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Council Communique

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CRS incorporates 60 days personal use

The ACT's Concessional Registration Scheme for Vintage, Veteran and Historic vehicles, including Historic Modified vehicles, and incorporating 60 days personal use, will be introduced on **Monday 3rd April 2023**.

Council of ACT Motor Clubs' President, Roger Amos, said "this was major reform for both the Council and Transport Canberra and brings the territory into line with the other states. "The logbook based scheme will mean that owners of concessionally registered vehicles (CRS) will be able to use their vehicles for up to 60 days per annum for any purpose except commercial use. Use of the vehicle for Club activities is in addition to this new entitlement."

Logbooks will be available from Access Canberra shopfronts from **Wednesday 8th March** for \$12 each and are valid for five years.

To obtain a logbook members will be required to produce proof of ownership of the vehicle, an ACT Drivers licence and a current club membership card of a CACTMC Affiliated Club.

Non compliance with the rules of the 60-day usage system could face a fine of \$750.

The logbook **MUST** be filled out at the beginning of each journey.

A multi-day event requires an entry in the logbook for each individual day.

Notice of Meeting for Club Registrars

With the approaching introduction of the new Concessional Registration Scheme in the ACT, I have been tasked by the Council President to ensure that all Club Registrars are fully briefed on the changes and the introduction plan. To this end, I have been discussing the changes etc with the managers at Access Canberra and the Motor Vehicle Inspection Station at Hume.

Therefore, there will be a briefing for all Club Registrars on **Saturday 4 March at 2.30 pm** at the **Spanish Australian Club**, 5 Narupai Place, Narrabundah 2604.

Please ensure that you attend this meeting in person, as you will play a critical part in the introduction and operation of the new scheme. If you cannot attend, please ensure that your Club is represented at the meeting to receive the essential details of the scheme.

Following my presentation, there will be a question & answer session on matters relating to the new scheme.

Dave Rogers
Registrar
Council of ACT Motor Clubs



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Mulligans Flat Woodlands Sanctuary to receive CACTMC Carbon Offset funds

The Council of ACT Motor Clubs has agreed that the 2022/23 Carbon Offset Project funds, approximately \$780, received as voluntary donations from affiliated clubs are to be directed to Mulligans Flat Woodlands Sanctuary for revegetation and reclamation work.

Wanted: History of the Canberra Pie Cart

This is a call for information about the Canberra Pie Cart to enable CACTMC to assemble a full history of our iconic vehicle.

We are interested in hearing from anyone that may have worked for Lester Donahue or Tom Wilkinson (the Pie Cart proprietors), or made purchases of the products sold from pie cart around the Government's offices during the week or at sporting events on the weekends. We are also interested in hearing from people that were involved in the Pie Cart Restoration Project in the early 2000s.

People with stories, reminiscences and/or photographs of the Pie Cart while plying its trade around Canberra, are asked to contact CACTMC's Vice President, Mark Saunders.

Please email your stories and photographs to: VicePresident@CACTMC.org.au



Photo by Martin Ollman: Canberra Pie Cart at **Classics At Kambri**, ANU, 16th February 2020



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Incorporation Reminder

Council of ACT Motor Clubs' Affiliated Clubs are reminded that incorporation becomes a mandatory requirement for Affiliation after 30 June 2023. Clubs that are not incorporated beyond this date will cease to be affiliated and their members will consequently lose access to Concessional Registration.

Please ensure that proof of your Club's incorporation is lodged with the Secretary asap, and prior to 30 June 2023.

Re affiliation reminder

Clubs are reminded that re-affiliation with the Council of ACT Motor Clubs is due not later than June 30 2023. The 2023-24 Reaffiliation forms will be available on the web in March.

Clubs are also reminded that the payment of affiliation fees is to be done by Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) or direct deposit into the CACTMC account. Council's auditing requirements preclude payment by cheque or cash.

Wheels 2024

The Canberra Antique and Classic Motor Club have organised Wheels for the past four years and believe it is time for another Club to take on the task.

CACTMC is therefore seeking a Club to manage the next Wheels event. Canberra Antique & Classic Motor Club have undertaken to provide information on past events and all necessary contact details to ensure that the new organising committee is fully equipped.

Email *Expressions of Interest* to organise Wheels 2024 to: Secretary@cactmc.org.au

Next CACTMC General Meeting

Thursday 16th March @ 7:30pm; Spanish Australian Club, 5 Narupai Place, Narrabundah 2604.