

CROSS FLOW

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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

The year is flying along, this week we have our Annual General Meeting and, on the weekend, we celebrate our club champions and winners at the clubrooms.

It's been a busy month with the first 2 rounds of the 2022/2023 club championship being our VMC and VKC rounds, with excellent entries for both events, speaking to the championship co-ordinators for both series we exceeded all expectations, this is great feedback that we as a club run events that people want to participate in, and the feedback from competitors has been all very good.

As mentioned earlier, Thursday night is our AGM, as per our constitution there are 4 current committee members are required to re-nominate for the committee and we are asking for any members who want to be involved in the future of the club to put there hand up and nominate for the committee, a nomination should be attached to the same email as this newsletter and copies will be available on the night.

Before finishing I would like to highlight a worrying trend that is happening, not only with our club, but all volunteer organisations across all activities. The pool of volunteers is shrinking, this has been evident at most of our events this year, with only the bare minimum number of volunteers coming forward to be able to run these events. This has prompted us to look back and re-introduce an official's roster at our events to share the load around, no one will be asked to do something they cannot do and there will be a mentor to help with the task.

See you all Thursday and Saturday nights.

Yours in Motorsport
Craig Button.

In the News: -

- Racer Industries is the official race accessories partner of Motorsport Australia. Established in 2005 it aims to be a one stop shop for all the parts you need to comply with FIA regulations.
- FIA – keeping officials safe. The FIA understands how exciting and rewarding it can be as an official at a motorsport event. But they want to ensure the safety of officials and therefore has released some tips for officials in the aim to keep them safe. Check out Motorsport's Speed Read.
- Exciting news on the Grand Prix front. It will continue to be run in Melbourne for the next 10 years.
- Electric vehicles making an entrance. New regulations are having to be implemented to cater for the growing number of electric vehicles coming onto the scene. Motorsport realises the importance of being ready to embrace these vehicles but also understand they can present different safety and technical requirements. So if you want to compete with an electric vehicle, check out the Motorsport website to view the new regulations.

For further information on any of the above stories check out Motorsport Australia's web site.

Events:

Results for the VMC round at the Saleyards last weekend have been distributed by email. Congratulations to all the winners.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

To be held on the 4th August 2022 at the Club Rooms. Please come along and be a part of your club.

Innes Motors Mt Tarrengower Hill Climb 2022

Sat, 15 Oct 8:00 am - Sun, 16 Oct 5:00 pm

Mt Tarrengower, 28 Mt Tarrengower Rd Maldon

Sunday the 16th of October sees the running of the Innes Motors Mt Tarrengower Historic Hill Climb. Once again this event is proudly supported by Innes Motors Bendigo. An event for historic cars and bikes which starts with practice on Saturday the 15th and concludes with the main event on the Sunday. Spectators are welcome on both days and there will be a small entry fee. The event will be held on the Mount Tarrengower, Lookout road, approximately one kilometre...

On a lighter note:

Did you hear about the guy that lost his left arm and leg in a car crash?
He's all right now

What happens to a frog's car when it breaks down?
It gets toad!

A car's weakest part is the NUT holding the steering wheel.

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.

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 2021-2022

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:	Tony Stokes
CAMS Delegate:	Craig Button / Lesley Smart
Regular Members:	Jim Coombs, Kevin Symons Lesley Smart, Matthew Coombs

Facilities Maintenance Coordinator Mick Elvey Ph 0428 506492

BCC Event Contact List

Event Type

Motorkhana
Khanacross / Autocross
Rally

Off Road

Bitumen Sprints / Circuit
Officiating

Vic Roads Club Permit
Scheme

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