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Club meetings are held on
the first Monday of each
month at the SC RSA
Clubrooms, Wai-iti Road,
Timaru at 7.45pm

Upcoming Events

Sept 22-24	Sth Canty Weekend, Akaroa Run
September 22	Alexandra Blossom Festival
October 1	Club Meeting SCRSA 7.45
October 7	Club Run Oamaru
October 13 - 14	McLeans Island Swapmeet
October 20 - 22	Labour Weekend, Club run - Kingston
October 28	All Ford Day Ohuruia Park Christchurch
November 4	All British Day McLeans Island meet 9am
November 5	Club Meeting SCRSA 7.45
November 11	All American Day Gladstone Park Woodend
November 17	Geraldine Arts and Plants Festival
November 18	Tekapo Run meet 11am Bellwood Washdyke
November 24 - 25	Rose Festival
December 1	Christmas Function RSA Timaru
December 3	Club Meeting SCRSA 7.45
December 8	Waimate Strawberry Fare
January 1 2008	New Years Day Parade Fairlie
February 4	Club Meeting SCRSA 7.45
February	Waipiata Ute Muster
February 22 - 24	Art Deco Ranfurly
March 3	Club Meeting SCRSA 7.45
March 15	Havelock Mussel Festival
March 21 - 24 Easter	Southern Connection Ashburton – 8 months !!

President's Report

Thanks for the 6 cars which turned up for the Poker Run on Sunday - I don't know what we can do to get more members to join in on our club runs. Last years Poker run we had 14 cars.

I know that today we all have have a lot of other things to do but it would be great to see more out using their cars.

I now have heard back from Adams Flags regarding our Club Flag and now have a proof copy - I will have it passed around committee members and hope to have a final design by next meeting.

This has taken a lot of time but will be well worth the effort.

Members will be able to purchase a Flag if they wish - the more we buy the cheaper they get.

Looking forward the our Akaroa Trip with good interest from the Christchurch Club - come on and join us at Akaroa. This is just a very easy laid back weekend with not too much organised - just sort out as we go.

Rookie

Editor's Report

What a short month for me - away for 10 days so doing the mag real early.

Thanks again for all the help and articles rolling in. I have added a few extra events that have been sent to me for our events list.

Remember if you know of something of interest let me know.

Ladies - need some more articles eg: favourite recipes - events that we all might like to go to.

Alison Jarvis is looking for a pattern for babies crochet singlet phone 688 0680.

Keep up the good work. Must away to pack for some sun and surf.

Mary-Jean

Next Club Run



September 21 - 24 AKAROA

EATING - CRUISING - LUBRICATING

French Festival Weekend

Meet - Driftwood Wai iti Motels on foreshore Akaroa

for bookings only 0508 928 373

South Canterbury Club Contacts

Bob Stevens 0274 881 296

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Upcoming Club Runs

OAMARU RUN

Sunday October 7 - Meet 11 am Caltex King St South End Timaru

Labour Weekend

20 - 22 October

Kingston Run

Contact Wayne Phillips for accommodation etc

03 615 6900

TEKAPO RUN

Sunday 18 November meet at 11 am Bellwood Washdyke Flat Rd Washdyke

CLUB CHRISTMAS DINNER

Yes, only three months to go!!

1 December at RSA Timaru

\$25.00 per head.

Pay to Club by November meeting

POKER RUN - Sunday 12 August

What a great morning - we woke up to a clear and sunny day - just the weather for the convertible so out to the garage - quick dust off and a quick wash and out the drive to meet up at Teapot Inn Temuka.



Pored over Neville Stevens MK 2 Zephyr stored in his garage.

Bob dealt the 1st card and Neville Jarvis lead off at a respectable speed to Geraldine with some of the crew getting coffee on the go before leaving the Teapot Inn.

Pulling up outside the Geraldine cemetery and another card dealt. Our turn to lead but this time just a little faster- off over the hill heading to Fairlie stopping at top of Mount Michael cafe for lunch - all with instructions to stop at the hill-top but like sheep they all drove past - finally stopping at the bottom of the hill and coming back up to us waiting to show them into the car park.



We took over the outdoor dining area rearranging table and chairs to suit. Great food and service with good banter between club members and staff. Members of the public also joining in talking about other Z cars.



Off to Kimbell after collecting another card - cards not good at this stage. We checked out the Art Studio at Kimbell - another card dealt - still not good - then off to Fairlie stopping opposite B P Service station for another card and still no improvement.



Bob collected the discarded cards and redealt - my cards still no good. Malcolm and Christine won with 3 - 3's - well done.



This was a fantastic run, very friendly and many laughs - absolutely great fun.

Rookie



SOUTHERN CONNECTION ASHBURTON EASTER 2008 REGISTRATION FORM

NAME.....

ADDRESS:.....

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PHONE NUMBER:.....

CLUB:.....

NUMBER ATTENDING:.....

DEPOSIT INCLUDED:.....

To be held at the Hotel Ashburton

Please make cheques payable to South Canterbury Zephyr Zodiac Enthusiasts Car Club and post to:

Southern Connection

PO Box 20

Hinds Mid Canterbury.

Deposit \$25

Accommodation available

Hotel Ashburton 03 3083059

Coronation Holiday Park and Motels, cabins, tourist flats, motels.
03 3086603

For Sale & Wanted

MK 3 Power head, MK 2 Dif and axle, MK 2 air cleaner, generator and starter, MK 2 and 3 axles 1 of each, MK 2 and 3 oil pumps, MK 2 and 3 heads cam shafts , MK 2 and 3 crankshafts - 3, MK 2 and 3 strut and brake, MK2 zephyr grille damaged, clutches and floor change unit MK 3 Zephyr, Zodiac inner door lock, black knobs and gear lever knobs

Zephyr off set camber pins \$180.00 Contact Bruce Bishop 03 688 1204

1957 MK 2 Zephyr This car was fully restored by the Classic Car Magazine project. Full restoration particulars available - a very tidy example located in Ashburton

Phone Geoff Taylor 03 303 7290 home mobile 027 348 6855

CLUB MERCHANDISE FOR SALE

Number plate frames	\$25.00 pair
Grille badge	\$45.00 each
Window sashes	\$13.50 each
Lapel badges	\$7.00 each
Monogram badges	\$7.00 each

Contact Peter Hunter 03 688 1463

50's and 60's luggage, vanity cases, hat boxes, dressmakers model wanted Contact Mary-Jean 03 686 1812

Restoration Buddy

Contact advisors, helpers:

Phil Rooke	Phone:	03 686 1812
Bruce Bishop	Phone:	03 688 1204
Malcolm Stewart	Phone :	03 686 1282



Woke to a fine morning in CHCH much to my relief after the downpour we had Saturday night.

Got to Janel Coffee Lounge around 9 am, paid my \$10 reg fee and got my route for the day out.

Left New Brighton via marine parade, went through Kate Sheppard Village for all the old folk to have a look at the cars then headed out of town via many side streets.

They had organised a very scenic route for us with interesting things to look at, even a mud house with a garden on the roof.

After a great drive around many back roads we got to Waikari, we stopped to have a look in the "Olde Antique Shop". we then carried on to our lunch venue at Scargill Domain. Over 200 Fords turned up from as early as 1920's to late model XR8's. After lunch (caravan on site with hot dogs etc) they had organised a train ride on the Weka Pass that many took the opportunity to go on.

Had a look at Junk & Funk at Greta Valley (have passed it many times and never knew it was there.) After that we left to head back to Timaru. Overall it was a great day and thank goodness the sun was out. Hope to see heaps more Zephyrs from down here at next years run.

Stephen & Karen Rouse

Ladies Page

OLDER WOMEN ARE SO PRACTICAL

After being married for 44 years, I took a careful look at my wife one day and said, "Honey, 44 years ago we had a cheap apartment, a cheap car, slept on a sofa bed and watched a 10 inch black and white TV, but I got to sleep every night with a hot 25-year-old Gal.

Now I have \$500,000.00 home, a \$45,000.00 car, nice big bed and plasma screen TV, but I'm sleeping with a 65-year-old woman. It seems to me that you're not holding up your side of things."

My wife is a very reasonable woman. She told me to go out and find a hot 25-year-old Gal, and she would make sure the I would once again be living in a cheap apartment, driving a cheap car, and sleeping on a sofa bed and watching a 10-inch black and white TV.

Aren't older women great?

They really know how to solve your mid life crisis

A STUNNING SENIOR MOMENT

A self-important university student attending a recent football game took it upon himself to explain to a senior citizen sitting next to him why it was virtually impossible for the older generation to understand his generation.

"You grew up in a different world -- actually, an almost-primitive one," the student said, loudly enough for many of those nearby to hear. "The young people of today grew up with television, jet planes, space travel, man walking on the moon. Our space probes have visited mars. We have nuclear energy, ships and electric and hydrogen cars, computers with high-speed processing, and more."

After a brief silence, the senior citizen responded as follows: "You're right, son. we didn't have those things when we were young. so we had to invent them. Now, you arrogant little shit, what are you doing for the next generation?"

The applause was amazing

MY 59 MK 2 ZEPHYR



My first encounter with Zephyr's was when I was a young lad and my father's friend had a MK 2. Then in my teens we hung around in Zephyrs so my passion for them grew.

Went through a phase of motorbike's and bike rallies till I couldn't ride one anymore due to my back probs so sold the bike and decided to look around for my favourite Zephyr the Mk 2.

This proved to be a challenge at the time as there was no Trademe around in 1995 (if there was I didn't know about it.) luckily my sister was friends with Ken Copeland's daughter so I came down from CHCH to have a look at a couple of Zephyrs he knew about.



Once we got the dust off the one I now own we took it for a spin, and that was that, I told him I would be down to collect it the next week. What a bargain I thought, I had bought my 1959 Mk 2 Zephyr for \$1500.00

Parked it up for quite a few months to save up to get rust

taken out, once that all done I got a WOF and off we went on many a run with it still being many colours. (not that my niece would be seen in such and old car!), but guess what? now it looks good she wants it.



Finally got it painted in 1998 as my sister wanted it for her wedding car, that's where I met Phil and Garey as their MK 2s were also in the party.

They got me signed up for the South Canterbury ZZEC, where I remained a member even though I lived in Christchurch until recently,

when thought it time to come back to my old stomping ground.

Our 1st convention was our 1999 International and I have since been down to Invercargill, over to West Coast and many a run in between. I already have had many great times in the Zephyr and no doubt many more to come. Me and the boys always make the Southern Convention a biennial event and we have heaps of fun.

It's a great interest to have and a great way of meeting lots of fellow enthusiasts. Not sure my wife agrees as each time I am away I always seem to find something else I need to buy to make my car, just a little more the way I like it, so long as she keeps working I will be OK!!!!

The old girl still has the original motor and still going strong, have only done a few minor things to it, but have done many a mile in it since 1995 with many more to go.

We hope to make the trip up north 2009 to support the Kapiti Horowhenua club.

Stephen Rouse.



South Canterbury Zephyr and Zodiac Enthusiasts Club

is hosting the Southern connection 2008 in Ashburton 21st March until 24th March (Easter Weekend).

We wish to invite you and your members to join us for this fun weekend.

The weekend activities will be based at the Hotel Ashburton, Racecourse Rd, approx 100 m off State Highway 1.

Accommodation is available at the Hotel Ashburton at a discounted rate of \$110.00 per night per double room.

There are limited rooms still available, so I urge you to book soon to avoid disappointment. Their phone is **03 308 3059**.

Accommodation is your responsibility.

We hope to keep costs within previous Z-car functions. We look forward to sharing this weekend with you.

Any queries regarding this weekend feel free to contact any of the following:

Ross Worner - Chairman Phone 03 302 2771 or 0274 364 550

Email: yvetteandrossworner@hotmail.com

Bill Ridder - Secretary Phone 03 308 1904 or 027 335 0688

Email bill_ridder@xtra.co.nz

Southern Connection Fundraiser

MDF Cover sheets \$10.00 each - \$15.00 cut to your sizes - Suitable for lining out garages / shelving etc

All sales to Convention Fund - Contact Phil 03 688 4808

Donated by Phil and Mary-Jean.

POTATOES 20 KG Bags - \$6.00 each available from Phil and Mary-Jean at home 03 686 1812 day and night

Kindly donated by Ross and Yvette Worner

