursday 21 September

ARIEL VIEWING OF CHEVS

Hosted by the Falcon Car Club of SA

Leaving Glandore we will cruise to Nuriootpa to view Eric Parker's collection of 100 Chevs and 100 Ariel motorcycles.

From here we will travel to the Tanunda Community Club for lunch.

Limited to 100 persons.

Day 5 Friday 22 September
CLASSIC CARS & FINE ART

Hosted by the Sporting Car Club of SA

This is a short drive through the suburbs to view a beautifully presented private collection of classic cars, model cars and memorabilia. Also on display is a fine selection of photography, paintings, porcelain and glassware from our artistic club members. This event will have something of interest for everyone. Enjoy a Morning Tea supplied by the club while inspecting this interesting collection. After our viewing it is a short drive to the Clubrooms for a catered lunch, tours of our prestigious clubrooms and a leisurely browse in our extensive automotive library.

No Limits

Day 7 Sunday 24 September
THE BAY TO BIRDWOOD CLASSIC

Day 8 Monday 25 September
WHEELS AND TRACKS

Hosted by the Military Vehicle Preservation Society

We invite you on a run of approximately 40 kilometres to visit the National Military Vehicle Museum at Edinburgh Park. The 6 acre site with onsite parking is a group of heritage listed buildings built during World War 2 which now house an extensive collection of historic military vehicles. On display is an operational 1942 American M3 Tank powered by a 250 HP radial aircraft engine and more than 60 other vehicles and equipment depicting the contribution of automotive manufacturers to the Australian Military Forces. On arrival tea and coffee will be provided. There will be a guided tour of the Museum followed by a BBQ lunch at the Museums all weather eating area. Later there will be a tour of the Restoration Workshop then the volunteers will demonstrate the capabilities of vehicles on the Museum testing area. For the more adventurous there is the opportunity to ride in the vehicles.

No Limits

Day 9 Tuesday 26 September
A GRAVE EXPERIENCE

Hosted by the Morris Register of SA

Welcome to our hosted run in which we will partake of a guided walking tour of the West Terrace Cemetery. We will explore Life, Death and the Hereafter. Discover the true heart of South Australia through the eyes of those who lay there. Discover the stories of everyday South Australians plus much more. Requirements dress for the conditions, wear sturdy closed toe shoes, a hat and sunscreen, carry sufficient water and take an umbrella if wet. Then return to our clubrooms for a BBQ lunch.

Limited to 80 people

Day 10 Wednesday 27 September
BIGGEST MORNING TEA & Y P FIELD DAYS

Hosted by the Maitland Auto Preservation Society

For the 2017 series of Motorfest Classic events, MAPS, Maitland Auto Preservation Society invites you to join us on a run which take you up Highway One to Port Wakefield and on to the famous Yorke Peninsula Field Days, with the morning tea stop at Kulpara, a well deserved stop after the climb up the Hummocks.

Specific Parking will be provided at the Field Day site.

Limited to 50 people

Day 11 Thursday 28 September
FLEURIEU COAST BECKONS

Hosted by the Historic Motor Vehicles Club

The Historic Motor Vehicles Club, Fleurieu is proud to host the 2017 southern region of the Fleurieu with a visit to the Dennis Martin Museum and a mystery private collection of garagenalia, automobilia and vehicles with Devonshire tea at the Club's Victor Harbor premises then travel to Middleton for lunch.

Limited to 60 to 70 people

Please send your entry form to:

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MOTORFEST CLASSIC HEADQUARTERS

Motorfest Classic Headquarters for 2017 will be at the clubrooms of the Combined Car Clubs, part of the Glandore Community Complex. They are located in Clark Avenue, Glandore. There is plenty of paved off street parking, easy access to facilities and the clubrooms will be open each morning to welcome our guests.

Website: www.baytobirdwood.com.au