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Coming Events - NOVEMBER 2017

Thurs 2		Dads Army	Ringwood
Sat 4	AHRG	Evan Green Memorial TR	Upper Hunter TR5 Dirt/Tar
Sat 4	MG HR	Concours ** Date Change **	Elder St Park
Sun 5	WAC	State Motorkhana Rnd 2	Awaba ** Date Change ** Dirt
Mon 6		Magazine Assy	2:00 pm Cobby St M
Wed 8		Speed Panel	7:30 pm Cobby St M
Thurs 9		Dads Army	Ringwood
Fri 10		Club Night AGM	7:30 pm Cobby St M
Sat 11	MGCCN	Khanacross dirt/tar includes YDDC 8 Training	Ringwood M KC6 Dirt/Tar
Sun 12	MGCCN	Hillclimb A3L	Ringwood M TS6 CC21
Tues 14		Board Meeting	7:30 pm Cobby St M
Thurs 16		Dads Army	Ringwood
Thurs 16		WRC	Coffs Hbr
Fri 17		WRC	Coffs Hbr
Sat 18		WRC	Coffs Hbr
Sun 19	MGCCN	Concours	Cobby Street clubrooms M CC22
Sun 19		WRC	Coffs Hbr
Tues 21	MGCCN	Mid Week Run	Caves Beach
Thurs 23		Dads Army	Ringwood
Fri 24		Supercars	Newcastle
Sat 25	HDCC	STATE Khanacross Rd 8	Hampton
Sat 25		Supercars	Newcastle
Sun 26		Supercars	Newcastle
Thurs 30		Dads Army	Ringwood

Coming Events - DECEMBER 2017

Fri 1		HVG School	Ringwood
Sat 2	MGCCN	Supersprint **cancelled**	Circuit Italia M
Sun 3	MGN HR SYD	MG only Hillclimb A2A	**New Date** Ringwood M
Mon 4		Magazine Assy	2:00 pm Cobby St M
Mon 4		HVG School	Ringwood
Wed 6		Speed Panel	7:30 pm Cobby St M
Thurs 7		Dads Army	Ringwood
Fri 8		Presentation/Xmas Party	6:30 Cardiff RSL
Sun 10	MGCCN	Club Rooms Working Bee	Cobby St
Tues 12		Board Meeting	7:30 pm Cobby St
Thurs 14		Dads Army	Ringwood
Fri 15		<i>School Term Finish</i>	
Mon 25		<i>Christmas Day</i>	
Tues 26		<i>Boxing Day</i>	

Legend

M - Club Member

R - Register pointscore

CC - Club Championship

KC - Khanacross

MK - Motorkhana

TA - Touring Assembly

TC - Tri-Challenge

TS - Tar Speed Series

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PRESIDENTS REPORT

The second Mattara Hillclimb at Ringwood was in fact the 60th Mattara Hillclimb. What a shame we were not able to celebrate the milestone at King Edward Park. However, having said that, I wonder if we could still have managed to do the work that was required to run the event at K.E.P.

This year's event was as success in every way. Entries were up on last year, the weather was near perfect, the competition was good, it was a financial success and we were all out of the venue by 4.30 pm on the final day. No special working bees were required.

The benefits of a permanent venue!

I cannot thank those of you who came along to officiate, enough. Without you, the event could no run at all, let alone to the high standard we set ourselves. To those who competed in the Tri-Challenge, representing MGCC(N), I must also say thanks.

The many sponsors that support us each year with donations towards the cost of trophies, are greatly appreciated. I ask that you have a look at the list elsewhere in the magazine and give them your custom wherever possible. Please mention that you are a member of MGCC(N) and thank them for their support when you are doing business with them.

The final Motorkhana for the year is done and dusted, (just like the cars officials and competitors!) There were 19 entries for this event (9 Juniors which is great to see) I must thank Leo Frodl for the work he has put into the Autotest role over the past 2 years. Just one to go Leo!

The Annual General Meeting and Election of Board members for 2018, is to be held this Friday at the Club Rooms. The AGM is possibly the most important event we hold all year, so it would be great to see a full room for this.

With just a week to go before nominations for Board Positions close it is looking like there will be a few positions that we will be calling for nominations from the floor at the AGM. I would love to have all positions filled for 2018 and some new faces would be great.

Since the Mattara Hillclimb, October has been a relatively quiet month for the Club, those working bee weekends are now spare weekends. How good is that! However, there is plenty on in November, before we wind up the Club Championship calendar with the Concours on the 19th at Cobby Street. I would love to see a good representation from our MG fraternity as well as those with vehicles on historic rego. It would be very interesting to those who don't necessarily go to our competition events to see

Thursday Working Bees

Contact: Doug Rae 0434 141 501

some of the very good and interesting competition vehicles that I know are owned by our members, be they Clubmans, Formula Cars, 2A/2C Sports Cars, Sports Sedans, etc, etc, and even a few Rally Cars. (Yes, we do have members with Rally Cars.)

The Supercars event in Newcastle will be attracting all the attention of the media and I guess that of a lot of our members. Rick Vincent has worked hard to get the Club involved by way of providing MGs for the drivers parade on the Saturday. I guess those who are providing their MGs will have something over the rest of us, they will have driven around the circuit with it set up for the event. I hope the weather is good for the weekend, as I'm sure the Television coverage of Newcastle and the Hunter will be a great promotion to potential tourists. Sunshine and beaches go together much better than rain and sloppy surf when it comes to promoting the area.

Will the Supercars event do anything for Club motorsport in the district? I very much doubt it. It has already cost us a long-term sponsor of our highest profile event.

The final motorsport event for the year is the "All MG Cars Hillclimb" at Ringwood on December 3rd. Let's hope the weather is kind and the effort put in to making the event happen is rewarded with a good field of MGs attending. Interestingly, this is the same date that we lodged an "Expression of Interest" with Circuit Italia to run a Supersprint. We must have misread the year! Let's hope it happens by December 2018.

Christine Finch has organised the venue for our Annual Presentation Night & Christmas function, this year we are returning to the Cardiff RSL after a couple of years at another venue. If you are a Trophy Winner, PLEASE make the effort to come along to receive your trophy and the accolades you deserve. Chris needs names and pre-payments by about 29th November.

I look forward to seeing you at an upcoming event.

Yours in MGs & Motorsport

Dave



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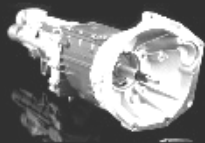
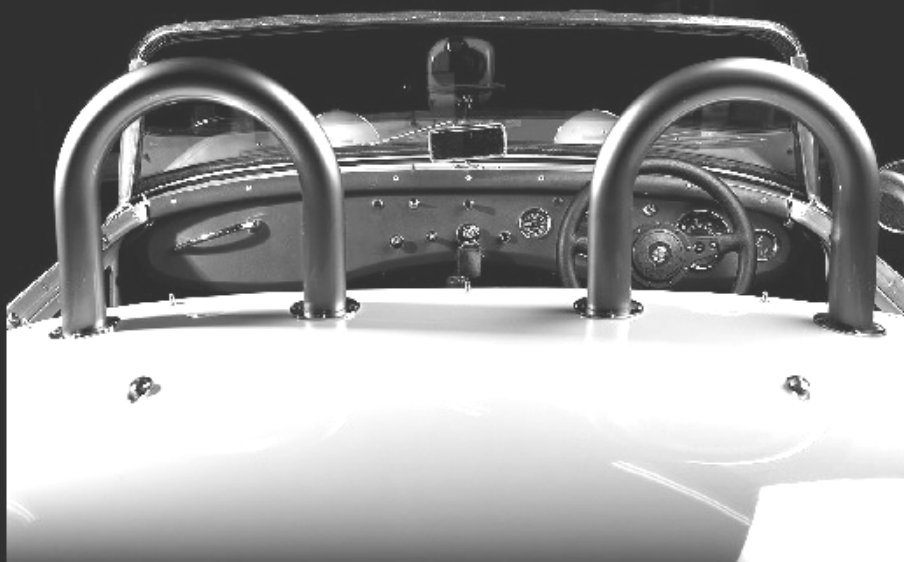
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NEW MEMBERS

New members approved by the board to join the club: 17th OCTOBER 2017

DIETER HOLZL – ASSOCIATE MEMBER – LOTUS ELISE

RAYMOND WATKINS – ASSOCIATE MEMBER – 1969 VOLKSWAGEN

TERRY DARR – ASSOCIATE MEMBER – 1966 MUSTANG

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MG Car Club Newcastle

2017

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Friday 8 December

6.00 pm for 6.30 pm start

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RSVP Chris Finch Ph 0431 656 663 by Friday 20 November 2017.



LAND PANEL REPORT

Well a lot has been happening since my return from OS last month. Along with the normal maintenance of emptying garbage bins, whipper snipping, mowing, cleaning of toilets, Round Up the hard to get at areas and general cleanup after the MATTARA Hillclimb, now we proceed onto improvements.

A Queensland shade roof has been constructed over the training room to cut the temperature this summer as well repairs to the main roof.

A solar panel system is being installed to maintain the charging of batteries in our fleet of vehicles IE truck, ambulance, tractor, and the two junior training cars, this has been brought about by the frustration of arriving to work and spending valuable time to get things going.

Some rusty sections on the front gate have been treated with rust preventive and the whole gate to be painted.

Remedial work has been started on the bank at the lower end of the pits next to the spectator road, the bank will have a gradual slope and some trees planted to stabilise it.

Our new tractor which we are still getting used to has been used to dig up the water pipe from the storage tanks behind the green shed to the toilet tanks which had been depleted by the MATTARA Hillclimb, this was to repair the damaged pipe which was leaking.

Fill was also dumped at the run off area between turns 6 and 7 in ongoing work to level the area.

A lot of work done by a few dedicated members and on behalf of the club I thank you.

Land Panel chairman

Doug Rae

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PUBLICITY

Hi Guys,

Well its getting close for the big race, that's going to wake up Newcastle from 24th > 26th November, just in case you have been away on one of your cruises (Ah Ken ??) its called the, Supercars Coates Hire Newcastle 500, with over 150K spectators to welcome in the event over the three days.

Of course your club will be actively involved in securing the Supercar Drivers Parade for the club, on Saturday the 25th November at approximately 1.00pm, so keep an eye out for 26 - MG,s and a few Lotus Elise, these two blokes have to look after the promo girls, someone has to do it, so I do thank those members who have polished their cars for the parade, around the 2.2 km track, this of course will be televised, around Australia and various parts of the world, so hopefully MGCCN should receive awareness of our club to the public.

A special thanks must go to the four members of the MG Hunter Region Club, by providing their well presented MG,s for the parade, together with Lyall Clarke & Gary Piper, who have assisted me in arranging club members to participate, all drivers will wear a special edition polo shirts and caps, advertising MG Clubs in Newcastle.

During last week I rode around the circuit, with some of my bike riding mates, and it really is an interesting track, particularly the beach front section, which will prove to be very challenging for the drivers.

Hopefully if everything goes to plan our club will be actively involved in future events. Changing the subject, may I remind MG owners, that our club will be hosting the All MG Day – Regularity Event at Ringwood Park, on Sunday the 3rd December, I conducted this event last year, and was a great success, so please enter the event so your club can retain the winners title, for further details ring me – 0418 494 663

Thanks for your help members, look forward to seeing you all at the 500.

Keep your tyres hot.

Regards,

Rick

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Kenneth Atkins on his way to outright victory

Rebecca Boland enjoying the competition



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MOTORKHANA & JUNIOR TRAINING DAY

Another successful motorkhana at Ringwood. With a field of nineteen competitors including nine juniors this was the biggest event for a while.

Weather was perfect but quite hot which caused a few cars to suffer from the heat as well as the drivers!

There were quite a few family entrants with the Bolands mum Rebecca, dad Paul, & Ryan leading with three, the Atkins with two & the Fernance's with two!

Many of the juniors were products of the Young Driver Development Course having their first taste of competitive driving as part of the course, this is such a great scheme to foster young people into the art of driving. All the driver trainers were on hand to guide the drivers on the finer points of motorkhanas although I think even they got lost a few times!

Thanks to all the officials & canteen workers for giving your time on the day.

OUTRIGHT RESULTS

1st. Kenneth Atkins	321.74	11th Rebecca Boland	455.31
2nd Christopher Fernance	344.60	12th Christian Thompson	475.62
3rd Alex frodl	350.61	13th Ryan Boland	488.05
4th David Atkins	362.23	14th Nicholas Fernance	500.89
5th Luke Daley	367.86	15th Hannah Gray	502.49
6th Paul Boland	371.13	16th Zachary Marsden	512.53
7th Karlie kent	403.58	17th Karen Piggot	544.73
8th Harry Keil	403.93	18th Nathan Birkett	570.26
9th Tegan Meek	405.22	19th Lachlan Hales	587.84
10th Adam Darby	454.14		

THE NEXT EVENT

KHANACROSS DIRT/TAR

The next event is the Khanacross on SATURDAY 11 NOVEMBER A DIRT /TAR competition this will include the first taste of khanacross for the YDDC juniors. This will be a daytime event starting at 9.30AM. Supp regs are on the website.

This is the last one for 2017 so take this opportunity to have one last run for the year!

SOCIAL SECRETARY REPORT



Hi to all Club Members

Well Xmas is approaching very quickly as is the Xmas Party and Presentation Night. This enjoyable event is being held on Friday 8 December 2017 at Cardiff RSL Club starting at 6.00 pm. (Please refer to the advertisement in this month's magazine)

So far, we have 38 members attending the function, if you wish to join us just let me know via text on Ph 0431656663. Alternatively, you can let me know at the next Club Night. If you could also pay the \$25 per person it would be greatly appreciated as the club requires payments 10 days in advance for those that are attending.

I am also seeking input and suggestions of what social activities you would be interest in doing throughout 2018. Feel free to contact your committee and let them know as the attendance of the Natter Nights in 2017 have been a little disappointing.

I was reading in a New Zealand car magazine that they have a garage invasion for about 2 hours of a Sunday afternoon where members take a small afternoon tea to share. Should we give this a whirl, and who has a very neat and interesting garage to show off?

Cheers Chris Finch.



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The mg crowd with our host & guide at the Singleton infantry museum



REGISTER CAPTAINS REPORT

Our final Club Run for this year will be a “bring your own brunch” event to be held on Tuesday 21st November at the Stuart Chalmers Park adjacent to the Caves Beach surf lifesaving club.

The plan is to meet at McDonalds at the Swansea roundabout at 9.30am and depart for the park to arrive at 10.00am. It’s only 5 mins away.

This is a byo everything event and there are electric bbq’s on site and plenty of shade.

Directions to Stuart Chalmers Park are as follows:

Take the Caves Beach exit at the Swansea roundabout (Bowman Street) and turn left into Civic Street opposite the Swansea high school sports grounds. At the “T” intersection roundabout, turn right then left at the Caves Beach/Hams Beach sign. Follow this road around to the park adjacent to the SLSC.

As this is the last event for this year it would be nice to see some really special cars join us on this day. Hope you can be there!

This year I have tried to vary our Club runs as much as possible so there has been something for everyone to enjoy a nice drive to places of interest in their special car and some events have been more successful than others. Our recent run to the Singleton Army Museum only attracted 12 starters so that was a little disappointing and I can understand that a visit to a war museum is not to everyone’s taste. However we had a couple of really well attended outings with our visit to the Paterson Motor Rail museum (30), Mulla Villa Homestead (38) and Norah Head lighthouse (20). Next year I will use the same format and I already have a couple of places in mind and I will continue with midweek events as they are proving popular, so I hope you will join us then. I also hope you can join us for our annual club Concours event on Sunday 19th November at the Clubrooms site and bring along your special vehicle. It doesn’t have to be in tip top condition – just bring it along and show it off and join in the spirit of the event. Details are located elsewhere in the magazine.

I want to thank all those who participated in the Club runs this year as it gives me encouragement to keep organising these events. Thanks again for your support.

Ken McLeod
Register Captain.

INTERESTED?

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EDITORIAL

G'day all,

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STUDENT: Class started before I got here.

TEACHER: John, why are you doing your math multiplication on the floor?

JOHN: You told me to do it without using tables.

TEACHER: Glenn, how do you spell 'crocodile?'

GLENN: K-R-O-K-O-D-I-A-L'

TEACHER: No, that's wrong

GLENN: Maybe it is wrong, but you asked me how I spell it.

TEACHER: Donald, what is the chemical formula for water?

DONALD: H I J K L M N O.

TEACHER: What are you talking about?

DONALD: Yesterday you said it's H to O.

TEACHER: Winnie, name one important thing we have today that we didn't have ten years ago.

WINNIE: Me!

TEACHER: Glen, why do you always get so dirty?

GLEN: Well, I'm a lot closer to the ground than you are.

TEACHER: George Washington not only chopped down his father's cherry tree, but also admitted it.

Now, Louie, do you know why his father didn't punish him?

LOUIS: Because George still had the axe in his hand.....

TEACHER: Now, Simon, tell me frankly, do you say prayers before eating?

SIMON: No sir, I don't have to, my Mum is a good cook.

TEACHER: Clyde, your composition on 'My Dog' is exactly the same as your brother's. Did you copy his?

CLYDE: No, sir. It's the same do

TEACHER: Harold, what do you call a person who keeps on talking when people are no longer interested?

HAROLD: A teacher.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice to all members of MG Car Club Newcastle Inc

The Annual General Meeting and Election of Board of Directors of MG Car Club Newcastle Incorporated will be held at the Clubrooms, Cobby Street, Shortland, on Friday November 10th 2017 commencing at 7:30pm.

Agenda:

- Apologies
- Confirmation of minutes of the last Annual General Meeting held Friday, 11th November, 2016
- Summary of the Club's activities over the past 12 months
- Treasurer's Report and Report from the Auditor
- Election of the Board of Directors for 2018 (all positions become vacant)
- Any other business as submitted in accordance with the Club's Rules. Members are reminded that Special Business needs to be submitted to the Board before the meeting.

Rules: Members are reminded of the following:-

- Only full Members are allowed to vote
- Both Full and Associate Members can accept a nomination for a position on the Board of Directors
- Both Full and Associate Members can nominate any Club Member for a position on the Board of Directors
- Associate Members will be granted Full Membership if elected to the Board of Directors
- Members must financial to 28th February 2018 to be able to vote
- Current Financial Membership Cards should be produced in order to obtain Voting papers.
- Voting papers will not be issued after the current Board positions are declared vacant
- Nominations should be completed and posted or handed to the Secretary at least 7 days prior to the commencement of the meeting
- Associate Members are permitted to cast proxy votes for a Full Member who is absent; only if the Proxy form is completed and posted to or handed to the Secretary prior to the commencement of the meeting.
- All Proxy forms must be signed by the member appointing the proxy and must comply with our constitution.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

BOARD POSITIONS - SUMMARY OF THE ROLES.

President - the leader, chairs Board meetings, and has the casting vote in case of a deadlock decision. Delegates jobs to Board persons, encourages members at events, and always acts with the best interests of the Club and its members. Supports Board members in the performance of their roles. Is the Public Officer of the Club.

Vice-President - assists the President, stands in for him/her when the President is absent. Helps other committee members with any special projects.

Honorary Secretary - takes the minutes, deals with the incoming and outgoing correspondence, circulates information to members, via the magazine and passes on information to the various panels. Answers enquiries about the club and its activities. Is the Club's primary contact with CAMS.

Honorary Treasurer - handles the Club's accounts, receives the money, deals with banking and investments. Is responsible for paying the accounts, keeping records and making sure that the books are audited at the end of the financial year. Prepares the Annual Financial Reports and has them audited for presentation to the AGM and subsequent lodgement with the Department of Fair Trading.

Publicity Officer - informs members and the general public of our activities. Always striving to keep a high profile of the Club whenever possible. Extra promotion for large events such as State Hillclimb events at Ringwood Park, etc. Endeavour to get Club information into newspapers, radios or magazines. May assist the Register Captain with displays and parades, and the Editor with advertisers for the magazine.

Club Captain – Receives event results, working bee records and attendance sheets for the point score. Keeps the point score for the Club and Event Championships and maintains the Club Member point score, assists with preparation of the calendar. Coordinates with the various panels to organise trophies for distribution after the events.

Social Secretary - provides supper for Club Nights each month, (does not have to cook, supper items can be purchased.) Organise other social outings as well as Christmas/Presentation Dinner and Natter Nights. Ideally forms a social committee of helpers.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Magazine Editor - does not write the magazine, but receives articles written by others to edit and produce the magazine. Ensures the magazine is delivered to and from the printer. Organises the Magazine Assemblies and posting. Co-ordinates the gathering of advertisers, artwork and invoicing.

Register Captain - Someone who is likely to attend most of the Club runs. Organises the monthly Register Runs, also the annual Concours. Keeps the register point score for MG owners, contacts MG members for promotional parades or displays. Maintains a close liaison with the Register Secretary to promote the interests of MG owners. Works with the Event Co-ordinator to ensure activities are included in the calendar.

Register Secretary - assists the Register Captain to plan and conduct MG events. Ensures enquires and correspondence specifically relating to MGs are considered and answered. Looks after the Club's Historic Registration Scheme. Keeps abreast of MG information in Australia and overseas. Maintains a close liaison with the Register Captain to promote the interests of MG owners. May act as National Meeting Co-ordinator organising accommodation and travel arrangements.

Event Co-Ordinator – Works with all Panel Co-ordinators to set up the year's calendar along with the Club Captain to construct the list of Club Championship point score events. Helps other panel members to promote their events. Is responsible for keeping the calendar current with event changes that often happen, and supply to Editor a list of coming events for the current magazine.

Chairman of Rally Panel – Keeps abreast of Rallies, Rallysprints, Touring Road Events and Touring Assemblies that are scheduled for the year. Works with Event Co-ordinator to schedule "Rally" events in the calendar. Ensures that scheduled events are organised in a timely manner, does not have to set or run them himself. Brings "rally" matters to the Board for attention as required.

Chairman of Speed Event Panel – Co-ordinates a panel of like-minded members to organise Speed events such as Ringwood Hillclimbs, Supersprints etc. This person does not have to direct the events, but is responsible for making them happen and can assist. Ensures event permits from CAMS are in place and supp regs are available and distributed in a timely manner. Make sure enough officials are organised and that the venue is ready. Results to go to the Club Captain. Works with the Event Co-ordinator and Publicity officer to maintain accuracy of the calendar and promote the events.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Chairman of Autotest Panel - Co-ordinates a panel of like-minded members to organise Motorkhana/Khanacross events for the year. Locate suitable venues. Once again does not have to organise the events, but ensures events are organised in a timely manner and arrange for officials, timekeepers, paperwork to CAMS etc. Sends results to Club Captain.

Membership Secretary - processes new membership applications for presentation to the Board for approval. Processes member renewals. Keeps the database of club members up to date. Ensures new members receive relevant information on joining.

Chairman Land Panel- Co-ordinates a panel of like-minded members and is responsible for the maintenance of the Track and surrounding area at Ringwood. Organises any work to be done by other parties or organises and advertises working bees of club members for general maintenance of the Complex. Works closely with the Event and Equipment Maintenance Co-ordinators. Makes recommendations to the Board on improvements and works at Ringwood.

Chairman of Equipment Maintenance Panel - Co-ordinates the work required to maintain of mechanical equipment at our Ringwood Complex. Does not have to fix it personally, and may organises necessary work to be done by others, so that equipment is fully functionally.
Makes recommendations to Board regarding equipment.

Member No.1 - This person has no direct responsibilities, helps other Board members with projects, and may have previously been on the Board.

Member No.2 - Must be first appointment to the Board, assists other Board members. Is a good introduction to the running of the Club, its business and activities.

The Board positions are covered by the Club's Constitution, which should be read in conjunction with the above.

CLUB CAPTAIN'S REPORT

Hi all,

The point score tables shown are current as at the 1/11/17. The following list shows the events still to be scored/run, at which points can be accrued towards the various series.

4th Nov – AHRG Evan Green Memorial (TA5)

11th Nov – Khanacross (YDDC8, KC6, M)

12th Nov – Hillclimb (TS6, CC21, M)

19th Nov – Concours (R14, CC22, M)

3rd Dec – MG Vehicle Hillclimb (R8, M)

If possible, can those members that have perpetual trophies, please bring them to the next Club Night/AGM (10th Nov), or next Khanacross (11th Nov), or next Hillclimb (12th Nov)

Cheers, Gregg

Mick Nielson Memorial Club Member				Chris Dodds Memorial Club Championship			
	Rank	Points		Events	Rank	Points	
				(Min. 8)		(Best 12)	
Michael Snow	1	148		Chris Fernance	13	1	138
Leo Frodl	2	130		Steven Woods	10	2	121
David Atkins	3	127		Doug Rae	10	3	111
Chris Fernance	4	116		Russell West	7	4	71
Doug Rae	5	104		Warwick Berge	5	5	67
Greg Hunter	5	104		Harry Harris	5	6	65
Kerry Woollard	5	104		Dylan Gerrish	5	7	64
David Walker	8	96		Matthew Whitworth	6	7	64
Bryn Baverstock	9	94		Paul Whitworth	6	7	64
John Finch	10	87		Rick Vincent	5	7	64
Judith Rae Memorial Ladies Championship				Paul Daley Memorial Junior Championship			
	Events	Rank	Points		Events	Rank	Points
	(Min. 4)		(Best 12)		(Min. 6)		(Best 12)
Madelon Corbett	4	1	51	Christian Thompson	13	1	140
Bronwyn Lewis	3	2	30	Alex Frodl	11	2	132
Leanne Woods	2	3	25	Nicholas Fernance	4	3	43
Raewyn Perkins	3	4	19	Alexander Reeves	3	4	33
Raechel Fraser	2	5	17				

CLUB CAPTAIN'S REPORT

Lions Club Trophy				David Huck Perpetual Trophy			
	Events	Rank	Points		Events	Rank	Points
			(Best 10)				(Best 10)
Doug Rae	8	1	89	David Walker	8	1	63
Paul Whitworth	6	2	64	Bryn Baverstock	5	2	54
Lyall Clarke	5	3	63	Doug Rae	4	3	45
Jeff Newey	5	4	60	Lyall Clarke	6	4	37
Bryn Baverstock	4	5	48	Darren Hodgson	4	5	35
David Walker	4	6	45	Alexander Reeves (J)	3	6	33
Wayne Lewis	3	7	40	Bruce Fraser	3	6	33
Alexander Reeves (J)	3	8	33	John Collins	3	6	33
Bruce Fraser	3	8	33	Helen Baverstock	2	9	21
John Collins	3	8	33	Paul Whitworth	2	10	20

Alan Bates Memorial Tar Speed (HC) Trophy			
	Events	Rank	Points
Warwick Berge	5	1	67
Harry Harris	5	2	65
Dylan Gerrish	5	3	64
Rick Vincent	5	3	64
Jeff Schmitt	5	5	63
Lyall Clarke	5	5	63
Mitch Craig	5	5	63
Jeff Newey	5	8	60
Steven Woods	5	8	60
Reece Attwood	4	10	59
Chris Thompson (J)	5	11	57
Gerard Veitch	4	11	57
Doug Rae	5	13	56
Mark de Gioia	5	14	55
Matt Whitworth	5	14	55
Paul Whitworth	5	14	55
Adam Harris	4	17	52
Joel Buckland	4	18	51
Patrick Navratil	4	19	50
Andrew Ference	5	20	49

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DATES AND INFORMATION FOR 2017

NOTE ALL Events are conducted at Ringwood Park Motor Sport Complex

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 11TH 2017 9.30

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**IT WILL BE A MUST TO ADVISE BY SMS, EMAIL MESSAGE BANK OR LAND
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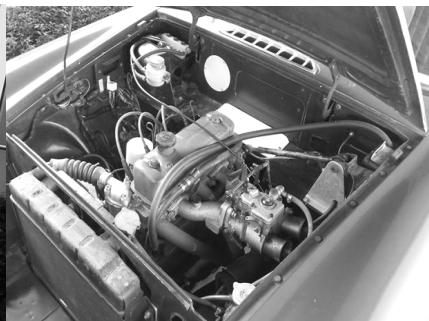
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