



# NEWSLETTER

## JUNE - 2025

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### Executive Committee

President:	Kerry Solman
Vice-President:	Ray Bailey
Secretary:	Martin Charles
Treasurer:	Steve Philpott

### Ord. Committee members

Simon Crebert, Scott Agnew, Annette Bailey, Max Cherrie

### Life Members

Ron Shoemark (Dec) – Brian Crebert (Dec) – Ray Chapman(Dec) – Mick Dunn

John Jowett – Peter Heher – Ross Morgan – Simon Crebert - Ross Smith

Daniel Guillon – Richard Helm – Barry Fong

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2/ If you intend to action any item in this Newsletter, **PLEASE check** for yourself 1<sup>st</sup>.  
3/ Any opinions expressed in this Newsletter are not necessarily those of the Committee or the Singleton Classic Motorcycle Club Inc.

**Club Website:** < <https://singletonclassicmotorcycleclub.com> >

## **Non- Committee Positions**

### **Club Registrars:**

- All Motorcycle ages: Ray Bailey, Kevin Downes, Simon Crebert  
Lloyd Anew
- Pre 1961 to 1979: Ross Morgan
- 1960 to current 30yr old: Kerry Solman
- Newsletter- Barry Fong - Email - [oldchina65@gmail.com](mailto:oldchina65@gmail.com)
- Regalia-
- Public Officer, Rally Organiser  
& Web Site Manager Jacob Crebert

### **General Info**

- General Meetings are held on 1st Thursday of each month at 7.30pm  
\*\* At Singleton Diggers, York Street
- Initial Annual Rally meeting - After the Feb General Meeting.
- Annual Rally – on 1<sup>st</sup> weekend in May
- A.G.M. - on 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday in July
- Inspection for bikes on conditional registration –  
\*\* Before the AGM or by arrangement with a Club Registrar.
- To ride bikes on Conditional Registration after June 30th, members must have paid their Membership Fees.
- 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday/March each year – Memorial Ride for Deceased Members
- 1<sup>st</sup> Weekend in November - Presidents' Yearly Over Night Ride.

### **Authorised club rides are as follows:**

- Every Wednesday
- Every Sunday
- Tiddler Rides – 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month
- **40/40 Ride** – 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday after the Monthly Meeting
  - \*\* above 4 rides leave Civic Park not earlier then 9.30am
- To Club Events (eg: Club Meetings, Club Social Events, etc)
- With any Club with which our Club has **Reciprocal** ride arrangements or has received an **invitation** from the organising club & is entered in our Clubs' minutes.
- Other events as approved by the committee & entered in our Clubs' minutes.

### **Reciprocal ride rights with the following Clubs**

Note: Members are able to ride their Conditional registered bikes on rides organised by these clubs.

If you intend to go on one of these Clubs rides, it would be advisable to carry a copy of this section of the Clubs' magazine.

- Coalfields Classic & Enthusiasts Motorcycle Club
- Newcastle Classic Motorcycle Club
- Newcastle Vintage Motor Cycle Club

## **Newsletter Contributions**

- Articles from members are welcome. Please keep them short & relevant.
- Suggest 1x A4 sheet in size (Text – Aerial 12) & to be submitted as a 'WORD' doc/docx no later than the **3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of the month**. The earlier the better.
- Email or hand articles to newsletter editor.

## **July 2025 - Authorised Club Events**

- |                                                                               |                                     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| ➤ Thu 3 <sup>rd</sup>                                                         | Monthly Meeting – York St. Diggers  |
| ➤ Sat 5 <sup>th</sup>                                                         | 40/40 Ride                          |
| ➤ Sun 6 <sup>th</sup>                                                         | AGM                                 |
| ➤ Sun 13 <sup>th</sup> , 20 <sup>th</sup> , 27 <sup>th</sup>                  | Club Ride Days                      |
| ➤ Wed 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 9 <sup>th</sup> , 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 30 <sup>th</sup> | Club Ride Days                      |
| ➤ Wed 16 <sup>th</sup>                                                        | Café Ride                           |
| ➤ Tue 1 <sup>st</sup> , 15 <sup>th</sup>                                      | Tiddler Ride Days-Civic Park 9.30am |

Note: Ride destinations may be altered or decided on by agreement of attending Members

### **Future Events:**



## **Other Club's Rallies/Events + Events of Interest - 2025**

- |                                              |                                                         |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|
| ➤ 18 <sup>th</sup> > 20 <sup>th</sup> July   | Tamworth Rally (Base – Paradise Van Park)               |
| ➤ 26 <sup>th</sup> > 27 <sup>th</sup> July   | MacQuarie Towns Rally [base – Pitt Towns Sport Club]    |
| ➤ 27 <sup>th</sup> July                      | Nabiac Swap Meet                                        |
| ➤ 2 <sup>nd</sup> Aug                        | Combined Clubs Rally – Luskintyre                       |
| ➤ 15 <sup>th</sup> > 17 <sup>th</sup>        | Grafton Vintage & Classic Rally [Grafton Showground]    |
| ➤ 3 <sup>rd</sup> > 6 <sup>th</sup> Oct      | Parkes Annual Rally                                     |
| ➤ 12 <sup>th</sup> Oct                       | Maitland Swap Meet                                      |
| ➤ 26 <sup>th</sup> Oct                       | Canberra Swap Meet [at the Hall, Showgrounds]           |
| ➤ 31 <sup>st</sup> Oct > 8 <sup>th</sup> Nov | VMCC(NSW) 70 <sup>th</sup> Annual Rally – Bathurst Area |

### **Notes:**

- (DWA)... Details When Available  
If any Classic, Vintage or Veteran motorcycle Club or individual has details of an event that is NOT listed in this newsletter & would like it to be included, please email details to the Singleton Classic Motorcycle Club .  
Email: < [singletonclassicmcc@gmail.com](mailto:singletonclassicmcc@gmail.com) >

# **SINGLETON CLASSIC MOTORCYCLE CLUB INC.**

## **Minutes – June Monthly Meeting**

**DATE:** 005/06/2025      **OPENED;** 7.30pm      **CLOSED AT;** 8,48pm

Kerry Solman in the Chair      New members: Mitch Douse & Geoff Thompson

**PRESENT 48   APOLOGIES 14   AND GUESTS 2   AS PER ATTENDANCE SHEET**

### **MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING;**

**MOVED:** Les Wilkes

**SECONDED** Tony Bendeich

**BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES;** Nil

### **TREASURER'S REPORT:**

\$12,423.60

Balance

**MOVED;** Les Wilkes

**SECONDED;** Neil Bailey

### **INWARD CORRESPONDENCE;**

Macquarie towns magazine

Newcastle Classic magazine

Vintage Japanese Motorcycle Club magazine

Wespac Rescue Helicopter magazine

### **E-MAILS**

02/05 Coffs Harbour Restorers magazine

05/05 Joseph Teuma thanked us for putting on a great Rally

09/05 Invitation Sydney Antique Machinery Club Clarendon Rally 20/21 September 2025

15/05 Northern Rivers Rally 5-7<sup>th</sup> September. Evan's Head camping ground

16/05 Newcastle Classic MMC Poker Run Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> May

18/05 Bunnings Fathers' Day Family Night 4<sup>th</sup> September 5-7pm Motorcycles to be on display

22/05 Bulli Antique Motorcycle Weekend 22-23<sup>rd</sup> August. Swap Meet Saturday

23/05 Illawarra Club Tweelers magazine

24/05 Lithgow Small Arms Factory Museum. Endanger of closing. Heritage Council has listed it

Submissions to government    [haveyoursay.nsw.gov.au/lithgowsaf](http://haveyoursay.nsw.gov.au/lithgowsaf)

28/05 Endlessinvoice \$26.62 The Perpetual Glass Trophy

## **OUTWARD CORRESPONDENCE;**

Our May Newsletter

**MOVED;** Greg Cooper

**SECONDED;** Gary Jackson

## **GENERAL BUSINESS;**

40/40 ride, Saturday 9.30am Civic Park

Tiddlers' ride, 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays of the month

AGM, First Sunday July 6<sup>th</sup> Monthly Meeting the previous Thursday

Nominations for Executive positions

Dementia Fund Raiser Auction, \$11,000 (mainly farm machinery) Our Club on display

Another one will be held in 6 months' time

Arrange a bike display for the Bunnings Fathers Day event

Graeme reported on Paul Hansen, bike injury 12 months in hospital

Richard Helm asked How many Rally entries did we have?? Steve replied 80+

Auto Pro will stock Penrite Straight 50 oil if there is enough demand

Triples rally, August 8-10<sup>th</sup> at Wooli

Kerry proposed that the current 3 meeting attendance rule be changed at the AGM

Also, that the Constitution should read 8 members of the Executive

Proposed change; Attend one general meeting with membership form with two nominees

Be voted in at the next meeting

Thus, as one month process rather than two

We need to move with the times and be more welcoming

Also, the miss three meetings without an apology rule has not been activated. Proposed that we send a polite letter/e-mail to members we have not seen for a long time

Billy Waugh tried to join a car club. Rules too restrictive. He joined a different club

Scott Agnew, Check the constitution model rules re the balance of an Executive member and Committee members

Greg Cooper Car club 1 meeting plus attend two events to join

Mick Dunn, Old rule was for when the Club controlled the Registration plates. It was to control bad members

We still have the ability to control a person's membership

Kerry, We have lost about 3-4 potential members because of the delay

My intention is to apply our rules more rigorously

Bucko agreed with the notion of a speedier joining process

Brett Goodfellow requested that all members receive a copy of the Constitution via e-mail

<b><u>Raffle</u></b>	1 <sup>st</sup> Keith Gray	Vegetable tray
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Mick Skinner	Chain lube
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Noel Boyce	Cleaning product
	4 <sup>th</sup> Jai Lawrence	Esky



## Wed Ride – 28 May

Taking advantage of a break in the weather a number of riders assembled at Civic Park keen for a ride. Due to a number of road closures it was decided that we go on a short run to Broke.



## **May 31 – Singleton Showground**

Nice rollup to singleton showgrounds for **dementia charity auction** - organised by Bailey Hunter Valley.



Annette



## Wed Ride – 11 June

10 Riders braved the cold wind today through Luskintyre to Lochinvar then onto Greta to the Bakery to thaw out!! then home thru Kirton with Buck as leader, great ride brrrr



**Annette**



## Wed Ride – 18 June

A beautiful ride to Denman with 16 of us enjoying the great weather and a visit to the bakery for a coffee etc, a slight battery problem with one bike but that was sorted locally, how lucky to find great service at Denman with a local bike enthusiast who helped out, much appreciated.

**Ray**





## FOR SALE

My bike for sale to club members

Yamaha 2019 XTZ700 Tenere

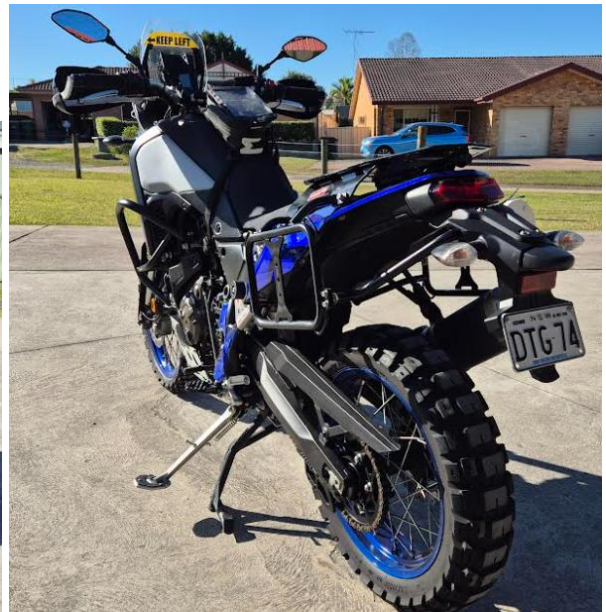
To many extras to list

Contact me for more information

Registered till 1/2025

\$13,000 ono

Ian Kersley 0428431585





## Singleton Classic Motorcycle Club

### Honour Roll

#### Deceased Members

Russell Clout

Ivan Knight

Bruce Knight

Colin Cox

John Smith

Stan Taggart

Julia Crebert

Brian Crebert

Ron Shoemark

Ray (Chappie) Chapman

William (Billy) Shephard

### Hints and Tips

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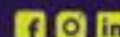
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