


CROSS FLOW

October 2024

	<p>Bendigo Car Club Inc</p> <p>Motor Sport Complex Bagshot-Whirrakee Rd Bagshot North, VIC 3551</p> <p>Club Rooms 868 Calder Highway Maiden Gully, Vic 3551</p> <p>Postal Address PO Box 361, Bendigo Central, Vic 3552</p> <p>Phone: 0427 511 158</p> <p>www.bendigocarclub.com.au</p> <p>http://facebook.com/#!/pages/Bendigo-Car-Club/141168312653687</p>
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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

October already, where has the year gone!!!

We as a club have a busy few weeks ahead of us with our rally sprint this coming weekend, then a week off to watch Bathurst 1000 before the Innes Motors Mt Tarrangower on the 19th and 20th. We are still looking for general officials for both events, if you haven't volunteered or been contacted, please contact Chris on 0400 118 837.

Then the HRA will be hiring Bagshot for their rally sprint using the same track as we are using this weekend, if you think you want a run contact the HRA as our members are invited to compete.

Moving on to November we have a round of our club championship at the Salesyards on the 2nd. We are also looking at a club cruise on the 16th November, details will be released in a couple of weeks on where we are planning to go and what we'll see.

The Bagshot maintenance guys are putting in lots of hours and the condition of the tracks is well reflected, those members at the day/night event can vouch for this. In general, these guys are doing a great job and they/we have several ideas for the evolution of the complex.

In coming events we are planning to encourage competing members to share the officiating roles at our events to spread the joy for all, recently these roles have been left too few people and I know some of those people are starting to wear down and would like help from all of you. (rant over)

Yours in Motorsport.
Craig Button

Events:

- 6th October BCC Shortcourse Rally Sprint Sunday Day Bagshot Round 4
- 19 -20 October Mt Tarrengower Hill Climb Sat/Sun Maldon

In the News: -

- The qualifier for the MOZA Racing FIA Motorsport Games Esports was held recently with 2 drivers qualifying for the Australian Team. They will represent Australia in the 2024 FIA Motorsport Games to be held in Spain.
- 2024 Bosch Motorsport Australia Rally Championship: Lewis Bates and Anthony McLoughlin won the Adelaide Hills Rally which took place over 2 days in the South Australian hills. The final round will be held in Burnie, Tasmania on the 22-24 November .
- 2024 FIA Junior World Rally Championship: Our Australian team of Taylor Gill and co-driver Daniel Brkic finished 4th for the season. They were heading for a title win but a steering arm failure ended those hopes. They had won Rally Finland. So high hopes for this duo next year.
- FIA Girls on Track: As part of the series a group of 40 young women (aged 15-22 yes) spent a memorable day at Walkinshaw Andretti United's headquarters. Where they experienced a variety of activities which included a Q&A with drivers Chaz Mostert and Ryan Wood. In a recent announcement, Shannons has been named as a Platinum Partner of the program. The program has been set up to help young women get an understanding of all facets of motorsport. In fact at the recent round of the Victorian State Circuit Racing Championship, over 40% of the flag marshals were female officials. The number of women becoming officials has been on the rise. And Suzanne Arnot is the president of the Victorian Flag Marshalling Team.
- The final round of the 2024 Motorsport Australia Victorian Hill Climb Championship has been run . Mike Barker has been named as Champion of the series driving his Hayward 06 .
- Race Sydney: There will be 7 categories racing over the 3 day event to be held on October 18-20. Saturday and Sunday's races will be shown on the 7 Network.

On a lighter note:

Daylight Savings Time is like cutting one end off a rug and sewing it to the other end to make it longer,".

Don't think of it as losing an hour of sleep, think of it as being an hour closer to breakfast.

Why can't Spring daylight savings start at like 4pm on a Friday.

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 Carroll 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 Carroll
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 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 / Ken Holt
Roger Hall
Peter Valentine / Lesley
Smart
John Hardiman / John
Orr / Mick Elvey / Craig
Button



*** BAGSHOT ACTION - 7.9.'24 : DAY / NIGHT A/X ***



A great sight, as drivers do their night recce.



Like snow skiers at season opening.



**Welders, This Is Called The "Hurricane Challenge".
Mainly For Fun / Practice, But It's Tough To Get It Perfect**



A Robin Nested Inside Of A Motorcross Helmet