CROSS FLOW

July 2025

Bendigo Car Club Inc

Motor Sport Complex
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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

Wow, another membership year has slipped away and what a year it has been, lots of events, Bagshot upgrades, dust, and mud.

There is still a lot more to come this calendar year as well. As well as the normal Vic Motorkhana and Khanacross championships and our round of the Vic Club Autocross Series (VCAS) we have the Australia Khanacross Championship in November, this is on top of a few BCC club events thrown in. On the social side of things we have at least 2 things planned, on the 6th November, we are having our monthly meeting at the Bendigo Basketball Stadium for a dinner fundraiser, more information as we get closer to the night. Then on the 22nd November we going for a cruise to Deniliquin.to visit the motor museum, The Depot, again more information to come as it gets closer.

For those who have been at Bagshot for the last couple of khanacross events would have noticed that I have tried a couple of different options with the second test area, not only is this giving our own members something different, it is giving us options for the 2 Khanacross Championship event later in the year, gauging by the smiles after trying these tests they should be OK.

On to this coming month, there are 2 events planned, the Off Road Sprint, this coming weekend, this is for Off Road Log-booked vehicles only, a few helpers are needed to make this happen nicely. Then we have our round of the Victorian Motorkhana Championship on Saturday the 12th July, this is round one of the BCC championship as well.

Coming up in a few weeks will be our AGM and presentation night, agenda and a committee nomination form is attached to this email. If you think you can be a valuable member of the committee, please put your hand up.

Yours in Motorsport
Craig Button.

HANK YOU TO BUSINESSES BELOW FOR SUPPORTING OUR CANTEEN.
Keens Eggs, Huntly
George's Bakery, Huntly

Events:

- 6th July Off Road Sprint Sunday Day Bagshot
- 12th July BCC VMC Rd Saturday Day Huntly Round 1
- 3rd August AGM and Presentation Evening Saturday Night Maiden Gully
- 10th August BCC VKC Rd Sunday Day Bagshot Round 2
- 24th August BCC Motorkhana Sunday Day Bagshot Round 3
- 6th September BCC Day/Night VCAS, Autocross Saturday Day/Night Bagshot Round 4
- 5th October BCC Short Course Rally Sprint Sunday Day Bagshot Round 5
- 18th & 19th October Mt Tarrengower Hill Climb Sat + Sun Day Maldon
- 1st & 2nd November Australian Khanacross Championship Huntly & Bagshot Round 6 & 7
- 6th November BCC General Meeting at the Basketball Stadium (for dinner fundraiser)
- 22nd November Club Cruise Sunday Day, The Depot, Deniliquin.
- 7th December BCC Khanacross Sunday Day Round 8

Dont forget to pay your membership:

In the News: -

- Tyre Recycling Pilot Program: 168 tyres were recycled from The Bend Motorsport Park through Tyrecycle . A scalable solution to deal with used tyres.
- Motorsport Australia's First Gear Development Program: An easy way for 12 – 17 year olds to experience motorsport. Motorsport provides the cars and expert coaching in a safe controlled environment. It aims to build driving skills.
- Events: There were over 140 motorsport events held in May. 115 of those were club level which is the heart of the motorsport community.
- New insurance broker partners: Motorsport Australia has appointed MGA Insurance Group and Miller Insurance as the governing body's new insurance broker partners.
- FIA Girls On Track – Play Well. This is a new initiative aimed at girls aged between 14 and 22 to improve basic driving skills for those wishing to experience motorsport for the first time. Once completed, they will leave with new skills and confidence. It will also help them get an idea of how to get into motorsport.

KHANACROSS RESULTS HELD ON 1st June 2025

Congratulations to our winners:

Tom Johannesen, Henry Moorhead, John Strauch, Kevin Haley, Andrew Maher, Amy Maher

It was a tight contest in Class D. At the end of 9 runs, there was less than 20 seconds separating Tom and Peter.

On a lighter note:

- What did the icy road say to the car? Wanna to go for a spin?
- When does winter begin? When autumn leaves.
- Why was the little snowman sad? Cause he had a meltdown.
- What do you get when you cross a vampire with a snowman? Frostbite!
- Why was the snowman rummaging through the bag of carrots? He was picking his nose.

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 $100
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 Jacqui Caroll on 0413 488 208
- Email address updates to enquires@bendigocarclub.com.au

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

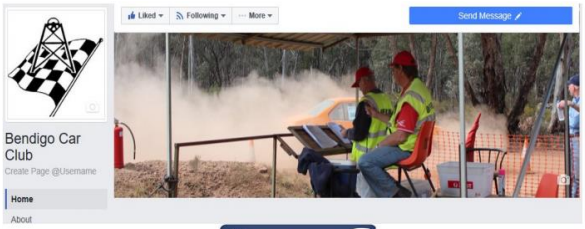
Bendigo Car Club Office Bearers 2024-2025

President:	Craig Button
Vice President:	Lesley Smart
Secretary	Scott Bowley
Assist Secretary	Paula Moorhead
Treasurer:	Chris Gill-Symons
Assist Treasurer	Scott Bowley
Membership Sec:	Jacqui Caroll
Property Officer:	Matthew Peach
CAMS Delegate:	Craig Button / Lesley Smart
Regular Members:	Kevin Symons,Mick Moorhead
	Tony Stokes, Chris Hume
	Matthew Coombs

Facilities Maintenance Coordinator Matthew Peach

BCC Event Contact List

Event Type	Contact
Motorkhana	Brian Shanahan
Khanacross / Autocross	Mick Elvey
Rally	Murray MacKenzie / Tony Moore
Off Road	Craig Button / Ken Holt
Bitumen Sprints / Circuit	Roger Hall
Officiating	Peter Valentine / Lesley Smart
Vic Roads Club Permit Scheme	John Hardiman / John Orr / Mick Elvey / Craig Button



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