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General Meetings
First Thursday of Each Month

August 2014

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Upcoming events

7 th August	BCC Annual General Meeting	Maiden Gully
10 th Aug	BCC Khanacross/Motorkhana	Bagshot
16 th & 17 th Aug	VORC + Mallee Shield, Off Road	Bagshot
13 th & 14 th Sept	Australian Khanacross Champs	Bagshot

Bendigo Car Club Office Bearers 2013-2014

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Regular Members:	Kevin Symons, Jim Coomb, Peter Valentine, Brad Hall, Wayne McNaughton	
Facilities Maintenance Coordinator	Mick Elvey	Ph 0428 506492

Presidents Report.

The year is rolling on and the events keep coming. Last month as well as our BCC Long Course Autocross we conducted around of the Victorian Motorkhana Championship at the Salesyards. This was a very successful day with 50 entries and lots of members on hand to help out on the day. Thank you to those who took the time to help on the day.

This is only the start of the rush of key events over the next 3 months, with 3 key events on our calendar. Firstly this month following our club kxanacross/motorkhana is our round of the Victorian Off Road Championship. Participation from our club in off road is currently at its highest level for a long time and that is set to continue at this event.

Then September sees the Australian Khanacross Championship at Bagshot. This has the potential to be big very big, competitors from near and far sampling our part of the motorsport world and comparing us against all comers.

Then in October we have we once again host the Mt Tarrengower Hill Climb, this year it is celebrating its 85th Anniversary.

I am going to repeat something I have said several times but it is essential that you the members help out these event as without your help we cannot run successful motorsport days.

The August General Meeting will be followed by the 2014 BCC AGM and as per our constitution there are 4 committee members for re-nomination for their position, this is to ensure that the committee remains as fresh as it can over the duration. Please consider nominating for the committee to have your say in the club.

On a last note we have been advertising over the few months for a new canteen coordinator, Cheryl Holt has done a splendid job and next year, she and Ken have plans that will clash with a lot of what we do at Bagshot. See notice below for further information.

**Yours in Motorsport.
Craig Button,
President Bendigo Car Club**

Bendigo Car Club Library

The Bendigo Car Club has an extensive library of motoring books and magazines for members to borrow and return at their leisure. Unfortunately over time several of these books have not been returned or marked off in the loan book, these books are identified with either Light Car Club or Bendigo Car Club stamped on them.

If anybody knows the whereabouts of the following books, we ask that they are returned for all members to appreciate in the future.

- A boot full of right arms.
- An old dog for a hard road.
- Australian Offroad year book- 1983
- The unforgiving minute- Dick Johnson.

Canteen at Bagshot Motor Sports Complex.

Ken and Cheryl Holt are looking for an interested person, or family to take over the running of the Canteen at Bagshot in 2015.

We have been doing the canteen for many, many years and we plan that this will definitely be our last year.

It is a voluntary position and involves ordering, collecting, shopping and being at the complex to cook and serve on the day of the event. All money raised goes directly to the Bendigo Car Club and all financial matters are handled by the Treasurer of the Car Club (Glenyce Coombs)

It is a good fundraiser for the Car Club, and provides a service for people who wish to compete.

We could offer plenty of work experience and sharing of knowledge over the 2014 season.

Have a good think about it, and if you would like to take on the challenge, either now, or at the start of 2015 please speak to Ken or Cheryl Holt at the canteen.

Cheryl is also available on 0408 463 659.

It is a commitment, as Ken and I will be unavailable to come to club events in 2015 and beyond.

Thank you

Cheryl Holt

VICROADS CLUB PERMIT SCHEME

Members who have vehicle/s on the Vicroads Club Permit Scheme must attend no less than **TWO (2) GENERAL MEETINGS** and participate in at **LEAST TWO (2) OTHER ACTIVITIES THAT THE BENDIGO CAR CLUB** is involved within a membership year. It is the member's responsibility to maintain proof of this for the permits officer at time of renewal; a suggestion of this proof is get an official of the attended function to sign your Vicroads Logbook.

The club activities that are eligible for this are:

- Club run motorsport events, competitor or official
- Social tours
- Working Bees

If you use your car without renewing your membership you are driving an unregistered, uninsured vehicle.

Vicroads will be notified of un-financial members who are using the scheme.

If you have a car that was on the scheme and is no longer please let me know, as the permit is not transferable if the vehicle is sold.

Permit renewal forms are printed with 45 or 90 days. If you wish to change the number of days a new form will need to be completed

The club also requires that a vehicle inspection be done on an annual basis; these can be obtained from Norm Brown at **Specialist Brake and Clutch** in Golden Square or **Roger Hall** in Myers Flat.

John Orr

Club Permit Scheme Official

USE OF JUNIORS CARS AT BAGSHOT

At the July BCC General Meeting a motion was passed to restrict the use of the club's automatic junior cars to the motorkhana part of the day. This has been brought about because of the need to preserve these vehicles for young novice juniors in their first few events.

If a junior wishes to progress from motorkhana to khanacross they are highly encouraged to use a manual, if this is not possible they can apply to the director of the day for use of the automatic, this will only be given in special circumstances.

CLUB MEMBERSHIP FEES

Due to ongoing rising costs and planned upgrades to both Maiden Gully and Bagshot the committee has decided to increase fees for the first time in over 10 years.

New fee structure as of the 1st July for the 2014/2015 membership year is as follows;

Full (adult) \$90

Junior \$40

Family, one full membership plus \$30 for each extra family member.

There is also now the option of direct deposit for payment of membership fees.

Revised renewal forms will be available soon.

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 Darryl Wensley.

Email address updates to enquires@bendigocarclub.com.au

2014 Bendigo Car Club Championship

Again this year to eligible for points in the 2014 club championship, members have to nominate at least 2 non BCC championship events that are run by the Bendigo Car Club in the calendar year. A nomination form will be available at the monthly events, as well as at the general meetings. A register will be kept and each month a list of nominated officials for the next event will be posted in the Crossflow. If a member does not nominate for their events they will not be listed in the points posted, the same goes if they do not attend the nominated events without prior notification.

NEWSFROM THE COMMITTEE

Authorisation of Bendigo Car Club expenses.

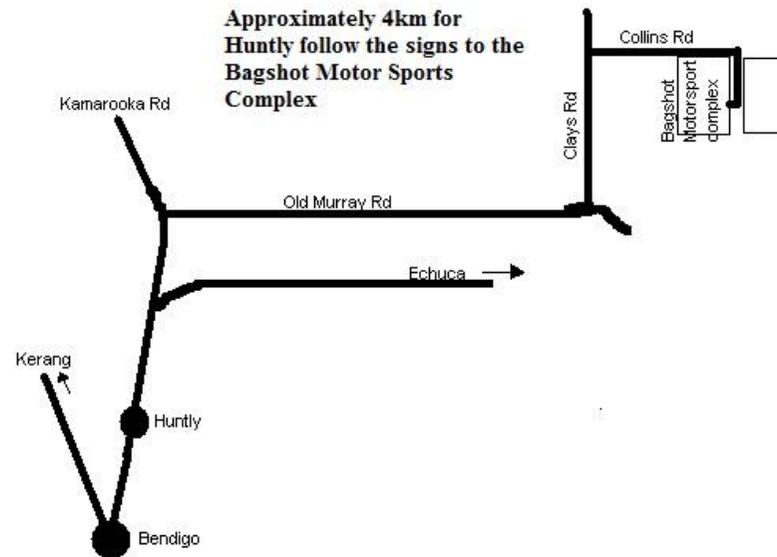
All expenses to be claimed by members must be authorised prior to purchase of the goods.

Anybody wishing to make expenses claims relating to either the clubrooms at Maiden Gully or the Bagshot complex are, required to contact Mick Elvey prior to the said purchase.

All other expenses are to be authorised by Glenyce Coombs or Craig Button

TRAVELLING TO AND FROM THE BAGSHOT MOTORSPORTS COMPLEX

Due to road conditions and agreements made with local land owners, members are reminded to travel to and from the complex via Clay's and Collins Road. Recently several competitors towing trailers have been using Wirike Road south of the complex gate. Unfortunately most GPS units will direct you down this way. Please follow the posted signs from the Midland Hwy at the Kamarooka/Lockington intersection to the complex.



C.Button opened the meeting at 9;10pm

Apologies Jim Coombs, Ken Holt, Roger Hall and Diane West

David Dixon read the minutes of the last AGM.

Moved: Peter Panozzo, Kevin Symons

Presidents Report

As read by Craig Button

Financial Report

As per the report sheet attached.

Glenyce Holt-Coombs, Peter Panozzo

General Business

Constitution Revised and changes to the wording of Ordinary Committee Member to General Committee Member

Moved Mick Elvey, Kevin Symons Voted and passed unanimously

Committee Positions filled

David Dixon, Brad Hall, Wayne McNaughton and John Orr

Meeting closed 9; 27pm

Accepted as a true reflections of the meeting

C.Button opened the meeting at 8:09pm

Minutes as per Crossflow

Moved: Kevin Symons, Peter Panozzo

Business Arising

Nil

Financial Report

Financial XXXXXXX, Canteen XXXXX. Investment XXXX

See Statement

Moved Glenyce Coombs Mick Elvey

Correspondence**Snail.** Certificate of Incorporation from Dept of Justice, CAMS, The Bulletin, Origin Energ, SITA, CFA, Bank Statement, VWCC, Campbells Cash and Carry, Entries for July**E-mails;**

CAMS, My lap Timing, Chrysler CC, Toyota CC newsletter

Moved, Peter Valentine, 2nd Craig Hardiman**Reports****Tarregower,** Peter Valentine

Everything seems to be progressing and on track. The program is being planned.

Khannacross

Great event, everyone had good day and helped out with Official duties. See WEB for results.

State Council

Club Chief course to be run in Bendigo. See Craig Button. Nothing more to report to the club

Off Road

Nothing to report to the Club at this stage

Bagshot

An event is on this coming weekend and the weather looking fine at this stage. A track inspection will be done before Sunday.

VMC in 2 weeks time, timers will be required

Maintenance; Long Course rolled,

Events Member Attended or Attending

The Coombs attended Sea Lake with the Holts and other members. There were some great results for our Club members. See WEB for results.

Dave Dixon attending Super Truck Racing in Super Tin Top support category, Roger Hall attended Shannons Nationals as CATO.

Moved Brad Hall, Ken Holt

General Business

Canteen Staff required for 2015

A Membership Secretary is required for 2014-15

VCAS Trophies.

Naming of Corners of the tracks at Bagshot

Junior Cars at Bagshot Meetings and monitoring the use of the cars

Motion moved by Craig Hardiman and seconded by Peter Valentine that the Auto Junior car be used for Motorkhanna . The Auto can only be used in Khannacross events at the discretion of the Director of the meeting. All in favour. Motion passed

The Timing Areas at Events are to be kept clear of all non timing Officials.

Club permit scheme. If you have a vehicle on the scheme you must be a financial member of Bendigo Car Club for 2014/ 2015

Log books for VCAS

New Members

None

Meeting closed 9:16**Accepted as a true reflections of the meeting**

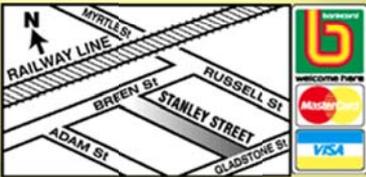
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