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Club meetings are held on the first Monday of each month at
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Something to write about

Leslie Beckingsale and Bruce Bishop are the two to kick off the "write anything you like" (within reason) for the magazine to start off next year. My email is at the front of the magazine and our address is on the membership list that came with the November mag. Thanks Editor Jacqui

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Upcoming Events

January 1st 2006	McKenzie Show
February 13th	February meeting a week later because of Waitangi weekend. S.C.R.S.A 7.45 pm
March 6th	Club meeting S.C.R.S.A 7.45 pm
March	Show'n' Shine
April 1st	Swapmeet Winchester
April 3rd	Club meeting S.C.R.S.A 7.45 pm
April 14th – 17th	Southern Convention
May 1st	A.G.M S.C.R.S.A 7.45 pm
June 5th	Club meeting S.C.R.S.A 7.45 pm
July 3rd	Club meeting S.C.R.S.A 7.45 pm
August 7th	Club meeting S.C.R.S.A 7.45 pm
September 4th	Club meeting S.C.R.S.A 7.45 pm
October 2nd	Club meeting S.C.R.S.A 7.45 pm
October	McLeans Island swapmeet
November 6th	Club meeting S.C.R.S.A 7.45 pm
December 4th	Club meeting S.C.R.S.A 7.45 pm
December	Club Christmas function

Some dates will be subject to change. Members will be notified.

Rose Festival

On a bright sunny day with a lazy breeze 9 cars turned out for a z car display in the front of the Bay Hall. Z cars on one side Minis on the other

After a general look around a round the festival we sat around the cars and socialised.

An enjoyable day had by all.

Bruce Bishop

Social Converor



Have a Happy and safe Christmas and New Year.

What Fish????

A Fisherman was stopped by a fish and game warden recently with two ice chests of fish, leaving a lake well known for its fishing.

The game warden asked the man, “Do you have a license to catch those fish?”

“No my friend, I don’t needs no license. These are my pet fish.”

“Pet fish?”

“Yes’boi. Every night I does take these fish down to the river and let ‘em swim ‘round for a while. Then I whistles and they jump right back into this ice chest and I takes ‘em home.”

“That’s a bunch of nanny! Fish can’t do that!”

It’s the truth. I’ll show ya ‘bye. It really works.”

“Okay, I’ve got to see this!”

The fisherman poured the fish into the river and stood and waited.

After several minutes, the game warden turned to him and said “Well?”

“well, what?” said the fisherman.

“When are you going to call them back?”

“Call who back?”

“The fish!”

President’s Report

Hi club members,

I see we have 68 members and the number of Zephyrs - who knows?.

Our Oamaru member, Bev Cook, has just purchased a 1961 zephyr from Nelson. Bevin is over the moon with this red and white zephyr. The motor does however need some work, but you cannot have it all!

I see from the Timaru Herald, we have lost a Mk 3 zodiac from fire damage at a panel shop. This is the second zephyr lost forever this year.

If someone wants a Mk 4 zodiac registration on hold, just phone me.

As we all go into the festive time of the year, I would like to wish all members a good Christmas and a happy New Year.

Drive safely

Malcolm Stewart

Club President



Motoring Survival Tips (c.1910)

- Always carry a small tin of oatmeal. Three or four dessertspoonfuls of oatmeal will sustain you for three or four hours.
- Carry a small collapsible cup for the water.
- A small compass, to be had for about 18 pence, will be found very useful when in doubt about your bearings.
- When in doubt about your direction, ask every man who happens along until you are perfectly satisfied you are on the right track.
- Take plenty of spacers and tools. You should have a tool to fit every nut and screw on your machine.
- Take only what is absolutely necessary. A change of stockings, a couple of extra singlets and tennis shoes, a few handkerchiefs and a rain cape are all that is required. The ordinary washcloth cape is good enough for a shower, but no more. Oilskin will keep you dry all the time in the heaviest rain.
- Never travel without a good supply of money. The power of gold is considerable when you happen to get stranded.
- Don't drink beer; its effect is very deleterious to the muscles. Whisky-and-egg is a good revive, but even whisky is only a whip to the tired horse.
- Keep your lips closed, breathe through your nostrils.



Hi here are a couple of pictures I took at the recent Australian Motor Exhibition at the Melbourne Exhibition Centre.

One is of the Concept FJ Holden built by Holden and the other is one of a XP Falcon drag car, one of the most bewildering cars I have ever looked at!!

It was hard to get pictures of the FJ as there were people constantly around it. I got this picture late in the night on the Saturday evening. It is something to behold!!!

Garey Hanifin

