



VICTORIAN HISTORIC RACING REGISTER

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NEWSLETTER – May 2006

We meet Bi-Monthly 8 PM at the VHRR Clubrooms 30-32 Lexton Rd Box Hill.
Wednesday Lunch Group. Every Wednesday except Christmas Holidays.

COMING EVENTS

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| <u>May 2nd</u> | <u>VHRR General Meeting</u> |
| <u>*May 7th</u> | <u>VHRR Rob Roy (see text)</u> |
| <u>*May 27th -28th</u> | <u>Austin 7 Winton (see text)</u> |
| <u>May 31st</u> | <u>Crankshaft Rebuilders Visit</u> |
| <u>10th-11th June</u> | <u>HSRCA Oran Park All Historic</u> |
| <u>25th June</u> | <u>Mornington Peninsula Tour</u> |
| <u>27th June</u> | <u>VHRR General Meeting</u> |
| <u>22nd August</u> | <u>VHRR General Meeting & AGM</u> |
| <u>*15th October</u> | <u>Morwell Hillclimb (To Be Confirmed)</u> |
| <u>October 22nd</u> | <u>Mount Tarrengower Hillclimb</u> |
| <u>24th October</u> | <u>VHRR General Meeting</u> |
| <u>*November 10th-12th</u> | <u>Sandown Historic</u> |
| <u>November 26th</u> | <u>Rob Roy Vintage Hillclimb</u> |
| <u>December 1st-3rd</u> | <u>HSRCA Eastern Creek Tasman</u> |
| <u>December 16th</u> | <u>VHRR Xmas & Awards Night</u> |
| <u>*CCE = Club Championship Event</u> | |

CLUB LIBRARY HOURS Wednesdays 11.30-2.00 Club Nights 6.30-7.30
Club Permit Scheme(RED PLATES) Lloyd Shaw.0415.351.164
P.O. 828 Glen Waverly 3150

**ALL THE ABOVE CLUB ACTIVITIES INCLUDING THE
WEDNESDAY LUNCH ARE DESIGNATED RED PLATE ACTIVITIES.**



VHRR gratefully **acknowledge** the continuing support of our major sponsors.

VHRR GENERAL MEETING MAY 2nd

All the usual but to be started with a special guest speaker

Peter Brock

Peter will be on first at 8 PM before all the general business, as he is coming direct from Tullamarine and the TARGA TASMANIA.

Please bring all people interested; members, friends and family, everyone and anyone are invited!!!

VHRR ROB ROY SPRINT 7TH MAY

After the huge success of the VHRR sprint meeting at Heathcote, our annual club championship event at Rob Roy is to be held at this historic venue.

ENTRIES WILL BE TAKEN UNTIL 9.00 on Sunday

Enquiries to Ken Innes-Irons on 9890-3833 AH or

Pat Ryan ryansbus@ozonline.com.au

VHRR TRADE NIGHTSNumber 1 31st May

Crankshaft Rebuilders

31-35 Cottage St Blackburn at 6.30PM (VHRR MEMBERS ONLY)

Ian Shugg of Crankshaft Rebuilders has been kind enough to invite all VHRR members to an information evening followed by a BBQ Sausage Sizzle and a few ales. Find about steel cranks, big bores and all the things you need to know but were frightened to ask.

Due to safety and size reasons we will be limited to 30 members booking. Pat Ryan 9335-4666 BH or ryansbus@ozonline.com.au

This is the first of a planned 4 visits for 2006.

Competition Numbers

The HSRCA is endeavouring to remove the silliness from having to change car numbers whenever we race interstate. They are endeavouring to form a national and stable list. So if you want to register your number with them (bearing in mind it may be taken already by an HSRCA member for the NSW events), contact your group rep -----who should consolidate a list and send it to Wes Dayton (see Oily Rag for contact details), who will on send it to Colin Wilson-Brown, who is managing this sensible initiative for the HSRCA. Note, this does not mean you have to do anything. Your Vic number will still hold true for Vic events. It's just simpler is it held true for I/S events as well"

Winton Update: 26-28th May

The 30th Historic Winton is including some additional off track activities to help our celebrations.

A Cocktail Party will be held at the Benalla Art Gallery on **Friday 26th May**. A re-union for all drivers and officials that attended the first Historic Winton way back in 1976. Present day drivers and officials are also invited **6.30 - 8.00 pm**. Token admission fee \$5. **All VHRR members welcome.**

Static street display for classic vehicles and race cars in Nunn Street Benalla, which will be closed to traffic between 2 pm and 5 pm on Friday 26th May. **VHRR members cars needed for display. Static race or road registered.**

Classic Car & Motorbike Rally on Thursday May 25th departing from outside the **Benalla Art Gallery at 10.30 am**. \$10 per vehicle.

Highlights of our race meeting will include another group of "Great Aussie Specials" - **we are still seeking a few extra vehicles. HURRY!!**

Plus a **"Mini Dash"** on the Sunday which will feature a large field of racing minis and commemorate the great mini victory at Bathurst in 1966. Additional minis required.

Noel Wilcox Co-ordinator (Historic Winton)
9318-5000 BH 0413-702-558 M or bigboytoyco@bigpond.com

VHRR Mornington Peninsula Tour June 25th Sunday

An official club event is open to all VHRR members and friends and all registered sports cars, family sedans, tow vehicles and CH registered cars. The tour commences at the home of Ron and Lorraine Townley 59 Mt. Martha Rd, Mt Martha with a interesting garage viewing and a warming cup of tea or coffee. Arrive after 9.00AM for a 10.00 PM start. Tour maps will be provided and lunch is available and the tour will end in time to return to Melbourne in daylight. Enquiries/bookings to Roger James 9830-1573 or 0417-138-853

COOPER Theme for VHRR Sandown NOVEMBER 2006

The Cooper Car Company of Surbiton, London first entered a racing car (500cc JAP engined Mark 1 Prototype) at Prescott hillclimb in 1946. This caused considerable interest and the mid-engined racing car configuration was established. Cooper sports and racing cars experienced outstanding success for the next 20 years and with Sir Jack Brabham at the wheel won two F1 World Championships.

Recognition of these achievements will provide the theme "Cooper Racing Cars- A Legend of 60 Years." for the VHRR meeting at Sandown in November. Special events will include parade laps, a static display as well as races for eligible cars. Owners of Coopers, including Cooper Minis (Old and New) should register with Roger James (0417-138-853) for further details.

VHRR SMALL ADS

- VHRR Club Trailer For Sale:The Committee have decided that the club trailer is now surplus to our needs and is to be offered for sale in the first instance to club members.The Trailer was prof built in 1990. It is a 7' x 4' 6" single axle Tradesman type with lids and ladder racks. It is registered and has override type hydraulic brakes, lights and a spare wheel. It is considered to be in fair condition. No warranties are to be implied from this description. It is offered as is. The price is \$350.00. If you have any interest contact The Treasurer, Ian McLennan on 0414 345 318
- VHRR member available to assist with a team - as a helper or driver.
Contact Horacio on 0424 913 216

LOST :

A new 1/4 " and 3/8" drive Sidchrome Socket sets from around garage 10 at Phillip Island. Could any member please help. Nigel Tait 0407-521-629

OLD ADS:

1. BT 18 Brabham group "O" Twin cam all steel engine. Completely original very competitive car.\$110.000.

Chevron B42 Group "Q"European F/2 car 2litre BDG extremely competitive.Ex Ricardo Patrese.\$ 100.000.

Contact Peter or Jamie Larner 9439-8986 , larner@minerva.com.au

2. Hardman Parts ;Hewland FT 200 Ratios \$ 120 per set. Set of Dunlop Wets fit 13x9 and 13x11 wheels. \$100 500ft/lb Tension Wrench , as new \$ 400 AP 5 1/2 inch Triple Plate Clutch plus spare plates, to suit 7/8 x20 spline. \$675 1 Copper Radiator 400 x 290 suit early Cheetah or Brabham \$200 2 - New Alum. Radiators 530 x 300.\$200 each. 1 - 40 Row Oil Cooler. \$120 2 - Cosworth Dry Sump Oil Pumps suit Ford . \$200 each 1 - Dry Sump Scavenge Pump. \$200

Ian Carrig Ph 0417 851 716 or ian.carrig@sp-ausnet.com.au

VERY OLD ADS:

MG MIDGET RACE CAR Historic log booked (Sb) Ex Bob Rowntree

Class Winner 2005 MG Road Racing Championship Prepared and maintained with all the best bits and great attention to detail. Farndon billett steel crank, forged pistons, Carrillo rods, APT scatter cam, Huffaker sump, SCCR gearbox, Quaiffe LSD, lots more (spec sheet available). Fast and enormous fun. Engine No 12YDTAH7848

Price \$26,000

Contact - MARK 0417 005 304

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