

THE HUMBERETTE

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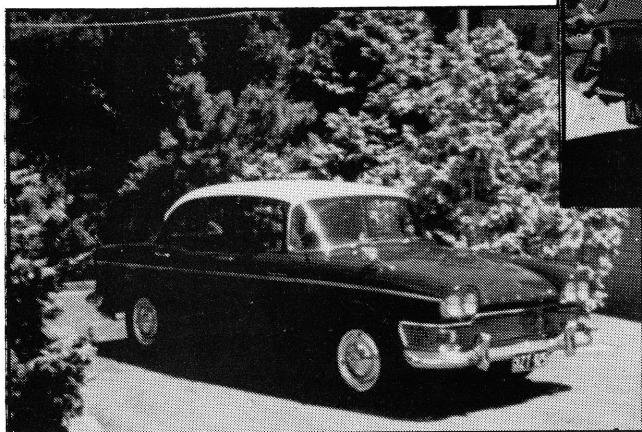


*Ser. VA Snipe JUL-601
Outright winner HCCV Concours 1979
Owner: Reg. Hattersley.*



*Ser. 111 Snipe IYX-250
Most desirable car HCCV Concours 1979
Owner: Ralf Chalmers.*

*MKIV Snipe GNH-895
Winner Mark Section HCCV Concours 1979
Owner: Lloyd Hughes.*



*Ser. IV Snipe HZN-925
Owner: Nancy Butt.*

HUMBER CAR CLUB OF VICTORIA

COMMITTEE 1980

PRESIDENT:	REG HATTERSLEY	877 1981
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Humber Car Club Calendar 1980

Social Functions: To include Humber Car Club of Victoria Concours (November), Annual Presentation Dinner (November), M.G. Concours (December), President's Run, etc. Full details in your monthly Humberette.

General Meetings

The Humber Car Club of Victoria meets on the fourth Friday of the Month (unless indicated otherwise) at the "Theatrette", Camberwell Civic Centre, Inglesby Road, Camberwell. Please note: meeting commences at 8.00 p.m. sharp.

Dates of Forthcoming General Meetings in 1980

Friday, March 28	Friday, September 26
Friday, April 25	Friday, October 24
Friday, May 23	Friday, November 28 (Annual Presentation Dinner)
Friday, June 27	No December meeting
Friday, July 25	Friday, January 23 (1981)
Friday, August 22	

All correspondence to: ixSecretary,
Humber Car Club of Victoria
P.O. Box 35,
Frankston 3199

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Humber Car Club of Victoria
Ian Foreman,
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All Newsletter Entries to: Lloyd Hughes,
16 Main Street,
Blackburn 3130

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Our Concours d'elegance for 1980 is now over and everything went very smoothly for us. The weather was perfect, although we would have liked to have seen more cars competing and particularly the MK. models, the six cars that did compete looked very impressive indeed and caused quite a lot of comments, from Members and spectators alike.

We were all very impressed with the thoroughness of the three judges, Roy Pepperell, Tom Lambert and Don Main, all Members of the Vintage and Classic Car Club and our sincere thanks to them from the Humber Car Club Victoria for a job very well done.

We now have a new outright winner, and a very worthy one. Congratulations to Tom and Lyn McAlpine - Whitey was beautifully prepared, and really looked the part.

And our congratulations to Nancy Butt, who won the winners section with her Ser. 4 and to Les Lindorff and his MK 3, winner of the MK. section.

We haven't an award big enough for Ralf Chalmers efforts in entering not one, but two, cars. His Ser. 3 & 4 were both beautifully presented, and he won the admiration of all Members for his tremendous effort. Everyone was thrilled when his Ser. 4 won the most desirable car award.

I want to say something about Fred Page and his Ser. 5A. What I have been saying for years I think you are about to see happen. Fred has only had this car for a few weeks and already he and his family have put something like a hundred hours into it. It was terrific to see the enthusiasm of the Page family, and their interest in seeing how the other cars had been prepared. They know they have a long way to go, and entered to learn, and to get a score sheet for reference. I feel confident we are about to witness a big improvement in one Ser. 5A.

This is what a Club Concours should be all about, and I wish more Members would compete.

In case this is the last News-letter this year, I wish you all a very Merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year.

Looking forward to seeing you at Chaucers on the 28th, and at the M.G. Concours on December 14th.

Reg Hattersley.

MINUTES OF OCTOBER MEETING.

The Meeting opened at 8.15 p.m. on the 24th October, 1980, before 26 Members and four visitors, including those from the Veteran, Bristol and M.G. Car Clubs.

1. The President welcomed Members and visitors.

2. Apologies - Kelvin Hughes, Des Judd.
Accepted by J. Lhuede.

3. Minutes taken as read - P. Davenport.

4. Correspondence:

In: A form from Giltraps Auto Museum, Coolangatta,
wanting information about our Club for compiling
a book on all Car Clubs of Australia.

Newsletters from - Rover, Daimler, Austin A40,
N.Z. Humber Car Club.

Out: Completed form to Giltraps.

Received by Bill White & Bill Holmes.

5. Treasurer's Report: Total \$563.29 plus deposit.
Adopted - Ralf Chalmers & Bill White.

6. Social Secretary's Report:

(a) Chaucers still have vacancies for four couples.

(b) Raffle tickets: Please return at Como or post in.

7. Editor's Report: Lloyd Hughes reminded Members Nancy
Butt had found fur felt door trimming available from
Blackman & Son, 5 Clarence Street, East Bentleigh.
Telephone 579-3991. Carpet - available from Black-
man & Son also C. & E. Heywood Pty. Ltd., 659 Victoria
Street, Abbotsford. Phone 428-1735. Heywoods do
restoration work on old vehicles.

The Meeting discussed Concours judging before handing
over to our guest speaker Mr. Ken Gordon.

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SOCIAL SECRETARY'S NOTES

The last social event for the year will be our "PRESENTATION DINNER", to be held at "CHAUCERS RECEPTIONS", 190 CANTERBURY ROAD, CANTERBURY on Friday 28th November. Drinks and savouries will be served from 7.00 p.m.

For members not attending the Dinner - "DON'T FORGET THERE IS NO GENERAL MEETING IN NOVEMBER" as the Presentation Dinner will be held in its place.

As all monies for the dinner must be paid on this night, would you kindly finalize accounts with either Ian or myself during the evening.

Would members who haven't returned their raffle books and money, please let me have them by the 28th at Chaucers as the raffle is being drawn at this function and if the tickets are not received they will not be in the draw. Thanks to the members who have so promptly sold and returned their tickets. It has been a great help to me to have them in early and saves a lot of time on the night.

The Christmas Cake made and decorated and generously donated by Lee Schofield will also be drawn at the Dinner. I will have further tickets for sale during the evening for anyone wanting to purchase more.

Thanks to Nancy Kennedy for your contribution to our Christmas Hamper.

CONGRATULATIONS to all the CONCOURS WINNERS.

Our cars certainly looked impressive and created a lot of interest and were admired by many.

I concur with all Reg's remarks regarding Ralf Chalmers and Fred Page's cars. You have won my complete admiration Ralf for the presentation of your cars. It is a tremendous effort and a great credit to you and Leila. And Fred Page and family have won my "E" award for the Enthusiasm and Effort they put into Entering their car. Keep at it Fred, I'm sure your efforts will be well rewarded.

"DON'T FORGET THE M.G. CONCOURS"

WHERE At AKOONAH PARK, BERWICK on Princes Highway, 2 km through Berwick on the left. There will be signs on the Highway to direct you.

DATE SUNDAY 14th DECEMBER.

TIME Meeting at 11 a.m. at Prince Mark Hotel, Princes Highway, Dandenong, opposite International Harvester. Cont..

(M.G. "CONCOURS")

Bring your own b.b.q. or picnic lunch. Refreshments are available at the ground. This is an outstanding display of beautiful cars and one you should not miss.

Looking forward to seeing you at Chaucers on the 28th, and at the M.G. Concours at Berwick.

As this is the last Newsletter for the year I would like to wish you all a very happy Christmas and a prosperous New Year and happy and safe Humbering.

See you all in 1981.

Marion.

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CARS FOR SALE.

Humber Hawk Ser. 1. Registered, spare parts. Make offer.
Humber Hawk Mark VI. Very good cond. Reg. & RWC. Make offer.
Humber Snipe Executive - Ser. 1V. Reg. RWC. VGC Make offer.

For the above three cars - contact John L. Iede, 19 Anzac Crescent, Williamstown. Phone 397-5058.

WRECKING Series 1V Sedan, most parts available. Contact Bob Kennedy - 789-5119.

BORG WARNER D.G. AUTO. TRANS. Overhaul kits with seals, clips, oil rings and gaskets can be brought from A.A.T.S. Pty. Ltd., 4 Barkly St., East Brunswick - Phone 387-4544.
Trade price \$48.15c. If you can prove you are in the Humber car Club, the price is about \$45.00. These people also overhaul both the old D.G. and the 35 auto trans.
The part number for the D.G. overhaul kit is 9900 JH.

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More on auto. trans. - Lou Motors, 112 Keys Rd. Moorabbin, Phone 95-4248 - carry out work on the auto. trans. plus they have change over trans. and conversion on both D.G. & 35 autos.

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WANTED Old clocks - going or not. Bob Kennedy, 789.5119.

Left hand King Pin assembly to suit Humber Hawk disc brake model. - Bob Bruce, Cranbourne (059) 96-1983.-

Workshop Manual for Series 1V Snipe. Len Moore, 28 Denman St. East Geelong (052)94829 Home (03)651-0234 Bus.

Apologies for late & incomplete Newsletter - machine has
major breakdown.

Note: Letters to the Editor wanted.

& Ad: For Sale Series IV-'65 Super Tripe. 36,000 mls.
dual fuel LPG or Petrol, body good, white/red int.
23rd Dec. Reg. 91400. Ray Trewella, 4 Balfour St.
Reservoir 3023. Phone 460-4361.