Ornamental Turners of Australia – Car Run

Wednesday, 11th November 2026 Destination: Luddenham Showground

Wednesday saw 32 members gather for another enjoyable club car run, this time heading to the historic Luddenham Showground for a visit to the Ornamental Turners Group of Australia.





Members arrived at around 10.30 am, ready for the viewing at 11.00 am.

A little history

Luddenham has a proud agricultural heritage, with its Agricultural, Horticultural and Industrial Society formed in 1891. The first Luddenham Show was held that same year, celebrating the district's farming community and local produce.

The showground has remained an important part of the local community for well over a century. Unusually, it is still owned by the local society, making it a special piece of Luddenham's history and country heritage.

The visit

There was plenty to see and admire, with the Ornamental Turners Group providing an interesting look at their work and craftsmanship.





Following the viewing, members enjoyed a BBQ lunch, with a modest $10 donation appreciated.



Our cooks: Anton, Peter and Don.

And, of course, there were the cars! Once again, an iconic collection of vehicles provided plenty of interest and conversation, with members taking the opportunity to admire the machinery and share a few stories.



Ian's MX5.



Peter's BWW.



Ray's Falcon.



Don's BWW.

Presentations and thanks

A presentation was made by Dennis to the vice president of the Turners, along with a donation of $115.



A special thanks to Mark for his assistance in organising another successful outing.

With 32 members attending, it was great to see such a good turnout and another opportunity for members to enjoy their shared interests and good company.

Thanks to everyone who attended.

Ed.