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GENERAL MEETINGS

Venue: Sans Souci Literary Institute
Address: 107 Ramsgate Road, Ramsgate
(Cnr Campbell Street)
Time: 8.00pm Wednesday nights

MEETING DATES – 2007

July 18th August 15th September 19th
October 17th November 21st December 19th



Editorial

Another busy month has passed, first the Orange Blossom Festival at Baulkham Hills on Saturday 16th September 2007. This was a mixed club car display day and was well attended, Jason Birmingham's immaculate Hairy Lime P76 created a great deal of interest.

The BMC Leyland Australia Heritage Group's reunion luncheon day at The Rocks in Sydney was terrific, Kay De Luca who organised the day, was also the MC and must be congratulated for her great effort.

Anne Stewart the marketing and community relations centre, Castle Hill, has been in touch with the Club and has invited our club to display four Leyland P76's on Saturday 10th November 2007 and has also informed us that Barry Anderson ex BMC Leyland employee will be the guest speaker. Then we will be given the tour of the car collection (cost for the tour will be \$10 per person). This should be a top day.

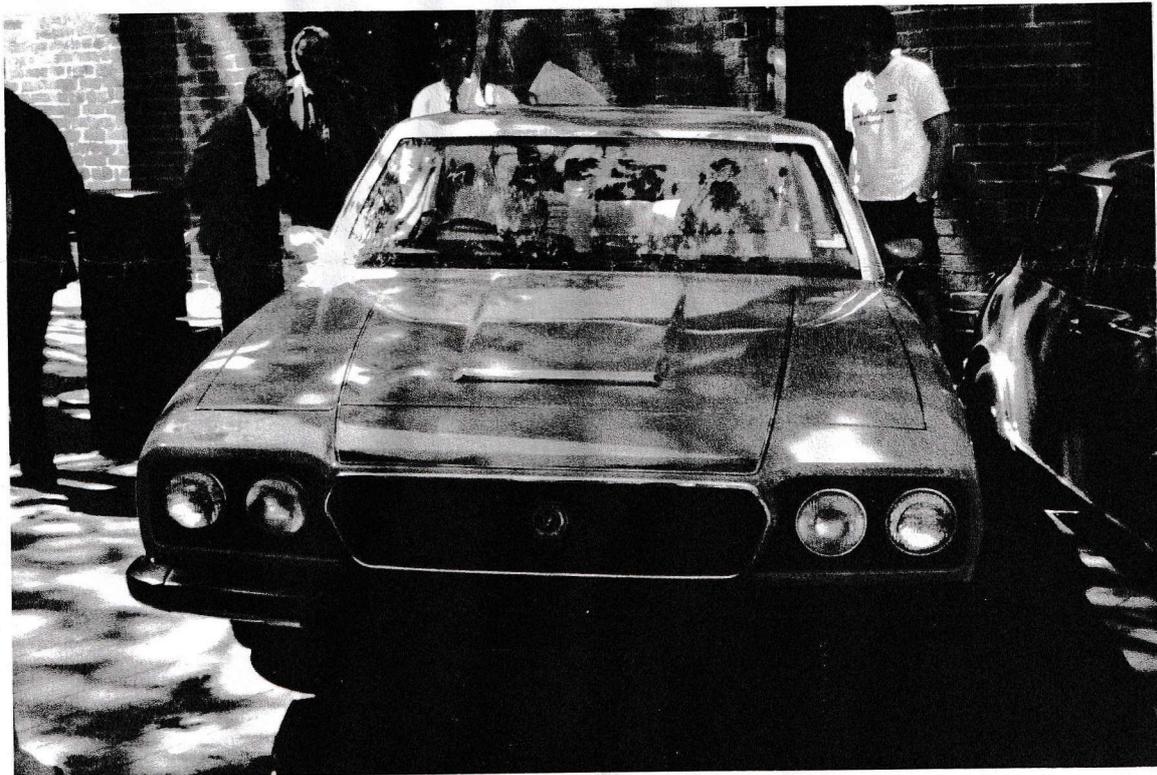
On Saturday 6th October 2007 I was watching the top ten shoot out and also the Fujitsu V8 Super car races at Bathurst and one of the races at Mt Panorama was won by Luke Youlden and his car number was (you guessed it) 76, that's great.

See you at our next meeting.

Sue Green

Congratulations!!!

To the Rickard family on the birth of their baby daughter
Maeve Elise



Richard Williams Force 7V

Future Events

- 28th October 2007 Highlands Motor fest College, Bowral
- 10th November 2007 Power House Discovery Centre, Castle Hill. A display day 4 cars only and a talk by Barry Anderson and a tour of the Centre (cost \$10 per person)
- 26th January 2008 NRMA Motor fest, Sydney
- 16th & 17th February 2008 Berrima District Vehicle Clubs Rally
- Easter 2008 National Meeting hosted by Victorian P76 Owners Club
- 22nd June 2008 South Coast Holden Owners Club mixed Display Day at Kembla Grange Race Course, set up from 8:00 am. Entry fee \$20 per car



Tony De Luca & Ron Naylor

at Lowenbrau Keller Restaurant at the Rocks

Orange Blossom Festival & BMC Heritage Group Reunion

By Joe Green

Our outing to the Orange Blossom Festival was next. The weather was great and the selection of mixed cars was varied and most interesting. Jason Birmingham's immaculate Hairy Lime P76 created a great deal of attention by the crowd and also the other car enthusiasts.

I was parked beside a chap who had an immaculate 1937 Graham Bros sedan on display. He had done a ground up restoration of this car and it had been carried out in such a professional manner. It was admired by all. Also near to our display, I met another car buff who was into Fords, he had on display a very rare 2 door 1954 Star Model Coupe, painted blue and white, it was outstanding. After chatting to him for some time he revealed to us he has a large collection of rare Fords, including as rare GT HO Phase 3 Ford, quite a valuable collection.

Now, onto the BMC Leyland Heritage Groups Reunion and luncheon day at Lowenbrau Keller Restaurant at the Rocks in Sydney. When Sue and I arrived at about 10:30am there was a display of three cars on the cobblestone courtyard area in front of the Kellar Bar.

Richard Williams green Force 7V, a blue mini Cooper S and a red Austin Healy (I do not know the names of the owners of the mini and the Healy). They looked fantastic and created much attention from the public.

We then proceeded upstairs to the restaurant where we were greeted by Kay and Tony De Luca. Kay organised the day and was also the M.C. (other members of the Heritage group assisted her, I did not know their names).

At 12:30 the lunch was served and the meal was great. Kay then introduced Barry Anderson and he gave us a short speech and Roger Foy gave a vote of thanks to the owners of the display vehicles.

Then Kay introduced the guest speaker Warrewyk Williams who gave a very interesting talk about his involvement with the P76's and some of his experiences, he also had a visual slide show. His talk was very interesting and informative. Warrewyk also donated a Fuji digital camera to be raffled.

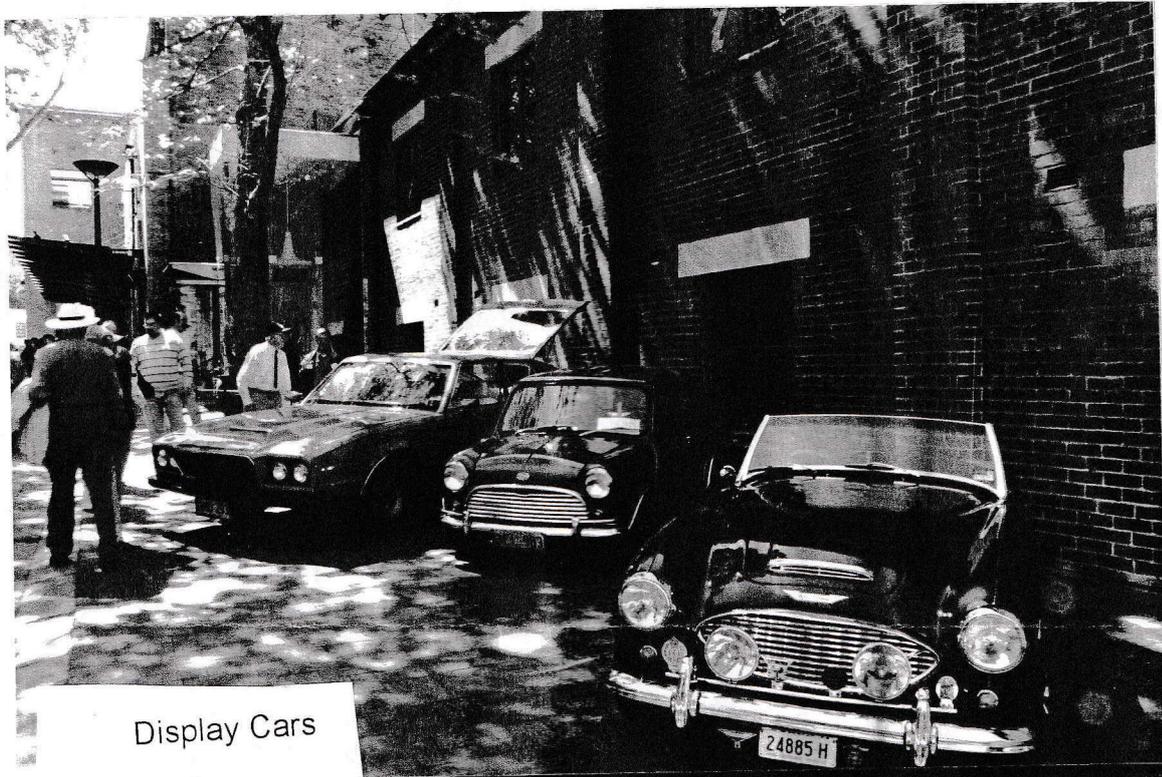
After he completed his talk Kay gave thanks to the Lowenbrau Keller for their hospitality, to Warrewyk for the camera, to Matilda Cruises for the gift vouchers and to all those who gave talks and assisted on the day.

We then just mixed amongst the crowd and it was very interesting to talk to some of the ex Leyland employees about their experiences that they had when working for the company.

It was also good to catch up with some of the Queensland P76 club members, namely Adrian Spencer and Neville Humphries. Anyhow, Sue and I, after an enjoyable day left the venue at about 4:30pm.

Congratulations to Kay De Luca and her committee for organising a great day.

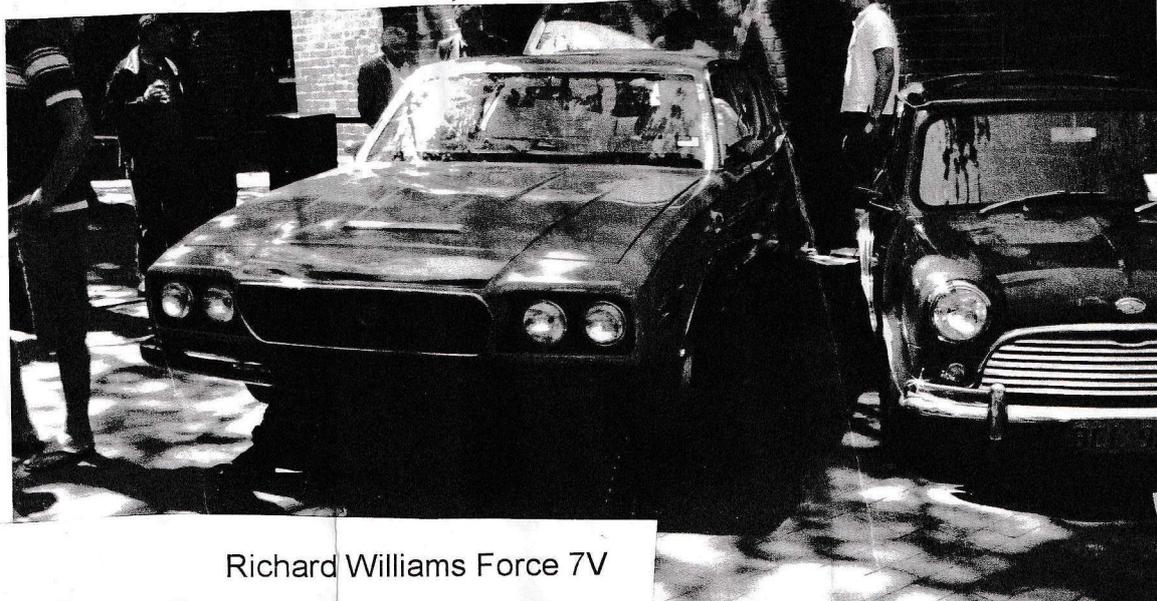
BMC Heritage Group Reunion



Display Cars



Neville Humphries, Jason Birmingham
Peter Mohacsi, Warrewyk Williams
Adrian Spencer



Richard Williams Force 7V

Minutes of the Leyland P76 Classic Car Club held at the Sans Souci Literary Institute
on Wednesday 19th September 2007.

Joe Green opened the meeting at 8:06pm. Members in attendance as per the attendance book.

Apologies: Valda & Don Chappell, Alan Torrance, Paul van Look, Troy Green, Angelos Frangopoulos, Alen Simons, Kevin Ward.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and accepted.
Moved-Peter O'Brien. Seconded-Ron Naylor.

Business arising from the minutes: Nil.

Treasurers Report:

\$4,306.43 in bank. Statement No. 161 dated 31/8/2007.

Income for August 2007. Membership Fees \$195.00. Total \$195.00.

Outgoings for August 2007. Hall Rent \$27.50, Office of Fair Trading \$43.00, Typing \$30.00, Australia Post \$35.00. Total \$135.50.

Acceptance of the Treasurers Report. Moved-Bev Lyons. Seconded- Peter O'Brien.

Correspondence in:

1. Letter & information from Turner Enterprises regarding their products including steering, drive shafts & associated parts.
2. ACT P76 Club Magazine Leylines for February, March, April, May, June, July, August & September 2007.
3. West Australia P76 Club Magazine Westwords September 2007.
4. Victoria P76 Club Magazine August 2007.
5. South Australia P76 Club Magazine September 2007.
6. NSW P76 Owners Club Magazine Leyland Post No 20 2007.
7. Drive Chatter Magazine August 2007.

Correspondence Out:

Nil.

Acceptance of correspondence. Moved-Kay De Luca. Seconded-Sieve Maher.

General Business:

1. Kay De Luca reported to the meeting that the BMC Leyland Heritage Group Luncheon on 30th September 2007 is shaping up very well and should be an excellent function. There are still vacancies with the cost being \$30.00 per person.
2. Joe Green informed the meeting that the Power House Discovery Centre required Leyland P76 vehicles for the open day on 10th November 2007.
3. Joe Green reported to the meeting on the Orange Blossom Festival display day on Sunday 16th September 2007 at the Bull & Bush Hotel Baulkham Hills. It was a great day with many interesting vehicles on display.
4. Joe Green informed the meeting that Michael Clark from the Victorian P76 Club is looking for articles for the National P76 Magazine to be issued at the 2008 National Meeting at Geelong over the Easter Weekend.
5. Joe Green & Peter O'Brien reported to the meeting on the South Coast Holden Owners Club Display Day at the Kembla Grange Race Course held on the 24th June 2007. As usual it was an excellent day with Joe receiving the prize for the Committee's Choice with the Force 7.

The meeting concluded at 9.10pm followed by supper.

Minutes of the Thirteenth Annual General Meeting of the Levlind P76 Classic Car Club held at the Sans Souci Literary Institute on Wednesday 15th August 2007.

Joe Green opened the meeting at 8:50pm. The secretary Tony De Luca read the minutes of the last Annual General Meeting.

The receipt and adoption of the minutes. Moved by Peter O'Brien.

Seconded by Kay De Luca.

The president Joe Green informed the meeting that the accounts for the club finances are available for inspection. The Treasurer Sue Green invited members to inspect the accounts.

Acceptance of the Auditors Report. Moved by Kevin Ward.

Seconded by Jim Bennett.

Joe Green handed the meeting over to the Returning Officer Allan Torrance and all committee positions were declared vacant.

The Returning Officer called for nominations to fill the committee positions for the coming year.

As one nomination was received for each of the office bearers and ordinary members of the committee they were duly elected and are,

President.	Joe Green.
Vice President.	Peter O'Brien.
Secretary.	Tony De Luca.
Treasurer.	Sue Green.
Committee Member.	Troy Green.
Committee Member.	Kevin Ward.
Committee Member.	Kay De Luca.
Committee Member.	Paul van Loek.
Committee Member.	Ron Naylor.
Public Officer.	Joe Green.

The elected President Joe Green then resumed as chairperson of the meeting. He thanked Allan for performing the duties of Returning Officer.

As there was no further business, the meeting finished at 9.08pm followed by supper.