

REVS

September 2011



FX – FJ HOLDEN CLUB OF QUEENSLAND INC.

(Established late 1976 with the first official club run in January 1977.)

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FX-FJ HOLDEN CLUB OF QLD INC.**

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AFFILIATIONS:

A.E.H.F. The Australian Early Holden Federation

Q.E.H.D Queensland Early Holden Delegation.

MEETINGS are held on the **2nd Monday** of each month in the *Rocklea Show Society rooms, Rocklea Show Grounds; enter via Ipswich Service Road Rocklea* starting at 7.30 pm sharp. All members and guests are welcome to attend.

Thought of the Month: Every 60 seconds you spend angry is a full minute of happiness you'll never get back.

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CLUB T-SHIRTS and CAPS cost approximately \$32.00 each and \$15 respectively includes name and club logo (payable in advance). Please see DONNA for further details.

All club Concession registrations are to be ratified by the Dating Officer (Club President) as per the rules of the Club. When re-applying to join the Club as a current member and wanting to change to Concession registration please identify this in your application renewal documentation.

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK -Thanks to everyone for contributing stories, photos. Without you there would be no REV'S. We are always looking for interesting stories and/or articles for the REV'S. *Please present articles as you wish to see them published e.g. spelling & grammar. We will endeavor to reproduce all submissions faithfully.* If your name or address is incorrect either in articles or on address labels, many apologies. Please contact us and we will amend to the correct spelling in order to avoid future mistakes. Articles / ads are not necessarily pre sanctioned by the Executive Committee.

Closing date for submission of articles for October 2011 Revs by 15th October 2011 – Editor.

Please ensure you forward all details prior to this date as changes cannot be implemented once Revs has been printed If not received by given date it will go in the next month's REVS.

President's Report

Well it's nearly on us now, the GM Roundup is here and looks to be shaping up to be a great show and hopefully the weather will do the right thing. All details for members who can help on the day are later in REVS. Also don't forget to put in your calendar the 4th December for the Xmas party.

Shane Krueger

Minutes of Meeting: held 12th September 2011 Meeting opened 7:34pm Chaired by Shane Krueger.

Apologies: Bill Prentice, Bruce Cremin, Robert Monement, Alan Parkinson, Les & Sue Ross, Wayne Carr, Peter & Terry Dofter, John Whitten, Kel Towerton, Russell Tronc .

Secretary: Previous meetings minutes were from the August meeting. Shane called for any amendments nil to the record printed, John Gager moved that the Minutes be accepted, seconded by Justin K and passed by meeting.
Shane tabled correspondence inwards.

Treasury: Donna advised of bank balance and income and expenditure for August. Tony Manganaro moved that the treasurer's report be accepted, seconded by Ron Vine and passed by the meeting.

Social:

- *Dudley talked about the next club run, being to the Beenleigh Historical Society on the 9th October; we will have breakfast (max \$10) at the Beenleigh Historical Society, followed by a run down to the Tweed for a fish n chip lunch. Meet at Yatala Shell at 8am for 8:30 departure. Please note, this run is before our next meeting.*
- Shane spoke about the clubs Christmas Party and advised it would be on Sunday Dec 4th at Parrots in Paradise (Glass house Mountains) Spit Roast lunch and bird show. There will be a vegetarian option, members to advise. Cost will be \$20 per person and \$10 for children. The club will pay the other \$20 per head. There is only room for 55 people, so first in first serve. More details and an invitation later in the newsletter. We will meet at the BP north bound at 9am for morning tea to share and leave for the Parrots afterwards.
- Justin discussed a run for Sunday November 13th, to Bribie, Surf side. We will take "Chucky" and have a BBQ lunch. \$5.00 per head for lunch and a can of drink. Please bring morning tea to share, which we will have along the way. Meet at the BP north bound at 9.00, for 9.30 a cruise.
- John Gager advised that we had again been invited to share Australia Day celebration's at Wynnum's Darling Point Park. More details to follow.
- Donna asked everyone to start bringing items for our monster Xmas Hampers, she is happy to accept items at GM Round for those who are unable to attend the monthly meetings.

Technical: *Tony nil to report.*

Membership: We have 96 Members of which 6 are life members. There are still many current members that have not paid their fees. *Please advise if you are not renewing.*

Publications & Website: Shane advised Revs articles are due now. He would like more members' stories please as shown by Kel with his wonderful story in last month's REVS to make our newsletter more interesting.

A.E.H.F: Dudley advised still no news, but he would phone and see about accommodation etc.

GM Roundup: Dudley discussed at length, the numbers required including club members who are judging will need to be at the ground by 5:30am for getting entrants and swappers onto the field. We need at least twenty people for this plus people on gates and at least 5 people for events during the day. Club members to dress up in for Fashions on the field, there will be a Trophy presented at the October meeting for best dressed club member.

Working Bees:

- *Friday 23rd September 10am for field marking etc,*
- *Saturday 8am for tape of areas, stand locations. Meeting at 10am, morning tea/lunch provided, to discuss all jobs to do and where everything is happening etc*
- *Saturday, training for Ladies helping with gate registration, and computer entries.*
- *Sunday workers required at 5:30am for gates to be open at 6am.*
- *Please advise what time you will be available.*
- *We require a bus driver for the little bus to take shoppers to the markets, only a car licence is required. A nice sit down job for someone.*
- Entries are coming in, but we will be taking them on the day.

Swap & Sell conducted.

For Sale;

1955 FJ Special Sedan. 89000mls. been garaged since 1989, paint needs redoing, brakes need some work, good interior, sell unregistered. \$12000. Ph Dudley 07 55461403 or 0418763886.

PPQ Personalised number plates. **SFJ55**

Aussie Aussie Aussie on Australian flag background. \$400 Ph Dave Jackson. 0408566343

FX-FJ Ute and panel van doors, tail fin reflector holders, pair of excellent Holden door scratch plates, Holden badges, front sun visor, horn button, FX boot lids, tail lights, FJ top grill bar, gear box, grey motor distributor and starter motor. Call for prices. Ph. Barry 0403227600

1956 FJ parts, complete rear end(diff, axles and brakes, no springs) \$250, tail shaft \$20, taxi bar \$120.

Ph. Keith or Deneice Tronc 0738492380 or 0412742916

General Business:

- Shane advised that 'Chucky' had been repaired after the damage received in the January flood and has a current gas certificate, after been checked by a registered gas fitter. She's also having a new paint job ready for the outing in November.
- Keith and Denise Tronc would like to thank members and especially Tony and Dudley for all the help and support after his recent accident, also Randy's Customs. He is very proud to be a member of a club of such caring people.
- Cheryl asked about business cards to hand out, Donna advised she would get some ready for the next meeting.
- Rock and Roll George's car is now in the museum for viewing.
- **No other business arising:**

FOR SALE / WANTED

Please let me know as you sell or find your items so I can delete them from the list. All new ads will be at top of list and will be published for **ONE issue** only; FURTHER ADVERTISING AT \$5 PER MONTH. A price must be given for items for sale if it is to go on the Club Website. Ed.

WANTED:

FX FJ Front sun visor phone Theo 0418766246

Twin Red Mtr manifold Ph Willy A/Hrs 3285 5491

Two rear fins for FJ Special PH Russell 0410 314229

9inch Ford diff centre Please call John if you can help 0412 506617

3.08 ratio banjo diff centre (ph) Martin or Helen 0417 073479 o r (07) 55947112

FX Front stone tray and sedan boot springs (ph) Russell 0410 314 229 or (07) 33452360

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Number plate SFJ 55 Phone Dave Jackson 0408 566 343

1956 FJ Holden parts Complete Rear end, incl. Diff, brakes & axles NO SPRINGS etc \$250, Radiator \$200 tail shaft \$20, taxi bar \$120 Phone Deneice or Keith Tronc, 3849 2380 or 0412 742 916

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2004 Commodore VY II 24,700kms, 1 owner, fully optioned Graphite Grey, Great Cond. \$15,000 Craig 38075985

FJ contact Dave Robson, refer web site for details

FB Grey motor complete, hear running \$800 Ph Tony 3245 3631

FX Tail gate mechanism & rods etc \$150 Ph Mark 0407 787407

FJ Fibre Glass Flip front \$500 ph Willy after 4:30pm (07)3285 5491

VB-VC Steering Column converted to suit FX/FJ (to fit to HR front end with rack & Pinion steering) \$250 ph Willy after 4:30pm (07)3285 5491.

Wagon rear luggage compartment seat, Universal type to convert a wagon from a five seater to seven seats \$200. ph Willy after 4:30pm (07)3285 5491

FX/FJ Parts Ph John 0412 506 617

FX/FJ RHS Floor pan \$50 Ph Peter 0407 165513

HR diff converted to suit FX/J, 99% complete \$250 ono Ph Peter 0407 165513

1954 FJ Business Sedan, stock, new brakes, black, same owner 33 years, Insured for 25K, SIV's rego, offers over \$25k considered Ph Dave on 0438 750345.

1956 FJ Sedan, HR disc brake front end, HR rear end, auto \$4,500 Ph Dudley on (07) 5546 1403

Trivia

Q: Why is shifting responsibility to someone else called 'passing the buck'?

A: In card games, it was once customary to pass an item, called a buck, from player to player to indicate whose turn it was to deal. If a player did not wish to assume the responsibility of dealing, he would 'pass the buck' to the next player.

Q: Why do people clink their glasses before drinking a toast?

A: It used to be common for someone to try to kill an enemy by offering him a poisoned drink. To prove to a guest that a drink was safe, it became customary for a guest to pour a small amount of his drink into the glass of the host. Both men would drink it simultaneously. When a guest trusted his host, he would only touch or clink the host's glass with his own.

and on a lighter note, some one liners.....

1. A bicycle can't stand alone; it is two tired.
2. A will is a dead giveaway.
3. Time flies like an arrow; fruit flies like a banana.
4. A backward poet writes inverse.
5. In a democracy it's your vote that counts; in feudalism, it's your Count that votes.
6. A chicken crossing the road: poultry in motion.
7. If you don't pay your exorcist you can get repossessed.
8. With her marriage she got a new name and a dress.
9. Show me a piano falling down a mine shaft and I'll show you A-flat miner.
10. When a clock is hungry it goes back four seconds.
11. The guy who fell onto an upholstery machine was fully recovered.
12. A grenade fell onto a kitchen floor in France resulted in Linoleum Blown apart.
13. You are stuck with your debt if you can't budge it.
14. Local Area Network in Australia : The LAN down under.
15. He broke into song because he couldn't find the key.