

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

Welcome to November, lets hope it's better than October.

Firstly, we all send our best wishes to all those effected by the floods.

As you should know, every event/activity planned for October had to be cancelled or postponed.

Firstly, there was Mt Tarrengower, see Chris Hume's below.

Then due to a family illness the pop-up display/information day at Kangaroo Flat has been postponed to a date to be confirmed.

Lastly; our extra event Rd 9 VCAS on the 23rd has had to be postponed, again due to flooding in the state, this has been moved to the 11th December. Just a heads up we will be looking for someone to man the canteen on the 11th as Leanne is not available, let either Leanne or one of the committee members know if you can help out.

But before that we have our scheduled event at the Salesyards on the 19th November.

Looking to 2023 the committee are currently compiling our calendar, at this stage there are a couple of dates that need to be confirmed, but it is hoped that we can get it later this month.

As per usual the Supplementary Regulations for all our events can be found on our website, www.bendigocarclub.com.au and usually a link on the Facebook page, if you're not able to compete but have the day free we would appreciate if you could come and give us a hand.

See you at our meeting Thursday night or at one of our events.

Yours in Motorsport
Craig Button

Innes Motor Mt Tarrengower Historic Hill Climb

Much to our disappointment this year's Mt Tarrengower Historic Hill Climb was called off on the eve of the event due to unforeseen circumstances, Flooding and rain this time round. The event was called off because of the flood situation in central Victoria and streams of water flowing across the track which would have been too dangerous to safely compete.

I would like to thank the organising committee who had been planning the weekend over the past 12 months, also everyone who was ready to help and officiate for the weekend.

A special thanks to the Innes family (Innes Motors) who are the major sponsors for assisting with the pre-event preparations. But a special thank you, especially for a very generous offer from Scott to assist the Maldon golf club who had purchased all of the food for the event to cover the cost so they were not out of pocket at all, which was received with many thanks for them.

Going forward next year's Mt Tarrengower Hill Climb is being planned for the weekend of October 14th and 15th 2023. Once again thank you to everyone involved and let's make it happen this time.

Cheers

Chris Hume

Hill Climb Committee Chair

In the News: -

- Think you are too old to race? Think again as Dick Ward has shown age can have no limits after the 80-year-old took out victory, guiding his 1967 Fiat Abarth TCR to victory at the Engine Shop City Sprint. Beating a Mitsubishi Evo 7 in the process. . He was the fastest overall after 4 runs of the 2.1k circuit.
- The 2022 Motorsport Australia State Awards season, proudly presented by Shannons Insurance is officially underway with nominations now being accepted. The nomination process is easy and all MA club members, competitors and officials are encouraged to make nominations. Each state's ceremony will be held online with details to be confirmed soon. These awards celebrate the achievements for both individuals and clubs within each state who go above and beyond each year.
- *Monash Motorsport:* Monash Motorsport is a student-run team who compete in the largest Engineering Design Competition in the world. Since 2000, Monash Motorsport has established a culture focused on collaboration and learning in all aspects of engineering. The entirely student-run team designs, manufactures, tests and competes with formula style race cars in the Formula SAE and Formula Student competitions in both Australia and Europe. Within the team, students from a diverse range of faculties gain practical, and industry-relevant skills to complement the education they receive at Monash University. The team is comprised of five technical sections and one business section, each focused on a unique aspect of the team's operations. Motorsport Australia is supporting Monash's program with a multi year partnership. Partnering with an elite organisation like this will give a really good insight into their innovations and work together for the benefit of motorsport.

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

Events:

Victorian Khanacross Championship:

The last event for the year is a round of the Victorian Khanacross Championship at the Salesyards on the 19th November, once the regs are back they will be sent out.

Next Meeting – 3rd November starting at 8pm to be held at the Maiden Gully clubrooms,

Victorian Club Autocross Series (VCAS)

The VCAS that was to be held in October has now been deferred to the 11th December.

On a lighter note whilst on the subject of age:

When I was a kid I wanted to be older...this is not what I expected.

It's probably my age that tricks people into thinking I'm an adult.

I'm at that age where my mind still thinks I'm 29, my humour suggests I'm 12, while my body mostly keeps asking if I'm sure I'm not dead yet.

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 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 2022-2023

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, David Mogyorossy

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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
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