MY CAR CLUB NSW SHOW 'N' SHINE AT GRANDPARENTS DAY.

Prince Henry Nursing and Medical Museum.

My Car Club NSW recently enjoyed another successful outing, taking part in the annual Grandparents Day celebrations at the Prince Henry Nursing and Medical Museum. The event provided a great opportunity to showcase our members' vehicles to the local community and to share our passion for motoring history with visitors of all ages!



The museum occupies one of the historic buildings from the former Prince Henry Hospital complex, making it an interesting and fitting venue for this popular community event. With markets and other activities attracting plenty of visitors, the day provided a wonderful setting for our club's Show 'n' Shine display.





A total of 26 vehicles and 30 club members turned out for the occasion. The display featured a nice variety of makes and models, ranging from vintage and classic vehicles through to some more modern examples. All the cars were proudly displayed on the lawns in front of the museum, creating an impressive sight for visitors as they wandered through the grounds.





There was considerable interest from the public throughout the day. Visitors took plenty of photographs, admired the vehicles and chatted with members, asking questions about the cars, their history and ownership. It was particularly pleasing to see people of all ages enjoying the display, with some vehicles bringing back fond memories while others provided a glimpse into motoring history. The event also attracted attention on local Facebook pages, giving the club some additional exposure within the community.

One of the highlights was the People's Choice judging, which gave visitors the opportunity to vote for their favourite cars. Congratulations to **Bob Thomsen**, who's green S-Series Valiant took out first prize. Second prize went to **John Hertz** for his 1930 Chrysler Series 66. Both vehicles were popular choices and well-deserved winners





Bob. John.

The weather, unfortunately, was a little less cooperative. The day started out reasonably fine, although it was cold and windy. Conditions remained challenging as the day progressed, with the weather eventually turning to extremely heavy rain. Thankfully there had been plenty of time for visitors to enjoy the cars and for members to catch up with one another before the downpour arrived.

Despite the weather, the event was a great opportunity for our club to support a local community celebration and promote an interest in classic and historic vehicles. Displays such as this are an important part of club life, allowing members to share their enthusiasm, enjoy the company of fellow enthusiasts and introduce the wider community to the wonderful variety of vehicles that have shaped motoring history.

A big thank you to all 30 members who attended and brought along their vehicles, helping make the display such an attraction.

Congratulations once again to Bob and John on their People's Choice awards, and thanks to the organisers for inviting My Car Club NSW to participate.

And let us not forget Mark Hertz’s contribution and his many helpers!

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