



It's time to get voting for the Perpetual Trophy for 2021!

Magazines have been posted out – if you haven't received yours yet, it will be with you shortly.

Note: there is a late, valid entry for the Perpetual Trophy that was not published in the magazine. It will be listed as "Entry# 36;" please note this on your voting slip if you wish to vote for this car. Image is on page 2 below.

VOTING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Peruse, and enjoy, all entrants' photographic submissions.
2. Fill out your voting slip, noting your membership number at the top line, and your five favourite cars at lines 2 to 6 (at each line, write the number corresponding to the entry you wish to vote for e.g. if you wish to vote for entry# 1, write "1" at the line, and so on for each remaining vote). **You may complete the voting slip in the magazine, or I will be attaching a voting slip to the email containing this Bulletin, which may be printed out if you wish. You may also send an email to the magazine editor (magazine@bcoa.com) containing your membership number, and your five votes, in the body of the email.**
3. Photograph or scan your completed voting slip, and email it to Michael Mitchell at magazine@bcoa.com. **ALL VOTING SLIPS MUST BE RECEIVED BY MICHAEL, BY COB ON MONDAY 28TH FEBRUARY.** Any votes received after this date will not be counted.



(If you don't have access to email, please post your entry to "Perpetual Trophy Vote, BCOAA Inc., PO Box 555, Ferntree Gully, Vic 3156", and please allow plenty of time for it to arrive before the cutoff date.)

If you have submitted an entry, may I wish you the best of luck, and may the best cars win!

Valid entry# 36 (submitted prior to cutoff but not included in the magazine)



Brocktober 2022 – Please hold the dates 14th – 16th October free!

We have paid our deposit to Rydges to lock in these dates for Brocktober 2022! It's finally time to celebrate: the belated 40th anniversary of the VC Commodore (2020), the 40th anniversary of the 1982 Bathurst win (VH), and of course the big one – the club's 30th anniversary!

Expressions of interest will be sent out to members in the next month or so and, as per the last Bathurst Brocktober in 2017, we will be asking all interested members to pay a deposit at that time (amount to be confirmed).

Also, the club's membership year will come to a close on 31st March 2022. Membership renewal invitations will be sent out to all current members in the next few weeks.



Events for February 2022

NSW

Wednesday 2nd – Club meeting, Dooleys, Silverwater

Friday 11th - Sunday 13th – Gnoo Blas Classic Car Show & Dinner – Orange. Please contact Phil if interested – this is a great event and several people have already booked in for it.

VIC

Thursday 17th – Club meeting, McArthur Room, Stamford Hotel Rowville, from 7.45pm. A table will be booked for dinner beforehand, from 6pm. Please RSVP to me **by Tuesday 15th February** if you wish to come for dinner as well as the meeting so that I may confirm numbers.

Saturday 19th – Dinner at Pizze Societe, 2 South Wharf, Docklands. We suggest you arrive from 5-5.30pm onwards, to secure a park in the limited parking spaces (we are no longer permitted to park on the grass opposite).

QLD

Saturday 19th – Cruise, Meet and Eat. Cruise to the Reef Hotel Noosa and enjoy a relaxing meal with fellow members, 12pm – 3pm.

Events for March 2022

NSW

Wednesday 2nd – Club meeting, Dooleys, Silverwater

Thursday 10th – Tuesday 15th – Phillip Island Historics. Please contact Phil for further details/convoy details.

<https://www.facebook.com/events/376212664279061?ref=newsfeed> or
<https://vhrr.com/wp/phillip-island/>

VIC

Friday 11th – Sunday 13th – Phillip Island Historics. At this stage the club has had an offer of tickets for the weekend – please contact Andrew for further details. Tickets will again be on the basis of first in, best dressed. As in past years, Saturday seems to have firmed up as the day “to see and to be seen,” so let’s get those Brocks out and head down for a day of racing! It’s only been two years since we’ve been able to do this...

Tickets generally cover the whole weekend, so if you can’t come on Saturday, by all means come down on the Sunday and enjoy the atmosphere!



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<https://vhrr.com/wp/philip-island/>

QLD

Sunday 13th – Lakeside – All Aussie Fair Dinkum Day at Lakeside Park.

**For VIC/National events, please contact John Collins on 0418 560 839,
via the FBpage or email events@bcoaa.com**

**For NSW events: contact Phil Walmsley on 0438 402 797,
via the FB page or email nsw@bcoaa.com**

**For Queensland events: contact Trevor Hooper on 0408 772 089,
via the FB page or email queensland@bcoaa.com**

All members

MEMBERSHIP:

For membership queries and new membership applications, please contact Janine Bond at membership@bcoaa.com.

MAGAZINE:

The below table outlines the deadlines for magazine content submissions, with the next deadline being Monday 4th November (giving time after Brocktober for members to get their pics and articles in for publication).

Please send any regular contributions to Mick at magazine@bcoaa.com Pics (and articles) may be sent to Mick via email or Dropbox (please contact him for advice on this).

EDITION	DEADLINE
January/February	Monday January 31st
April	Thursday March 31st
June	Tuesday May 31st
August	Sunday July 31st
Brocktober/November	<u>Monday 31st October</u>

Please ensure you send in your articles/reports/photos by the relevant due date to assist with timely collating of the magazine.



We are always looking for new and interesting content. Please consider contributing in any way you can. If what you send in is not included in the next magazine it will certainly be kept on file for a future edition.

There are many ways in which you can contribute:

- Event Reports (eg. car shows, drive days, visits to museums)
- “Tech” Articles (car maintenance, rebuilds, restorations, repairs, new technology)
- Historical Information (old advertisements, stories of days gone by)
- Photos (anything Brock Commodore / HDT / Brock related!)
- Car/People Profiles (tell us about your ride and yourself). What else is in your shed/mancave that other members might be interested in reading about?

Remember, don't be shy, ask if you need help, and don't assume someone else will do it!

Club registration

- ✚ **Queensland members** – Historic Vehicle Registration is now available through the club. Please contact Trevor Hooper for further details.
- ✚ **NSW members** – Concessional registration is available to club members under the Classic Vehicle Scheme (CVS) for modified cars, and the Historic Vehicle Scheme (HVS) for unmodified cars. Please contact Phil Walmsley for assistance.
- ✚ **VIC members** – Club Permit Scheme registration is available to Victorian members. Please contact Ashley Steers (vice-president) or Janine Bond (membership Officer) regarding club permit registration.

For Sale/Wanted

Items that have been listed in this area for the last 3 months have been delisted. New listings will run in the Bulletin for a 3 month period. If you wish to list a For Sale or Wanted item, please contact myself at secretary@bcoaa.com and the webmaster at webmaster@bcoaa.com to have your item/s listed.

Club apparel & merchandise

We now have a supply of spare club window stickers, so if yours is a bit shabby and missing letters (old style individual vinyl cut letters), why not treat yourself to a fresh sticker? Contact apparel@bcoaa.com for further details.

To order apparel or merchandise:

- Go to bcoaa.com
- Log into the Member's Zone (membership-log in option in drop-down box).



- Once logged in, hover your mouse over the Member's Zone tab, and select "Apparel" from the drop-down listing.
- Available apparel and merchandise items will be shown.
- If you wish to purchase non-sized apparel or other merchandise, click on the item then click on the "Add to Cart" button.
- If you wish to purchase sized apparel, click on the item. Select the appropriate HDT logo colour for your HDT (black/red for VC, VH and Magnum, blue/red for VK and VL). Most items will have a mens' fit and womens' fit, so select the appropriate gender from the drop-down list. Depending on which gender has been chosen, appropriate sizes will show in the Sizebox. Select your size from the drop-down listing. Note: a sizing chart showing male and female measurements is available on each listing for sized apparel (jackets/dress shirt/polo shirt) – please check your measurements against this if you are not sure which size you require.
- Once done, click the "Add to Cart" button.
- Your shopping cart with all purchases will be shown. Shipping costs are a flat rate across Australia. Review your order and, when satisfied, click on the Proceed to Checkout button.
- Check that your billing and delivery addresses are correct, then click on Place Order button and follow the instructions to finalise your purchase.
- If the apparel coordinator has your requested item/s in stock, it/they will be posted to you. If something needs to be ordered from our apparel supplier, this will be done and your item/s will be posted to you.

If you have any queries regarding this process, or to have a paper order form posted/emailed to you, please contact Frank at apparel@bcoaa.com to discuss. We have plenty of stock on hand, so please get in touch with apparel@bcoaa.com for further information regarding apparel for sale.



This month's watermark is taken from the last time we visited Phillip Island Historics in March 2020, just before we were all locked down and shut down for the better part of two years....

A day to remember, indeed.