



January 2013

Hope you have all had a great Christmas and a Happy New Year.

We had a fantastic turn out for the drive to Hamilton to Classic Museum in Dinsdale. About 20 cars left The Lakes and travelled to Hamilton. When we arrived we could see that the Corvette club was already there, they were having a lunch upstairs. We met the owner of the Museum, Tom Andrews, when we arrived. He offered a ½ price discount to go in of \$10 per person and told us a little about the museum. They were still overwhelmed by the number of people arriving, so we split into 2 groups and one went thru the museum and one had lunch, then we swapped. There were about 60 cars on show, some were his and some were on loan.



As people were ready they headed for home and as there were a lot of road works on the Matamata road, some went the back way and had a drink at the Okoroire Hotel. Thanks to Duncan & Lisa and Paul & Gillian for arranging the run and the very fine weather.

About 6 couples joined Kay and Dave Corin at their house on Marine Parade for New Years. It was a great night with plenty of food, drinks and laughs. The sights you see, luckily most of our children were older than the ones making their way down to the Mount main beach. There were plenty of giggles as funny sights went by, and every now and then a quick spray from the hose sorted some of them out!! Thanks again to Kay and Dave, a wonderful night was had by all.

On New Year's day, Graham and I went for a drive over to Whangamata to the 1st car show in the World! It was a perfect day for a drive and we caught up with some other club members and also some Waikato members.

Jan 13	20 th New Year's Picnic – Christmas Theme, Omokoroa 20 th & 27 th Denny Hulme Festival, Hampton Downs	Dave Flett -
Feb 13	9/10 th Club Overnighter, Napier (8 th Gisborne?)	Paul/Gillian
Mar 13	3 rd All Ford Day 17 th Golf Run – St Patricks Day Theme, Okoroire	Ford Muscle Car Club/Grant Dave Flett
Apr 13	14 th AGM (Location TBC) 21 st or 28 th (TBC) Tri Club ANZAC Run?	Committee AMOC

20 January Club Run 2013

We have a meeting time of 11am for start at 11.15am at the Lakes. We will have a Picnic lunch at Omokoroa, 12 noon, then head to see the race car about 1pm till 1.30pm. We have been told we can check out their gardens, they were in the recent garden festival.

If you would like to join Secret Santa, you need to bring a \$5 gift. If it's gender specific please mark.

Dave & Julie Flett

Ps. He told me Kenny Smith said it would probably be the fastest single seater in NZ. He is taking it to Hampton Downs on the Saturday.