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 Formed on the 2nd March 1998 - Preserving Speedway History.



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This photo above shows QLD 68 FJ Holden Saloon Car previously owned by Eric & Nancy Campbell. The Car when raced was known as the "BLACK ANGEL" with the Black Scarf flying out of the right hand side of the car. Thanks to Tony & Matthew Woods for bringing this Classic Saloon Car to the 10th Annual CSAQ Car/Bike & Swap Meet at Rocklea on Sunday 24th May 2015.

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"Col's Action Photo's"

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The Classic Speedway Club meetings are held on the First Monday of every month at the CSAQ Club Rooms at the Rocklea Showgrounds beginning at 7.30pm.
For Membership Application Forms or further information, please write to The Secretary, CSAQ Inc., P O Box 24, ARANA HILLS. QLD. 4054.

"Speedway Returns to Caboolture"

Report & Photo's by Col'S Action Photo's

On Saturday 28th March 2015 the sounds of approximately Seventy (70) Classic, Vintage and Historic Speedway vehicles arrived at the Caboolture Showgrounds for the "Speedway Returns to Caboolture" organized by the Fry Family with input from the four Classic & Vintage clubs here in Queensland, and what a turn out with a large group of Uncaged & Caged Speedcars, Saloon Cars, Super Modifieds,, Litre Sprintcars, Solo Motorcycles, Compact Speedcars, Formula 500's, Sidecars,, Stock Cars and a couple of Wingless Sprints that took over the entire pit area that was set up by the organizers as well as a display area near the food stand.

The day started off with a heavy cloud cover which cleared away just in time for the track action to begin, and a static display of all the vehicles listed above being placed on the infield where the members of the public were aloud to walk out and have a look over what had nominated for the event. I must mention at this stage that the event was sponsored by Rudd's Panel Works in Caboolture, and they also supplied a couple of push cars and Tilt Trays incase needed during the event..

In the lead up to the event a special mention to Roy Johnston, Tony Woods from the CSAQ , Darren Sonnenberg from the VSAQ along with Lionel Elfverson from the HSAA all worked well together with John & Jamie Fry from the CCVSAQ to put together all the things that were needed for this event, as well as Col Mullins from the Classic Speedway Association who Designed & Produced the Souvenir Programme which was approved by the Fry Family and entrants on the day,

The programme was made up of three rounds of demonstration runs where every nominated vehicle had a good run on the track which was well prepared and didn't need much water during the daylight hours and I think that everyone had a good time and put on some good demonstration runs for the event, and we hope that this event can be organized again in the future.



QLD 51 Tony McGrath/Saloon Car



QLD 76 Larry Dutton/Holden Midget



VIC 15 Brian Edridge/Hot Rod



USA 7 Rod Viney/327 Chevy Sprintcar



QLD 9 Lionel Elfverson/Nissan



QLD 68 Barry Skimmings/Porsche

The CSAQ Newsletter Editor would once again like to thank all the Classic, Vintage & Historic Speedway owners for supporting the Speedway Returns to Caboolture in 2015 and hopefully it will return again real soon or next year. .

"CSAQ Newsletter Editors Report"

From the Desk of the Newsletter Editor.



As this edition of the Classic Speedway Association Newsletter goes to print I would once again like to thank all the Owners & Drivers who made the trip to Caboolture for The Speedway Returns event on Saturday 28th March 2015, and I hope that this event will be in the planning for 2016 with all the four (4) clubs once again involved.

The Classic Speedway Association has been travelling around the place again with a return visit to the 2015 Marburg Show where we were able to handout some of the flyers for the 2015 CSAQ Car/Bike & Swap meet planned for the Rocklea Showgrounds on Sunday 24th May, and a full report on this event will be placed in this edition of the Club Newsletter.

The Classic Speedway Association QLD Inc., would like to take time to officially thank the following 2015 CSAQ Car Show supporters, Bob & Margaret Hebert. David & Dell Goode, Colin & Kris Barr for there generous support this year and we hope that they will join us again in 2016, also to all the Club Members who gave up their time to help with the set up on Saturday and to all the Members who helped in the early hours of the main day, and without volunteers the event wouldn't be possible, so for 2016 more volunteers are required so that we have enough people instead of the same ones doing all the work.

The CSAQ were invited to the fundraising event held at the VSAQ Club House at Newmarket on Sunday 31st May where a morning tea was held along with a chance to meet some of the Women that have been involved in the Speedway, there was also a group of Vintage & Classic Speedway Vehicles on display and I have placed a couple of photos at the bottom of this page. Special thanks to the VSAQ President Darren Sonnenberg for inviting the Classic Speedway Association where we had three (3) Saloon Cars from the early days of Speedway on display, and I hope that everyone who attended had a good time.





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"CSAQ visits 2015 Marburg Show"



On Saturday 9th May 2015 a group of the CSAQ Car Owners which also included some speedway vehicles from the Historic Speedway Association made up a fantastic display of Speedway vehicles for the show patrons to look over during the day.

Special thanks to Matthew Woods for supplying the above photo of the Speedway Vehicles who attended the show for the spectators to have a look at and a chance to have a chat to some of the owners about there cars.

Looking at the photos it dawned a beautiful day out in the sun as well as for the CSAQ to hand out some Car Show flyers as part of the promotion for the event coming on 24th May at the Rocklea Showgrounds. I hope that everyone had a great day.



The photo above shows QLD 29 Bob Hebert's Microsprint along with QLD 45 Allan Timms's Litre Sprintcar on display.



This photo above shows QLD 72 Tony & Matthew Woods , QLD 177 Kev Gould and QLD 26 Bob Hebert FX & FJ Holden Saloon Cars on display on the day at the Marburg Show.

Special thank you to Matthew Woods for supplying all the photos from this event and I hope that the CSAQ will be returning to the 2016 Marburg Show for yet another Static Display and Grand Parade in 2016.

"2015 CSAQ Car/Bike Swap Meet"

Report by Col Mullins - Photo's Supplied by Matthew Woods.

On Sunday 24th May 2015 the Classic Speedway Association QLD. INC., staged there 10th Annual Car/Bike & Swap Meet at the new venue of the Rocklea Showgrounds where several members of the CSAQ on Saturday making sure that all the set up was in place before early start on Sunday where all the Swap Meet people were at the front gate early so they could set up at the far end of the infield and from all reports we had approximately eighty (80) vehicles set up by the event officials.



This photo above shows the recently restored QLD 6 FX Holden Saloon Car owned by Brian McGaw that was on display at the 2015 CSAQ Car Show, and we hope that Brian will be joining the CSAQ before the end of the year.

The main part of the event started rolling in around 5am under cool conditions, but as the day broke it was clear and sunny with a brilliant roll up of Speedway Vehicles and then the Show Cars and Motorcycles rolling in to make up the main part of the event, where I am hoping to list some of the trophy winners along with some photos for this report.

The CSAQ would like to personally thank the following Business and supporters of this years Car Show like Scott Beresford from Beresford Signs, Bob & Margaret Hebert, Reg Vine and Staff from Rare Spares from the Gold Coast, Colin & Kris Barr from Deception Bay Self Storage, David & Dell Goode from Bundaberg, Scott Davidson from Commercial Brake & Clutch Supplies from Salisbury, Martin Emery from Emery Engineering from Lawnton, Brighton Mower Centre, Brighton, Tropical Snow Cones, Obscene Bean Mobile Coffee and a special thank you to Clifton Hill Scouts Group for their hard work on the food stall for the day, as well as to all the Classic Speedway Club Members who helped during the Day manning the entrance gates and organizing the parking for the Car & Bike & Swap people

on the infield of the oval, all in all another great day for the CSAQ Committee and Members, and the date for the 2016 CSAQ Car/Bike & Swap has been announced as Sunday 22nd May 2016 at the Rocklea Showgrounds.



The group of photos to the left are just some of the Trophy Winners from the 2015 CSAQ Car/Bike Show as well as one of the vehicles that had a lot of spectators looking at during the day and I hope that in 2016 we have another group of cars on show.



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The Classic Speedway Assn (QLD) Inc., would like to thank all of the above Businesses for their continued support of the CSAQ during the past twelve months, and we hope that we have their support during the next twelve months. Please support the Businesses who support the CSAQ.



"CSAQ EVENTS CALENDAR UPDATE"

Sunday 12th July 2015 - RACQ MOTORFEST - Eagle Farm Racecourse - Entry by Nomination 1/7/2015.

Saturday 25th & Sunday 26th July 2015 Mt Gravatt Show 100th Anniversary with the VSAQ
Static Display - Entries to Tony now

Saturday 1st August 2015 - Pine Rivers Show - Static Display & Grand Parade
Entries to Tony by 18/7/2015

Monday 3rd August 2015 - ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING - at Club Rooms Rocklea Showgrounds

Saturday 22nd August 2015 Archerfield Nostalgia Day demonstration runs - Contact Tony if you Require an entry Form Speedway Australia Licence Required.

Sunday 27th September 2015 Rocklea Roundup Rocklea Showgrounds Hosted by the FX/FJ Holden Club - Static Display contact Tony for an Entry Form.

Gatton Speedway - Lockyer Valley dates for 2015/2016

10/10/2015 - 14/11/2015 - 12/12/2015 - 16/1/2016 - 13/2/2016 - -9/4/2016—14/5/2016

The Classic Speedway 11th Annual Car/Bike Show and Swep will be at Rocklea Showgrounds on Sunday 22nd May 2016.



11th Annual

Car & Bike

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Rocklea Showgrounds

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Sunday May 22nd 2016

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