



## HPM 2017NHMA Update

21-23 April 2017 Hamilton Victoria

*Hello Fellow Enthusiasts,*

*The Hamilton Pastoral Museum Incorporated is very proud to host the NHMA National Rally at Hamilton in 2017. We welcome you to the rally and will do our very best to make it a safe and memorable event.*

*Yours Sincerely,*

*Dennis WHEELHOUSE  
(President)  
Hamilton Pastoral Museum Inc.*

### **Registrations**

To date we have received a large number of expressions of interest. Details for registration have recently been finalised and registration information will be distributed to those who have submitted an EOI before the end of August, either via email or post. Please let us know if you have not received this information via email on [hamiltonpastoralmuseum@live.com](mailto:hamiltonpastoralmuseum@live.com) or via phone on 0437 563 900.

In addition, all registration information will be available from our website [www.hamiltonpastoralmuseum.com.au](http://www.hamiltonpastoralmuseum.com.au). In this area are links to regional accommodation and other events that you may be interested in attending.

### **Regional Information**

Two events that are worthy of mention are the Wheatlands Agricultural Machinery Museum at Warracknabeal and the Lake Goldsmith Steam Rally. In addition, in Hamilton we have Campe's Motor Museum, Hamilton Art Gallery, Coleraine Chocolate Factory and local Lavender Farms.

Our own Hamilton Pastoral Museum site also holds the Vintage Veteran Car Club, Hamilton Wood Turners and the Hamilton Model Railway Club, to visit our centre bookings will be required as all members are volunteers.

With Hamilton located in the South West region of Victoria and regional centres like Warrnambool, Horsham, Portland and Mount Gambier all within an hour's drive, we also have wineries, Volcanic Trail, excellent restaurants and coastal attractions for those wishing to venture out and about.



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### **Arrival dates**

The Hamilton Pastoral Museum Inc. will be coordinating set-up and displays from Wednesday 19 April 2017. The final date and time for display set-up will 6.00pm Thursday 20 April. There will be no display or movement of vehicles within the compounded areas from 10.00am through to 5.00pm due to public and associated safety requirements for the events three days. If there is an issue with meeting these requirements, please call 0407 975 630 to discuss.

### **Attractions for the 2017 NHMA event in Hamilton Victoria will include**

- Hay baling and chaff cutting
- Steam traction engines from Lake Goldsmith and Geelong
- Working Horse displays
- Saw Mill from Lake Goldsmith
- Tractor Clubs
- Outside vendors, stalls and trade displays
- Ploughing demonstration
- Numerous engines
- Miniature train display



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