MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL OF MOTOR CLUBS

GENERAL MEETING held on TUESDAY 25TH November 2025

AGENDA

FOR THE NEXT GENERAL MEETING – to be held 7.00pm Tuesday 27th January 2026

- 1. Apologies, New Delegates, Visitors
- 2. Minutes of previous General Meeting held on 25th November 2025
- 3. Business arising from General Meeting held on 25th November 2025
- 4. Précis of Council Committee Meeting Minutes held on 14th January 2026
- 5. Business arising from the Committee Meeting held on 14th January 2026
- 6. Reports:
 - President's Report + CVS
 - Secretary's Report / Correspondence
 - Treasurer's Report (Accept & Seconded)
 - Judging Pool
 - National Motoring Heritage Day (NMHD)
 - Shannons Sydney Classic (SSC)
 - ACMC
 - AHMF & Robert Shannon Foundation
 - HCCIWG
 - Road Safety Advisory
 - Vehicle Standards Working Group
 - Website & Facebook
 - Special Reports as arranged
- 7. Matters of Affiliation
- 8. Tony DeLuca Volunteer of the Year Award
- 9. General Business

MINUTES of COUNCIL of MOTOR CLUBS INC. - GENERAL MEETING

Held on 25th November 2025

at Revesby Workers Club – 2B Brett Street, Revesby.

IN THE CHAIR: Boyd Symington

ATTENDEES: As per sign on sheets, + 15 via zoom

105 Clubs represented by 129 Delegates.

Boyd welcomed everyone to the November General Meeting, and explained that Terry Thompson had sent his apologies. Terry was unable to be with us tonight as he was at present in hospital, after having a stent put in. They are just waiting for things to settle down, and he will be back on board shortly.

Boyd then welcomed two special guests, Paula and Aldo Joaquin, both Prostate Cancer Specialist Nurses. They were there representing the Prostate Cancer Foundation of Australia. Paula and Aldo gave a very informative presentation on Prostate Cancer, and explain how some of our Donations to the PCFA were being used.

At the end, they presented the Council of Motor Clubs with a framed Thank You from the PCFA, signed by the CEO and the National Chairman.

1. APOLOGIES, NEW DELEGATES, VISITORS.

Apologies: 11 Apologies As per sign on sheet.

New Delegates: Peter Forbes Hunter Valley Jag

Michael Russell Chrysler Restorers

Steve Ioannos Cronulla RSL - MEG

Visitors: Brett Hanna Cronulla RSL – MEG -Tech Support

Phillip Ewings Land Rover Owners

Claudia Lovett MGCC

2. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS GENERAL MEETING held on the 30th September 2025:

The Minutes of the previous General Meeting were noted as circulated on the CMC Website.

Accepted: Barry Melville Hunter Valley JAG

Seconded: David Fletcher Morgan Owners Carried

3. BUSINESS ARISING FROM GENERAL Meeting Minutes of 30th September 2025: Nil

4. PRECIS OF COMMITTEE MEETING held on 12th November 2025:

Terry had reported that as of Wednesday 12th November, there were 2451 vehicles on CVS. He also explained of difficulties with some people in certain clubs, treating him as their servant, and that members should remember that we are all volunteers.

The Secretary's report spoke of numerous emails, phone calls, emagazines. Main topics raised were CVS, Dates for SSC 2026, Affiliation renewal forms, and an interactive data base.

Allan Drane gave a comprehensive Treasurers Report, which he will provide to the members soon. The Committee also thanked Allan for his work in securing a club Grant for the room hire at Revesby Workers Club. Allowing us to maximise our Charity donations.

Terry Bebbington to give his Judging Pool report soon.

ACMC – nothing has happened.

AHMF/RSF – Tony and Kay attended the AGM in Victoria, CMC to host the 2026 AGM. Tony to give a report shortly.

RSAC – Boyd has replaced Terry on the committee.

Website – Ian reported only 1 more club had sent in a club History for the Affiliation page, and feels that if interest does not pick up, the idea may be scrapped.

Facebook -reached over 187,000 in the last 4 weeks.

Lester to give a rundown on the two new clubs applying for Affiliation shortly.

Applications for the Volunteer of the Year award are now closed, and winners will be announced at the January General Meeting.

Kay presented a proposed run sheet for the 2026 AHMF AGM. Requests for other ideas were also asked for.

Accepted: Kay DeLuca Seconded: Terry Bebbington Carried

5. BUSINESS ARISING from Committee Meeting Minutes of 12th November 2025: Nil

6. REPORTS:

Presidents Report: Terry Thompson (Terry's report read by Boyd)

There are a few Service NSW centres who are mistakenly telling people that they MUST change to the new plates on renewal of their existing conditional vehicles. This is not true. It is your choice to either keep your existing plates or change to the new ones, but note that if you change, there will be an extra charge for the new plates.

Some people have been told by Service NSW personnel, when doing their initial registrations, that they must have a hand written Blue Slip for CVS, or a hand written Pink Slip for HVS. They have been told that electronic blue or pink slips are not allowed. This is untrue. If the vehicle is on full registration, it is able to access the electronic slips, but once on HVS or CVS, then you are required to get a handwritten pink slip.

HMA, in collaboration with CMC, have put together new vehicle data sheets for HVS and CVS. They have been submitted to TfNSW, with the hope that they will replace the existing data sheets, which have been lacking in clarification.

<u>Secretary's Report / Correspondence:</u> Karen Symington As per Precis.

Treasurer's Report: Allan Drane

Allan displayed and read a comprehensive Income & Expenditure breakdown of the last 12 months.

Accepted: Bob Kimpton Seconded: Kay DeLuca Carried

<u>Judges Report:</u> Terry Bebbington

Terry B reported the Judging Pool had wrapped up for the year. The last event had been for the Cronulla RSL – Motoring Enthusiast Group, on the 26th October, at the Motor Life Museum. It was a great day, even with a little rain. Terry B said that they had had a good year for judging, and that this year's SSC Concours was the best Ever.

He also reported that they already had All American Day, on January 18th at Campbelltown, and HD/HR club on the June long weekend, booked in for next year.

Terry B also presented the 2 Trophies that are awarded for the NMHD. **The John Rumsey Shield** – "Best Individual Effort" was awarded to Evan & Jane Quarmby who attended the Motorlife Museum event.

The Rover Owners Shield – "Best Club Effort" was awarded to the Magic Metal Motoring Club for their Richmond "Cruise-In" event.

National Motoring Heritage Day: 17TH May 2026

We have the Richmond Classic Cruise In run by the Magic Metal Motoring Club and the MotorLife Museum at Dapto holding events for the Day. We have also now been approached by the Campbelltown Steam and Machinery Museum, who are running their show "Oil, Steam & Kerosene" on the 16th & 17th of May 2026, and have asked to be added to our NMHD list.

Shannons Sydney Classic: 16th August 2026

The weekend of the 15/16th August has now been confirmed. ARDC are very happy with the increase in numbers, and Tony O has confirmed that we can again use the parking area at the Dragway for spectators.

ACMC:

As per Precis.

AHMF & RSF:

Tony reported that the Agenda for the AHMF AGM is the same each year, but it is something we should be involved with.

Some of the topics discussed included the Luxury Car Tax and National uniform rules for Australia.

They also discussed that the NMHD events should include a run.

RSF - There were no applications from NSW, and only 2 or 3 from other states. Tony explained that funds are limited to the RSF account's interest. It was noted that one NSW club had approached RSF on behalf of 10 applicants, however it was after the close & distribution date for this year.

HCCIWG:

Covered in President's report.

RSAC:

Boyd reported that there were no meetings scheduled till next year.

VSWG:

Boyd reported that 2 DRAFTS are awaiting finalisation- Installation of Drawer units in 4WD passenger areas, and Installation of seat belts in Pre ADR cars. In the legal department at moment. Next meeting is in February.

Website and Facebook:

As per Precis.

7. MATTERS OF AFFILIATION: Lester Gough

Lester gave a comprehensive overview of the 2 clubs for voting on.

The All Muscle Car Club Inc and the Chaotic Classics Inc. The Committee had already approved both clubs, and both clubs were voted in.

Carried

8. TONY DE LUCA - VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR AWARD:

Lester reported that he had received 11 applications, and the Committee will make the final decisions at the January Committee meeting. Awards to be presented at the January General Meeting 2026.

9. GENERAL BUSINESS:

CMC was asked if due to the St Ives issue raised at the last meeting, should they be telling their members to only use log books. Boyd responded that if there is **any doubt** that the run is a Primary Club event, then they should use the log books. Best suggestion: If in doubt – fill it out.

Meeting Closed: 8.31 pm

COUNCIL of MOTOR CLUBS INC GENERAL MEETINGS 2026 at Revesby Workers Club – 2B Brett Street, Revesby.	
January Meeting	Tuesday 27 th January
March Meeting	Tuesday 31st March
May Meeting	Tuesday 26 th May
July Meeting	Tuesday 28 th July
September Meeting	Tuesday 29 th September
November Meeting + AGM	Tuesday 24 th November