



Federation Motorfest 2025

Federation Motorfest for 2025 is here and welcome to this year's events. The events have been organised by some of South Australia's great historic car clubs and will certainly be of interest to our Interstate, Country and local enthusiasts. Again the various day outings will take you to many well-known, and some not so well known places of interest. For this Federation

Motorfest we go to destinations which range from the Barossa Valley, the Adelaide Hills to the Fleurieu showcasing so much of our great state of South Australia. We trust that as many of you as possible will take advantage of this wonderful programme and avail yourselves to as many Federation Motorfest events as possible. Please be aware that you do not require a specific vehicle to enter any of these events. You may use any vehicle you wish to, including your current model family car.

Happy Motoring.
Federation Motorfest

Programme

13th October to 24th October – Entries close 1st October 2025

Please note: **ALL EVENTS ARE OPEN TO ALL MAKES & TYPES OF VEHICLES**
(including moderns)

Entry into the “Bay to Birdwood” is not a prerequisite for participation in
“Federation Motorfest” events.

Day 1 Monday 13th October

MILANG ADVENTURES

Hosted by the Milang Vintage Machinery Club

A leisurely drive to Milang to the Oval for Morning Tea with the Milang Historical Society, a tour of their Museum and a demonstration Tractor Pull by the Milang Vintage Machinery Club. From the oval we travel a short distance to the Port Milang Railway Museum for a roast beef or a chicken lunch followed by a tour of their Museum and some train rides. You can do a self-guided tour of Milang either by car or by walking ending up at the restored Butter Factory for an optional wine tasting, tea and coffee and cheese platter.

Limited to 45 people

Day 2 Tuesday 14th October

A SCENIC DRIVE TO FIND DUNG

Hosted by the Adelaide Allmake Automobilc Club

Join us for a scenic leisurely drive through the beautiful Adelaide Hill and Historic Townships for our tour of the Neutrog Biological Fertilisers established in 1988 at Kanmantoo in South Australia. Followed by an informative bus tour of site area including Morning Tea and a talk. Then a short drive to our lunch stop at a historic hotel.

Please wear closed in shoes.

Limited to 30 people

The first 23 entries received do the bus tour.

Day 3 Wednesday 15th October

A BAROSSA ODYSSEY

Hosted by the Gawler Veteran, Vintage & Classic Vehicle Club

Members of the Gawler Car Club invite you to join us for a leisurely drive through the leafy eastern suburbs of Adelaide, through the scenic Torrens Valley and the Adelaide Hills to Lyndoch for Morning Tea on the Village Green. Then travelling via a sea of vineyards on a pleasurable drive through the famous Barossa Valley onto Angaston for a BBQ lunch at the Barossa Valley Machinery Preservation Society. From here we will proceed to Melba's Chocolates, a short distance on the outskirts of Angaston where afternoon tea and refreshments are available on the green.

No Limits

Day 4 Thursday 16th October

LUNCH WITH THE GREEN MACHINES

Hosted by the Military Vehicle Preservation Society

A run of approximately 40 kilometres to visit the National Military Vehicle Museum at Edinburgh Park. The 6-acre site with onsite parking is a group of heritage listed buildings built during World War 2 which now house an extensive collection of historic military vehicles dating back to 1916. There is something of interest for everyone. On arrival there will be a guided tour of the Museum and restoration workshop followed by a 2 course Roast lunch in the Museum's display area. In the afternoon, the volunteers will demonstrate the capabilities of the operational vehicles on the Museum testing area. For the more adventurous there is the opportunity to ride in the historic vehicles.

Limited to 50 people

Day 5 Friday 17th October

A PLEASANT DRIVE TO STRATHALBYN

Hosted by the Mercedes Benz Club of SA

Please join us for a pleasant drive through the Southern Adelaide Hills to Ashbourne for Morning Tea, at own expense, and onto Strathalbyn for lunch, at own expense, at the Victoria Hotel.

After lunch you can visit Gilbert's Motor Museum, Collectable Classics and the many antique and bric-a-brac stores in town. A variety of return routes will be in your tour notes.

Limited to 40 people.

Sunday 19th October

THE BAY TO BIRDWOOD

Day 8 Monday 20th October

LION'S DEN TO FARM SHOP

Hosted by the Gawler Veteran, Vintage & Classic Vehicle Club

Members of the Gawler Car Club invite you to join us for a leisurely drive through the leafy eastern suburbs of Adelaide, through the scenic Snake Gulley, sight of the old scramble track, Humbug Scrub and the Adelaide Hills to Lyndoch for Morning Tea on the Village Green. Continuing on with picturesque views of the rolling hills covered in vines on a pleasurable drive through the famous Barossa Valley through Rowland Flat and Tanunda onto Nuriootpa for a guided tour of the "Lion's Den", a private Holden collection. From there we will proceed to Angas Park Hotel for lunch. After lunch a short drive to Maggie Beer's Farm Shop for a relaxing cuppa and a chat.

Limited to 25 people

Day 9 Tuesday 21st October

CRUISING ON THE MURRAY

Hosted by the Early Ford V-8 Club

We head towards Murray Bridge for a 3 hour lunch cruise on the Murray River which includes a 2 course meal as you cruise slowly past majestic scenery. Experience the wildlife of the River Murray in all its untamed natural beauty. Cruise past the points of interest that you can only really see from the river. See the wonderful scenery as you take in the fresh air on the deck outside the dining room.

Limited to 40 people

Day 10 Wednesday 22nd October

FROM LAVENDER TO LYNDOKH

Hosted by the Federation Motorfest Committee

Leave Glandore to travel north to the Lyndoch Lavender Farm for Morning Tea & a self-guided tour. Then back to Lyndoch to visit the Barossa Wildlife Rescue & a community project Mosaic chair.

An optional lunch at the Lyndoch Hotel or your choice of other local eateries.

Limited to 30 people

Day 11 Thursday 23rd October

A free day no event

Day 12 Friday 24th October

A free day no event

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT ANY DIETARY NEEDS SHOULD BE PLACED ON THE ENTRY FORM

PLEASE NOTE AFTER 1st OCTOBER 2025 THERE WILL BE NO REFUNDS

FEDERATION MOTORFEST HEADQUARTERS

Federation Motorfest Headquarters for 2025 will be at the clubrooms of the Combined Car Clubs, part of the Glandore Community Complex. They are located in Clark Avenue, Glandore. There is plenty of paved off street parking, easy access to facilities and the clubrooms will be open each morning to welcome our guests.

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