



# NEWSLETTER



## AROC Christmas Barbeque Change of Venue!

AROC CHRISTMAS BBQ PICNIC 13TH DECEMBER 2009

Enjoy some pre Christmas conviviality at the AROC Auckland Christmas Picnic and Barbeque at Centennial Park, Mt Eden on Sunday 13th December 3.30pm onwards.

To get there head down Mt Eden Rd and after crossing Balmoral Rd take either the 4th Road (Marsden Ave) or the 5th Road (Peary Rd) on your right. The park entrance is between 90 and 92 Marsden Ave or between 93 and 95 Peary Rd.

There are toilets, a children's playground and dogs are allowed on leads. If the weather is wet we can adjourn to Ian West's house nearby.

Bring something to sit on, something to drink and some meat for the BBQ. AROC Auckland will supply salads,

bread, plates, cups and cutlery. Ring Margaret Kelly on 527 3411 to give us an idea of numbers.



PAPA'S PIZZA QUIZ NIGHT - TUESDAY JANUARY 12



Test your wits and knowledge of all things Italian at Papa's Pizza Quiz night. Meet at 7.00pm and order your meal and drinks. The quiz will get under way at around 7.30. There are prizes for the winners and spot prizes.

Please ring Roger on 522 1441 if you want to make up a team.

### Coming Up...

13th December 2009  
**Christmas BBQ**  
Centennial Park

12th January 2010  
**Papa's Quiz Night**  
Papa's Pizza Restaurant

16/17th January 2010  
**Tasman Revival**  
Hampton Downs

19th January 2010  
**AROC Club Night**  
CT Club Remuera

6/7th February 2010  
**Tasman Revival**  
Taupo

13th February 2010  
**Classic Car Weekend**  
Classic fun run

14th February 2010  
**Classic Car Weekend**  
Concours d'Elegance

20th February 2010  
**Trofeo Race Meeting**  
Taupo

## 2009/ 2010 SUMMER RACING CALENDAR

For motorsport fans there's plenty of action over the summer with the Tasman Revival and the Bruce McLaren Festival. Grab your sunscreen and get out and watch some exciting classic car racing.



**16th & 17th January:** Tasman Revival Series Hampton Downs\*

**22nd to 24th January:** Bruce McLaren Festival Hampton Downs

**29th to 30th January:** Bruce McLaren Festival Pukekohe

**6th & 7th February** Tasman Revival Series Taupo\*

**20th February:** TCC National Clubman's Race Taupo\*

\* Trofeo Series Races - See [www.trofeo.org.nz](http://www.trofeo.org.nz) for details.

Tickets for the Tasman Revival available at [www.motorsportentry.com](http://www.motorsportentry.com)

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## CLASSIC CAR FUN RUN 13TH FEBRUARY 2010



Organised by the MG Car Club, this event is one of the biggest classic car driving events on the calendar. You will be joining 200 other cars of all marques and driving to one of 6 destinations.

Meet at the Ellerslie Racecourse at around 9am and then set off about 10 for a pleasant country drive finishing at a picnic location for a leisurely lunch. You must enter before the day and numbers are limited. See [www.concours.org.nz](http://www.concours.org.nz) for entry forms

(Editor's pick this year is Run One to Tapapakanga Regional Park.)

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## CONCOURS D'ELEGANCE 14TH FEBRUARY 2010

Celebrate Valentines Day at Ellerslie Racecourse by taking your loved one to the 37th annual Concours d'Elegance. We will be putting on a special display to promote our 100 years of Alfa Romeo festivities. Come along to see some very special cars and catch up with club members. If you have a hidden treasure or would like to lend a hand please call Margaret Kelly on 527 3411

INTERMARQUE  
Concours d'Elegance



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## COMING UP IN 2010



Keep an eye on Alfa News and the AROC website for upcoming events including the Magnificent Manfield May Madness and the AROC Centenary Tour of New Zealand. Locally your committee will be organising lots of other activities to keep the cobwebs off your car(s).



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## MERCHANDISE



Get your orders in for the centenary clothing range and other Alfa Club promotional products by visiting the AROC website [www.arocnz.org.nz](http://www.arocnz.org.nz) and click on the Club Shop or 2010 Centenary links.

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Have a wonderful festive season from the AROC Auckland Committee:

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