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Hi Members

Hi Everyone

Our March Rally is nearly here again. The Tractor trek will be leaving Club ground 9am, BYO morning tea those going on trek.

Can members bring a salad and dessert for Saturday night tea. We are looking for items to auction on the Saturday night.

Don't forget our 30th Birthday is coming up soon, I'm trying update everyones details, past and present ready to send out invites.

Hope those not feeling the best are good again soon.

*Have a great day
Lyn*

Donald Trump is visiting a school

In one class, he teaches the young students about a new word: 'tragedy'. Then, he asks them to use it in a sentence.

One brave girl raises her hand and offers, "If a school bus carrying 20 people drove off of a cliff and killed everyone in it, then that would be a tragedy."

"No," Trump responds. "You're close, but that isn't a tragedy. That is what we would call a great loss."

A few seconds later, a boy raises his hand and says, "What about if my friend was at a farm, and a farmer drove over him with a tractor? That would be a tragedy."

"No," Trump repeats. "That is what we would call an accident, not a tragedy. Anyone else?"

The entire class is stumped for a while. Then, finally, another boy raises his hand and says, "I know what a tragedy would be! If Donald Trump was flying in his private jet and got hit by a missile, that would definitely be a tragedy."

"Exactly!" Trump says, pleased. "Now, can you tell the class why, exactly, that would be a tragedy?"

"Well," The boy replies. "It definitely wouldn't be a great loss, and it probably wouldn't be an accident either."

Coming Events

25th January 2026 Federation Parade down Sanger Street

7th & 8th March 2026. Corowa Vintage Rally & Tractor Pull

12th April 2026. Club's 30th Birthday Party at Club Corowa

18th April 2026 Corowa Fly-In,

13th June 2026 Club Fun Day & BBQ tea

6th & 7th September 2026 Spring Fun Weekend

General Meeting held on 11th January 2026 @ 241 Redlands Rd Corowa, 10am

PRESENT: Lyn Plant, Bill & Nellie Petzke, Lindsay & Joy McQualter, Bill Ritchie, Daryl Young, Garry Christensen, Peter Balwin, Glenn Sandford, Bernard Clancy, Wayne Dempsey, Matt McQualter, Stewart McCance, Graham Davis, David McLennan, Ian Kerr.

APOLIGIES: Ian McInerney, Russell Black, Innes Baird, Carolyn Young, Neville Smith, John Moyle, Sue-ellen Sandford, Alan Wilson, Ian McPherson.

Moved Joy Seconded Garry

MINUTES FROM THE LAST MEETING:

Moved Wayne Seconded Lindsay

BUSINESS ARISING FROM LAST MINUTES:

Roy Monty is organised to be Auctioneer at March Rally, Innes Baird contacted him.

Moved Matt Seconded David

CORRESPONDENCE IN:

Newsletter from Mount Alexandra Club
Newsletter from Border Flywheelers Club
Town Cryer January events

CORRESPONDENCE OUT:

Thank letter to Wemyss family

Moved Nellie Seconded Ian Kerr

TREASURES REPORT

Moved Lyn Seconded Garry

GENERAL BUSINESS:

Dates for June Rally, moved last meeting to be 6th & 7th June, but also moved at July's meeting not to have it on the long weekend and suggested 13th & 14th June 2026. June Rally to be held on **Saturday 13th June 2026** with a tractor trek and BBQ evening meal. June meeting will be held early evening Saturday on 13th June 2026.

Moved Matt Seconded Bernard

Lyn to buy a dozen bottles of wine for meetings.

Moved Nellie Seconded Lindsay

Report from Committee meeting held at 9:30am, see attached

Lyn to communicate with Border Steam and Oil Engine regarding their future.

Moved Daryl Seconded Bernard

March Rally, see attached sheet.

Moved Wayne Seconded Peter

MEMBERS WILL BE ATTENDING...

25th January 2026, Federation Parade, Sanger Street Corowa

NEXT MEETING 8th February 2026

WINE WINNER Bill Ritchie

TIME MEETING CLOSED 11:15am

Committee Meeting held on 11 January 2026 @ 9:30am

PRESENT: Lyn Plant, Bill & Nellie Petzke, Lindsay McQualter, Bill Ritchie, Daryl Young, Garry Christensen, Peter Baldwin, Glenn Sandford

APOLIGIES: Ian McInerney

Moved Peter

Seconded Lindsay

GENERAL BUSINESS:

Long term Camping at Club grounds. **A new Policy of no long-term camping to be allowed on club grounds.** This is due to previous issues years ago from council, when a caravan park complained about people camping on club grounds. When explained to council members and exhibitors only camp during events, or when members who live out of Corowa are working on club grounds. Also if people camping long term we would need to have Caravan park facilities and regulation.

Moved Lyn

Seconded Bill Ritchie

Short term Camping at Club grounds. **A policy of short-term camping of camping of one week either side of an event is acceptable.**

Moved Nellie

Seconded Garry

Border Steam & Oil Engine Club is struggling to keep going and are looking for options if need to fold. If Border Steam and Oil Engine Club wish to donated items to Corowa Historic Vehicle & Machinery Club, we would accept with honour

Moved Peter

Seconded Daryl

TIME MEETING CLOSED 9:50am

Please update your details'

Have you changed your email

Have you disconnected your landline

Have you a new phone number



Some members details are out of date

Corowa Annual Vintage Tractor Pull & Vintage Rally



March 7th & 8th 2026

Address 241 Redlands Rd Corowa NSW 2646

All Tractors & Machinery

Saturday March 7th

10am Tractor Run

Returning mid afternoon

10am Display of Vintage Machinery

10.30 am The Australian Chamberlaine

Championship

Entry Gold Coin Donation



BBQ Lunch Available

6pm Complimentary BBQ Dinner for

Members and Exhibitors

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Sunday March 8th

10 am Vintage Tractor Pull

!0am Display of Vintage Machinery

Entry Gold Coin Donation



BBQ Lunch Available

3 Level Loading Ramp

Lifting Facilities available

Eftpos available



All N.H.M.A. Guidelines to be followed

Pets/Dogs must be on leash at all times



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