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# The Leyland Post

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- \* 12th January - General Meeting (Kings Park)
- \* 26th January—Little Wings Australia Day outing

**PLEASE NOTE NEW MEETING VENUE**

**Next General Meeting - January 11th**

**The Leyland P76 Owners Club Inc  
is affiliated with the following organisations**

Council of Motor Clubs



BMC Leyland Aust.  
Heritage Group



Council of Leyland P76 Clubs



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## Presidents Report—Paul Patten

Hello everyone,

I hope everyone is well and keeping safe in these extraordinary times, we are now essentially back to normal living, or at least back to some level of normality.

Since our last magazine we conducted the postponed AGM in November and a list of the new club committee is detailed on the previous page. There are not many new faces but we are please to welcome Paul Abela who has taken on the website management role and also to welcome David Place back to the committee. You will note there are a few new emails listed on the previous page, these have been arranged for several key positions so that more than one person can view if needed but it will also make the handover of a position to a new member somewhat easier.

Since the restrictions have been eased, we have now been able to conduct General Meetings in both November and December, albeit that attendance numbers have been low.

Courtesy of Steve Maher, we also held a club Christmas party in late November at Steve's place in Muswellbrook (a few photos, courtesy of Jackie Anderson, have been included later).

Unfortunately for Sue and I, the release to travel to regional NSW and the change in dates for the Christmas party meant that we had to be somewhere else on that weekend. But so sorry to have missed catching up with everyone.

On that note I would like to wish all our members, families and friends the very best for Christmas and the holiday period. Please enjoy yourselves and stay safe.

Paul Patten



# Merry Christmas

**General Meetings - the Second Tuesday of the Month  
Kings Park Tavern 214 Sunnyholt Road, Kings Park**

**Next General Meeting**

**Tuesday January 11 at 7.30 pm at Kings Park Tavern**

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## From the Registrars desk

Paul Patten (registrar@p76clubnsw.com)

Since our last magazine in September, we have helped several of our members to register and/or re - register their vehicles in both HVS and CVS schemes. We have also added a few new members and vehicles to our register., the current numbers are below

Total vehicles	33
P76	19
Marina	2
Other	12
CVS	4
HVS	29

### Changes to CVS Registration.

The CMC have now been accredited as an approved organisation. This was something they were seeking as part of the splitting of responsibilities from ACMC, which as the only body approved to deal with CVS registrations, had become overwhelmed by the sheer numbers of vehicles involved.

The requirements for CVS registration remain unchanged, but in terms of paperwork ,the processing fee will now need to be paid into a different (CMC) account - you can pay the \$25.00 fee by cheque or money order made payable to CMC CVS, or you can EFT the funds to

#### **CMC CVS**

**BSB 633 000**

**Account 186322772**

Please identify the payment in the reference field with your surname and initials.

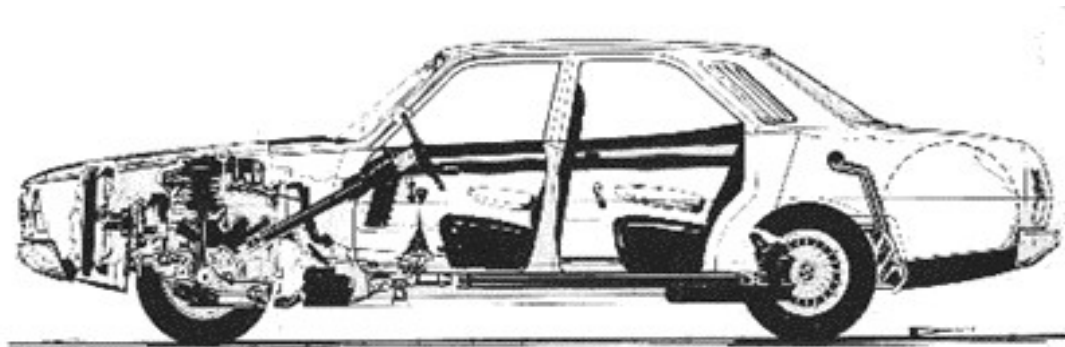
The postal address is;

#### **CMC CVS**

**PO Box 174, Bexley NSW 2207**

The relevant forms you require for CVS registration, as well as the updated guidelines are available on the club website;

[p76clubnsw.org/Forms/CVS Forms and Guidelines/CMCCVS Registration Guidelines](http://p76clubnsw.org/Forms/CVS%20Forms%20and%20Guidelines/CMCCVS%20Registration%20Guidelines)



## **Leyland P76 Owners Club Inc**

### **Parts Department**

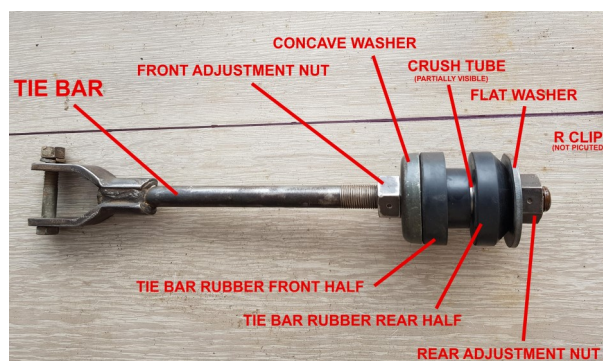
#### **P76 Front Strut Inserts.**

Having properly working front suspension is critical to the performance and safety of any car however in the case of the P76 the hydraulic inserts for the Front Struts, is now a part which is no longer available over the counter from any of the suppliers of suspension parts. Because of this the club organised the re - manufacture of these critical components and have had them remade on two occasions now, the last being in 2016. To organise this purchase the club has to commit to a minimum of 50 sets (pairs), so it's not something we can do on a regular basis or at short notice.

At this stage we have been overwhelmed with a lack of interest from our members and also other clubs interstate, consequently we will have to put this project firmly on the back burner for now.

#### **P76 Tie Bar (Radius Rod) Bushes**

In the last edition of the magazine we published an article on Tie Bar Rubbers aka Radius Rod Bushes. New stocks of the remade bushes are now available, however for various reasons, they will need to be purchased directly from Steve Maher.



Our Parts Officers -Daniel Sheard and Charles Anderson can be reached anytime by email at [parts@p76clubnsw.org](mailto:parts@p76clubnsw.org), [sheardy95@gmail.com](mailto:sheardy95@gmail.com) or [charlesa@dpfsales.com.au](mailto:charlesa@dpfsales.com.au) or on mobile between 5:30pm and 7:30pm week days (please leave a message if there is no answer), email is preferable.





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MY CAR CLUB NSW  
PRESENTS

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## Australia Day & Charity Event at the CAR SHED

26<sup>th</sup> January 2022

Come and join us celebrating Australia Day, at this amazing property in Wilton, while enjoying the surrounding sights with over 150 Classic Cars & Bikes, all under the one roof.

The quantity, quality and array of these vehicles will absolutely amaze you.

This is a **NOT** to be missed fund-raising Event for our nominated Charity "Little Wings"



There will be Raffles, Auctions and more, with ALL Proceeds going to charity.

(For more information, check their web site <https://www.littlewings.org.au>)

Little Wings will have their Food Stand on-site serving:

*Pulled Beef/gravy/coleslaw roll or Pulled Pork/gravy/Coleslaw roll plus a drink, \$10. BBQ Chicken piece (cold)/potato salad/coleslaw/pasta salad \$10. Drinks \$3 each – includes soft drink and water.*

Entry Fee of **\$10.00 per vehicle**, to be paid prior to the event (details below).

This Event is by "Invitation Only" (**NOT Open to the PUBLIC**) with all bookings done online through MCCNSW website (details below).

For more details contact



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Terms & Conditions:

- i. All bookings are to be made through the My Car Club NSW's web site web: <https://mycarclubnsw.com.au> & follow the steps  
Click on: **EVENTS – JANUARY – Australia Day & Charity Event “BOOK NOW”**  
A form will appear, & you will need to populate your details etc.  
(There are several Drop Down Windows, to assist with the input of information)
- ii. The **\$10.00 Entry fee** is to be collected by the Organiser of the “**Invited**” Car Club and paid via **EFT** (in one payment), directly into My Car Club NSW Bank Account, **NO** later than the 19<sup>th</sup> of Jan 2022.  
**Banking details: - MyCarClubNSW BSB: 032257 Account No: 529504**  
*When making a payment, do not forget to list your Car Club, as a reference*
- iii. **Meals** are to be booked online, (when you “**BOOK NOW**” above), by the individual making the booking & paid for “**ON THE DAY**”, directly to Little Wings.  
*(Do not make EFT transfers for Food to MCCNSW)*
- iv. MCCNSW request that you inform your Insurance Provider of this Event and send us a copy of the details, prior to attending the Event.  
  
Note: MCCNSW is affiliated with Motor Sport Australia. If your Car Club has the same affiliation, please advise them of this Event & our affiliation.
- v. The address for this Event has not been advertised as this is a private property and we respect the owner's wishes. We will advise the Organiser of your Car Club and this is to be distributed to their members “**ONLY**”.  
The address is NOT to be used on social media or any other form of media, without the specific approval of MCCNSW.
- vi. Starting time will be from **10.00am**
- vii. We ask that your Car Club brings an item that we can auction on the day.  
**ALL** proceeds of this Auction will go directly to Little Wings (the Nominated Charity)
- viii. As this is a private residence, we ask that your members be always respectful and adhere to any directions given by the owner/s and/or the Event organisers –  
MCCNSW
- ix. NOTE: This event is for only those participants who are Double Vaccinated

I will be in contact with the individual “Car Club Event Organisers” to update them, on a regular basis, with the members of their Club who have booked online.  
(This will be in the form of an Excel Spread Sheet)

Should you have any questions, or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact me

Regards

Dennis Dinse

President MCCNSW



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# Leyland P76 Owners Club Christmas Party

Muswellbrook 27 November 2021.

A huge thank you to Steve for offering to hold this years event at his new house in Muswellbrook, it was greatly appreciated. Unfortunately we are still waiting for a story from those who attended the event, but from all the reports I have heard, everyone had a great day. Particular and favourable comments have been overheard regarding the food, and particularly deserts.













LEYLAND P76 OWNERS CLUB — MERCHANDISE		AS AT 14.09.21	
ITEM - At Market Value		PER ITEM \$	
Book P76 40		\$ 10.00	
Coasters Set of 6		\$ 15.00	
Model Kit, P76 Wagon Unbuilt		\$ 75.00	
Model Kit, P76 Wagon Built/Painted		\$ 140.00	
Mouse Pad, Targa Brown		\$ 10.00	
Mug, Targa Brown/Targa Blue		\$ 10.00	
Mug, World Cup Rally Car		\$ 10.00	
Patches Leyland Team (Helmet)		\$ 5.00	
Pin, P76 Nationals 2010		\$ 5.00	
Print, Targa Brown/Targa Blue, Framed		\$ 20.00	
Print, Force 7 Yellow unframed		\$ 10.00	
Print, Targa Brown/Targa Green/Targa Blue Unframed		\$ 10.00	
Club Shirts Blue Chambray – long sleeve various sizes		\$ 40.00	
Club Shirts Blue Chambray – short & ¾ sleeve various sizes		\$ 40.00	
Club Jackets Blue		\$ 45.00	
Club Jackets Blue Rally		\$ 56.50	



Blue Club Chambray Shirts **\$40**

P76 Station Wagon Kits - **\$75 Unbuilt**



Club & Rally Logo on Front Rally Jacket

Rear of the Rally Jacket

Club Jacket Plain - **\$45.00**

Rally Jackets **\$56.50 each**

***PRICES DO NOT INCLUDE POSTAGE***

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## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION / RENEWAL FORM

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[www.p76clubnsw.org](http://www.p76clubnsw.org)

<b>FIRST NAME:</b>		<b>Membership No.</b>
<b>FAMILY NAME:</b>		
<b>FAMILY MEMBERS:</b>		

<i>Please include details of your P76 vehicles as well as photos.</i>	VIN No.	Engine No.
	VIN No.	Engine No.
<i>No. of vehicles owned by you</i>		<i>Complete vehicles not under restoration</i>

<b>Home Address:</b>	
<b>Postal Address:</b>	

<b>Phone:</b>	<b>Mobile:</b>
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<b>Email:</b>
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<i><b>Nominator:</b></i>	<i><b>Secunder:</b></i>
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<p><i>Please find enclosed the sum of \$50.00 being full payment for membership to The Leyland P76 Owners Club Inc. for the period ending 30 June 2022 (note that payments made within the final 3 months of the current financial year will carry membership through to the end of 2022).</i></p> <p><i>I agree to the aims &amp; objectives of the Club &amp; agree to abide by the Clubs Constitution &amp; By-Laws.</i></p>	
<b>Signed:</b>	<b>Date:</b>

<p><i>Payment by Direct Credit can be made to the Club's Commonwealth Bank A/c</i></p>		
The Leyland P76 Owners Club Inc.	BSB: 062 336	Account No. 1017 1082
<p><i>Please email receipt to: <a href="mailto:tonkay@optusnet.com.au">tonkay@optusnet.com.au</a></i></p>		

<b>OFFICE USE ONLY:</b>		
<i>Date Paid:</i>	<i>Payment Type:</i>	<i>Card Sent:</i>

# LEYLAND P76 OWNERS CLUB Inc

VIA ZOOM

Tuesday 12<sup>TH</sup> October 2021 at 7.00 pm

**Present:** 12 members in attendance: P. Patten, C Anderson, K. De Luca; S. Maher, D. Fox, S. Fletcher, P. Abela, N. Byers, H. Pittock, N. Delforce, S. Wilson, M. Stockwell.

**Apologies:** D. Sheard, R. Kerslake, D. Place, J. Anderson

**Treasurer's** Accepted as tabled

**Report:** Moved: Scott Wilson Seconded: Steve Maher

**Business Arising:** Paul mentioned that David Place has agreed to take on Activities Officer position.

**Website:** New Committee emails are now on the website.

**Registrar Report:** Paul reported a quiet month for registrations. CVS documentation has been updated and he will attempt to upload them on the website.

**Parts Report:** Sales for the month \$1,337. Steve advised that the bushes are to hand – still to be finished off. Invoices to come. 8 of the 10 clutch kits have been sold. Scott Wilson may need one set. Agreed we should order another 10 sets. Kay to assist to get David Fox's parts to Canberra.

**Activities Report:** Past: - The 2 recent ZOOM meetings had good attendance and positive comments were made.

Future: - Charles suggested having 3 club general meetings per year - to be held outside of Sydney (north, west and south) to enable country members to take part. Charles will do a plan for 2022. Suggestion for one to be at Mudgee..

**Merchandise:** Steve reported the sale of one Workshop Manual.

**General Business:** **AGM** – A room has been booked at Kings Park Tavern for 9th November 2021. Maximum attendance (due to Covid) is 20, so we need to RSVP to Charles - first in best dressed. Dinner at 6pm, meeting at 7.30pm.

**Xmas/Club's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary** – Steve Maher's home at Muswellbrook for a Xmas Party. Hopefully Covid will allow this to take place.

**Next Meeting:** Next General Meeting and AGM 9<sup>th</sup> November 2021.

**Closure:** Meeting closed at 8.10 p.m.

# LEYLAND P76 OWNERS CLUB Inc

## VIA ZOOM

**Tuesday 9<sup>TH</sup> November 2021 at 7.00 pm**

- Present:** 10 members in attendance: P. Patten, C Anderson, K. De Luca; D. Place, P. Abela, N. Byers, P. Crowther, P. South, B. Colombin, S. Patten.
- Apologies:** D. Sheard, R. Sheard, S. Maher.
- Previous minutes:** Minutes of the October Zoom Meeting were read and confirmed.  
**Moved:** Bert Colombin      **Seconded:** Paul Abela
- Business arising:** To be dealt with in General Business.
- Treasurer's Report:** Accepted as tabled  
Invoice rec'd S. Maher \$3,770 for Radius Rod Bush Sets – general consensus is this Invoice is not adequate to be considered for payment.  
**Moved:** Phil Crowther      **Seconded:** Bert Colombin
- Correspondence:** NZ September Magazines; emails re website, membership, parts, Zoom Meetings.
- Website:** Emails are now set up for admin & parts – looks professional.
- Registrar Report:** Paul reported another quiet month – Tim Bentley's Targa due for renewal.
- National Council:** **Moved** Paul Smith - **Seconded** Neil Byers that these funds could be spent on the Tie Bar Bushes.
- Parts Report:** Sales for the month \$231. Radius Rod Bushes could be made available at next General Meeting. Seven Hills deceased estate ongoing. With lockdown ending efforts can be made to collect and move parts into club storage. Awaiting to hear about front strut shock absorber inserts. Long discussion about parts – storage, access etc. Options re splitting parts into several locations to streamline operation. Neil offered to house large parts at his place and using the containers at Daniel's place for smaller parts. Paul Patten to talk with Daniel & Richard.
- Activities Report:** **Future:** - Charles spoke about having 3 club meetings per year being held outside of Sydney (north, west and south) to enable country members to take part. Charles preparing a calendar for 2022. Suggestion for one to be at Mudgee (Oatley Winery) although the Club was intending to visit Parkes next year to prepare for 2023 Nationals.
- GENERAL BUSINESS:** Steve reported the sale of two Workshop Manual.  
Discussion re members who aren't double vaccinated – access to the Club etc. Future Meetings may need to have Zoom access.
- Xmas/Club's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary** – Invitations have been sent to all Members. Club to provide BBQ meats, desserts, cutlery, plates etc. Members to BYO drinks, salads and fold up chairs.
- Next Meeting:** Next General Meeting 14<sup>th</sup> December 2021.
- Closure:** Meeting closed at 8.45 p.m.



**LEYLAND P76 OWNERS CLUB Inc**  
**HELD AT KINGS PARK TAVERN, KINGS PARK**  
**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2021 at 7.40 pm**

- Present:** 9 members in attendance: P. Patten, C Anderson, K. De Luca; D. Place, P. Abela, N. Byers, P. Crowther, P. Smith, B. Colombin. Paul Patten in the Chair.
- Apologies:** D. Sheard, R. Sheard.
- Minutes of Previous Meeting:** Minutes of the November General Meeting were read and confirmed.  
Moved: Bert Colombin      Seconded: Charles Anderson
- Business Arising:** Tie Bar Bushes being bought by funds in National Council A/c – it was felt that this can't be done. Paul would like to distribute National Council funds pro rata to Clubs who supported previous orders, some difficulty may arise. Suggestion to send emails advising balance proceeds of sales to each Club. Request a response in 14 days – no response to be taken as "okay to proceed".  
Steve Maher's Invoice for Tie bar bushes was discussed. We still require some additional paperwork in order to pay.
- Treasurer's Report:** Accepted as tabled  
Moved: Phil Crowther      Seconded: Paul Smith
- Correspondence:** Emails re website, membership, events, SA Magazine Dec, Phil Crowther magazine articles.
- Website:** Paul reported that the updated CVS forms are now on the website.
- Registrar Report:** Paul reported 4 renewals – 1 new HVS registration. Current numbers 29 on HVS and 4 on CVS. Neil Byers' paperwork to come soon.
- National Ccl Report:** Nil
- Parts Report:** Not many enquiries. Sales for the month \$589. Charles reported that missing clutch pedal hook has been located. We should order another 10 kits..  
Phil tabled 2 locking steering locks – one works and one doesn't?
- Activities Report:** Past: Xmas Party at Steve Maher's place – Charles to do a story on this for the next Magazine.  
Future: - The Invitation from My Car Club for Australia Day 2022 was discussed. David to prepare an email which will be circulated to Members. Members to make their own online booking and forward \$10 to our Club's CBA Bank Account. The Club is then to make a total payment for all bookings.  
-National Motoring Heritage Day – Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2022  
- Shannons Sydney Classic – Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> August 2022  
- All British Day – 11<sup>th</sup> September 2022 – 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Display Day
- Merchandise:** No report.
- General Business:** Some discussion and concern regarding the status and administration of the FaceBook page purporting to be the club's page and Enthusiast page.
- Next Meeting:** Next General Meeting 11<sup>th</sup> January 2022.
- Closure:** Meeting closed at 9.10 p.m.

## Leyland P76 Owners Club Inc - 2022 Events Calendar

11 <sup>TH</sup> January 2022	Club Meeting	Kings Park Tavern	Kay 0410 688 886
26 <sup>th</sup> January 2022	Australia Day Outing	Wilton	David 0417 190245
8 <sup>th</sup> February 2022	Club Meeting	Kings Park Tavern	Kay 0410 688 886
8 <sup>th</sup> March 2022	Club Meeting	Kings Park Tavern	Kay 0410 688 886
12 <sup>th</sup> April 2022	Club Meeting	Kings Park Tavern	Kay 0410 688 886
10 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	Club Meeting	Kings Park Tavern	Kay 0410 688 886
16 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	National Motoring Heritage Day	??	
14 <sup>th</sup> June 2022	Club Meeting	Kings Park Tavern	Kay 0410 688 886
12 <sup>th</sup> July 2022	Club Meeting	Kings Park Tavern	Kay 0410 688 886
9 <sup>th</sup> August 2022	Club Meeting/AGM	Kings Park Tavern	Kay 0410 688 886
14 <sup>th</sup> August 2022	Shannons SC	Eastern Creek Raceway	David 0417 190245
11 <sup>th</sup> September 2022	40th Anniversary All British Day	Kings School - Carlingford	David 0417 190245
13 <sup>th</sup> September 2022	Club Meeting	Kings Park Tavern	Kay 0410 688 886
11 <sup>th</sup> October 2022	Club Meeting	Kings Park Tavern	Kay 0410 688 886
31 <sup>st</sup> October 2022	BMC Heritage	Annual Reunion	Kay 0410 688 886
8 <sup>th</sup> November 2022	Club Meeting	Kings Park Tavern	Kay 0410 688 886
13 <sup>th</sup> December 2022	Club Meeting	Kings Park Tavern	Kay 0410 688 886

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