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Photo Credits

Various Club Members

United Kingdom



Coming Events - October 2020

Thurs 8	MGCCN	Dads Army 8am	RINGWOOD
Sat 10	MGCCN	Motorkhana MK6 CC13 M ** Change of Date ** 10am	RINGWOOD
Sat 10	MGCCN	YDDC-5 M	RINGWOOD
Sun 11	MGCCN	Club Run MGCC UK 90 anniversary R13 M 11.00 am	RINGWOOD
Mon 12		School Term Start	
Thurs 15	MGCCN	Dads Army 8am	RINGWOOD
Sat 17	SUPER-CARS	Bathurst 1000 Mt Panorama ** Change of Date **	BATHURST
Sun 18	SUPER-CARS	Bathurst 1000 Mt Panorama ** Change of Date **	BATHURST
Sun 18	JDCA	CSCA Supersprint Rnd6 North 9am	SMSP
Tues 20	MGCCN	Board Meeting M 7:30pm	COBBY ST
Thurs 22	MGCCN	Dads Army 8am	RINGWOOD
Sun 25	MGCCN	Hillclimb A6 TS5 R14 CC14 M 9am	RINGWOOD
Thurs 29	MGCCN	Dads Army 8am	RINGWOOD
Sat 31	MGCCN	NSW State Hillclimb Rnd 4 pract ** New Event ** 9am M	RINGWOOD

Legend

M - Club Member

R - Register pointscore

CC - Club Championship

KC - Khanacross

MK - Motorkhana

TA - Touring Assembly

TC - Tri-Challenge

TS - Tar Speed Series

Please contact the respective Panel Chairman or Michael Snow to confirm that an event is still being conducted. Also check the website as late cancellations do happen.

Coming Events - November 2020

Sun 1	MGCCN	NSW State Hillclimb Rnd 4 New Event ** 9am M	RINGWOOD
Sun 1	WAC	Motorkhana MK6 CC15 9am	AWABA
Thurs 5	MGCCN	Dads Army 8am	RINGWOOD
Sat 7	MGCCN	YDDC-6 M	Ringwood
Sun 8	MGCCN	Khanacross D/T KC6 CC16 M 9am	RINGWOOD
Mon 9	MGCCN	Mag Assy. 2pm	COBBY ST
Thurs 12	MGCCN	Dads Army 8am	RINGWOOD
Sun 15	MGCCN	Concours & Pride of Ownership R15 CC17 M 9am	COBBY ST
Sun 15	MGCCN	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING M 11.30 am. Followed by provided lunch.	RINGWOOD
Tues 17	MGCCN	Board Meeting M 7:30pm	COBBY ST
Thurs 19	MGCCN	Dads Army 8am	RINGWOOD
Sun 22	MGCCN	Hillclimb A5 TS6 R16 CC18 M 9am	RINGWOOD
Sun 22	HDCC	State Khanacross Rnd7 9am	HAMPTON
Thurs 26	MGCCN	Dads Army 8am	RINGWOOD
Sun 29	AHRG	Touring Assy	T.B.A.

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PRIVATE PRACTICE & TESTING AT RINGWOOD.

Available most Thursdays, check in advance to ensure track works are not planned by the Land Panel on that day. Other days can be arranged, provided a suitably qualified "Supervisor" is available. CAMS have now implemented the MIDCAR protocols under which we must operate to be covered by their insurance policy.

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PRESIDENTS REPORT

With the easing of restrictions, we are starting to get back to being able to operate in some areas, but things are still a long way from back to normal.

For the first time in the history of the Mattara Hillclimb, the event was run without sponsors, publicity or paying spectators, thankfully a reasonable number of people entered and enjoyed two days of Hillclimbing in great spring weather.

The rest of this years is going to remain very busy, with Ringwood being used almost every weekend and in some cases on both days.

The month kicked off with the Mattara Hillclimb, the following weekend we have a Motorkhana and YDDC running on the Saturday followed by the celebration of the 90th Anniversary of the founding of the MG Car Club UK, where the movement started.

The following weekend is now the weekend of the Bathurst 1000, so we get to relax, (unless of course we are volunteering as officials at that event.) At least those of us who are not, can sit back and relax a bit. The next Hillclimb is on the following Sunday, and now we are hosting a make up round of the NSW Hillclimb Championship on 31st Oct and 1st November.

THEN The next Khanacross is on 8th November, to be followed by another two first ever happenings the 15th.

Yes, for the first time ever, the Annual Concours is being held at Ringwood, due to concerns about having gatherings which could be construed as being outside the guidelines on social distancing, even though I know our members would all be compliant. The BIGGEST change, also because of the "4 square metre rule" likely to be still in place, we have decided to hold the Annual General Meeting as an open-air event at Ringwood, at the conclusion of judging of the Concours. Commencing at 11.30 am, to be followed by lunch provided by the Club.

PLEASE mark this in your diary as it is a very important part of the Club year, and this year, it appears there is a strong likelihood of several positions remaining vacant. We definitely need some new people with fresh ideas and enthusiasm to come forward and put their hand up, to keep the Club strong and progressive into the 2020's.

I hope to see you there.
Dave Atkins.

YOUNG DRIVER DEVELOPMENT COURSE

Finishing time is approx. 3.00pm, for all events.

EVENT 5 SATURDAY 10TH OF OCTOBER
Entries close 4.00pm Wednesday 7th Oct.

EVENT 6 SATURDAY 7TH OF NOVEMBER
Entries close 4.00pm Wednesday 4th Nov.
Late entries will not be accepted

Sign-off day for Level 3 Students, upgrade to Level 4.

THE EVENTS BELOW WILL BE CONDUCTED UNDER MOTORSPORT

AUSTRALIA COVID-19 REGULATIONS “ RETURN TO RACE”

All document will be forward by email for you to complete.

Return completed, ENTRY & SCRUTINY FORMS, FORWARD BY email to
 gh.hunter@bigpond.com.au

GATE OPENS 7.30 AM DRIVERS BRIEFING 8.40 AM EVENT STARTS 9.00 AM

SUMMARY OF “RETURN TO RACE STRATEGY”

**Will be issued with entry DOCUMENTS and included the following REGULATIONS;
 No entries on the day of the event.**

One support person allowed per entered car, “pit crew”

No Spectators.

All attendees to provide contact details for COVID-19 tracing.

No document checking on the day, all to be done by email.

Driver to complete self-scrutiny via Self -Scrutiny Checklist.

Must Keep SOCIAL DISTANCING

No group gatherings

No Passengers “Instructors in Cars” all instructions via passenger side window.

One Student per car, No double entries57900

Please bring your own pen to sign any documents

**PLEASE BRING A PREPARED LUNCH OR MONEY TO PURCHASE A TAKEAWAY LUNCH
 FROM RAYMOND TERRACE OR MEDOWIE SHOPS**

**DRIVERS YOU MUST BRING YOUR CLUB MEMBERSHIP CARD AS WELL AS YOUR CAMS
 LICENCE. Without both, your entry cannot be accepted. It’s possible that above
 programme can change during the year, please check the above list, it will be updated
 as soon as changes come to hand. Confirmation can also be check by using the club’s
 website, www.mgcarclub.com.au.**

If in doubt please call on 0412493711 or email Greg Hunter

gh.hunter@bigpond.com.au

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 Ringwood Park, Italia Road, Raymond Terrace, on Sunday November 15th, 2020. commencing at 11.30am.

Agenda:

- Apologies
- Confirmation of minutes of the last Annual General Meeting held Friday, 8th November 2019
- 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 2021 (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 2021 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.

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 Motorsport Australia.

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. Co-ordinates 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.

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

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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 Motorsport Australia 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.

Chairman of Autotest Panel - Co-ordinates a panel of like-minded members to organise

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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 Motorsport Australia 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 functional. 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.

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Above—Jacob Motum in his MR2

Below—Adam Foster ready in the chute





Above—Robert Mitchell in his highly modified Corona

Below—Michael Taylor in his Morris Minor awaiting his turn





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**MG Car Club (Newcastle) Incorporated.
NOMINATION FORM
Annual General Meeting**

I, _____ (Please print)

Being a current member of MG Car Club Newcastle Inc. hereby
nominate

For the position of

At the Annual General Meeting of the club to be held on Sunday 15th
November 2020 commencing at 11.30 AM at Ringwood Park, Italia
Road, Raymond Terrace or at any adjournment thereof.

Signed

Membership No.



Seconded by _____ Please print.

Signed _____ Membership No. _____

I, _____ Please print.

Hereby accept nomination for the above position.

Signed _____ Membership No. _____

NB This form must be lodged with the Honorary Secretary at least 7 days before the scheduled date for the Annual General Meeting.

P.O. Box 632, Hamilton 2303



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Above—Mark De Gioia in his Datsun Sunny

Below—Kevin Akers in his Clubman (no, he doesn't pay me for every pic of him I put in)





Above—Michael Taylor about to send the Morris Minor up the hill

Below—John Finch in his MX-5



REGISTER CAPTAINS REPORT

ATTENTION ALL MG CAR CLUB MEMBERS

As most of you would have heard by now, MG Car Club Newcastle and MG Car Club Hunter Region have teamed up to celebrate the 90th Anniversary of the formation of MG Car Club UK in 1930.

This event is being celebrated by MG Car Clubs all around the world at the same time and our clubs will be holding our event on Sunday 11th October at our Hillclimb facility at Ringwood.

The day will commence from 11.00am and because of various restrictions relating to Covid-19, the event will take the form of a BYO everything picnic, including chairs, rugs, shade, food etc. No food or bbq's will be available on site but cold drinks will be available for purchase.

On arrival at Ringwood you will be stopped at the check in desk and you will be required to provide your name and contact details. Persons from Sydney "hot spots" will be refused entry. After checking in, you will be directed to form a line for a slow procession around a section of the Hillclimb track for a photo opportunity. You can then make your way to any one of the marked parking bays to enjoy your picnic lunch.

We will have a Covid-19 plan in place and whilst face masks are not mandatory, we recommend their use when chatting with friends and colleagues.

So MG owners and members with other interesting cars, this is your chance to tart up your pride and joy for a get together on this special occasion.

There is no need to book so we hope to see you at Ringwood on Sunday 11th October.

To comply with COVID protocols names and contact numbers of all attendees is required. This can be done at the checkpoint on arrival, however it would assist us if you could have this information already prepared to hand in.

Ken McLeod
Register Captain
MGCC Newcastle

CLUB CAPTAIN REPORT

Hi members,

Due to the cancellation of the MG Nationals, & the cancellation of Touring Assemblies & most Register Runs to date, the board has decided that the David Huck Register Series & the Touring Assembly Series trophies will not be awarded this year.

The following point scores are as the 30th September. I will have all the updated point scores, including individual event classes, added to our website as soon as possible after the Mattara/Tri-Challenge hillclimb weekend.

Cheers, Gregg.

Chris Dodds Memorial Club Championship

	Rank	Points Best 12	Events Min. 8
Simon Nicholson	1	89	8
Rick Yates	2	67	6
Kevin Akers	3	63	5
Robert Mitchell	4	61	5
Rose Collins	4	61	6
Chris Burrows	6	59	5
Harry Keil	7	56	5
Paul Bower	8	48	3
Dylan Gerrish	9	46	3
Harry Harris	10	43	3
John Finch	10	43	3
Adam Harris	12	40	3
Matthew Carmody	13	38	3
Nicholas Shields	13	38	4
Troy Morley	13	38	3
Graham Orr	16	37	3
Jeff Newey	16	37	3
Nat Hails	18	36	3
Toby Banks	18	36	3
Nathan Apps	20	34	3

CLUB CAPTAIN REPORT

Judith Rae Memorial Ladies Championship

	Rank	Points	Events
		Best 12	Min. 4
Rose Collins	1	61	6
Robyn Carmody	2	21	2
Katie Moy	3	18	3
Raewyn Perkins	3	18	3
Karen Wilson	5	13	1
Bronwyn Lewis	6	12	2
Rebecca Boland	6	12	1

Paul Daley Memorial Junior Championship

	Rank	Points	Events
		Best 12	Min. 6
Christian Thompson (J)	1	107	8
Robert Iles (J)	2	78	6
Kynan Patterson (J)	3	48	5
Hayden Little (J)	4	47	4
Meredith Nicholson (J)	5	42	4
Thomas Alchin (J)	6	35	3
Connor Morley (J)	7	34	3
David Iles (J)	8	29	3
Ryan Boland (J)	9	25	2
Lachlan Hales (J)	10	22	2

Mick Neilson Memorial Club Member of the Year

	Rank	Points
Chris Fernance	1	80
David Atkins	2	63
John Finch	3	62
Rose Collins	4	52
Darrell Gregory	5	44
Kevin Akers	6	42
Libby Fernance	7	38

Early Invitation | MG Motor Australia Show and Shine 2020



For over 90 years MG has been making cars people love to drive and there are thousands of MG owners around Australia – from vintage to classic and retro to modern – that now make up our MG family.

To celebrate our rich heritage and bright future, I'm delighted to share with you an early invitation to MG Motor Australia's inaugural Show and Shine event.

As key custodians of MG's legacy, your participation will not only help us to showcase the wide range of classic MG vehicles in Australia, but it will also demonstrate the renowned MG Car Club spirit to the next generation of owners – and all while contributing to a worthy cause that gives back to the community.

How to enter

With respect to the latest social distancing practices, Show and Shine will be our first virtual event, occurring throughout the month of September. In partnership with Australian Red Cross, we'll be calling on MG owners, to share their favourite MG memories across our Facebook event page.

With each photo uploaded to our Facebook event page, MG will donate:

- \$5 on your behalf;
- \$20 should your post receive 50 – 99 likes;
- \$50 should your post receive 100 likes or more;

We have a goal of raising \$100,000 and need your help to get there.

Award Categories

In each of the below categories, there will be MG merchandise packs up for grabs for the best in show, as well as a \$750 Red Balloon voucher for the overall winner of each group.

Group A – Best Vintage MG (1924 – 1954)

- Best pre-war MG in show
- Best MG TC in show
- Best MG TD in show
- Best MG TF in show
- Vintage MG Group Winner

Group B – Classic MG (1955 - 1980)

- Best MGY in show
- Best MG Magnette in show

- Best MGA Roadster 1500 in show
- Best MGA Roadster 1600 in show
- Best MGA Roadster 1600MkII in show
- Best MGA Coupe in show
- Best MGA Twin Cam (Roadster and Coupe) in show
- Best MG Midget in show
- Best MGB MKI (1962-1967) in show
- Best MGB MKII and BL (1968- 1974) in show
- Best MGB GT (4 Cyl) in show
- Best MGC Roadster and GT in show
- Best MGB GT V8 in show
- Best MG FWD in show
- Best MGB Rubber Bumper Roadster and GT (1975-1980) in show
- Classic MG Group Winner

Group C – Retro MG (1980 to 2008)

- Best MGR V8 in show
- Best MGF (F and TF) in show
- Best MG Saloon in Show (2000 - 2008)
- Retro MG Group Winner

Group D – Modern MG (2009 - 2020)

- Best MG6 in show
- Best MG GS in show
- Best MG3 in show
- Best MG ZS in show
- Best MG ZS T in show
- Best MG HS in show
- Modern MG Group Winner

Group E – MG Specials

- Best MG Anfield Edition in show (ZS and HS)
- Best MG3S in show
- Best MG racing in show
- Best MG rolling chassis in show
- MG Specials Group Winner

If you have any questions or need further information on how to get involved, please reach out to the team at DEC PR via mgmotor@decpr.com.au and they'll be happy to assist you.

Thank you in advance for your participation, I'm looking forward to seeing your MGs shine!

Kind Regards,

Danny Lenartic

Marketing and Product Director, MG Motor Australia and New Zealand

REGISTER SECRETARY REPORT

Since the last report in the magazine 2 new vehicles have been added into the Clubs Historic Register.

1971 MG Midget

1979 MGB

It has been a sparse year of activities for historic car enthusiasts. The Corona Virus Pandemic has seen the cancellation of all the local car shows and drive day events. This year, however, is the 90th Anniversary of the formation the UK MG Car Club and global celebrations to mark the event will be held in various formats as permitted by local health regulations. Our MG Car Club will mark the event with a celebration at our Ringwood Motorsport Complex (10 minutes North of Raymond Terrace on the Pacific Highway).

The celebration will take the form of a drive to and display event were members can display their historic and vehicles on the paddock lawns. It will be a bring your own everything event and social distancing requirements will apply. Although a major theme of the event will be a display of MG's from the various eras all other vehicles of Historic or general interest are encouraged to attend.

Please look for details elsewhere in the magazine or on our website. I hope to see you there on 11th October.

Allan Evans – Register Secretary



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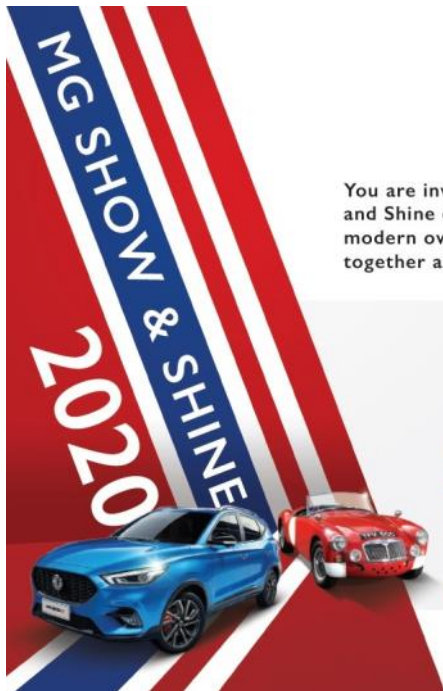
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IDIOTS OF THE CENTURY

Number One Idiot

I am a medical student currently doing a rotation in toxicology at the poison control centre. Today, this woman called in very upset because she caught her little daughter eating ants. I quickly reassured her that the ants are not harmful and there would be no need to bring her daughter into the hospital. She calmed down and at the end of the conversation happened to mention that she gave her daughter some ant poison to eat in order to kill the ants. I told her that she better bring her daughter into the emergency room right away.

Number Two Idiot

A man, wanting to rob a Bank of Queensland, walked into the Branch and wrote 'Put all your munny in this bag.' While standing in line, waiting to give his note to the teller, he began to worry that someone had seen him write the note and might call the police before he reached the teller's window. So he left the Bank and crossed the street to the NAB Bank. After waiting a few minutes in line, he handed his note to the teller. She read it and, surmising from his spelling errors that he wasn't the brightest light in the harbour, told him that she could not accept his stickup note because it was written on a Bank of Queensland deposit slip and that he would either have to fill out a NAB deposit slip or go back to Bank of Queensland. Looking somewhat defeated, the man said, 'OK' and left. He was arrested a few minutes later, as he was waiting in line back at the Bank of Queensland. Happened in Noosa!

Number Three Idiot

A bloke walked into a little corner store with a shotgun and demanded all of the cash from the cash drawer. After the cashier put the cash in a bag, the robber saw a bottle of Scotch that he wanted behind the counter on the shelf. He told the cashier to put it in the bag as well, but the cashier refused and said, 'Because I don't believe you are over 21.' The robber said he was, but the clerk still refused to give it to him because she didn't believe him. At this point, the robber took his driver's licence out of his wallet and gave it to the clerk. The clerk looked it over and agreed that the man was in fact over 21 and she put the Scotch in the bag. The robber then ran from the store with his loot. The cashier promptly called the police and gave the name and address of the robber that she got off the licence. They arrested the robber two hours later.

Number Four Idiot

A pair of robbers entered a record shop nervously waving revolvers. The first one shouted, 'Nobody move!' When his partner moved, the startled first bandit shot him.

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The menu items across the top of the screen have drop down menus. Just below the top menu, the sliding pictures show adverts for the next few events. Clicking on the picture will take you to the event page where the Supplementary Regulations and Entry Form are stored and can be downloaded. On a number of the menus, the Calendar selection displays different event items depending on whether the event is categorised as Motorsport, Club Runs (non motor-sport). The Motorsport events are additionally filtered by event discipline of Hillclimb, Motorkhana, Khanacross, Supersprint, Circuit Racing, Young Driver Training and MG National Meetings. The results of any event are found on the individual event page and the Motorsport / Results Archive menu.

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