## HUMBER CAR CLUB OF VICTORIA (INC) 50 YEARS ANNIVERSARY 1975-2025



The Humber Car Club of Victoria (inc) is celebrating its 50<sup>th</sup> birthday in 2025, which is an impressive effort for a club that represents what is now a reasonably obscure marque.

The Club was formed in late 1975 after one of our founding members, Loyd Hughes, placed an advertisement in The Age, seeking responses from people interested in forming a club for Humber owners and enthusiasts. With sufficient responses received, a first meeting was arranged for 10<sup>th</sup> October 1975, at which the Club was formalised.

We are a friendly and inclusive Club, the only requirements for membership being ownership or an interest in the marque. Whilst most members of the club are located in Victoria, our members are also located in other states and overseas.

Although time has taken a toll on the number of drivable Humbers in existence (there are still many that can be seen in rural areas under gum trees slowing returning to nature), the Club maintains a consistently healthy membership, with member's cars spanning from early veteran models such as the single cylinder Humberette, through vintage, PVT eras and later more familiar 50's and 60's models such as Mark and Series Super Snipes & Hawks, Vogues and a couple of the sporting orientated Sceptres.

The Club maintains a comprehensive website and has an active annual events calendar which includes regular informal members catch ups via zoom, day runs and the occasional weekend trip away. Many events are conducted with other Victorian Rootes Group affiliated car clubs and related interstate Humber car clubs, such as the annual National Rally.

50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary events this year will commence with many members attending the National Rally in Parkes, NSW, in May. A formal celebration event is being planned for the birthday in October.

For further information and contact details, the Club maintains a website: <a href="https://www.humbercarclub.com.au">https://www.humbercarclub.com.au</a> or email enquiries@humbercarclub.com.au