

BENDIGO SPORTS & CLASSIC CAR CLUB INC.

PO BOX 1172, Kangaroo Flat, 3555

Website: bsccc.com.au

NEWSLETTER MAY 2021

This is the official monthly newsletter of the Bendigo Sports & Classic Car Club Inc. (Inc. No. A0010849), a club dedicated to the enjoyment of sport car ownership, the maintenance and preservation of the marques. The BS&CCC is affiliated with the Confederation of Australian Motorsport (CAMS). Through CAMS, we have public liability for most club activities.

Website: bsccc.com.au Visit the club website for past copies of newsletters, etc.

Pressoe's Rambles - Graeme Jenkins.



Hi All,

Congratulations to Brendan O Donoghue on winning Clubman of the year for 2020/21, for the excellent newsletter over the past year and keeping the club in some sort of normality. You are a very treasured member and you thoroughly deserved the award. Thank you.

The new venue for our monthly meetings at Kangaroo Flat Sports club turned out to be a very good choice with about 85 members in attendance on the night and all those who had a meal were very happy.

 Just a note the next few meetings will start at 7.30pm over the winter months and then back to normal.

Our Sunday morning run was very good, the organisers did a top job with a tour around Maldon, Castlemaine and Mandurang and back to Golden Square at Gallo Coffee Co in High St, and what a beautiful spot for a meal and catch-up. Well done Gaye & Graeme.

So hope to see you all at the next meeting, remember 7.30pm.

Thanks, Graeme.

Drive, Dine, Discover

Kangaroo Flat Sports Club - Booked every second Tuesday of the month for the remainder of the year with the exclusion of July and December. Kath Harris.

Meetings start at 7.30pm during the colder months.



Events for May 2021

Tue 11 th :	(CE) Club Meeting at Kangaroo Flat Sport Club 7:30pm. Dinner from 6pm
Sun 16 th :	(CE) Sunday run. Leaving Lake Weeroona at 8am – <mark>LEADER ERIC WUST</mark>
Wed 19 th :	(CE) Lunchtime run. Leaving All Seasons at 11.am – <mark>LEADER BARRY ROWE</mark>
Events for June 2021	
Tue 9 th :	(CE) Club Meeting at Kangaroo Flat Sport Club 7:30pm. Dinner from 6pm
Wed 16 th :	(CE) Lunchtime run. Leaving All Seasons at 11.am – <mark>LOOKING FOR A</mark> LEADER
Sun 27 th :	(CE) Sunday run. Leaving Lake Weeroona – Torrumbarry Weir BBQ BFast – Leaders Harris Brothers and their better halves haha – More details to come in the next newsletter.
Events for July 2021	
Fri 16 th :	(CE) AGM – Kangaroo Flat Sports Club - \$40 per head for nibbles/main/desert – <u>More details to come</u> .
Sun 18 th :	(CE) Sunday run. Leaving Lake Weeroona at 8am - – <mark>LOOKING FOR A</mark> LEADER
Wed 21 st :	(CE) Lunchtime run. Leaving All Seasons at 11.am – <mark>LOOKING FOR A</mark> LEADER



EVENTS RECAP

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New Toy - John Harris

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18 - 24 April 2021 Great Canberra Getaway 2021



A most enjoyable week away for 34 participants - great weather and company and new experiences.

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Thanks to Roger / Barb Huthnance and Rob/Wendy Cowling for making it happen.

A detailed report has been sent to BSCCC members separately.

Deferred AGM 2019/20 - 13 April 2021 Kangaroo Flat Sports Club.



BSCCC Executive



Marianne Healey / Graeme Jenkins / Rod Thomson / Chris Beale / Alan HealeyTreasurerPresidentSecretaryVice President Membership



Tuesday13th April 2021 at 8:00pm Kangaroo Flat Sports Club

Minutes Deferred AGM

Bendigo Sports & Classic Car Club Inc

	Secretary: Rod Thomson	Treasurer: Mar	ianne Healey
Graeme welcomed all present to the me Present: As listed in the attendance bo	0		
Apologies: As listed in the attendance	book.		
Presidents report Graeme presented the presidents report	. Moved John Harris Seconde	d Annette Harris	Carried
Treasurers report			6.322.14, Closing balance

Clubperson of the year

Clubperson of the year award was presented to Brendan O'Donoghue for his great effort in continuing the comprehensive monthly newsletter during the 12 months of Covid restrictions.

CLOSE:

There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.12 pm.



Presentation to Brendan O'Donoghue - Clubman of the Year - Newsletter Editor





44th Historic Winton 2021

Winton Raceway, Huntley St, Winton, VIC 3673, Australia

Saturday 22 May 2021Sunday 23 May 2021 Gates Open 8am Daily

Conducted by the Austin 7 Club Inc A0003290N with the assistance of the HMRAV

Historic Winton – Australia's longest running, all-historic motor race meeting is one of the largest sporting events in rural Victoria and draws participants and spectators nationwide.

PLEASE NOTE: Spectators who drive their historic vehicles may be parked in a historic car park. We will make every effort to park the cars of club members together, particularly if they arrive together.

TICKETS are available ONLINE ONLY. No tickets will be issued at the gate on the day due to COVID contact tracing requirements.



2021 Annual Car Rally Bendigo Sports and Classic Car Club 23rd and 24th October 2021

Come join us as we trip around this fabulous state. We have booked the accommodation and ready to go racing!!!! (hmmm maybe not racing)

There will plenty of things to keep your mind wondering and your tummy full.

For those that haven't been on a previous rally, the weekend is made up :

- mystery destination
- mystery instructions
- how to get there on roads made for sports cars.

With fun and games along the way.

• And then there is the food, plenty of good food, as we adventure out to new places and beautiful scenery.

Cost: we are still working on the final cost will be around \$400 per couple Deposits of \$100 are due by June 1- remainder at end of August.

Please contact Damien on 0423 689 310 or Annette 0413 183 836

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Tuesday13th April at 8:00pm 2021 Kangaroo Flat Sports Club

Sports & Classic Car Club Inc.

An Ordinary General meet	ting of the Club commenced at 8.13	pm following the AGM
Chairperson – Graeme Jenkir	s Secretary: Rod Thomson	Treasurer: Marianne Healey
Graeme welcomed all present Present: As listed in the attendance boo Members are asked to print Guests: Dillon has a Mitsub	k. t their names in attendance book.	
Apologies: As listed in the attendance boo New members:	k.	
Previous Minutes: Minutes from the last meeting. Moved: Paul Hansen	Seconded: Mark Hickman	Carried
March 2021 Bank Balance: \$ Financial report attached. Moved: Ian Wilson	7,076.10 Seconded: Lindsey Budds Carrie	d
Correspondence None	Secretary – Rod Thomson	
Membership Secretary 95 members and 5 on waiting I	Alan Healy ist	
No Wednesday midweek run d Sunday run meeting at Lake at May Wed run - Barry Rowe May Sun run - Eric Wust	Kath Harris berra run starting on Sunday. 18 cars , 35 p lue to members on Canberra run. 8.00am. To be led by Graeme Jenkins. 24th October. Max 14 cars / 30 people incl	
Meetings to be second Tuesda	annum and 4 stamps to apply for next year by of month at the Kangaroo Flat Sports Cl	ub commencing 7.30pm. Dinner from 6.00pm.

Winton Historics in May will be open for spectators but tickets need to be prebooked on line. Kath and Brendan Harris and Mark and Sarah Hickman will be going on the Variety bash which wasn't run last year. Support can be given by participating in silent auction or lucky number.

NEXT MEETING:

CLOSE: There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.32 pm.



Bendigo Sports & Classic Car Club Inc.

Treasurer's Report April 2021

BENDIGO SPORTS & CLASSIC CAR C	LUB INC.
Apr-21	
Balance brought forward	\$7,076.10
Add Income	
New Membership	
Membership Renewals	
AGM	
Bigtits Rally	
Xmas Party	
This months Income	0
Total Income	\$7,076.10
Minus Expenses	
Newletter Costs	238.88
Membership Adj	
Meeting Room Hire	
Badges & Engraving	
Big Tits Rally & Expenses	
Catering Expenses For Dinners	
Postage & Office Supplies	
This months Expenses	238.88
Balance at month end	\$6,837.22

Please note that renewals are due by 30th June 2021



Date. __/__/___

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Club Membership Renewal

2021 / 2022

Member Details:	Partner Details:	
Surname:	Surname:	
Given Name/s:	Given Name/s:	

NOTE: Principal member MUST attach your club membership card to the top right hand corner.

Contact Details:		
Residential Address:	Post Code:	
Postal address:	Post Code:	
Phone:	Email:	
Mobile:	Please tick if you would like your newsletter by email.	

Vehicle Details.

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Membership Fees.

NOTE: Fees will not be accepted unless accompanied by this renewal form fully completed in a legible manner. Please make chq. / money order payable to: Bendigo Sports & Classic Car Club Inc. Membership fees must be received NO LATER than June 30th.

Annual Fee: \$65.	00					
Total Paid:	\$: 00	Cash.	Chq.	Money Order.	

Office Use Only.	 		
Data Base Updated.	Membership Number Allocated.	Member Number:	
Red Plate Register Entered.		Partner Number:	
Badge Ordered/issued	Newsletter Editor Notified.	Receipt Number:	
Member Card Issued.			



Hi all,

Contributions from members, be it past photos, brochures or articles, are welcome

- I can assist with the scanning / processing / editing.
- Please note: <u>NEW EMAIL ADDRESS</u>: bautotravel77@yahoo.com or tel. 54 395 707.

It was an honour to receive the award of Clubman of the Year 2020-21. In the absence of the social aspect of the club, due to the CV, in the last 12 months - it was important to maintain communication with our almost 200 members.

As a first time editor - it was a situation of incremental learning - which has been enjoyable, keeping members informed and continuing to acknowledge the culture of the motor car, we each enjoy, in our own way, its huge social impact, for over about 130 years - which is now on the cusp of a new era.

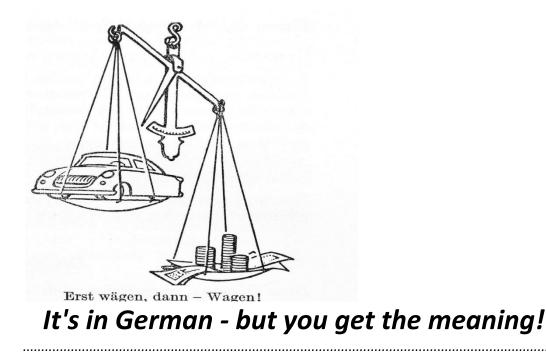
The machine that changed the world!

So, hopefully, we are on the road back to some sort of normal.

Thank you, Brendan.

Memory Lane.....





The Fabled Alfa B.A.T.S

Sources:

- Centro Documentazione Storica Alfa Romeo October 27, 2020
- **VeloceToday** December 10, 2019 Photos by Jonathan Sharp and Hugues Vanhoolandt.

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B.A.T.s 5. 7. 9.

Described the cars as being game changers, much like the Eiffel Tower, the Atomium in Brussels and Frank Lloyd Wright's Guggenheim Museum in New York, and comparable to Pablo Picasso's Les Demoiselles d Avignon, Rene Margrittes Ceci n pas une pipe and Marcel Duchamp's Fountain, which fundamentally transformed our notion of art, and can be likened to Marcel Breur's Wassily Chair, the De Havilland Comet airliner, Marc Newson's Lockheed Lounge and Apple's I phone with their enduring impact on the world of design. We'll let our readers decide.



<mark>B.A.T. 5</mark>.

After making a few sketches, working with Ezio Cingolani, who was responsible for fabrication, Franco Scaglione developed a full size model, watched daily by Nuccio Bertone.



Not always noticed is the enormous relative length of the two rear windows, almost half the length of the car itself.



After its Turin debut, April of 1953 B.A.T. 5 was quickly hustled off to the United States, where, according to a 1989 letter from G.B. Panicco at Bertone, it was sold to Mr. S.H. Arnolt on October 1st, 1953 for the price of \$7,650. Despite being a concept car, B.A.T. 5 was driven by S.H. Arnolt for over 7000 miles.



<mark>B.A.T. 7</mark>.

Appeared at the 1955 Turin show, and was purchased by Alfa Romeo for 3,850,000 Lira , January 13, 1955 to Alfa Romeo. B.A.T. 7 is the only Bertone study with right hand drive. Generally thought to be Scaglione's most dramatic interpretation of the B.A.T. theme. For the second go around the engine was set back and lowered the hood line 2.5 inches at the nose.



Later, it went to a restaurateur in the U.S. The curved fins had the unwanted effect of virtually eliminating rearward vision. Rather than use twin outside mirrors, a shop decided to simply remove the fins. It was a lot tougher to have them reconstructed!





<mark>B.A.T. 9.</mark>

Looking positively civilised in its last iteration, B.A.T. 9 lost the dramatic impact of its predecessors. Aiming to create more of a GT car and needing a direct connection with Alfa, Scaglione forgot penetration and allowed the use of the new Giulietta grille.





The running gar for each car was Alfa Romeo 1900. Under the hood, a four-cylinder engine with a fivespeed manual transmission. Its drag coefficient, which was calculated at an astonishing 0.23 Cd.



I was privileged to view and photograph all three B.A.T.s at the Blackhawk Museum in Danville, California in 2015. Ed.

BERTONE ALFA ROMEO B.A.T CONCEPTS SOLD FOR AU\$21 MILLION

By: Alex Affat, Unique Cars magazine Date: 30.10.2020 UNIQUECARS The three cars we have here

are BAT 5, 7, and 9. No other B.A.T.S were revealed to the

public. The three concept cars were ultimately sold as a single lot

with a high bid of US\$14.84 million - or AU\$21.1 million per the



current exchange rate. The Alfa Romeo B.A.T (Berlina Aerodinamica Tecnica) concept cars were built as radical

design studies in aerodynamics. Built by Carrozerria Bertone, and designed by Franco Scaglione - who studied

aeronautical engineering – the cars were debuted independently in 1953, 1954 and 1955.

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Drive, Dine, **Discover**



In the centre of Bendigo, there is an architectural gem, which has been a sleeping beauty, for as many years, as I can remember, now having gone through an expensive, sensitive renaissance. Formerly the Sandhurst Mining Exchange, in the 19th century.

It abuts the Beehive building, and what was known as Allan's Walk.

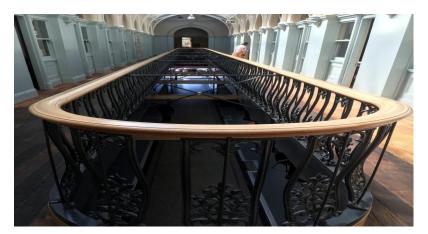
I can recall as a child and later, this was the bustling heart of Bendigo - connecting Pall Mall and Hargraves Street. There was the Dad & Dave Cafe, Allan's music store, a clothing store, including a very busy delicatessen and Doug Pain's clock repairs, among others.



DownStairs



Upstairs





Glass Shylight Detail





One of the Numerous Shop Sites



Preservation of Patina



Shylight





Architectural Feature - Shylight



Functional Beauty

I look forward to the further development of this historic site, with heaps of boutique shops and maybe a Tapas Bar!

There is lift access, if required.

It has the potential to add to the already interesting sites that attract visitors, to our beautiful city.

Ed.

Misc.....

Sighted in Bath Lane, Bendigo at Easter.





Voluptuous Mercedes-Benz AMG GT V8 BiTurbo

Source: Caradvice / Mercedes-Benz.

Powered by a **4.0-litre bi-turbo V8** making **384kW** and **670Nm** in 'base' **GT S** guise. Seven-speed '7G-DCT' transmission.Adaptive AMG suspension, an electronic limited-slip differential, an adjustable exhaust, and carbon-ceramic brakes are standard fit.

The maximum charge pressure is 1.2 bar and the turbochargers can reach a maximum speed of 186,000 rpm. For combustion 2.3 times as many oxygen atoms are pressed into the turbo engine than a naturally aspirated engine.

2020 Mercedes-AMG GT pricing GT S Coupe - \$311,142. GT C Coupe - \$329,843, GT C Roadster - \$355,242, GT R Coupe - \$361,042 *All prices exclude on-road costs.*

Borrani Wire Wheels Milan - September 5 2016

3.,30 pm to 4.30 pm. Words and Photos: Brendan O'Donoghue.



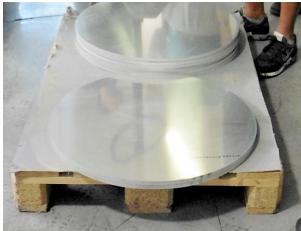
This was so interesting with up close demonstrations of wire wheel making:

- Spinning a rim from an alloy disc of silicone and magnesium alloy- on a computerised machine.
- Rim polishing
- Spoke making and bending
- Rim drilling
- Lacing to rim and spline hub

The company is about 100 years old with a great history, tradition and expertise. The visit was so interesting and informative . I was so impressed with the quality.

A fairly labour intensive specialised product and craft, in the age of mass production. Notably - no ear muffs or safety glasses. or yellow lines!

15 workers are multi-skilled - for all jobs. Borrani also make motor bike spoke wheels.



Silicone and magnesium alloy disc





Spinning a rim from an alloy disc of silicone and magnesium alloy -computerised machine.





Spoke Making and Bending





Rim Drilling

Spline Hub Drilling



Spline Hub





Lacing to Rim and Spline Hub



Tightening Spokes



Balancing



Why get excited with wire wheels?

I remember in the 1950s, reading Wheels, Modern Motor and Sports Car World, all Australian publications - and taking particular note of the very elegant Borrani wire wheels that graced Ferraris, Maseratis and other exotica. Not only a functional and lighter, but a beautiful object, which nicely resolved the styling of

the vehicles.

Source: Borrani website. Between 1946 and 1966, all Ferrari cars were equipped with Borrani wheels as original equipment.

Borrani wheels were original equipment on Lamborghini, Alfa Romeo, Maserati, Facel Vega and Aston Martin.

The company was initially named Rudge-Whitworth Milano, as the splined hub locking mechanism was licensed from the Coventry-based Rudge-Whitworth, run by Carlo Borrani and became supplier to Alfa Romeo, Bianchi, Lancia and other racing cars.

It changed its name to Ruote Borrani S.p.A. in the 1930s, when it also began manufacturing aluminum (non-wire) wheels to replace steel wheels. In 2004, the Borrani wire wheel production was sold to RuoteMilano srl., and activities moved to Rozzano, Milan. Borrani makes a range of wire wheels for various motorbike manufacturers.

Alfa Romeo Gulietta Bimetal wheel

The Borrani Turbo Sport R1-257 wheel, designed to fit the Alfa Romeo Giulietta and all models of Alfa Romeo Giulia generally known as 'Bimetal', is available once more.



Turbo Sprint series uses the Rudge centre-lock system, being held on by a 2 or 3 eared spinner. Borrani offers a full conversion kit to allow the fitment of centre-lock wheels to cars currently using bolt-on wheels. The Turbo wheel is supplied as standard with a light alloy rim and a silver painted centre.

The bolt-on R1-257 4.50"x15" Turbo Sport with hub cap.

Club Permit (Red Plate)

FORM (above) AND PHOTOS ARE **ONLY REQUIRED** TO BE SUPPLIED FOR VEHICLES THAT HAVE BEEN **ADDED** TO THE CLUB RED PLATE SYSTEM **FROM THE 31/1/2015**.

For those who have a Club Permit renewal coming up, the permit can be signed by our authorized executive who are **Roger Huthnance, Marianne Healey and Graeme Jenkins.**

Club Permit Log Book points to note: Pre filling out days in advance when on a tour: NOT ALLOWED. See AOMC May Newsletter page 18.

More than one driver in a day: If a vehicle is used by several drivers or for several trips during a day, only the first use by the first driver is required to be recorded. (Sead website: Registration>Limited use permit >Club permit scheme>Club.

Red Plate Signatories:

New registrations: Graeme Jenkins

Renewals:

Graeme Jenkins Rod Thomson Marianne Healey

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New Red Plate Registration Form

Personal Details		
Surname	Licence No	
Given Name	Club Member I	No
Home Address		Post Code
Garage Address		Post Code
Postal Address		Post Code
Contact Phone no		
Vehicle Details		
Year Manufactured		egistration no)
Make	Model	
Body Type	Colour	
Seating Capacity	Vin No	
Engine No		
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If Yes please list		
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Driving position		
Include modifications if appli	d chassis numbers to the extent possi icable	
Date		
Photos submitted electronical	lly to email to bendigosccc@gmail.co	em
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Date		



Advertise motor vehicles, anything with wheels and motoring memorabilia here.

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FOR SALE

Factory Fitted Ford Ranger 2020 XLT Nudge Bar, removed and replaced after about 2 weeks, with a Bull Bar and winch.

Attached see scanned image of the invoice from Ford - \$1315.86

Photos of the Nudge bar, the necessary brackets and fittings for assembly

\$700 Dollars.

Wayne Walter - BSCCC Member 0488 228 244





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