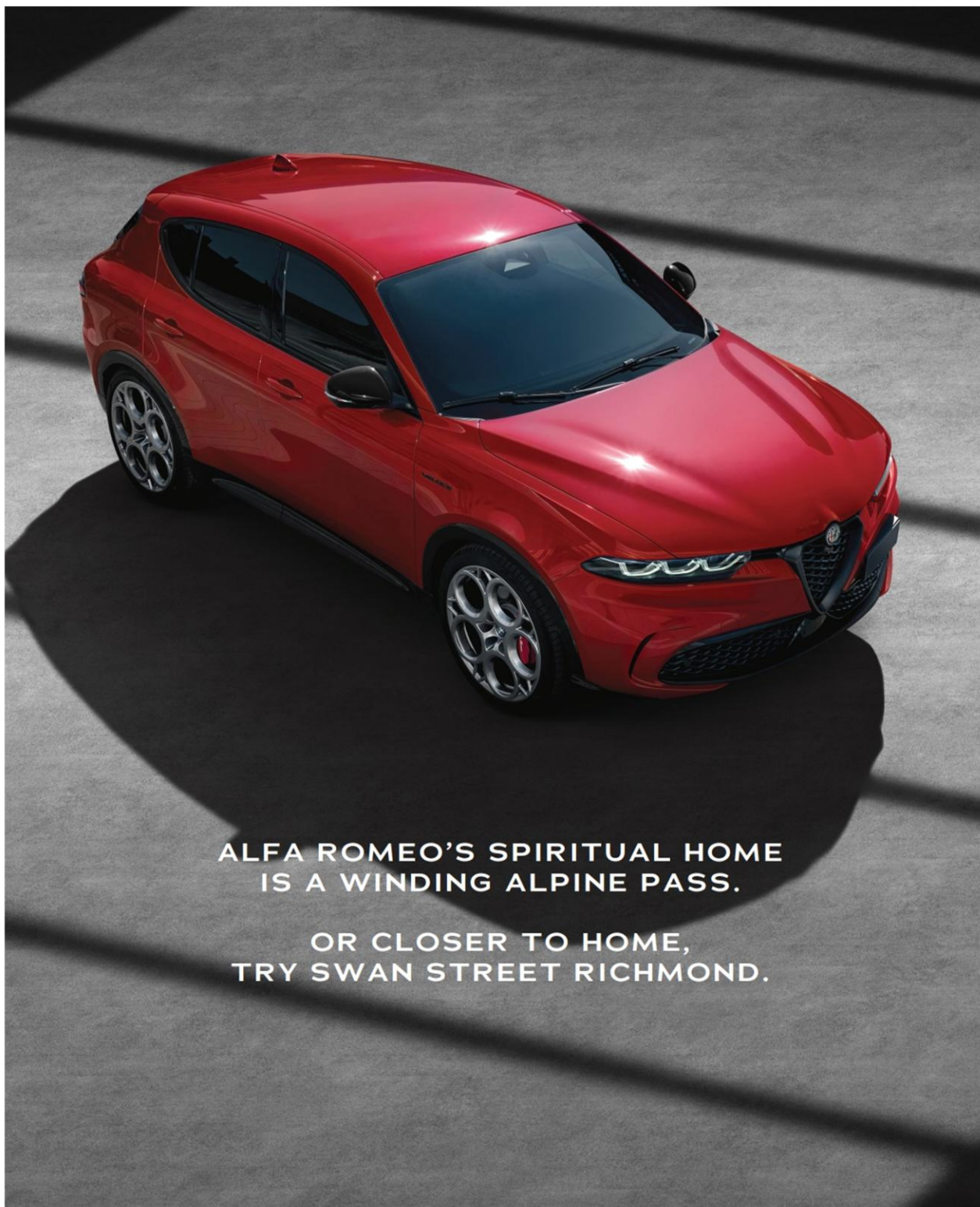


October 2025



Alfa 105 Spider on a Goldfields Chapter Drive

photo: Joe Marchese



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Zagame Alfa Romeo is Victoria's sole authorised Alfa Romeo sales and service dealer. We supply and fit genuine parts. Our technicians are factory trained and passionate about all things Alfa Romeo. As you'd expect. Call in for a coffee sometime soon. That's passionately Italian too.

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President's Page

The [Alfa Club 10 Hour Relay](#), a regularity trial at **Winton**, is to be held next weekend (4th & 5th October). This is AROCA's **20th anniversary** of the running of this event! We are hoping that many of our Club members will attend to cheer for the AROCA Vic Team.

[Club Night](#) this month is next week on Wednesday 8th October at the [Veneto Club](#) in Bulleen. Guest speakers will be discussing [Spettacolo](#) (to be held over the weekend of 15th & 16th November). The session will include the individual arrangements for:

- [Spettacolo Concorso](#) judging will be held in the morning of Saturday 15th. Note that Concorso has been streamlined this year, but registrations are still required by **7th November**);
- [Spettacolo Dinner](#) in the evening of Saturday 15th, will again be held at the Village Green Hotel in Mulgrave (tickets @ \$60 pp are available now!);
- [Spettacolo Show & Shine](#) will be on Sunday 16th at Wesley College, Glen Waverley. Entry \$10.

The **Goldfields Chapter** is running the **Grampians Gallivant 2025** which is based in Halls Gap over the weekend of 24th to 27th October. Bookings for this event have closed.

Then the next big annual Club event is the [AROCA Kids' Xmas Party](#) & BBQ at Bundoora Park Farm on Saturday 30th November. See details below but note that registration is required by 7th November!

Clyde Hay recently ran a very successful [Cuore Sportivo Grand Final Tour](#) over the long weekend in late September. Read Clyde's report below.

This year's Competition events have been well attended with members volunteering for training and assisting to make these events a continual success. The parade laps are always popular with a strong attendance with a range of classic, modern and new Alfes together in a controlled environment.

We currently have a vacancy as [GTA Register](#) Captain. Contact me if interested.

We are constantly seeking assistance with running events – Club Sprints, Tours, Sunday Drives or Club Displays or the planning or management of any of our other Club events. If you are able to assist in any of these areas, your participation will be appreciated. Please contact me if you would like to discuss an opportunity to assist the Club?

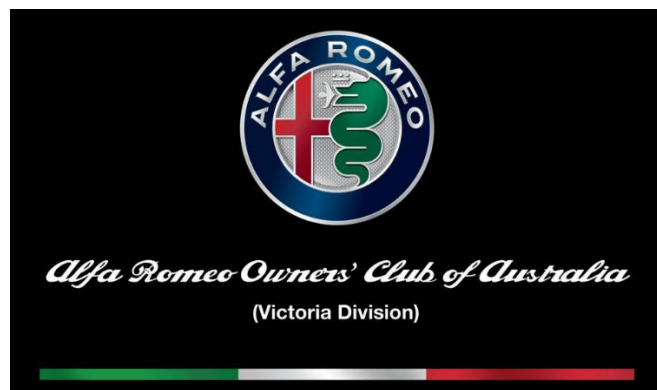
Otherwise

Check the [calendar](#) on the Club's website for new and updated events. Event information is also available via the Club's [Facebook](#) page, [WhatsApp](#) group, and the [Cross + Serpent](#) magazine.

John Hanslow, President, AROCA Victoria

0409 961 719

President@alfaclubvic.org.au



Festa Spettacolo 2025

Saturday 15th & Sunday 16th November

Festa Spettacolo is AROCA Victoria's major annual festival event.

Festa Spettacolo comprises three separate events, which are held over two days.

Spettacolo Concorso:

Members with a standout example of a classic Alfa Romeo model may choose to enter the Concorso event. Concorso is judged on presentation and authenticity.

The Concorso judging will be held on the morning of Saturday 15th at Mauceri Motors in Clayton. Judging will commence at 9:00am sharp. To apply for acceptance to the Concorso competition, you must complete and submit a [Concorso Application](#) form by **Friday 24th October**. The entry fee is \$85.

Direct Concorso enquiries to Colin Edwards: Concorso@AlfaClubVic.org.au

Spettacolo's Concorso is sponsored by [Mauceri Motors](#).

Spettacolo Dinner:

The **Spettacolo Dinner** will be held on Saturday 15th November @ 6:30 pm

Tickets are **\$60 pp** (booking fee included). Drinks at bar prices

Book your tickets now via this link: <https://www.trybooking.com/DETJO>

Direct Spettacolo Dinner enquiries to Daryll: Social@AlfaClubVic.org.au

Spettacolo's Dinner is sponsored by [Carlei Wines & Green Vineyards](#) & [Hayton Kosky](#)

Spettacolo Show & Shine:

The **Show & Shine** will be held at *Wesley College*, Glen Waverley (620 High Street Road).

The admission fee to display your Alfa Romeo is \$10, which includes entry to the *Show & Shine*.

Proud owners of good clean Alfa Romeos are encouraged to enter the **Show & Shine** competition, which will be judged at the event on Sunday. The judges will inspect each vehicle's exterior and interior for cleanliness. Cars will compete in the categories defined in accordance with the Club's Registers.

Note to exhibitors: To protect the grass on the oval from oil stains, on entry each exhibitor will be provided with a mat to be placed under the engine and gearbox. Please make sure that it is used.

Direct Show & Shine enquiries to RegisterCoordinator@AlfaClubVic.org.au

Spettacolo's Show & Shine is sponsored by [Zagame Automotive](#) and [Famous Insurance Brokers](#).



AROCA Victoria - Club Permit Scheme (CPS)

by Bruce Baum

Members, if you have queries about CPS, or if you have cars that need new or renewed CPS registration, please contact me, **CPS Officer** via email: CPS@AlfaClubVic.org.au or via snail mail:

CPS Applications c/o B Baum, PO Box 4251, CROYDON HILLS, Vic. 3136

Bruce Baum: CPS Officer, AROCA Victoria

E: CPS@alfaclubvic.org.au



Register Coordinator's Report

by Graeme Peake

Festa Spettacolo – November 15th & 16th

Members, don't forget the club's show case event at Festa Spettacolo, the **Spettacolo Show & Shine**

To be held at **Wesley College**, 602 High Street Road Glen Waverley, on **Sunday 16th November**

All members, together with their families, are welcome to come and display their pride and joy.

There will be hundreds of cars to look at, a display of model cars for purchase, other sponsors' displays and many food options.

Of course our major sponsor, Zagame Automotive will have a display of current model Alfa Romeos for you to check out.

Please arrive between 8.30 am and 9.30 am. The event will conclude at around 2.00pm after the presentation of Concorso and Show & Shine trophies.

Entry is via the main school gates on High Street. You cannot miss the entry as there are traffic lights at the driveway. When you enter the school you will be directed to the gate onto the oval. When entering the oval, you will be asked to pay an admission fee of \$10 and given your Goodies Bag. You will then be assisted to park your Alfa with other cars from your model series.

Your Goodies Bag will include an entry form for the Show & Shine. Entry in the Show & Shine is optional and at no additional cost - but if you don't enter you cannot win the chocolates! To enter the Show & Shine, just return the completed entry form to the administration tent by 11.00 am.

Approximately 30 Show & Shine trophies, based on the various Alfa models, will be presented.

There will also be many packs of car care products distributed, thanks to our sponsor Maguires.

Please come along and display your Alfa Romeo, and spend a day in the sunshine with your fellow club members in the stunning grounds of Wesley College.

Graeme Peake: Register Coordinator

0411 184 699

registercoordinator@alfaclubvic.org.au

Wanted: GTA Register Captain

AROCA is seeking a volunteer to manage the Club's 147 GTA & 156 GTA Register.



Alfa Romeo 147 GTA @ [Advanced Detail](#) in Cheltenham

The **GTA Register** includes all post-105 Alfa Romeo GTAs, including 147GTA, 156GTA & Giulia GTA

This is a great position for an owner or enthusiast of one of these distinctive Alfa Romeo models. As Register Captain you would endeavor to promote the relevant models to the benefit of all Club members - you do not have to be a mechanic, but a basic knowledge of the series is desirable.

Key role requirements:

- Reach out to the owners in the Club
- Work with other Register Captains with the running of Club Drives
- Work with the Register Co-Ordinator to help organize the annual Spettacolo Show & Shine.

For more information about these important opportunities, please contact the Register Coordinator:

Graeme Peake M: 0411 184 699

E: RegisterCoordinator@AlfaClubVic.org.au



AROCA NATIONAL EVENTS CALENDAR

DATE | DIVISION | EVENT | LOCATION | CONTACT | email address

October 2025:

- 4 & 5 | VIC | [10 Hour Relay](#) | Winton | Brett Bereau | compsec@alfaclubvic.org.au
- 24 to 27 | VIC | [Grampians Gallivant](#) | Halls Gap | Leon Cottle | goldfieldschapter@alfaclubvic.org.au
- 26 | QLD | "Flat Out at Fifty" | [Queensland Raceway](#), Willowbank | Graeme Berry | competition@arocagld.com
includes: Sprints, Show 'n Shine, Happy Laps
- 26 | SA | **Auto Italia Adelaide** | Newton | Viano Jaksa | president@alfaclubsa.org.au
- 26 | WA | **Pasta in the Valley** | Caversham | Andrew Murray | andrew.murray@alfaclubwa.org.au

November 2025:

- 15 & 16 | VIC | [Festa Spettacolo](#) | Glen Waverley | Graeme Peake | registercoordinator@alfaclubvic.org.au
15th (am) [Spettacolo Concorso](#) judging
15th (pm) [Spettacolo Dinner](#)
16th [Spettacolo Show & Shine](#)

February 2026:

- 8 | WA | **Italian Car Spectacular** | Fremantle | Andrew Murray | andrew.murray@alfaclubwa.org.au

March 2026:

- 13 – 15 | VIC | [Grand Prix Display](#) | Albert Park | John Hanslow | president@alfaclubvic.org.au

April 2026:

- 12 TBC | ACT | [Auto Italia Canberra](#) | Queanbeyan | ICA President | ciao@autoitaliacanberra.com
- TBA | WA | **Around The Houses** | Northam | Steve Sugden | concessions@alfaclubwa.org.au
- 30/4-4/5 | NSW | [ALFESTA 2026](#) | Sutton Forrest | [Mark & Wendy Edmonds](#)

May 2026:

- TBA | WA | **Around The Houses** | Albany | Aidan Daly | digital@alfaclubwa.org.au

Recent AROCA events

Silent Sight – Street Classica

Sunday 21st September

words & photos: Max Maltese



The Alfa Romeo Owners' Club of Australia - Victoria Division was invited to attend the Silent Sight Foundation's 25th anniversary & Car Show that was held in Puckle Street, Moonee Ponds. A very special event organised to raise awareness of Usher Syndrome: a rare genetic disease that affects both hearing and vision.



AROCA offers a big thank you to the Silent Sight Foundation for the invitation for members to participate in the Car Show and display. Thank you also to the Club Members that attended.

Cuore Sportivo – The Grand Final Tour

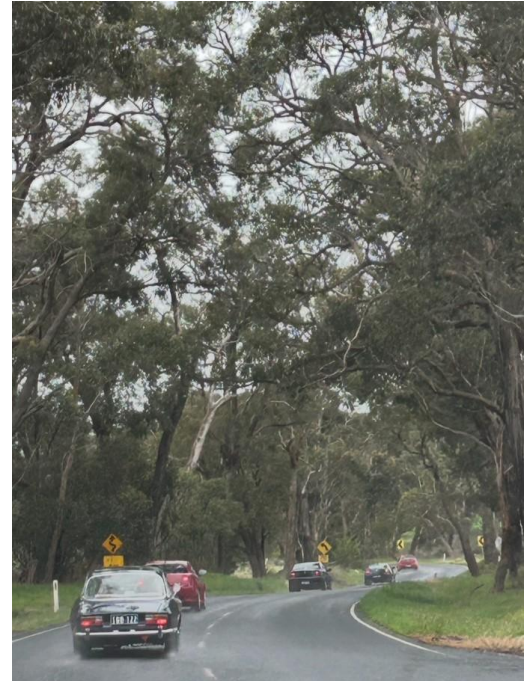
26th to 28th September

words: Clyde Hay | photos: Denis Marchetti, Vicki Fowler & Barb Hay

The Tour had a great start from Tooradin on our way to Nyora and Poowong, where we encountered a little drizzle - not enough to worry us, but just a nuisance.

We had agreed at the briefing that a coffee stop in Korumburra was a good idea. Very timely too, as out came the brollies as the rain came done.

After the break it was on to Inverloch for a photo shoot around Anderson Inlet.



But not much was available, so on we went to our lunch spot in Meeniyian. From there it was onto Foster then Yarrum where we turned west onto the Hyland Hwy: a lovely Alfa road which heading us back to Traralgon for our first night stop.

Dinner was at Momo Restaurant, with slight Italian influence, where we all enjoyed a wonderful night and meal.

Saturday dawned a cracker, with beautiful sunshine putting a smile on our faces as we headed to Seaspray for our morning tea stop at the General Store.

It was very crowded with holiday makers, but a local spotted us, so he went straight home and returned in his very nice Lancia Fulvia.

From Seaspray we followed along the 90 mile beach before turning inland to our lunch spot at the Maffco Brewery in Maffra – and afterwards the mandatory Group photo.



On our way back to Traralgon we stopped at Tyers Lookout to view the outstretched countryside of Gippsland.



Then back to the accommodation to watch the footy!

Sunday was to be a big drive travelling from our base first to Blue Rock Dam then onto Noojee for morning tea. Motoring on we drove through Healesville and on to our luncheon, and final, destination at the Yarra Glen Hotel.

Participating in the Tour were 18 Alfisti in 9 Alfa Romeos, which proved a good number as we travelled through the Gippsland region. Lots of laughs, enjoyable driving, great meals and good fun: all in all a fantastic tour.

Until next time,

Clyde Hay | SUV Register Captain.



Alfa Romeo Junior Ibrida source: [AlfaRomeo.com](https://www.alfaromeo.com)

AROCA Victoria - Club Calendar for the next month+

Bookings for events may be limited according to space or prevailing health & safety regulations.

October

	4 - 5	Alfa Club Vic 10 hr Relay Winton Raceway - Benalla 7:00am to 4:00pm
	4	AROCA 10 Hour Dinner Benalla Golf Club 6:30pm to 9:30pm
	8	AROCA Victoria Club Night Veneto Club, Bulleen 8:00pm to 9:30pm
	11	Spettacolo Detailing Workshop Envision Auto Worx, Brunswick East 9:30am to 11:00am
	12	Compass Club Coffee and Cars Rosanna 9:30am to 11:30am
	18 - 19	Melbourne Italian Festa 2025 Melbourne Exhibition Buildings, Carlton 8:00am to 5:00pm
	22	AROCA Committee Meeting The Montague Hotel 7:30pm to 9:30pm
	24 - 27	Grampians Gallivant Western Victoria All day event
	26	AROCA Victoria - 940 (Giulietta) Register Drive Officer to Kilcunda 8:30am to 3:30pm

November

	2	Compass Club Coffee and Cars District 35 Cafe, Carlton North
	4	Melbourne Cup Day (VIC)
	15	Spettacolo Concorso Mauceri Motors
	15	Spettacolo Dinner Village Green Hotel, Mulgrave
	16	Spettacolo Show & Shine Wesley College, Glen Waverley

Check the [Calendar](#) on the Club website for possible updates to the above events.

AROCA VIC '10 Hour' Dinner

Saturday 4th October

No silly! The dinner doesn't last ten hours – though it might if we win!

Join us at dinner with Team AROCA VIC who are participating in the 20th running of the Alfa Club's **10 Hour Relay** (Reliability Trial) at Winton!

What: Winton 10 Hour Dinner

When: Saturday 4th October

Time: 6:00pm on

Where: Benalla Golf Club



But ... you **DO** need to **register!**

Contact **Mandy**: 0412 806 240 or email vicepresident@alfaclubvic.org.au

Include Name(s) and your contact details



EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

**20th ANNIVERSARY OF THE
MOST ANTICIPATED EVENT ON
AROCA VIC MOTORSPORT
CALENDAR!**

**ALFA CLUB VIC 10 Hour Relay
2025
WINTON RACEWAY
4th - 5th October**

Event Entry Fee

Fully paid in June **\$2,400** including GST, per Team.

Fully paid in July **\$2,500** including GST, per Team.

Fully paid in August **\$2,600** including GST, per Team.

Fully paid in September **\$2,700** including GST, per Team.

For more information contact:

Brett Bereau

0409 999 951

compsec@alfaclubvic.org.au

AROCA Victoria July Club Night

Wednesday 8th October

Veneto Club, Bulleen

8:00 pm – 9:30 pm



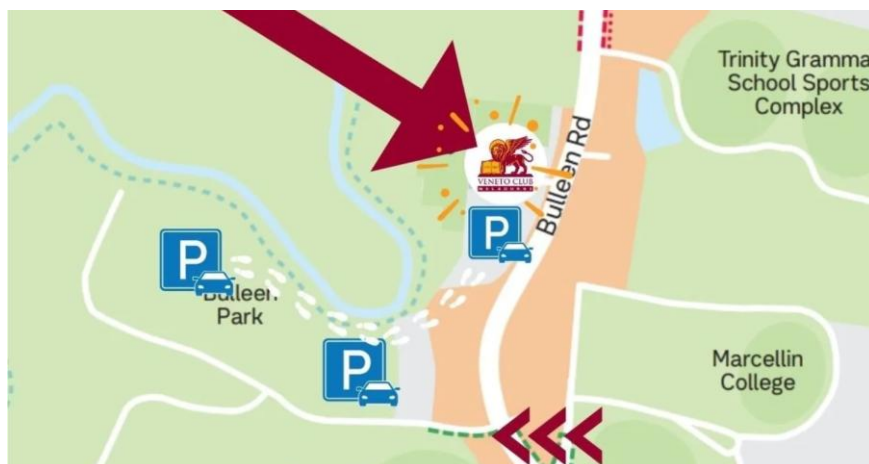
The venue for Club Night is the [Veneto Club](#) – 191 Bulleen Road, Bulleen.

Join us at Club Night for the latest news on Club events and general business, followed by a social evening with typical Alfisti camaraderie.

Our Guest Speakers will be discussing **Festa Spettacolo** and it's individual elements: **Spettacolo Concorso**; **Spettacolo Dinner** and the **Spettacolo Show & Shine**.

Meet for dinner in the Veneto Club's Bistro at 6:00pm and dine with fellow club members prior to the meeting at 8:00pm.

We look forward to seeing you at Club Night.



Enquiries:

Bruce Roberts

0417 551 880

membership@alfaclubvic.org.au

Spettacolo Show & Shine - Detailing Workshop

Date: **Saturday 11th October**

Time: **9.30am**

Venue: [Envision Auto Worx](#), 95-1101 Brunswick Road, Brunswick East

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This will be a simple but informative detailing workshop to assist entrants on vehicle preparation for the Spettacolo Show & Shine.

It will cover prewash, everyday wash and surface preparation for different coatings, including some general maintenance items.



Following the workshop is an optional **Wine Time** lunch at [Snack Monster Bar](#) in Carlton for wine tasting and a charcutier lunch.

Bookings for the Workshop and/or the Lunch are **essential!**

Call or email **Daryll** to reserve your place at either or both the Workshop and/or Lunch.

Contact: Daryll Powell, 0402 273 588, social@alfaclubvic.org.au

Compass Club Coffee and Cars - Northside

Sunday, 12 October 2025
9:30am - 11:30am

Join me for our Club's next 'Compass Club Coffee and Cars' this time, the Northside, where we have a chance to meet up, chat and we will even shout you a coffee with fellow club members!

The Compass Club is all about bringing our members together within their local areas and encouraging members to have car chat time over a coffee. Let us know where you would like to meet next.

This will be a coffee catch up, bring your car - be great to see our members come together in Rosanna.

RSVP to Daryll by Thursday 9 October if you would like to join the group.

Details:

Time: 9:30am

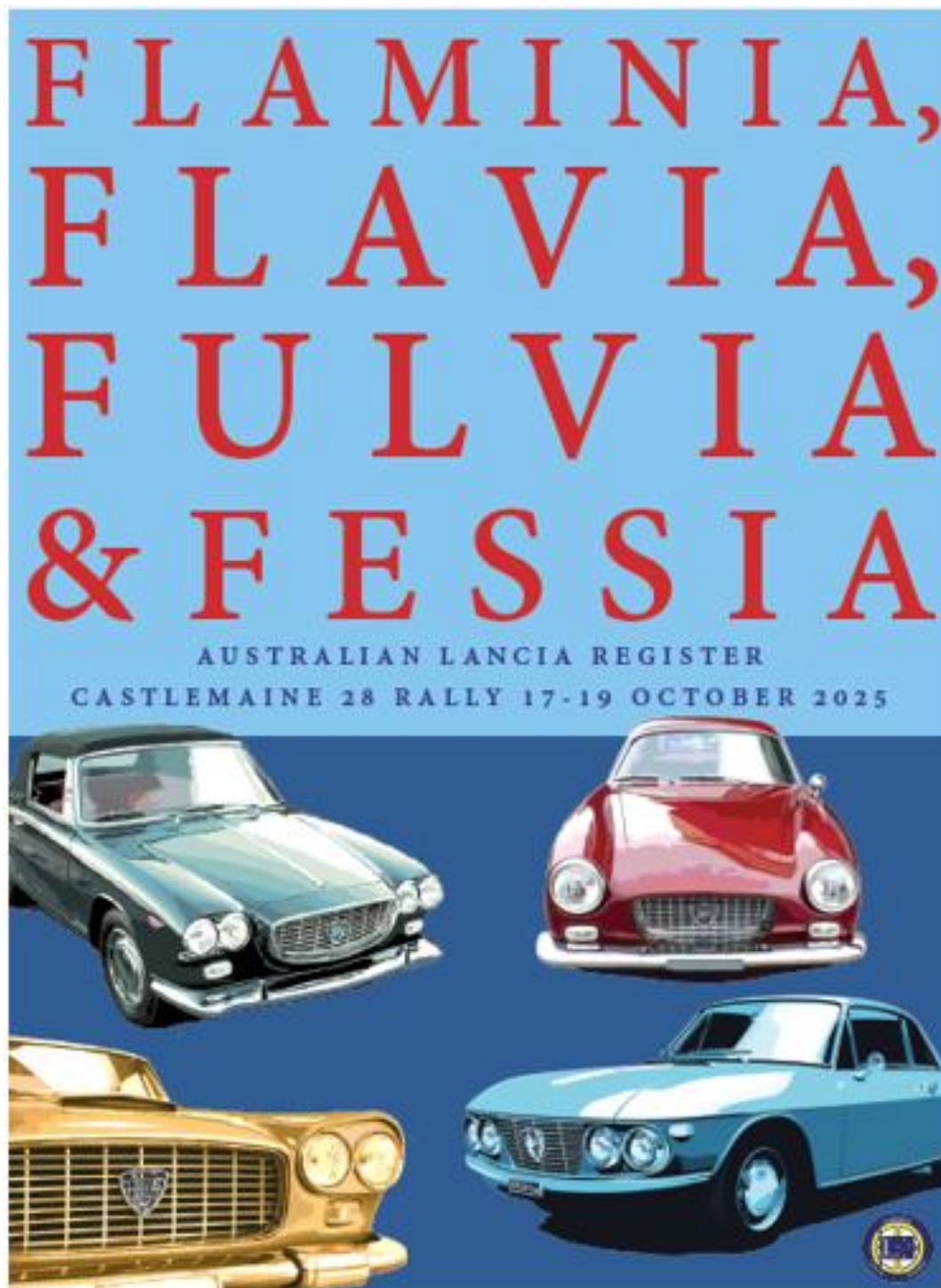
Where: [Stephenies Bar & Cafe](#)

Location: 115 Lower Plenty Rd, Rosanna VIC 3084

Parking is available at the rear of the café, via Bellevue Avenue



Contact: Daryll Powell, 0402 273 588, social@alfaclubvic.org.au



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Castlemaine28 FRIDAY 17th OCT 2025 "WELCOME
DINNER" 6.30pm BOOMTOWN wines & bristo:

Shed 10/9 Walker St, Castlemaine (Drive to rear
carpark) Canape style meal with drinks on
consumption.

Melbourne Italian Festa 2025

Saturday 18th & Sunday 19th October

8:00am - 5:00pm

Melbourne Exhibition Buildings, Carlton



Watch for updates here: <https://www.melbourneitalianfesta.com.au/>

AROCA will hold a **Club Display** as part of this event.

To display your **Alfa**, you will need to pre-book.

To book a spot in the display: **send Max an SMS** (no phone calls please!)

In the SMS include your **Name**, **Alfa** model & Year (yep, Alfas ONLY!) and your contact details.

OR send the details to Max via email: events@AlfaClubVic.org.au



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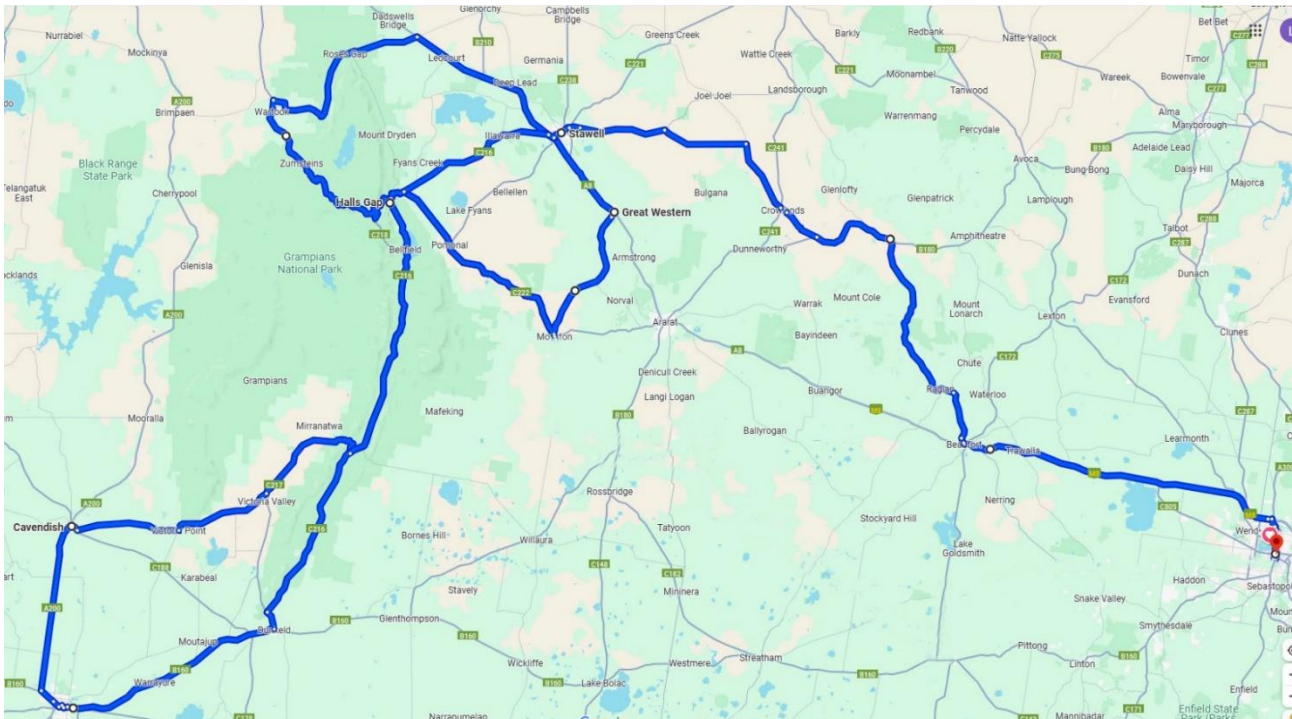
Grampians Gallivant 2025

Friday 24th - Monday 27th October

NB: The event is now **closed** to new bookings!

The **Grampians Gallivant** is organised by the **Goldfields Chapter** of AROCA (Vic). The Tour will be based in Halls Gap and will cover the entire length of the Grampians National Park in Western Victoria.

Map of the proposed route



Enquiries to Leon: goldfieldschapter@alfaclubvic.org.au

940 (Giulietta) Register Drive
Sunday, 26 October
8:30am - 3:30pm
Officer to Kilcunda

Join the Giulietta Register on a cruise along country roads in south west Gippsland.

Start: **BP service centre, Officer**
Date: **Sunday 26th October**
Meet: 8.30am for a **9:00am departure**

[View the route on Google maps](#)

(Paper copies of the route will be available on the day)

We'll be stopping in Loch for morning tea and then heading to The Ocean View Hotel, Kilcunda for lunch around midday.

The Ocean View Hotel, Kilcunda has new management and has been beautified to match the new road out front. It's the perfect spot to gaze out at the vast and beautiful beach of Kilcunda. There's a great walking trail on the old railway line and the historic Kilcunda trestle bridge.

At the Kilcunda Ocean View Hotel the menu caters for everyone, there's seafood, meat, pasta, vegetarian, vegan and children's meals. Gluten free and coeliac options are also available.



There is limited seating, to book your seat at lunch, call or email
Pamela Chambers | 0414 188 170 | 940Register@alfaclubvic.org.au



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Register For Racing or Motorshow

This year's registrations are open. Whether it's taking on the quarter-mile down on Ritchie Boulevard, or displaying your pride and joy in the motorshow, secure your spot on the Geelong Waterfront and save yourself the stress.

2025 is set to be huge, so get in on the action and join us at Geelong Revival for an insane weekend of motorsport.

Dates: 28-30 November 2025

Time: 09:00 - 16:00

Location: Geelong Waterfront

AROCA's Kids' Xmas Party & Family Picnic

Sunday 30th November

10:00 am 'til 3:00 pm

Venue: [Bundoora Park Farm](#)
(1069 Plenty Road Bundoora)



Bring a picnic lunch.

BBQ facilities and cafeteria are available.

All AROCA Members, their Kids and Grandkids, Grandparents and Family Members are all welcome.

Father Xmas will have presents for all (registered!) AROCA children up to 12 years of age - see below!
We have hired the Party Barn from 10am until 3pm, bring along a picnic lunch or purchase from the Cafe.

Lots of animals, they have feeding time where the kids can collect a bucket of food and walk around to feed the animals and much more.

Enter Bundoora Park from Plenty Road, then take the first right turn, follow the signs to the Bundoora Park Cafe/Reception. The entrance for the Bundoora Park Farm is through the visitor centre. Introduce yourself at the Visitor Centre - if you have registered your name will be on a guest list.

Please note, the farm is a plastic waste free zone & no alcohol is allowed on site.

All attending registered AROCA children from 0 - 12 years old will receive a present from Santa.
But Santa needs to know YOUR membership number as well as EACH child's **FIRST name, age & gender** - to ensure that the present(s) are appropriate.

RSVP (with above details) to Daryll by **Friday 7th November!**

NB: Bookings are essential!

Contact: Daryll Powell, 0402 273 588, social@alfaclubvic.org.au



Notizie Alfisti

News from the Alfa Romeo Owners' Club of Australia (Victoria Division) Inc.



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TARGA CLASSICA



Targa Classica 2026 will run from March 2nd to 5th!

Planning is well underway, and we're excited to give you a look at the proposed 2026 route

Day 0 – Mornington Peninsula

We begin with our usual training day on the Mornington Peninsula - an engaging lead-in to the event. It's a great chance to get into the competitive mindset, connect with the group, and settle in with a relaxed evening before things officially kick off.

Day 1 – Mornington Peninsula → San Remo

We officially kick things off around lunch with a scenic run from the Peninsula to San Remo.

Day 2 – San Remo Loop

Today will be a loop day making the most of the surrounding area, with hill climbs, track sessions, and a full day of dynamic roads around the region.

Day 3 – San Remo → Yarra Valley

Saying goodbye to San Remo and Gippsland we head inland toward the beautiful Yarra Valley for our final overnight stop.

Day 4 – Yarra Valley → Melbourne

The final leg takes us north through the Yarra Valley, weaving around Seymour before making a final run into the heart of Melbourne - just in time for the excitement of the Australian Grand Prix.

For details of this event, go to the [Targa Classica](https://targaclassica.com.au) web site. Registration is now Open.

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Alfesta 2026

Thursday, 30 April 2026 – Monday, 4 May 2026
NSW Southern Highlands

Details: <https://alfesta.com/>

Hosts: AROCA NSW



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Sutton Forest, New South Wales

30 April - 4 May

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AROCA Victoria - Club Shop

Joseph Millward

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7. WOMENS POLO (Premium Claremont) Short Sleeve Red Sizes 8, 10, 12,14, \$40
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anyone looking for another?

For Sale: Sets of original mag wheels for Italian classics ...

New old stock (NOS) Campagnolo mag wheels (with original cardboard boxes).

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Club Permit Scheme

The VicRoads Club Permit Scheme (CPS) allows members of AROCA to make limited use of historic vehicles on the road network. The club has appointed a Club Permit Officer (CPO) as administrator for the scheme and he will process club permit applications and renewals.

A Road Worthy Certificate is required for all new applications to VicRoads.

Members now need to provide us with the following before we can sign-off on a Club Permit Application Form.

1. The new Club Permit Application form (original to be supplied to the club).
2. The Vehicle Eligibility form (original to be supplied to the club)
3. The original or a copy of a valid Road Worthy Certificate
4. Dated photographs of the vehicle, this will include, Front, Driver's side, Rear, Driving position (driver's side with driver's door open) and VIN/Chassis number (if possible).

The club permit application form and vehicle eligibility form must be downloaded from the VicRoads website – [click here for the page](#).

Contact

NB: Due to a significant volume of queries, we can no longer provide assistance over the telephone.

Contact **Bruce Baum** via email: cps@alfaclubvic.org.au or SMS to: 0437 933 004

Send paper correspondence to:

CPS Applications c/o B Baum, PO Box 4251, CROYDON HILLS, Vic. 3136

VicRoads will only process paper forms with original signatures – therefore we cannot process application or renewal forms electronically by email. Please follow the instructions below to send the original forms with a stamped return envelope.

Roadworthy Certificates

A Roadworthy Certificate can be obtained from any VicRoads Licenced Roadworthy Tester. To access the VicRoads list of RWC Testers [Click Here](#).

New Permit Applications

The procedures regarding how to apply for, or renew, Club Plates have changed.

1. Applicants must be a current Club member and able to prove ownership of the vehicle.
2. Obtain a Roadworthy Certificate from an authorised tester.
3. Complete the Club Permit Application Form and Vehicle Eligibility Form (forms can be downloaded from the VicRoads website).
4. Select the 45 or 90 day option.
5. Provide a stamped self-addressed envelope.
6. Take digital colour photos (not hard copies) of the car showing front, rear, driver's side, and with the driver's door open. For convertibles, also take one photo with the roof off .
7. Send Roadworthy Certificate, proof of ownership, completed VicRoads forms and the stamped self-addressed envelope to: **PO Box 4251, CROYDON HILLS, Vic. 3136**
8. Email the digital photos to "cps@alfaclubvic.org.au" advising the permit application is in the mail.
9. The signed forms will be returned to you in the stamped, self-addressed envelope.
10. Take the forms and payment to VicRoads who will then issue you with your new Club Plate

On receipt of your new CPS plates, please notify AROCA of your new registration number via email to: cps@alfaclubvic.org.au.

CPS continued over page ...

Club Permit Scheme - Permit Renewals

The easiest way to renew CPS is online, as follows:

1. Go on the Vic Roads website and open an account;
2. Once your account is open that will automatically pick up any fully registered vehicles in your name, but it may not pick up the club plated vehicles;
3. If your Club plated vehicle is not picked up, manually add your club plated vehicle to your account. It usually takes Vic Roads 24 hours to add it to your account;
4. Once your club plated vehicle is added to your account, email a copy of the Club plate renewal form to cps@alfaclubvic.org.au;
5. The CPS Officer will then email you a completed and signed Club Endorsement Form, provided you are a financial member of the Club;
6. Once you have the signed Club Endorsement Form, go into your Vic Roads account and next to the club plated registration there should be a "Pay" button. Click on that and you will then be asked to upload the Club Endorsement Form and registration renewal certificate (signed by you); you can then pay your club registration by following the instructions.

Renewing CPS by mail;

1. Applicants must be a current Club member and still the registered owner of the vehicle.
2. On receipt of your CPS Registration Renewal from VicRoads, sign where required.
3. Select the 45 or 90 day option.
4. Obtain a stamped, self-addressed, envelope.
5. Send renewal form and stamped, self-addressed, envelope to: **PO Box 4251, CROYDON HILLS, Vic. 3136.**
6. The CPS Officer will check the membership records and then return the signed renewal form to you if you are a current financial member.
7. Upon receipt of the signed renewal form, take the signed renewal form and payment to VicRoads.
8. The renewal form has the option of allowing the vehicle owner to pay the renewal fee by enclosing a cheque made payable to Vic Roads. If you want to do that, enclose a cheque payable to Vic Roads, but ensure that the stamped, self-addressed, envelope you enclose is addressed to Vic Roads. The registration renewal form also requires your signature, so be sure to sign it as the permit holder as well. The CPS officer will then mail the registration renewal form to Vic Roads on your behalf.

Renewing CPS in person;

You are welcome to attend the Club meeting, which occurs every second Wednesday of each month, and seek out the CPS officer for his signature, but be sure to have your current Club Membership card with you to prove you are a financial member.

If the CPS officer is not in attendance, there will be someone else present from the Club's Committee who will be authorised to sign your renewal form.

Club Permit Scheme - Permit Validity

If you allow your AROCA membership to lapse, you will then be driving an unregistered vehicle.

AROCA is required to notify VicRoads of any AROCA member using a club permit who becomes unfinancial. If you have a club permit it is important that you pay your membership fees or your vehicle will be deemed unregistered and illegal to operate on the road.

It is also a requirement of the scheme that AROCA notifies VicRoads of any misuse of CPS log books and/or CPS registered vehicles.



MEMBER EVENT REPORT

Your report will be published in "Cross + Serpent"- your magazine

Please fill in as much detail as possible, don't worry about sentence structure or punctuation, grammar etc. and attach up to 5 photos

EVENT NAME AND DESCRIPTION (e.g. Sunday Drive)

PLACE, DATE AND TIME

DURATION OF EVENT

SOCIAL EVENT (e.g. Coffee or meal stops, type and number of participants' cars, outstanding vehicle)

MOTOR SPORT EVENT (e.g. AROCA or other club, number of trials, races, displays etc)

PHOTOS (Maximum of 5 and please include your name and contact details and provide as much detail of subject(s) as possible.)

MOST INTERESTING CAR (Model, colour, type, year, why)

TELL US WHAT YOU LIKED ABOUT THE DAY

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News from the Alfa Romeo Owners' Club of Australia (Victoria Division) Inc.



Thank you!

... to the contributors to this edition of *Notizie Alfisti*:

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You too can contribute to the Club's publications:

Notes, photos or brief reports of recent events, and any items of general interest to members, will be gratefully accepted for publication in *Notizie Alfisti* and/or **Cross + Serpent**. An Event Report proforma is included for your guidance below. Generally, larger articles and photos, will be assigned to C+S with a corresponding mention in *Notizie Alfisti*. Contributions are preferred as text (e.g. Word) rather than PDF and should be sent to: newsletter@AlfaClubVIC.org.au or editor@alfaclubvic.org.au

Submit contributions at least seven days prior to the end of the month for inclusion in the next *Notizie*.

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