

CROSS FLOW

December 2023



Bendigo Car Club Inc

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The purposes of the Bendigo Car Club are to provide competitive motor sport and social motoring options to individuals and families from Bendigo and surrounds in a safe, helpful and friendly environment

Presidents Report

December is here and that brings an end to another year, although we are half way through our championship for 2023/2024. Numbers at our events are slowly growing and we are well represented at a wide range of series/championships around the state.

I would like to pass on my thanks to the number of non-competing members coming out our events to official, it's great to see, hopefully it will encourage more to follow suit, with this help it makes everyone's job a lot easier and enjoyable on the day. Thank you.

As mentioned in previous newsletters and meeting we have a few projects on the go, a couple of these have slowed somewhat due to issues beyond our control, it is hoped early in 2024 things will kick off again in this area, we have a working bee/ test and tune day planned for February, a full list of jobs on the wish list for this will be compiled before then.

For those who have been to the clubrooms lately or to Bagshot in the last few weeks, they would have seen a bit of fencing being done, a shout out to the Moorehead family and Shelton Fencing for this.

While on the subject of thanks, the club would like to thank Scott Innes, Innes Motors, and Darden Brown, Bendigo Specialist Brake and Clutch for servicing and repairing the club junior Nissan Pulsar.

Short report this month, in finishing I wish everyone a safe Christmas and New Year holiday period and look forward to seeing all of you next year.

Yours in Motorsport
Craig Button

Events:

The 2024 BCC calendar can be found on the Bendigo Car Club website.

In the News: -

Motorsport Australia Scrutineers Tool Kit:

This special tool kit can now be purchased for \$99.99 when using the promo code MOTORSPORT at checkout. This offer ends on 31 December 2023. This kit allows you to keep your vehicle compliant with the latest rules and regulations.

Australian Grand Prix – volunteers.

Last year there were over 900 motor enthusiasts volunteering their time at the Australian Grand Prix. If you are interested in volunteering for next year, you should apply before the closing date of 8 December 2023.

The Women's Introduction to Motorsport Program:

This program began this year with events taking place in three states. The program is specifically aimed towards women, to help introduce them to motorsports. Motorsport will provide any club interested in running this program, with a range of resources such as program templates, marketing material etc.

New Chief Executive Officer for Motorsport Australia:

Sunil Vohra has been announced as the new CEO of Motorsport Australia. He has over 15 years experience in leadership roles, has competed in Motorsport events and has an extensive international business experience.

Learn more about these stories plus more via Motorsport's Speedread.

On a lighter note:



What did the stamp say to the Christmas card? Stick with me and we'll go places!

Why did no one bid for Rudolph and Blitzen on eBay? Because they were two deer!

What do you call a broke Santa? Saint Nickel-less

What's every parent's favourite Christmas Carol? Silent Night.

What does Santa do when his elves misbehave? He gives them the sack!

Don't forget to check out our Facebook Page or website:

www.bendigocarclub.com.au, there are some great action shots – are you one of them?

Vicroads Club Permit Scheme (club plates).

The Bendigo Car Club is still able to issue and renew Vicroads CPS, the club does some rules for members who have their vehicles on this scheme, they are: -

- Attend at least 2 meetings during the year.
- Participate in at least 2 activities of the club eg. compete or official at any of our calendared events.
- Attend a club meeting to have your permit renewed, unless prior arranged.
- These arrangements can be made with the following members:

John Orr	ph 0419 168 914
John Hardiman	ph 0417 352 909
Mick Elvey	ph 0428 506 492
Craig Button	ph 0427 511 158

Please keep this in mind.

CLASSIFIEDS

Got a club car or parts to sell? **Send us an e-mail via the website [contact page](#).**

Membership Information

Financial Membership of the Bendigo Car Club Inc allows you to obtain a Motorsports Australia competition license and compete in our club events plus many other events.

The membership year is from the **1st July to the 30th June** the following year.

Membership fees are;

Full Membership \$90

Junior Membership \$40

A family Membership is also available, which consists of one full membership plus \$30 for each extra family member

Renewal forms can be found on our website:

www.bendigocarclub.com.au

Member address updating

If you move house or change email address could you please let us know so we can keep you informed and up to date.

- Postal address updates can be done by contacting Glenyce Coombs on 0407 330 957
- Email address updates to enquires@bendigocarclub.com.au

For all your competition licence needs go to www.motorsport.org.au

Bendigo Car Club Office Bearers 2023-2024

President:	Craig Button
Vice President:	Darden Brown
Secretary	Chris Gill-Symons
Assist Secretary	Chris Hume
Treasurer:	Glenyce Holt-Coombs
Assist Treasurer	Chris Gill-Symons
Membership Sec:	Jacqui Caroll
Property Officer:	Matthew Coombs
CAMS Delegate:	Craig Button / Lesley Smart
Regular Members:	Jim Coombs, Kevin Symons Tony Stokes, Scott Bowley David Mogyorossy

Facilities Maintenance Coordinator Jim Coombs Ph 0434 769 910

BCC Event Contact List

Event Type

Motorkhana
Khanacross / Autocross
Rally

Off Road

Bitumen Sprints / Circuit
Officiating

Vic Roads Club Permit
Scheme

Contact

Brian Shanahan

Mick Elvey
Murray MacKenzie /
Tony Moore

Craig Button / Jim
Coombs / Ken Holt

Roger Hall
Peter Valentine / Lesley
Smart

John Hardiman / John
Orr / Mick Elvey / Craig
Button

