



If you have a Vintage vehicle (1919-1930) and need a week away with great company, fantastic scenery and unique displays join us on the Golden Oldies Tour. Starting from Marong picnic on 30 August 2026, we will travel 8 days to Bendigo, Barham, and finish with a final breakfast in Swan Hill – touring the long way of course! For more details or to get an entry form email Anne on goldenoldies-

tour@outlook.com.au or at www.federation.asn.au

Entries close 30 June 2026



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# 2026 Federation Golden Oldies Tour



1919 - 1930 Vehicles only

# 30 August to 6 September 2026

The Federation Golden Oldies Tour is proudly sponsored by the Federation of Veteran, Vintage and Classic Vehicle Clubs (FVVCVC) and RACV. The tour is only for Vintage vehicles (1919-1930) and is an opportunity to enjoy the attractions of Victoria and Southern NSW and renew friendships with fellow Golden Oldies. We will visit museums, private collections and enjoy fun evenings and beautiful scenery. The Tour will start from the Marong picnic on Sunday 30 August and finish in Swan Hill on Sunday 6 September.

ENTRY FEE: \$275 per vehicle. Meals included in your entry is lunch at Marong, the final dinner in Swan Hill and breakfast on the final day – this is for two (2) adults per entry and a \$75 discount applies for only one (1) adult (i.e. entry fee only \$200). Entry also includes some attractions, entertainment, tour numberplate and assorted memorabilia. A meal order for all other meals will be emailed before the tour and will need to be completed and returned. The route together with maps will be provided to participants at the start of the tour.

CLOSING DATE: 30 June 2026. Please enter early as entries are limited. We recommend booking accommodation early as the motels will only hold rooms until the end of April 2026 and some locations are limited.

CANCELLATION: Cancellation fee after 31 July is \$30. Refund of meal costs cannot be guaranteed once the meals are confirmed.

Suggested Accommodation – quote Golden Oldies Tour when making bookings as rooms have been reserved			
and discounts may apply. Rooms will only be held for the Tour to 30 April 2026.			
Day 1: Marong to	Colonial Inn Motel - 483 High Street Calder Hwy, Golden Square Ph (03)5447 0122		
Bendigo Sun 30 Aug	bookings@bendigocolonial.com.au		
Day 2: Tour return to	Elm Motel - 454 High Street Calder Hwy, Golden Square Ph (03)5447 7522		
Bendigo Mon 31 Aug	info@elmmotel.com.au		
	Homestead Motor Inn – 508 High Street Calder Hwy, Golden Square Ph (03)5447 7455		
	info@bendigohomestead.com.au		
Day 3: Bendigo to	Accommodation is being held by Club Barham and a single price will be offered across their		
Barham Tues 1 Sept	two motels for all room types – contact <u>comfortinn.manager@clubarham.com.au</u> or (02)		
Day 4: Tour and return	y 4: Tour and return 9296 5707		
to Barham Wed 2 Sept	Comfort Inn CluBarham - 45 Murray Street Barham NSW, 2732		
	Comfort Inn – 5 Niemur St Barham NSW, 2732		
Day 5: Barham to Swan	Accommodation has been reserved at 4 motels, and all bookings can be made through Lisa		
Hill Thurs 3 Sept	Henson on info@ladyaugusta.com.au or 03 5032 9677		
Day 6: Tour and return	Comfort Inn Lady Augusta - 375 Campbell St, Swan Hill VIC 3585		
to Swan Hill Fri 4 Sept	Australian Settlers Motor Inn- 354 Campbell St, Swan Hill VIC 3585		
Day 7: Tour and return	Paruna Motel- 386 Campbell St, Swan Hill VIC 3585		
to Swan Hill Sat 5 Sept	Jacaranda Holiday Units - 179 Curlewis St, Swan Hill VIC 3585		
Day 8: Breakfast in Swan Hill provided and then head home- Sun 6 September (Fathers Day)			
	Accommodation is suggested based on location only		

## **Key Dates:**

30 April 2026 - accommodation hold date elapses.

Accommodation is the responsibility of the entrant:

- The listed accommodation providers have agreed to hold all rooms for the Golden Oldies
  Tour entrants until the end of April 2026. You must mention "Golden Oldies Tour" when
  making your booking. Do not use online booking systems as the rooms may not be
  available online you will need to telephone the accommodation/email directly.
- Accommodation is suggested on the basis of proximity to activities and the quality of accommodation is not the Tour Directors' responsibility.
- It is suggested you book accommodation as soon as possible as some towns have limited accommodation available.
- Although some prices have been locked in the entrant is responsible for enquiring about price and room requirements to suit your needs.
- The entrant is responsible for verifying deposit conditions and cancellation arrangements.
- 31 May 2026 meal orders will be emailed.
- 30 June 2026: closing date for entry. Full entry fee payable.
- <u>31 July 2026</u> meal order and full payment for meal selection is required. \$30 cancellation fee applies after this date.
- <u>30 August 2026</u> 10am Registration commences at Marong Picnic, 2pm Tour commences.

## In the event that cancellation is necessary:

Until 31 July – all money will be refunded.

From 31 July - \$30 administration fee will be charged.

From 15 August - \$50 administration fee and meals ordered that cannot be cancelled will be charged.

From 30 August money will not be refunded for meals or entry.

#### Disclaimer

The Tour Directors, FVVCVC, any other sponsor, or delegate of the Tour will not be held responsible for any entrant who contracts COVID-19 as a result of participating in this event. COVID-19 is still in the community, and it is possible to get it. Please test if you have symptoms and isolate if you are positive as we would not like you to pass it on to your friends on the tour.

The organiser is not responsible for any monetary loss as a result of accommodation cancellations or changes or any other costs you may incur associated with the Tour.

# What to bring on the Tour

Thermos and mug/cup and cutlery for each person. Chair if you have room *Your smile and sense of adventure.* 

Questions to: Golden Oldies Tour 41 Faradale Drive, Faraday, 3451 or email to goldenoldies-tour@outlook.com.au.

#### Golden Oldies Tour: 30 August to 6 September 2026 - complete this page and mail/email to Anne

I/We wish to take part in the 2026 Federation Vintage "Golden Oldies Tour"

Driver		Vehicle Make
Address		Model
		Year
Phone	АН	Reg No
Mobile No	Driver	Club
Passenger/s		Colour body
Mobile No	Passenger	Colour guards
Email		

FVVCVC is compliant with the Privacy Act in handling personal information. You may request information FVVCVC hold about you on 0412848797.

- 1. This is a seven-day tour
- 2. Entry fee includes lunch at Marong, the final dinner and breakfast on the final Sunday. Other meals will be ordered separately (GST is included in all expenses)
- 3. Entry is only open to Vintage vehicles (1919-1930)
- 4. Each car participating receives a rally pack and a commemorative number plate.

### **CERTIFICATION**

#### I/We agree

- 1. To be bound by the rules and instructions that may be issued from time to time by the Tour Directors and delegate/s
- 2. To obey the road and traffic laws and regulations including speed limits, by-laws and regulations
- 3. To show due courtesy to all users of the road
- 4. To the taking of, use and display of photos taken by the tour Directors and their delegate/s
- 5. To all conditions and key dates as indicated or may be updated from time to time.
- 6. To follow all directions in regards COVID-19 in force by the Victorian Government at the time of the Tour.

The owner of the vehicle entered, the driver thereof and the passengers, while participating in the Tour, shall do so on condition that they will have no claim against the duly designated Federation of VVCVC Committee, their appointed Tour Directors or delegates, thereof or any other sponsors of the event or their respective officials for any personal injury or illness (including COVID-19), or damage to the vehicle entered, whether or not the same shall be caused or contributed to by an act of omission or negligence on the part of the committee thereof or the sponsors of the event or any of their respective officials or delegates.

The Tour Directors reserve the right to refuse any entry.

# Entry fee only payable by Direct Debit

Bank: Bendigo Bank

BSB:633 000 Acct:162312797 Golden Oldies Tour

Payment must reference the **Driver's Surname** and **First name** 

#### Amount Payable

- 2 adults \$275
- 1 adult \$200
- 3 adults \$350
- 4 adults \$425

Entry form must be received to be entered

Mail (this page only) to

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Or Email (this page only) to

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Enquiries to Anne on 0412 848 797