

NATIONAL VETERAN TOUR

14 – 21 SEPTEMBER 2013

SHEPPARTON, VICTORIA

EVENT INFORMATION

2013 is Victoria's turn! The Veteran Car Club of Australia (Vic) is very pleased to advise that the 2013 National Veteran Tour will take place in the major regional city of Shepparton. Close to Albury, Benalla, Bendigo and Echuca, Shepparton is the fifth largest city in Victoria and has been chosen for its excellent event facilities with quiet flat roads leading to places of great interest.

The weather at this time is mild with an average high of 18c and low humidity.

Located 180km north of Melbourne, the City of Greater Shepparton includes the towns of Tatura, Merrigum, Mooroopna, Murchison, Dookie and Grahamville. Shepparton began as a sheep station and crossing for the Goulburn River in mid-1850 but it is now an important agricultural and manufacturing centre with one of the largest Irrigation systems in Australia.

The Shepparton Airport, located on the Goulburn Valley Highway, is serviced by Gawne Aviation.

The City of Shepparton is extremely supportive of the 2013 National Tour and we have been extremely fortunate to secure the most extensive facilities at the newly re-constructed Showgrounds for the entire period of the Tour. The new Showground facilities will be our base and will accommodate all our Veteran vehicles, tow cars and trailers in one secure location. An excellent range of Hotels, Motels and Cabins are closely located to the Showgrounds.

The 2013 National Tour committee has been formed and planning for this event is underway. In keeping with the Shepparton area, we are thinking of an agricultural theme and do not be surprised if we use a jaunty dairy cow for the event logo.

Although still in the formative stage, proceedings will commence on Saturday 14 September with a welcome dinner and the Tour will conclude on Saturday 21 allowing you to return home on Sunday.

Information will be posted regularly on our website: www.veterancarclub.org.au and Bulletin No 1 will be published shortly with a request for Expressions of Interest.

In the meantime, please direct enquiries to David Wright, Tour Secretary, ph (03) 9887 9401, E-mail: d.wright8@bigpond.com

We are looking forward to your participation in the 2013 National Veteran Tour.