

FIAT focus

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2019 Trophy Presentation



Ansell Park Working Bee

Auto Italia Sunday 29 March
Fiat Nationals at Goulburn, Fri 3rd to Sun 5th April

Social Meetings sponsored by the Bankstown Sports Club

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New and Returning Members

A warm welcome to the following enthusiasts:

Adrian Zappia - 2011 Abarth 500 SS Hatch

Jerry Martino - 2017 Abarth 595

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DATE	EVENT AND LOCATION	HVS code	Pointscore
March 2020			
Sun 1st	President's Motorkhana CANCELLED	CE023010	Yes
Sat 7th	FIAT Club Coffee Break - Armory Wharf Café <i>(see page 5)</i>	CE023070	Yes
Tues 10th	Social Meeting, Bankstown Sports Club <i>(details at the bottom of this page)</i>	CE023011	Yes
Sun 29th	Auto Italia, Epic Arena, Mitchell, ACT (The duration of this event for HVS purposes is Sat 28 - Mon 30 Mar, which includes the necessary travel days).	CE023092	Yes
April 2020			
Fri 3rd- Sun 5th	Fiat Nationals, NSW (The duration of this event for HVS purposes is Thu 2 - Mon 6 Apr, which includes the necessary travel days). (NB Fiat Club NSW 2019/20 Motorkhana Championship Rd 3).	CE024030	Yes
Tues 7th	Oasis Run - Panorama House at Bulli Tops <i>(see page 4)</i>	CE024070	No
Sat 11th	FIAT Club Coffee Break	CE024011	Yes
Tues 14th	Social Meeting, Bankstown Sports Club	CE024041	Yes
Sun 26th	FIAT Club Coffee Break - Benzin Café <i>(see page 5)</i>	CE024062	Yes
May 2020			
Tues 5th	Oasis Run - Southern Sydney	CE025050	No
Sun 10th	FIAT Club Coffee Break	CE025001	Yes
Tues 12th	Social Meeting, Bankstown Sports Club	CE025021	Yes
Fri 16th - Sun 17th	NSWRRC 6 Hour Regularity - Sydney Motorsport Park	CE025061	No
Sun 17th	National Motoring Heritage Day	CE025071	Yes
Sun 24th	Fiat Club NSW 2019/20 Motorkhana Championship Rd 4	CE025042	Yes
Sun 31st	FIAT Club Coffee Break	CE025013	Yes
June 2020			
Tues 2nd	Oasis Run - DISARMED AT THE ARMORY TOUR <i>(see page 4)</i>	CE026020	No
Tues 9th	Social Meeting, Bankstown Sports Club	CE026090	Yes
Sun 14th	FIAT Club Coffee Break	CE026041	Yes
Sat 27th	FIAT Club Coffee Break	CE026072	Yes
Sun 28th	Fiat Club NSW 2019/20 Motorkhana Championship, Rd 5	CE026082	Yes
July 2020			
Tues 7th	Oasis Run - TBA	CE027070	No
Sun 12th	FIAT Club Coffee Break	CE027021	Yes
Tues 14th	Social Meeting, Bankstown Sports Club	CE027041	Yes
Sat 26th	FIAT Club Coffee Break	CE027062	Yes

SOCIAL MEETINGS are held on the second Tuesday of each month at the Bankstown Sports Club, 8 Greenfield Parade, Bankstown, starting at 7.30 pm.

ANSELL PARK is the Club's Motorkhana Grounds located at 2 Percival Street, Clarendon, on the corner of Percival Street and Hawkesbury Valley Way.

OASIS RUN DETAILS

The OASIS runs occurs on the first Tuesday of each month (note that there is no run in January and the November run occurs in the second week of the month to avoid clashing with the Melbourne Cup festivities). Note that details are not usually available until just before each event, however, consult the Club's magazine or website for the HCRS permit number applicable to the event.

OASIS RUN TUESDAY 4th FEBRUARY 2020 - Report

Starting at Bunnings Northmead we had a good roll up of cars in attendance with about 42 people. There were a variety of cars including a baby Austin 7, Citroen DS23, MG, Mustang, Simca and many other makes including Bob's Vintage Rolls Royce. After coffee & shopping in Bunnings it was time to depart out through the North West of Sydney on some very quiet roads with a large group of us getting lost on a dirt road at Vineyard. Finally arriving at Lynwood Golf Club, Pitt Town we all had a very enjoyable lunch. Many thanks to Murray & Heather for organising this event & the members who attended

OASIS RUN TUESDAY 3rd MARCH 2020 - Picnic Day, Bobbin Head & Apple Tree Bay.

MEET: From 10.30am onwards at Apple Tree Bay Picnic Area, Apple Tree Bay Road, Ku-Ring-Gai Chase National Park for Morning Tea.

LUNCH: Depart 12.00noon to return back to Bobbin Head Picnic Ground for lunch. **Parking fees apply.** Eligible Concession Card Holders can apply to NPWS for a free yearly pass.

GOOGLE: NPWS concession pass application form. Café at Apple Tree Bay & Bobbin Head Inn are both CLOSED ON TUESDAYS. B.Y.O. everything. Food, Thermos, Chairs & Tables Etc. **CAUTION, narrow road with speed humps.**

Les ph: 9838 8063 m: 0418 973 866

OASIS RUN TUESDAY 7th APRIL 2020.

By popular demand we will be returning to **Panorama House** at Bulli Tops.

Depart: McDonalds Picton 10.30am.

Details Bill Robertson H:4681 8767 M:0408 064 153

OASIS RUN TUESDAY 5th MAY 2020. Southern Sydney. Helensburgh. Details to follow

OASIS RUN TUESDAY 2nd JUNE 2020 DISARMED AT THE ARMORY TOUR

FULLY BOOKED OUT, MAXIMUM 40 PERSONS ON TRAIN

MEET: By 9.45am Newington Armory, Jamieson Street, Sydney Olympic Park (Silverwater, off Holker St.) 3hr parking at Blaxland Riverside Park. No onsite parking at the Armory.

TOUR STARTS: 10.00am sharp. 2hrs duration. Club lunch details to follow. This is a pre-booked & pre-paid event & is restricted to 40 persons maximum. Brian will take names for the waiting list. *Enclosed shoes must be worn*

DETAILS: Brian Jubb ph: 9602 9591

INVITED EVENTS

Saturday 7th March 2020 11am OPEN Day. Alex Auto Services Botany. Workshop Repairs & Demonstrations Etc. BBQ lunch. Details: Oasis member Mark Hertz 0410 679 268 by 28th February.

Sunday 8th March 2020 10am Taste Of Seafood. Wisemans Ferry Reserve, Old Northern Rd. Wisemans Ferry. Details ph: 0488 209 981

Tuesday 17th March Two Gorges Drive to Fagan Park, Galston. Details Oasis member Mark Hertz 0410 679 268

Sunday 26th April 2020 Antique & Classic Motor Club Picnic Day, Model Park Luddenham. Details Les h:9838 8063 m: 0148 973 866

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Coffee Break!

come join like minded **FIAT** enthusiasts over breakfast and a coffee...



this month's location



When: Saturday 7th March 2020

Where: Armory Wharf Cafe
Blackland Riverside Park,
Jamieson Street, off Hoker Street
Newington NSW 2127

Time: 8:00am - 10:00am



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this month's location



When: Sunday 26th April 2020

Where: Benzin Cafe
1/242 New Line Road
Dural NSW 2158

Time: 8:00am - 10:00am



22nd annual Vintage Machinery & Miniature railway rally and swap meet

MAY 2 & 3, 2020

Rally grounds, at Heritage Village, 3 km west of Quirindi on Kamilaroi Highway

Quirindi Rural Heritage Village Inc

FEATURING FIAT TRACTORS AND MACHINERY

WOODCHOP 10 AM SUNDAY

BLACKSMITHS SHOP

VINTAGE TRACTORS, ENGINES, STEAM ENGINES, CARS & TRUCKS, MOTOR BIKES & DISPLAYS

ARTS & CRAFTS, WOOD TURNING

RALLY DINNER, ENTERTAINMENT ETC SATURDAY NIGHT AT BORAMBIL HALL

EXTRA ENTERTAINMENT FOR THE YOUNGSTERS

COFFEE SHOP DELICACIES AVAILABLE

LIONS CLUB BARBECUE

TRACTOR TREK FRIDAY MAY 1 THROUGH THE LIVERPOOL PLAINS

MORE THAN 120 SWAP SITES

MINIATURE TRAIN RIDES AVAILABLE ON EXTENDED TRACK ALL WEEKEND

MODEL TRAINS OPERATING

SEE THE NEW EXHIBITS

ADMISSION \$10 (for both days, under 18 \$2, SWAP SITES \$20)

Quirindi Rural Heritage Village Committee Inc
22nd Annual Vintage machinery and Miniature railway Rally & Swap Meet
MAY 1, 2 & 3, 2020
More than 100 swap sites

Rally grounds, 3 km west of Quirindi on Kamilaroi Highway

Featuring Fiat tractors & vehicles

WOODCHOP from 10 am Sunday
Tractor trek to Liverpool Plains Friday

Miniature Train rides available

Vintage tractors, engines, trucks steam engines, cars, Motor bikes and displays
BLACKSMITHS SHOP WILL BE OPERATING

Tractor pull, tractor balance

Main Street procession Saturday morning Working demonstrations, tractor events etc, Arts and crafts, sheep shearing, wood working

Catering and Bush Camping facilities available.

Rally dinner, entertainment etc Saturday night
Admission \$10 (covers both days) (Under 16 \$2) swap sites \$20

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- Susan Halliburton
- Tony Studans
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- Naomi McGeorge

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Many thanks to Michael McGeorge, Martin Gallard, Lorenzo Aventi and Giovanni Ciampa for their contributions to this edition of Fiat Focus.

*Cover Photos; The 2019 awards set up at the February Social & Annual General Meeting;
A couple of photos from last Sunday' working bee to clean up Ansell Park after the flooding a few of weeks ago.*

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A big thank you to all the members who came along to the February Annual General Meeting, and especially to Steve Gotch and Alan Steele who again ably performed the role of Election Returning Officers. We now have our 2020 Committee – which isn't that different from our 2019 Committee – with the exception of the Secretary, the Webmaster and the Editor. Lorenzo Aventi has taken on the role of Secretary now, leaving the position of Editor free as we had no nominations for that position. C'mon members, we must have some people who have the skills to be Editor! It's a lot easier to do these days, unlike back when I did it when I actually cut with scissors and pasted with glue! The club will even provide you with a dedicated laptop loaded with the publishing software. In the meantime, expect to receive a much more basic newsletter.

For the last few years we have had a Webmaster – Content (Lex Bongers) and a Webmaster – Technical (Mark Weinberger), but due to the fact that we are losing Lex back to his home country of



The Netherlands, Mark has taken on both roles. I'd like to take this opportunity to thank Lex (see photo) for his 4 years in the role and wish him, wife Viv and son Ayrton all the very best for their future. His father Rene and mother Ida are here helping out with all the intricate details of the big

move and Rene said to me the other day that Lex has been in Australia for 16 years and has never had a job back in The Netherlands! Never fear though, Lex has already got a management job with a major freight company in a town called Zaltbommel. Our loss is their gain I suppose. Good luck mate.

Last month I mentioned that our motorkhana ground, Ansell Park, was affected by drought, but this month I have to report that it has now been flooded! Fairly badly too, as the water level rose to

about 600mm in the office container and about 500mm in the tractor container and car container next to it. In the 40 foot container, the water was not quite so high, so the two cars in it (the 2 dual control cars) look to be still usable, but the Corolla sedan in the previously mentioned container was badly affected by water and then mould. The tractor, being a taller vehicle is OK, but the gearbox on the slasher has to be drained of oil and refilled before using it.

The water was about 700mm high in the toilet block and just needs a good clean out with a Gerni. Inside the Hay Shed, all the tables and chairs disappeared and have to be brought back from the other side of the car park. The BBQ would have been under so that will need a good clean out too. One other car (the Excel) was flooded almost up to its windows, but it was already broken, so we were getting rid of it anyway.

At the February AGM we also had our 2019 Trophy Presentation, so congratulations to all the recipients, but of course not all the members who had won trophies were present on the night. Therefore, I still have many trophies that I would like to get out of my house. There should be a list in this magazine of the winners, so if your name appears please contact me so we can work out how to get it/them to you. Thanks.

The big event of the year is fast approaching – the Fiat Nationals. Consisting of a Supersprint, a Motorkhana and a Show'n'Shine, there is something for everyone and it is only just down the road in Goulburn, so please get your entry in ASAP. Please realise that we have put a cut-off date on entries for a reason. This being so that our overworked, underpaid event officials can organise all the data, etc, and NOT have to take time out of their weekend doing paperwork for late entries. It helps us enormously if everyone gets their act together early. Please find the entry forms and Supp Regs on the Fiat Nationals website

<http://www.fiatnationals.com.au>

Warren Smith
2020 President

Secretary's Report

Fiat Club NSW - Social Meeting Minutes – Bankstown Sports Club – 11 February, 2020

Welcome:

Warren Smith and Domenic Squadrito opened the meeting at 7:55 PM and welcomed members to Bankstown Sports Club.

Apologies:

Jeremy Fox.

New Members & Visitors:

Ron and Sylvia Brown who drive a new Abarth Spider.

310 financial members, 203 Full, 54 joint/Family, 36 Junior and 17 Life Members.

Previous Minutes – Business Arising:

Nil.

Secretary's Report/ Correspondence:

Pugilist, Shannons Auction. Amatori Alfa Magazine.

Ansell Park Report:

Flooding has occurred from the recent deluge, nearly a metre at the gate and unknown damage

Competition Report:

Recent Events: Nil.

Next Events:

Motorkhana scheduled for 01/03. TBC

Refer to Fiat Focus & the website calendars for full details of upcoming events.

Social Events:

Recent Events:

General and Co cancelled due to washout/ rain and being an open venue.

Next Events:

Superior burger on 22/02.

Refer to Fiat Focus & the website calendars for full details of upcoming events.

Communications:

Nil.

President's Report / 2020 Nationals Update:

Supp Regs have now been distributed/ sent out for Fiat Nationals.

Email sent by Fiat Nationals committee requesting volunteers to assist with events scheduled over the weekend.

Fiat Fixations & ClassiFiats:

Someone from Adelaide has requested information regarding a mechanic to restore a gearbox for a FIAT 501. Suggest that they contact the Fiat club of VIC.

Request was received to hire a Fiat 508 for a wedding from a FCNSW member.

CMC Report:

Nominations for a primary and back up CMC Delegate from FCNSW requested.

General Business:

Trophy Presentation for the 2019 Club year.

Meeting Closed / Next meeting:

Social meeting suspended for AGM and election of the new committee. **Next meeting will be held on Tuesday 10th March, 2020, at the Bankstown Sports Club.**

Fiat Club NSW, AGM Minutes – Bankstown Sports Club

11 February, 2020

Welcome:

Opened by Steve Gotch and Alan Steele at 8:40.

Apologies:

Jeremy Fox.

Secretary's Report/ Correspondence:

Election of Office Bearers. Refer to Committee Nomination and Election form.

The following members were elected;

Club Patron - Mr Nat Zanardo OAM

President - Warren Smith

Vice President - Domenic Squadrito

Secretary - Lorenzo Aventi

Treasurer - Susan Halliburton

Committee person - Adrian Sandrin

Competition Secretary - Michael McGeorge

Assistant Competition Secretary - Paul Pana

Editor - (no nominations, position vacant)

Webmaster - Mark Weinberger

Merchandising - Kevin Halliburton

Public Officer - Warren Smith

Historic Plate Registrar - Richard Dalziel

Membership Registrar - Cheryl Sandrin

Social Event Coordinator - Giovanni Ciampa

CMC Delegate - Domenic Squadrito

Honorary Auditor - Rebecca Gallard

Ansell Park Coordinator - Michael McGeorge

Meeting Closed / Next meeting:

AGM closed at 8:52 PM with election of the new committee.

Social Meeting closed at 8:57 pm.

WANTED - EDITOR FOR FIAT FOCUS MAGAZINE

Contact a committee member to express your interest.

Competition

Hello all,

With the lead up to the Nationals it has been a big month for us on the committee and we are hoping people are preparing their cars and coming along to compete or socialise. Please get your entry in as soon as possible whether you intend to compete or be there for the social events.

Last Sunday (March 1) we had our working bee at Ansell park to fix up some of the damage from the recent flooding at the grounds (*See photos below*). A great turn out with people everywhere really help us knock off a lot of jobs including – Repairs to the tractor; container lock boxes and doors fixed; office container emptied, equipment cleaned or disposed; toilet block power washed; shelter shed power washed; office power washed; the fields were mowed, timber and rubbish removed.

Club cars that were affected were gutted and water drained from them (they now look like new with the engine getting a once over as well), plus many more jobs too many to include in the list,

Big thanks to the Kevin & Susan Halliburton, the Martin & Rebecca Gallard, Warren & Glenn Smith, Roger Malcolm, Graham Mumby, Michael & Wayne McGeorge.

Also from some of our invited clubs we had help from the Jaguar club; Tim Mallyon, Liam Mallyon, James Mallyon. and from Volvo club Ashley Yelds.

Cheers, Mic Mac.



Competition Calendar		
2019 / 2020 Fiat Club NSW Motorkhana Championship		
April 2020		
Fri 3rd- Sun 5th	Fiat Nationals, NSW (Fiat Club NSW 2019/20 Motorkhana Championship Rd 3)	Sutton Road ACT
May 2020		
Sun 24th	Fiat Club NSW 2019/20 Motorkhana Championship Rd 4	Ansell Park
June 2020		
Sun 28th	Fiat Club NSW 2019/20 Motorkhana Championship, Rd 5	Ansell Park
August 2020		
Sun 2nd	Fiat Club NSW 2019/20 Motorkhana Championship Rd 6	Ansell Park
Sun 23rd	Rain out date for Motorkhana	Ansell Park
September 2020		
Sat 19th	Fiat Club NSW 2019/20 Motorkhana Championship R7 - day/night	Ansell Park
Sun 20th	Fiat Club NSW 2019/20 Motorkhana Championship, Rd 8	Ansell Park

DATE		Speed Championship
April 2020		
Fri 3rd- Sun 5th	Round 2 - Fiat Nationals, Wakefield Park, NSW	
July 2020		
Sun 5th	Round 3 - Huntley Hillclimb - Dapto	
October 2020		
Sun 25th	Round 4 - Interclub, SMP North Circuit	
November 2020		
Sun 15th	Round 5 - Huntley Hillclimb - Dapto (TBC)	

2019 Fiat Club of NSW Award Winners

The trophy presentation for the 2019 competition year was held at the February social meeting. The list of award winners is included below. In addition to the list below, trophies from the club's concorso last year were awarded to **Jodie King**, outright winner for her **Fiat Multipla**, and to **Sylvia Brown**, winner of the **Modern class** with her **Abarth 124 Spider**. Congratulations to all those who won awards and we look forward to seeing more participants over the coming year. Please check the club calendar for all upcoming events. LA

Patron's Award - Wayne McGeorge

George Simmonds Trophy - Clubman of the year.

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| 1st | Giovanni Ciampa |
| 2nd | Murray Irwin |
| 3rd | Domenic Squadrito |

Dot Tory Trophy - Female Clubman of the year.

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| 1st | Susan Haliburton |
| 2nd | Chris Gorman |
| 3rd | Cheryl Sandrin |

Eric McDonnald Trophy - Driver's Championship

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| 1st | Glenn Smith |
| 2nd | Michael McGeorge |
| 3rd | Martin Gallard |

Ted Ansell Trophy - Motorkhana Championship.

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| 1st | Glenn Smith |
| 2nd | Michael McGeorge |
| 3rd | Martin Gallard |

Leonie Steele Trophy - Ladies Motorkhana Championship.

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| 1st | Rebecca Gallard |
| 2nd | Naomi McGeorge |

Ansell Park Trophy - Junior Motorkhana Championship.

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| 1st | Nicholas Pana |
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Fred 1 Trophy - Under 2336 mm Motorkhana Championship.

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| 1st | Peter Jakrot |
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The Snoopy Trophy - Over 2336 mm Motorkhana Championship.

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| 1st | Robert Polito |
| 2nd | Vince Polito |

Vernon Stedman Memorial Trophy - FWD Motorkhana Championship.

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| 1st | Michael McGeorge |
| 2nd | Kevin Haliburton |
| 3rd | Naomi McGeorge |

John Maude Trophy - Specials Class.

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| 1st | Glenn Smith |
| 2nd | Martin Gallard |
| 3rd | Rebecca Gallard |

Lap Dash Championship

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| 1st | Martin Gallard |
| 2nd | Rebecca Gallard |
| 3rd | Glenn Smith |



Wayne McGeorge receiving the Patron's award in recognition of the great amount of work he does for the club, especially at Ansell Park.



A couple of awards from the 2019 Concorso d'Eleganza were handed out at the AGM. Above, Jodie King was the outright Concorso winner with her Multipla and below, Sylvia Brown won best modern with her Abarth 124.



Left; some of the perpetual trophies awarded on the night including Concorso awards, the Lap Dash Championship, Patron's award, and the George Simmons trophy.

Point score for the 2019 George Simmonds Trophy

The George Simmonds Trophy is in short the Clubman's Trophy for the Fiat Club of New South Wales. George was our Foundation Secretary and held the position for first 10 years of the Club's existence. He was made a Life Member but sadly passed away in 1962.

Points are awarded for attendance at all club events and the award is in recognition of the club member who regularly participates in what we have to offer. Below is a list of point scorers for the year.

This is the most prestigious award the club has to offer and while it is not really a competition

it does highlight the appreciation the Fiat Club has for members who attend and enjoy the events organised by the committee.

Congratulations to Giovanni Ciampa for taking out the award for 2019.

LA



Kevin Halliburton receives his award from Warren Smith



Robert Polito receives his award



Giavanni Ciampa - winner of the prestigious George Simmonds Award

First Name	Surname	Points	First Name	Surname	Points
Giovanni	Ciampa	305	Giuseppina (Pina)	Pollicino	108
Murray	Irwin	272	Roger	Machin	107
Domenic	Squadrito	253	Charles	Ryan	107
Mark	Weinberger	250	Gavin	Tory	107
Kevin	Halliburton	234	Martin	Gallard	104
Susan	Halliburton	234	Robert	Polito	97
Richard	Dalziel	224	Douglas	Tory	96
Steve	Gorman	212	Joe	Catena	86
Wayne	McGeorge	208	Rebecca	Gallard	82
Warren	Smith	207	Tony	Virgona	74
Lorenzo	Aventi	195	David	Barzan	65
Roger	Malcolm	195	Antonio (Tony)	Carnevale	64
Chris	Gorman	191	Kerry	Moroney	64
Adrian	Sandrin	187	Bruno	Napoli	64
Cheryl	Sandrin	187	Robert	Todarello	64
Maurizio	Puglisi	179	Michael	McGeorge	61
Ross	Di Bartolo	175	Naomi	McGeorge	61
Graham	Mumby	161	Anthony	Metcalfe	60
Vince	Bruzzese (1)	159	Asato	Tanaka	55
Dean	Ryan	151	David	Heyworth	54
Vince	Polito	147	Gary	Oliver	54
Nicholas	Puglisi	141	Iain	Shannon	54
Tony	Studans	140	Karen	Machin	53
Sarah	Ryan	119	Dean	Martin	52
Ian	Sinden	117	Anthony	Rinaudo	52
Glenn	Smith	109	Ian	Allison	51
Tony	Castiglione	108	Steve	Gotch	51

Note 1: These points are based on attendance at events plus an extra point if the member brings his/her Fiat or Abarth etc. Female members are highlighted indicating finishing order in the Dot Tory Trophy (Ladies Championship) and all members are eligible for the George Simmonds Trophy (Clubman Trophy).

Note 2. Members scoring less than 50 points have not been shown.

Welcome to the Fiat Nationals

<http://fiatnationals.com.au/>

Hi Fiat Fans, The clock is certainly counting down to our event, we hope you are prepared for a great weekend of fun! A couple of points to be aware of leading up to the event.

A reminder **that Early Bird Entries close 6th of March**. Entries received after COB Friday 6th March 2020 will attract a late fee payment, and any entry received after COB 25th March 2020 may not be processed. It takes a huge amount of work by a very small team to make this event happen, and your entry form sent in ahead of time is a great help to our ability to process the information.

Don't have that entry in yet, hit that download tab on the Nationals website at fiatnationals.com.au and engage pen now!

You can now confirm your entry and car number on the official website. Simply click the Entrants List tab below to verify your information has been entered into our system correctly. If you have sent in an entry in but don't yet appear on the list, simply check back in a day or so as we are updating the list frequently. **Please check the entry lists below and over the page** to check if your entry has been registered.

Please remember to pack a camp chair, it will come in extremely handy at the T124 Pizza Night & Shannons Insurance Show "N" Shine.

The Mercure Goulburn has a full bar, drinks for all T124 Social Dinners are to be purchased at the bar.

The Gunning Lions Club will be running a BBQ serving Breakfast & Lunch at the Fiat Australia Fiat of Italy Cup Motorkhana. Sutton Road drivers Centre is not near any facilities, so please keep this in mind re-drinks & food, and help support a great charity!

All drivers need to be available for declaration form signing at registration.

Our 2020 Monster Raffle is shaping up to be another huge one, with some great products generously donated by Fiat Australia, Fiatorque Continental Spares, NGK, Penrite, SAPE, NGK Australia, Kingsdale Wines & Mercure so far. We have a few more in work, so watch this space!

Urgent Update Regarding Licencing Requirements for The 2020 Fiat Nationals

Due to Public Liability and General Insurance issues, the 2020 Fiat Nationals will now be run under a Motorsport Australia permit for the entire event. As such, an AASA licence will not be acceptable for our event. The Supersprint will require a Motorsport Australia Level 2S or higher, the Motorkhana will require a Motorsport Australia Level 2NS or higher.

Please visit <https://motorsport.org.au/> if you require a new or updated licence. A level 2NS licence can be upgraded to a 2S licence through the portal. Whilst a Motorsport Australia day licence may still be obtainable for the event, the price is the same as a year licence.

The committee recognises the late notice of this adjustment, and apologises for any inconvenience this has caused. I am sure we can all agree have the best coverage for our event is the most desirable outcome in the case of an emergency.

ENTRY LISTS

Show & Shine		As at 1st March 2020	
Entrant	Car	Class	
Schmidt, Steve	Fiat 124AC	P2: 1960 - 1975	
Wellington, Graeme	Abarth 124 spider CSA	P2: 1960 - 1975	
Maud, Ian	Fiat X1/9	P3: 1976 - 1990	
Filippetto, Nicholas	Fiat 131	P3: 1976 - 1990	
Irwin, Murray	Fiat X1/9	P3: 1976 - 1990	
Ruckert, Mike	Fiat Grande Punto Sport	P4: 1991 - 2007	
Ruckert, Alison	Fiat Grande Punto Sport	P4: 1991 - 2007	
Di Bartolo, Ross	Abarth 124 spider	P5: 2008 - current	
Ellis, Barry	Fiat Punto Sport	P5: 2008 - current	
Sandrin, Cheryl	Abarth 500	P5: 2008 - current	
Bates, Graham	Fiat 850 Coupe	P6: Competition (Sprint class criteria)	
Young, Eric	Fiat 128 3P	P6: Competition (Sprint class criteria)	
Freame, Paul	Fiat	P6: Competition (Sprint class criteria)	
Hams, John	Fiat 124BC	P6: Competition (Sprint class criteria)	
Daines, Gavin	Fiat 131	P6: Competition (Sprint class criteria)	
Gallard, Martin	Fiat 126	P6: Competition (Sprint class criteria)	
Gallard, Marty	Fiat 127	P6: Competition (Sprint class criteria)	



FIAT NATIONALS ENTRY LISTS CONTINUED..

Motorkhana		As at 1st March 2020		
Entrant	Car	Class	State	Partner
Aventi, Lorenzo	Fiat Ritmo	Class C: FWD over 2336mm	NSW	
Berry, Colleen	Abarth 124 Spider	Class A: RWD over 2336mm	QLD	
Caia, Frank	Fiat 124 spider	Class A: RWD over 2336mm	VIC	
Daines, Gavin	Fiat 131	Class A: RWD over 2336mm	NSW	
Di Bartolo, Ross	Abarth 124 spider	Class A: RWD over 2336mm	NSW	
Ellis, Barry	Fiat Punto Sport Turbo	Class C: FWD over 2336mm	VIC	
Filipetto, Nicholas	Fiat 131	Class A: RWD over 2336mm	NSW	
Freame, Bill	Fiat	Class F: Rails	VIC	
Freame, Erin	Fiat Punto	Class C: FWD over 2336mm	VIC	
Freame, Paul	Fiat	Class F: Rails	VIC	Freame, Ruth
Freame, Ruth	Fiat Punto	Class C: FWD over 2336mm	VIC	Freame, Paul
Gallard, Martin	Fiat 126	Class E: Specials	NSW	Gallard, Rebecca
Gallard, Rebecca	Fiat 126	Class E: Specials	NSW	Gallard, Martin
Ho, Karen	Abarth 124 spider	Class A: RWD over 2336mm	QLD	
Maud, Ian	Fiat X1/9	Class B: RWD under 2336mm	VIC	
Ruckert, Alison	Fiat Grande Punto Sport	Class C: FWD over 2336mm	QLD	Ruckert, Mike
Ruckert, Mike	Fiat Grande Punto Sport	Class C: FWD over 2336mm	QLD	Ruckert, Alison
Sandrin, Adrian	Fiat X1/9	Class B: RWD under 2336mm	NSW	
Schmidt, Steve	Fiat 124AC	Class A: RWD over 2336mm	VIC	
Smith, Glenn	Fiat Rail	Class F: Rails	NSW	
Smith, Warren	Abarth 124 spider	Class A: RWD over 2336mm	NSW	
Suine, Donovan	FSM Niki	Class B: RWD under 2336mm	NSW	
Suine, Mark	Fiat X1/9	Class B: RWD under 2336mm	ACT	
Suine, Michael	Fiat X1/9	Class B: RWD under 2336mm	ACT	
Wellington, Graeme	Abarth 124 spider CSA	Class A: RWD over 2336mm	WA	

Super Sprint		As at 1st March 2020			
Sprint No.	Entrant	Car	Class	State	Make
48	Bates, Graham	Fiat 850 Coupe	RS2: 1050 to 1650cc	NSW	Fiat
20	Belluomini, Nat	Fiat 231	RS3: 1651 to 2000cc	QLD	Fiat
66	Berry, Colleen	Abarth 124 spider	SS4: over 2000cc	QLD	Abarth
22	Caia, Frank	Fiat 124 spider	MS2: 1050 to 1650cc	VIC	Fiat
26	Daines, Gavin	Fiat 131	MS4: over 2000cc	NSW	Fiat
32	Dapcevic, Brian	Fiat X1/9	SS3: 1651 to 2000cc	NSW	Fiat
64	Di Bartolo, Ross	Abarth 124 spider	SS4: over 2000cc	NSW	Abarth
77	Ellis, Barry	Fiat Punto Sport Turbo	SS4: over 2000cc	VIC	Fiat
7	Filipetto, Nicholas	Fiat 131	MS3: 1651 to 2000cc	NSW	Fiat
82	Freame, Paul	Fiat Punto	MS4: over 2000cc	VIC	Fiat
126	Gallard, Martin	Fiat 126	RS2: 1050 to 1650cc	NSW	Fiat
91	Gallard, Marty	Fiat 127	RS1: up to 1050cc	NSW	Fiat
1	Gallard, Rebecca	Fiat 127	RS1: up to 1050cc	NSW	Fiat
49	Hams, John	Fiat 124BC	RS3: 1651 to 2000cc	QLD	Fiat
99	Ho, Karen	Abarth 124 spider	SS4: over 2000cc	QLD	Abarth
2	Maud, Ian	Fiat X1/9	MS2: 1050 to 1650cc	VIC	Fiat
5	Prieston, Nik	Fiat 131	RS3: 1651 to 2000cc	NSW	Fiat
28	Puglisi, Maurizio	Fiat Punto	SS4: over 2000cc	NSW	Fiat
29	Puglisi, Nicholas	fiat Ritmo	SS4: over 2000cc	NSW	Fiat
9	Ruckert, Alison	Fiat Grande Punto Sport	MS4: over 2000cc	QLD	Fiat
199	Ruckert, Mike	Fiat Grande Punto Sport	MS4: over 2000cc	QLD	Fiat
119	Sandrin, Adrian	Fiat X1/9	SS2: 1050 to 1650cc	NSW	Fiat
42	Schmidt, Steve	Fiat 124AC	MS2: 1050 to 1650cc	VIC	Fiat
96	Smith, Glenn	Abarth 124 spider	MS4: over 2000cc	NSW	Abarth
196	Smith, Warren	Abarth 124 spider	MS4: over 2000cc	NSW	Abarth
33	Suine, Donovan	FSM Niki	MS3: 1651 to 2000cc	NSW	FSM
111	Suine, Mark	Fiat X1/9	SS2: 1050 to 1650cc	ACT	Fiat
2121	Suine, Michael	Lada Niva	MS4: over 2000cc	ACT	Lada
19	Weinberger, Mark	Fiat X1/9	MS2: 1050 to 1650cc	NSW	Fiat
15	Wellington, Graeme	Abarth 124 spider CSA	MS3: 1651 to 2000cc	WA	Fiat
3	Young, Eric	Fiat 128 3P	RS2: 1050 to 1650cc	NSW	Fiat



Day 1.

When: Friday April 3rd

What: Supersprint

Where: Wakefield Park Raceway

Cost: \$210 entry

Woodfire Oven Pizza Welcome Dinner

Mercure Hotel

Adults \$10 / Kids 5-12 \$5 / Under 5 Free

Day 2.

When: Saturday April 4th

What: Fiat of Italy Cup Motorkhana

Where: Sutton Road driver Centre

Cost: \$50 entry

Saturday Night Roast Buffet & Mega Raffle

Mercure Grand Regent Room

Adults \$20 / Kids 2-12 \$10

Day 3.

When: Sunday April 5th

What: Show & Shine

Where: Montague Street Goulburn

Cost: \$20 entry

Presentation Dinner

Mercure Grand Regent Room

Adults \$50 / Kids 2-12 \$10

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burger break (write up)

22nd February 2020
Superior Burger @ Wakeley



A great mix of club members turned up to enjoy the evening and hang around the cool mix of FIATs and ALFAs that rolled into the carpark. Superior Burger continues to live up to its name. The burgers are awesome and the venue is great. We were welcomed into the dinner to see a new painted feature wall. The big surprise of the evening was Daniel Sullo offered all club members and their family/friends on the night soft serve cones. What a great bloke Daniel is with his generous hospitality! Our club members greatly appreciated the yummy refreshing dessert to finish of the night before we all drove home.

See you all at the next event.

Ciao Giovanni Ciampa
(social events co-ordinator)
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500 isti tra Sydney e Roma



An International Passion, by Robert Bartolomei.

I am a member of the [Fiat 500] club living in Rome even though I am an Australian I moved to Italy five years ago and in my garage I have two 1967 Fiat 500s, a 1968 Fiat AC 124 Sport Coupe along with numerous Vespa and Lambretta motor scooters. Motor cars are a passion for my family which started with my father, Luigi Bartolomei, who has been a Fiat mechanic for 60 years. He moved to Australia and started working for Zannardi Automobili who specialised in Fiat motor cars in Sydney.

He started a family in Sydney; I was born in 1972 and my brother Luca was born in 1976.

Our enthusiasm for the motor car meant that my brother and I decided at a young age that we would restore a classic car when we were older.

In Sydney, my father and my brother, Luca, have a 1967 Fiat 500 Giannini, a Fiat 500F Abarth and a fully restored Fiat 600 in perfect condition. They are members of the Fiat Club of New South Wales and participate in various events organised by the club during the year including the annual Concorso d'Eleganza where the 500 Giannini and the 600 were displayed with the 600 won first prize for best sedan.

Attached are some photos which includes that Concorso event, the 500 and 600 in Sydney as well as my own 124.

Passione internazionale

di Robert Bartolomei

Attached is an article penned by Robert Bartolomei (Brother of club member Luca and son of Luigi) for the magazine of the Fiat 500 Club of Italy.

Robert's article confirms his family's passion for a Fiat motor cars and brings to the Italian club's attention some of the activities of the Fiat Club of New South Wales (though they would have been aware of our presence years ago as Alan Steele corresponded with them in the 2000s).

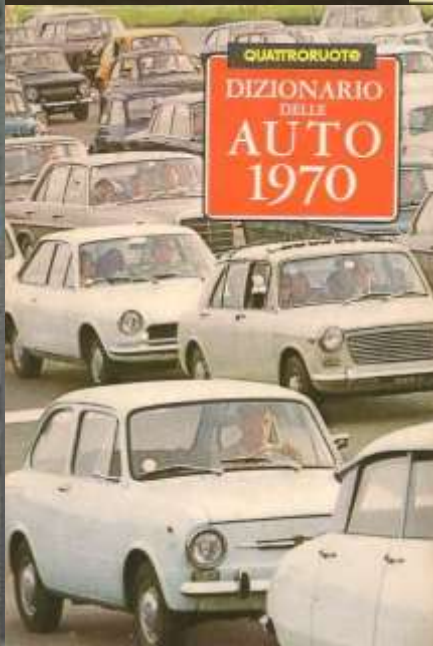
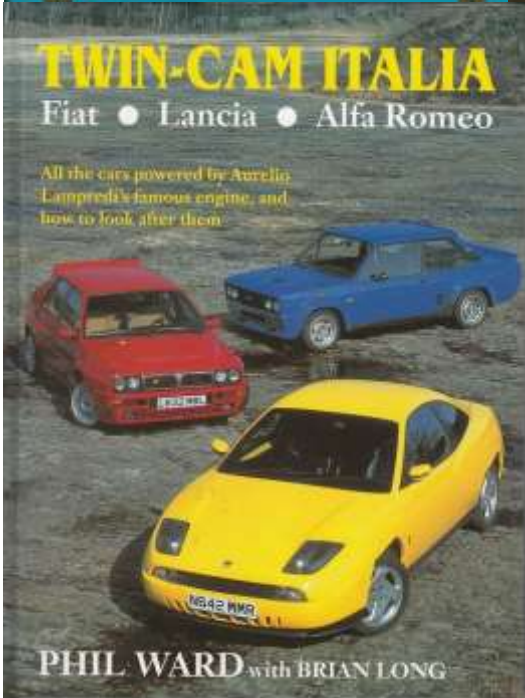
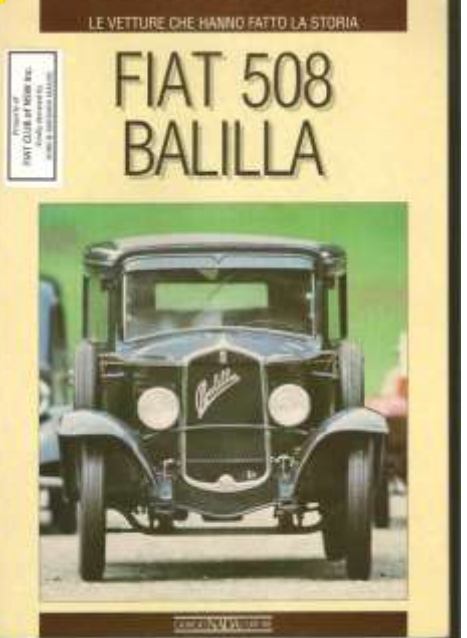
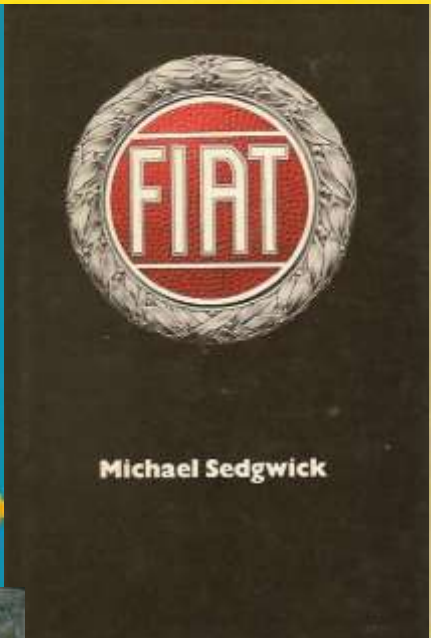
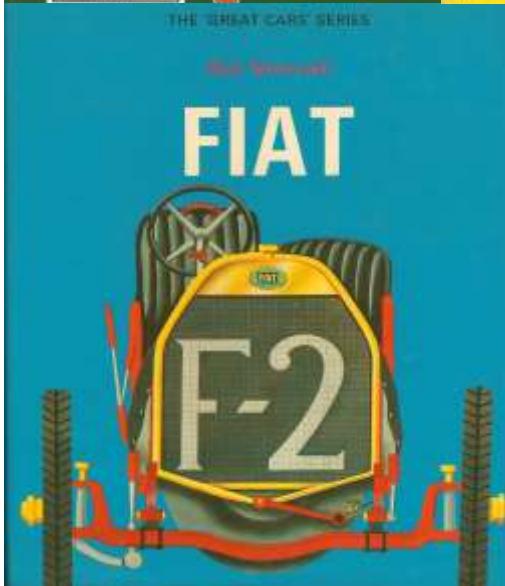
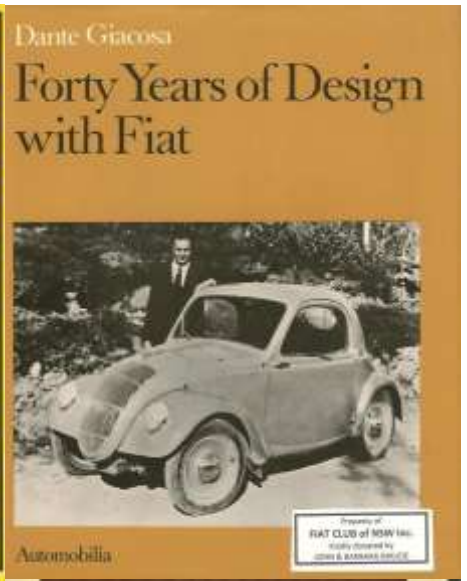
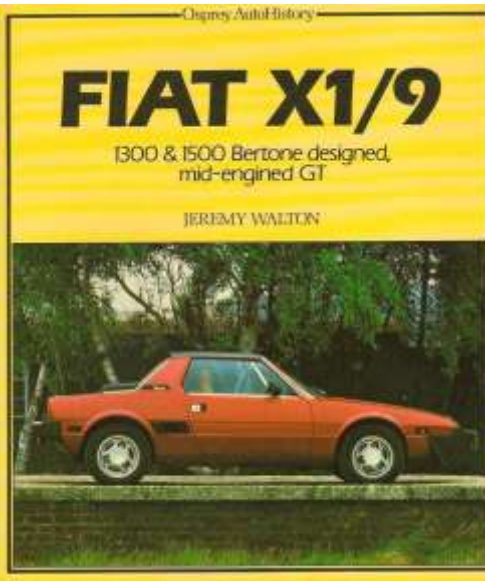
Many thanks to Luca Bartolomei for supplying the article. On our behalf Luca, please send our regards to Robert.

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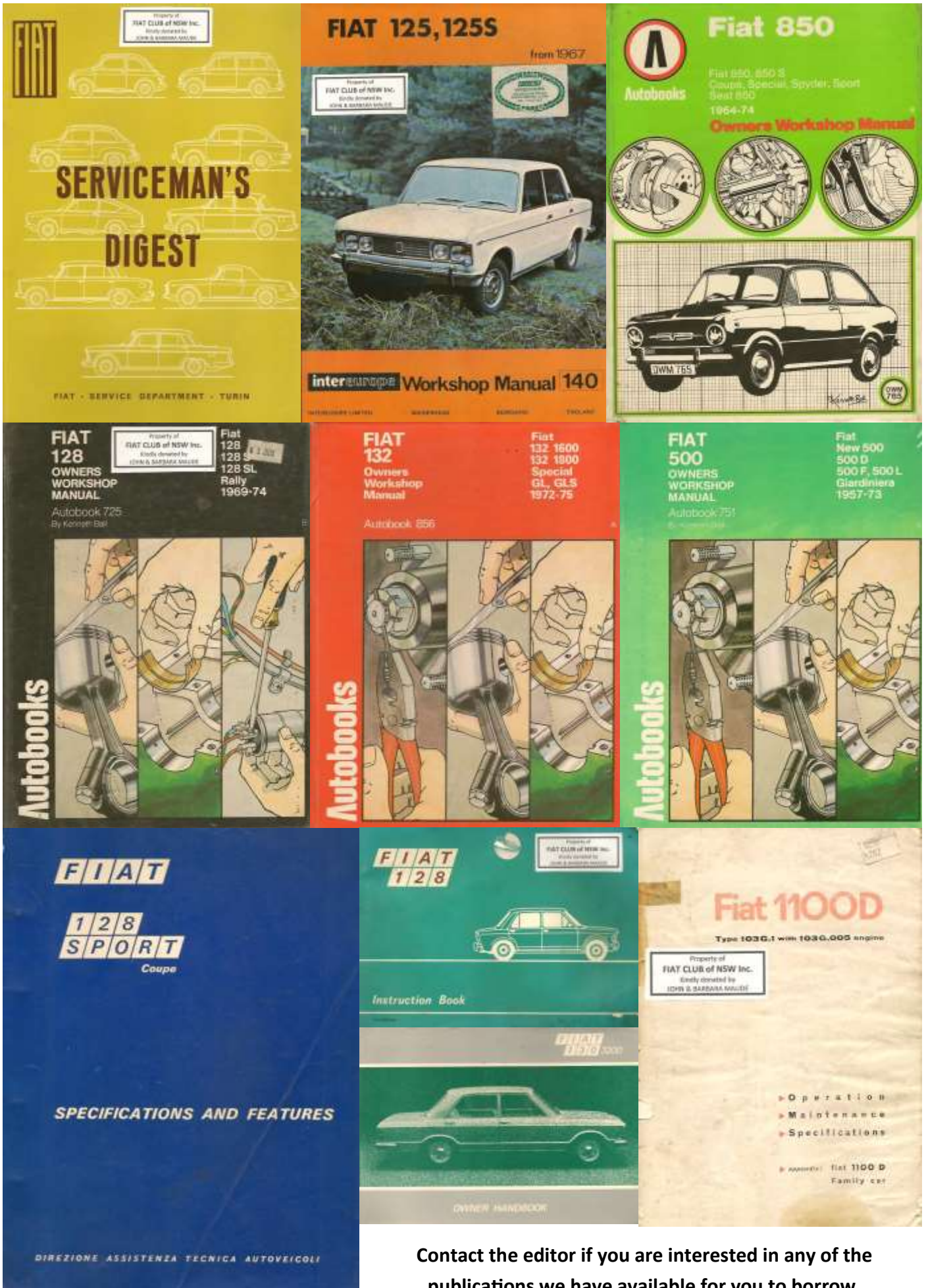
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THANK YOU TO THE MEMBERS THAT HAVE PURCHASED SOME OF THE BOOKS OFF THE FACEBOOK PAGE AND MEMBERS EMAIL, I AM EXTREMELY GRATEFUL FOR THE SUPPORT THAT HAS BEEN AFFORDED ME BY THE FIAT CAR CLUB.

LORRAINE DOEL

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The Fiat Club is looking for a motivated individual to take over the very rewarding role of **EDITOR** for its monthly magazine, FiatFocus, for next year due to the retirement of the current editor. Laptop and software and support supplied. Contact the committee to express your interest.

For Sale:

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FOR SALE - 2013 ABARTH 695 ASSETTO CORSE RACE CAR IN LEFT HAND DRIVE.

TRAILER IS NOT INCLUDED IN SALE. This car represents good value as the other 3 have recently changed hands for more money. It's a turn-key race car. Nothing needed to be done. Just add fuel. Sister car to the 3 Bathurst Abarth 12hr cars from 2014. Only 4 remaining in the country. Much faster than an Abarth 695 Biposto which is almost twice the price and has a gearbox harder to operate.

Details of the car: 2012/13 Abarth 695 Assetto Corse Evo, 940kg - in largely factory supplied condition. 215hp and 300Nm 1.4 Turbo (can show dyno sheet 147kw @ front wheels with 105RON race fuel). Engine has all original factory security tabs. It's a factory engine with factory turbo. 6 speed Sadev sequential dog-ring transmission with integrated LSD, twin plate ceramic clutch and flat-shift gearbox controller (No clutch needed to shift up gears).

305mm front brakes with 4 spot Brembo callipers, rear 240mm. Has manual front/rear bias adjustment. SHOX Extreme coil over suspension with height and damper adjustments. Fully rebuildable. 17x7.5" Oz Racing wheels unique to the later model Assetto Corse.

AiM MXL Pista dash with datalogging and GPS timing. 6 point Sabelt harness, Sabelt fixed-back seat, Sabelt window net and removable Sabelt alcantara steering wheel. All windows are lexan except the windscreen which is a factory item. FIA approved roll cage with paperwork. Only travelled 2580km. All fluids and filters changed regularly with Motul lubricants. Front hubs and bearings recently changed. Recently performed wheel alignment and corner weighting for 80kg driver.

Car is generally well looked after with no serious damage and has not been in any accidents. Front guards have minor damage on the inside from tyre contact - 2 undamaged guards will be supplied with the car. Will throw in new front bearings, spare pair of front knuckles, fresh injectors on rail and loom, starter motor and alternator. This car has been used for track days, super sprints and regularity events. It's a lot of fun to drive and has taught me a lot. Only wanting to sell to move to a RWD based track car. The numbers are stickers and can easily be removed.



THIS VEHICLE DOES NOT QUALIFY FOR REGISTRATION IN AUSTRALIA EXCEPT FOR RALLY CONDITIONAL REGISTRATION Happy to negotiate on RaceKing trailer with sale of car. Trailer has ramp angle of 3-4 degrees and has a hydraulic lifting/lowering function. No need to remove the splitter from the front of the car for loading and unloading. (12/19)
Price is \$50,000ono for club members. (12/19)

Contact Iain Shannon 61 414 241 345



FOR SALE - FIAT 500.

Unfortunately I need to sell my bambino. I would like sell to a decent club member!!

Club Price is \$18500 neg. (12/19)

Contact **David Virgona**

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FOR SALE



I have a set of new unused ROTA RB 15's Alloys for sale. These have ROTA centre caps and valves in the box and have never had a tyre placed on them. They are in pristine condition as you can tell from the photos and in the original boxes.

These will fit FIAT, Alfa, Lancia and some other European models. These give a better option for rubber than a standard 13 or 14 Inch rim and also look very stylish on any older car.

I am offering them to FIAT club members before I place them for sale online. The details are below:

Brand: ROTA; PCD: 4 x 98; Offset: 15; Size: 15 x 7; Colour: Silver; Price is \$980.

These are just in time for the nationals early next year. (12/19)

Feel free to contact Domenic Squadrito for any details on 0412082819.



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FIAT LANCIA CLUB of WA

2020 TWO OCEANS TOUR

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST CALLED FOR

After running successful TWO OCEANS TOURS in 2016 and 2018, the Fiat Lancia Club of Western Australia is contemplating running a third TWO OCEANS TOUR in October 2020.

Tentatively, this event would run from Sunday 25th October to Friday 30th October 2020.

Preliminary discussions have indicated that the tour may start in Esperance and then proceed along the south coast to Albany before heading up to Perth via the Margaret River wine country. The tour would most likely depart Esperance on the Monday morning after a welcome and registration function in Esperance on the Sunday night.

We are looking to couple the tour with the annual ALL ITALIAN CAR DAY In Perth that may be held on the first week-end in November and follow up with several site-seeing short drives around Perth that would avail visitors to Perth the opportunity to see a number of the more popular tourist attractions within the Perth metropolitan area.

In order to give the organizers the confidence that this tour will be well supported and to identify sufficient accommodation along the planned route, it would be appreciated if anyone proposing to attend the tour would send an email with an expression of interest to Rob Rowbottam at pininfarina@fiatlanzia.org.au. This does not bind you to enter and failure to express an interest at this time does not exclude you from entering when entry forms are released early in 2020.

PLEASE BLOCK THE ABOVE DATES OUT IN YOUR 2020 CALENDAR.

Travel days for FCNSW Regional & Interstate club events – HVS vehicles

The FCNSW holds most of its events in the Sydney area, however members also attend events in regional NSW and interstate, and regional members travel to Sydney to attend major Sydney events.

It is not always possible, practical or even wise to travel to, attend the event and return home during the listed day of the event, as we have aging cars, and in some cases, aging members.

As such, members need to be able to attend regional & major local events under full HVS conditions, traveling immediately before, and returning immediately after the event.

Travel days have always been considered to be part of the event for HVS vehicle use.

Travel days are not considered to be personal use by the FCNSW, they are clearly part of attending the listed club event, specifically,

- regional or interstate events for Sydney members, and major Sydney events for our regional members.

To confirm this situation for members, the FCNSW calendar will define an appropriate event duration for regional & major events for HVS purposes, which will include any necessary travel days.

These travel days will be either side of the event date and will apply whether members are traveling individually, or as part of an organized convoy.

Not everyone will want to, or need to take advantage of these travel days, but the option needs to be available to members, and formally identified in the club calendar.

A regional Sunday event could include the Sat & Mon as travel days.

A full weekend event with overnight stay, could include the Fri & Mon as travel days.

The interstate based FIAT Nationals might require 2-3 days either side for travel, given some older classic vehicles are not capable of being driven continuously at full motorway speeds.

For the FCNSW, these events would typically be,

- NMHD (Berry venue)
- AutoItalia (ACT)
- Extended weekend trips with overnight stays
- Interstate FIAT Nationals

Sydney based Shannon's Sydney Classic, and the annual club Concorso.

The club calendar will include a statement in the event description such as,

"The duration of this event for HVS purposes is (date) to (date), which includes the necessary travel days."

If a member with an HVS vehicle wishes to extend his journey outside the defined HVS event duration, there is no problem, but this use then becomes personal use and the additional days should be entered in the RMS log book.

Richard Dalziel

FCNSW – Historic Plates Registrar, May 2019.

FIAT focus



THE NEWSLETTER OF THE FIAT CLUB OF NSW Inc.

If undeliverable return to FIAT CLUB of NSW Inc. P.O.Box 3034 Bangor NSW 2234 - Australia

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EGROUP: Available to members wishing to receive emailed information from the Club and other Members.

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Name - Fiat Club of NSW Inc. Bank - National Bank of Aust

SOCIAL MEETINGS are held at 7:30pm on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at Bankstown Sports Club, 8 Greenfield Parade Bankstown, NSW, 2200

ANSELL PARK is the Club's Motorkhana Grounds located at 2 Percival St, Clarendon/Windsor, the corner of Percival St and Hawkesbury Valley Way (old Richmond Rd).

The venue for social meetings is at the.

Bankstown Sports

Enter via carpark entrance on Mona Street, Bankstown.

CLUB MERCHANDISE



Style 1



Style 3



Style 2



T-Shirt

Polo Shirts \$30.00
T Shirts \$20.00
All Available in sizes.
S M L XL 2XL 3XL



Cloth badge \$ 3.00
Key rings \$ 7.00



Sticker \$ 2.00

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Robertson Heritage Railway Station Classic Car Show Sunday 19th April 2020 - 9.30 am - 1.30 pm

Exhibited car gold coin entry



- Historic Farm Machinery
- Displays - History and Railway
- Working Model Trains Displays
- BBQ Food Drinks & Coffee
- Art show at the Fettle's Shed

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Historic Vehicle Use - always remember to carry the following 4 items.
Club Run - carry a "paper, not electronic" copy of the club calendar with the event listed.
Personal Use - fill in your RMS log sheet before you leave - as fines & points apply.
Certificate of Approved Operations (purple A5 sheet issued by the RMS).
FCNSW membership card - to confirm your financial status.