

## Welcome to the Federation



# Motorfest

1986 - 2016

Dear Motoring Enthusiast

In an everchanging world Motorfest, for the past thirty years, has been providing a selection of events showcasing South Australia and providing entertainment and fellowship for enthusiasts from every corner of Australia and sometimes the world.

The Federation of Historic Motoring Clubs SA invites the 2016 Bay to Birdwood entrants and other motoring enthusiasts to join us for a fortnight of interesting and fun events. We hope you will enjoy taking part in our various events and at the same time see a little more of Adelaide and its surrounds.

Please choose from the programme, events in which you wish to participate, make your selections, complete the coupon and return to the Entry Director. Further details will then be sent to you.

We look forward to meeting new and old friends in September.

*Happy and safe motoring.*

*Richard Steen*

Federation Motorfest Director

## Motorfest 2016 Programme

19-30 September 2016 – Entries Close 5 September 2016

**PLEASE NOTE: ALL EVENTS ARE OPEN TO ALL MAKES AND TYPES OF VEHICLES**

### DAY 1 Monday 19 September

#### KNOW YOUR ABC

*Hosted by the Motorfest Committee*

A special tour of the Adelaide ABC, Collinswood Studios has been organised for the Motorfest Federation of Historic Motoring Clubs. This walking tour will show you the "behind the scenes" of just how the magic of broadcasting is created.

You will have the opportunity to chat to local 891 radio presenters and other ABC staff and see the set where the nightly ABC news is broadcast and the control room that makes it all happen.

Further to this, you may see the Sound Library with its enormous collection of CDs and find out just how music gets into your computer, home or car. Other studios may include the Orchestral studio, TV recording studio and ABC newsroom – the biggest in SA. A preordered lunch is available at the (staff) Tregenna Cafe.

**Limited to 45 people**

### DAY 2 Tuesday 20 September

#### BAROSSA JAGUAR EXPERIENCE

*Hosted by the Barossa Valley Historical Vehicle Club Inc*

Beware amongst the vineyards and rolling hills of the Barossa Valley the cat is loose.

We will depart Motorfest Headquarters, in no time leave the city behind and soon be in "The Valley" the home of award winning wines, legendary hospitality, the charm of the buildings it's all here and so is the cat.

We will meet the members from the Barossa club in Tanunda at the striking showroom that houses the Lindner Jaguar Collection, a sight to behold.

From here to morning tea at the charming Bethany reserve in the Barossa's first settled town.

Then a drive through the vineyard country to Lyndoch the gate way to The Barossa.

Our hosts at the Lyndoch Hotel will prepare a delicious sit down lunch then who knows what other surprises?

**No limits**

### DAY 3 Wednesday 21 September

#### HISTORIC RAMBLINGS

*Hosted by the Gawler Veteran, Vintage & Classic Vehicle Club Inc*

From Glandore we will head to the National Trust's 1854 Old Highercombe Hotel at the Tea Tree Gully Heritage Museum to see all manner of artefacts from the hotels past; post office, school rooms, private residence and more!

Morning tea will be provided by the museum volunteers. Outside you will see themed displays depicting living and working in the early days of the district, watch a blacksmith shaping red hot metal and inspect the equipment used by wheelwrights and other pioneering "tradies".

From Tea Tree Gully we will travel through spectacular views to Dead Man Pass where, in 1837, Col. William Light discovered a dead body in a tree, hence the name. Luckily the body was long ago removed, as it is here in this shady park that we will enjoy

lunch provided from our club BBQ trailer. Then through Gawler to view several interesting club vehicles including Jags.

Then onto the Shea-Oak Log Machinery Museum. This "Hidden Gem" contains some 150 machines including working examples of huge steam tractors, engines, giant diesel engines, historically significant farm implements, working models, old vehicles and other surprises. Return through Gawler to experience more history or the hospitality of any of the many historic pubs, eateries and cafes, or travel directly to Adelaide via the Northern Expressway.

**No limits**

### DAY 4 Thursday 22 September

#### PLAYING WITH TRAINS

*Hosted by the Morris Register of SA Inc*

"Pauline Plunket's Perilous Predicament". Our scene is set this year on an abandoned Railroad Track in the Southern States of the USA in the Days of Prohibition.

Register at Motorfest HQ at 8.30 a.m. and enjoy tea and coffee while you attend the official enquiry at which amateur silent movie will capture the terrifying ordeal of Pauline Plunket as she is strapped to the line in front of the Nashville Flyer and the heart stopping moment when the hero arrives to snatch her away in the nick of time. Period "WANTED" posters will be flashed on the screen to assist you in identifying the villains in this dastardly Plot. It will be your task to examine the motives, opportunities and methods of the characters to win the splendid trophy on offer for the day.

We depart CCC and travel a short distance to SASMEE Millswood where our Hosts, The Society of Model Engineers will welcome us and we ride the rails on magnificent working model trains built lovingly by members of the Society.

Waving Goodbye to SASMEE we wend our way to the Morris Register Club Rooms for a catered BBQ lunch, with sweets to follow and plenty of tea and coffee, once again included in your entry cost.

Your suggested solutions to this mystery will have been analysed by early afternoon and the trophy awarded with plenty of time to get ready if you are going to Uncle Arthur's Film Night at the Capri. Early Registration is recommended - Don't miss this Special Event

**Limited to 40 vehicle entries**

### DAY 4a Thursday evening 22 September

#### UNCLE ARTHUR'S NIGHT AT THE THEATRE

*Hosted by the Motorfest Committee*

In an everchanging world Motorfest, for the past thirty years, has been providing a selection of events showcasing South Australia and providing entertainment and fellowship for enthusiasts from every corner of Australia and sometimes the world.

One of the most popular events in the Motorfest calendar is "Uncle Arthur's Film Night". Evolving from a series of slide evenings presented by the late Bob Lawrence and his wife Joan, featuring vehicles from around the world, to old films shown in church halls to its current format at the Capri Cinema.

The Capri is a vintage cinema built in the 1940's and lovingly

preserved by an enthusiastic band of volunteers dedicated to maintaining the ambience of a bygone era. The Cinema is especially proud of the magnificent Wurlitzer Organ with a console mounted on a descending platform which rises to the stage during performances.

The Committee in association with the Capri management is assembling a traditional programme to delight the audience, and the very popular finger food supper will again be catered by Platters Plus.

**No Limits**

### DAY 5 Friday 23 September

#### CITY TO THE PORT VETERAN VEHICLE RUN

*Hosted by the Veteran Car Club of SA Inc*

Veteran vehicles already assembled at Veale Gardens will be joined by Non-Veterans arriving from Motorfest Headquarters travelling via the southern suburbs.

BYO morning tea (and a chair) to enjoy while the vehicles are on display. All vehicles depart Veale Gardens at 11.30-11.45 am.

The run from Adelaide to Alberton will be based on veteran vehicle pace only, which is not so bad, with scheduled catch up stops arranged at nominated points on Jeffcott Street and Torrens Road, Alberton. Depending on the number of non-veteran entries, a longer route may be provided for these vehicles, but they will be expected to meet at the two catch up points along the way.

Lunch will be at the Alberton Oval on Brougham Place.

The return route will be at the entrant's leisure. You will be issued with a map to enable your return to the Glandore Community Centre. NB: Trailers will not be permitted to be left at Veale Gardens

Come and be part of this unusual tour with these wonderful working antique vehicles.

**No limits for Veterans, limited to 50 Non-Veteran**

### DAY 6 Saturday 24 September

#### MOTORFEST MEMORIES

*Hosted by the Motorfest Committee*

In an everchanging world Motorfest for the past thirty years has been providing a selection of events showcasing South Australia and providing entertainment and fellowship for enthusiasts from every corner of Australia and sometimes the world.

We invite you as our guests to join all past and present delegates and Clubs with a morning of Motorfest Memories. You are all welcome.

Refreshments will be available throughout the morning, and of course a birthday cake.

Please bring your own Memories to share - photos, posters, videos etc.

Renew acquaintances, make new friends, meet some of the people who have worked hard to organise Motorfest over the years, and a very big thank you to all. Memories and friends are precious

Have a relaxing morning before the big event.

**No limits**

**Please send me more information on:**

- KNOW YOUR ABC
- BAROSSA JAGUAR EXPERIENCE
- HISTORIC RAMBLINGS
- PLAYING WITH TRAINS
- UNCLE ARTHUR'S FILM NIGHT
- CITY TO THE PORT VETERANS RUN
- MOTORFEST MEMORIES
- WHEELS AND TRACKS
- TREADING THE BOARDS
- TRAMS, THE BRIDGE AND THE OVAL
- CAR CAVALCADE SOUTHERN HISTORY
- HILLS NOSTALGIA

Please indicate your interest by ticking the appropriate boxes (with no obligation to enter any or all of these events) & returning this coupon to:

Entry Director: David Searles  
33 Hughes Street North,  
WOODVILLE SA 5011 Ph: (08) 8445 1444

Name: Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms .....

Address:.....

.....Postcode:.....

Phone:..... Mobile:.....

Email:.....

**ENTRIES CLOSE 5 SEPTEMBER 2016**

## Programme: Continued

### DAY 7 Sunday 25 September

#### BAY TO BIRDWOOD RUN

Open to all VEHICLES manufactured up to 31 December 1959  
Depart Barratt Reserve, West Beach Road, Adelaide Shores from 8.30 am, and journey to the National Motor Museum, Birdwood, travelling through the picturesque Adelaide Hills.

### DAY 8 Monday 26 September

#### WHEELS AND TRACKS

*Hosted by the Military Vehicle Preservation Society of South Australia Inc*

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 dating back to 1916.

On display is "Miss Stuart" 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. Dioramas and displays of memorabilia depict Australians in past conflicts and peace keeping roles.

On arrival tea and coffee will be provided. There will be a guided tour of the Museum followed by a BBQ lunch with dessert at the Museums all weather eating area.

In the afternoon there will be a tour of the Restoration Workshop then the volunteers will demonstrate the capabilities of "Miss Stuart" and other vehicles on the Museum testing area. For the more adventurous there is the opportunity to ride in the vehicles.

**No limits**

### DAY 9 Tuesday 27 September

#### TREADING THE BOARDS

*Hosted by the Sporting Car Club SA Inc*

Historic Hallett Cove Boardwalk

The Hallett Cove Conservation Park is a protected area and is a unique cultural experience with geological, flora and fauna, as well as evidence from the Ice Age.

Many Aboriginal artefacts also have been located here. Enjoy the spectacular coast line, with the ocean on one side and the rocky terrain on the other. Morning Tea will be available at the "Boatshed Cafe".

Optional - Lunch has been organised at OWN COST at Jimmy Deane's, a short drive away at the South Adelaide Football Club.

**No limits**

### DAY 10 Wednesday 28 September

#### TRAMS, THE BRIDGE AND THE OVAL

*Hosted by The Vintage Sports Car Club of SA Inc*

The poorly-drained D-shaped playing arena with the deep, square pockets which encouraged young blokes to master the 'banana' kick has gone ... replaced by a laser-levelled perfect oval of grass over sand and pipes. Also gone are the old stands. In their place is a horse-shoe of modern multi-levelled concrete which gives spectators unsurpassed views and comfort. There are even seats on the roof, for some people a special place to watch the sports, concerts and events for which Adelaide Oval has been designed.

We will meet at Motorfest Headquarters before travelling to Hindmarsh where we will park our cars free of charge to be minded while we travel by tram, also free of charge, to Adelaide Railway Station. From there we will walk across the \$40M bridge which caused so much discussion before it was completed. After taking in the beauty of the river and its surrounds we will enter the Adelaide Oval for a guided tour of the complex.

At the end of the tour we will return by tram to Hindmarsh and the famous Governor Hindmarsh Hotel, (the Gov), for lunch with, perhaps, some live music.

**No Limits**

### DAY 11 Thursday 29 September

#### CAR CAVALCADE OF SOUTHERN HISTORY

*Hosted by the Historic Motor Vehicles Club Inc*

The south coast of the Fleurieu Peninsula is famed for its scenery and history.

Today's run will take us via the coastal route with stunning views across the gulf before turning inland to pick up the main Adelaide to Victor Harbor Road. There will be a pause to view a plaque and display commemorating the 1936 Centenary Grand Prix and continue over a portion of the circuit to our morning tea stop at the new and expanded Port Elliott Southern Museum.

We will pass through Middleton, well known among the surfing community for its surfing beaches, and some lovely old colonial stone buildings along the route to our final destination of Goolwa, once the southern terminus of the Murray River trade. We will visit

the preserved river boat PS Oscar W at its berth at the Old Goolwa Wharf and also the museum at Signal Point.

Lunch may be obtained from the Goolwa hotel or one of the other establishments catering to your epicurean whimsy.

**No Limits**

### DAY 12 Friday 30 September

#### HILLS NOSTALGIA

*Hosted by the Vauxhall Owners Club of Australia SA Branch*

From Glandore to Paech Farm, Wistow

The run to the Farm will be via minor roads, most were a part of the main road between Adelaide and Melbourne, prior to the construction of the South Eastern Freeway. On arrival we will enjoy a Devonshire morning tea.

Paech Farm has been a family farm for four generations. Some of the original buildings remain and a feature of the property is a Museum housing many historic and memorable articles of the early days.

As well, there are stationary engines for the boys to inspect as well as working exhibits, tools and railway items.

For the girls there are kitchen collectibles, and other items which will be of great interest and bring back many memories, as well as a picturesque garden.

**No Limits**

## Further Information:

#### Entry Director:

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**Federation of Historic Motoring Clubs**  
[www.fhmcsa.org.au](http://www.fhmcsa.org.au)

**Facebook:** Federation Motorfest 2016

#### MOTORFEST HEADQUARTERS

The Combined Car Clubs are a part of the Glandore Community Centre complex, located corner of Clark Avenue and Naldera Street, Glandore. There is plenty of paved off-street parking and easy access to facilities, with tea and coffee on arrival.

**All events depart from Motorfest Headquarters.**

## Also on: Please contact these events direct

#### Gawler Swap Meet

Sunday 11 September — At Princes Park Nixon Tce, Gawler (Sports & Community Centre, Show Grounds)  
Organised by: Gawler Veteran, Vintage & Classic Vehicle Club  
Contact: Mike Williams 0407 605 354  
Trevor Bellchambers 0414 397 737 [trevorbell@adelaide.on.net](mailto:trevorbell@adelaide.on.net)

#### Rock 'n' Roll Festival

Friday 16 to Sunday 18 September — Rock 'n' Roll and Rock a Billy bands at venues around central Victor Harbor.  
Organised by: The City of Victor Harbor & Historic Motor Vehicles Club  
Contact: Leith Kavanagh 0408 269 905 [clkav@bigpond.com](mailto:clkav@bigpond.com)

#### SA Hillclimb Championship

Friday 16 to Sunday 18 September. — To be held at Collingrove Hillclimb  
All enquiries: Sporting Car Club (Wed-Fri) (08) 8373 4899  
email: [scsa@internode.on.net](mailto:scsa@internode.on.net) [www.sportingcarclubs.org.au](http://www.sportingcarclubs.org.au)

#### V&MCC 60th Anniversary Rally

Saturday 17 to Thursday 22 September. — National Rally to be held in Clare  
Organised by: Veteran & Vintage Motor Cycle Club of SA Inc  
All enquiries: 0497 292 850 [vmmc.sa.org.au/60th-anniversary-rally](http://vmmc.sa.org.au/60th-anniversary-rally)

#### Australian International Pedal Prix 2016

Saturday 24 to Sunday 25 September. — Sturt Reserve Murray Bridge, 24hr race of endurance for human powered vehicles  
Contact: AIPP (08) 8357 1978 [pedalprix.com.au](http://pedalprix.com.au)

#### V&MCC Motor Cycle only Swap Meet

Sunday 2 October - Balhannah Oval. — A swap meet for the Motor cyclist - Restored & original motor cycles on display.  
Organised by: Veteran & Vintage Motor Cycle Club of SA Inc  
Contact: Peter Yates (08) 8255 8856 after 6.00 pm

#### Vintage Collingrove Hillclimb

Sunday 2 October — To be held at Collingrove Hillclimb  
All Enquiries: Sporting Car Club (Wed-Fri) (08) 8373 4899  
email: [scsa@internode.on.net](mailto:scsa@internode.on.net) [www.sportingcarclubs.org.au](http://www.sportingcarclubs.org.au)

#### Riverland - Loxton Mallee Run

Saturday 1 to Monday 3 October — Join the Riverland Vintage & Classic Car Club's popular invitation run on your way home from the Bay to Birdwood Run and Motorfest. This year the run is based in the Loxton area.  
Closing date July 31, 2016.  
Organised by: Riverland Vintage & Classic Car Club Inc  
Contact: David Kimber 0427 546 237 [dkimber8@bigpond.com](mailto:dkimber8@bigpond.com)

#### 33rd HMVC Annual Strathalbyn Swap Meet

Sunday 16 October — Swap Meet Strathalbyn Harness Racing Club, Milne Rd, Strathalbyn  
Organised by: Historic Motor Vehicles Club  
Contact: Deidre Solly 8552 8982 [deidresolly@hotmail.com](mailto:deidresolly@hotmail.com)