

VALVE BOUNCE

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Jim McNiven on his way to the FTD July 28 Multi Club Hill Climb

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2024 Motorsport Calendar

AUGUST

Wednesday 7Private practiceThursday 8Private practiceFriday to Sunday, 9/11ARC Gippsland Rally

Friday to Sunday, 9/11 Victorian Motor Race Championship Round 4 at Winton Friday to Sunday, 8/11 Chamberlain Tractor Muster Australia, Red Cliffs

Saturday 10 Tampered Motorsport Track Day Sandown

Saturday 10 2024 Hot Rod and Street Machine Show, Melbourne Showgrounds

Saturday and Sunday, 10/11 VHCC Round 6 at One Tree Hill Ararat (ACC)

Sunday 11 NSW Hill Climb Championship Round 7 at Ringwood

Tuesday 13 Board Meeting 7 pm Clubrooms

Wednesday 14 Private track hire

Friday to Sunday, 16/18 PIARC August Access at Phillip Island Repco V8 Supercars at Symmons Plains, Tas

Saturday 17 Motor Events Racing, Sandown

Sunday 18 Autoclassica, Shopping Precinct, Canterbury

Sunday 18 MSCA Supersprint at Winton
Sunday 18 GCC Khanacross at Bryant Park

Friday to Sunday, 23/25 Victorian State Race Series Round 4 at Sandown

Friday Aug 30 to Sunday Sept 1 R7 Shannons Superseries 2024 TBC

Saturday 24 Working Bee and Club Members Practice Day

Sunday 25 M&DCC Boisdale Hill Climb, Long track Saturday 30 Tampered Motorsport Track Day Sandown

Saturday 31 Crossway Car Show, Crossway Baptist Church, Burwood East

SEPTEMBER

Sunday 1 GCC Multiclub Hill Climb at Bryant Park

Sunday 1 Acland Street Father's Day Car and Bike Show, Acland Street, St

Kilda

Tuesday 3 Valve Bounce collation Friday to Sunday, 6/8 Cranksters, Nagambie

Tuesday 10 Board Meeting 7 pm Clubrooms
Saturday 14 Tynong Car Show and Market, Tynong

Sunday 15 NSW Hill Climb Championship Round 8 at Gunnedah

Friday to Sunday, 13/15 V8 Supercars Sandown 500 Sunday 15 RACES East Sale Supersprint

Friday to Sunday 20/22 Victorian Motor Race Championship Round 5 at Calder

Friday to Sunday, 20/22 Victorian State Race Series at Phillip Island

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Saturday to Sunday, 21/22 53rd Annual Spring Rally, Wangaratta Sunday 22 VSCC Vintage Hillclimb at Rob Roy

Sunday 22 Wallan Swap Meet, Wallan Secondary College

Saturday to Sunday, 28/29 HSRCA Spring Festival, ONE Raceway

Saturday 28 Mad Max 45th Anniversary, Maryborough Harness Racing Track

Sunday 29 Tampered Motorsport Track Day at Broadford

Sunday 29 MSCA Supersprint at Phillip Island

Sunday 29 GCC Multiclub Hill Climb at Bryant Park

OCTOBER

Tuesday 1 Valve Bounce collation

Friday to Monday, 4/7

Sunday 6

National Chevrolet Festival, Lakes Entrance
Show and Shine, Seven Creeks Parkland, Euroa
MG Car Club Interclub Challenge Round 3 at Rob Roy

Sunday 6 M&DCC Boisdale Hill Climb, Long Track
Sunday 6 GCC Khanacross at Gippsland Park
Tuesday 8 Board Meeting 7 pm Clubrooms

Thursday to Sunday, 10/13 V8 Supercars Bathurst 1000 Saturday to Sunday, 12/13 AROCA 10 Hour Relay, Winton

Sunday 13 23rd Early Falcons Nationals and Show and Shine, Prince of Wales

Showgrounds, Bendigo

Friday to Sunday 18/20 R8 Shannons Superseries 2024 Sydney Motorsport Park

Friday to Sunday, 18/20 Australian Motorcycle GP, Phillip Island

Friday to Sunday, 18/20 Cruze Rush Show, Swan Hill

Sunday 20 Britain to D Funna Car Show – Tasmania, Triabunna Sunday 20 Ford Flathead Festival, National Steam Centre, Scoresby

Sunday 20 MSCA Supersprint at Calder

Thursday to Sunday, 24/27 Australian Hill Climb Championship at Bryant Park

Friday to Sunday, 25/27 Repco V8 Supercars at the Gold Coast

Saturday to Sunday, 26/27 Victorian State Race Series Round 6 at Calder Australian Motorkhana Championship at Carco, WA

Sunday 27 Show and Shine, Halls Gap

NOVEMBER

Friday to Sunday 1/3
R9 Shannons Superseries 2024 Sydney Motorsport Park
Victorian Motor Race Championship Round 6 at Winton
Saturday to Sunday, 2/3
Australian Khanacross Championship at Symmons Plains, Tas

Sunday 3 Point Nepean Heritage Car Show, Point Nepean

Sunday 3 GCC Khanacross at Bryant Park

Tuesday 5 Valve Bounce collation

Friday to Sunday 8/10 R10 Shannons Superseries 2024 Bathurst International

Friday to Sunday, 8/10 Trident Tyre Centre Legend of the Lakes hill climb, Mt Gambier, SA Saturday 9 M&DCC Boisdale Hill Climb, Noel Burley Memorial, Short Track

Saturday to Sunday, 9/10 Historic Sandown

Saturday to Sunday, 9/10 PIARC Supersprint and Karts, Phillip Island

Sunday 10 BMW Drivers Club Melbourne track hire at Bryant Park

Tuesday 12 Board Meeting 7 pm Clubrooms
Thursday to Sunday, 14/17 V8 Supercars Adelaide 500

Saturday 16 Bendigo National Swap Meet, Bendigo Showgrounds Saturday to Sunday, 16/17 Australian Supersprint Championship at Winton Sunday 17 32nd Rob Rov Historic and Classic Hill Climb

Sunday 17 Nuggett Nationals track hire at Bryant Park

Thursday to Sunday, 21/24 Challenge Bathurst

Friday 22 Motors and Masterpieces, Showgrounds, Ascot Vale

Friday to Sunday, 22/24 PIARC Island Magic, Phillip Island

Saturday 23 She won't be right mate, Yarra Glen Racecourse

Saturday to Sunday, Nov 30/Dec 1 HSRC Summer Festival, Sydney Motorsport Park

Saturday to Sunday, Nov 20/Dec 1 Weekend In Dunolly

DECEMBER

Sunday 1 AROCA Supersprint, Phillip Island

Sunday 1 Western Car and Bike Show and Shine, Kings Park
Sunday 1 Classic Japan, Bundoora Park Plenty Road, Bundoora

Sunday 1 RACES East Sale Supersprint

Tuesday 3 Valve Bounce collation

Sunday 8 GCC Khanacross at Bryant Park

Tuesday 10 Board Meeting

Saturday 14 GCC Multiclub Twilight Hill Climb

Monday 23 Private hire

CALENDAR 2025

JANUARY

Tuesday 7 Valve Bounce collation

Tuesday 14 Board Meeting, 7 p.m., Clubrooms

Sunday 19 Festival of Motoring, Cruden Farm Langwarrin

FEBRUARY

Sunday 2 Bathurst 12 Hour Race Tuesday 4 Valve Bounce collation

Tuesday 11 Board Meeting, 7 p.m., Clubrooms

Sunday 16 RACV British and European Motoring Show, 2025 – Yarra Glen

Racecourse

Sunday 23 Shannons American Motoring Show 2025 – Mornington Racecourse Sunday 23 11th Anniversary Custom, Classic Car and Bike Show, Apex Park,

Altona

MARCH

Tuesday 4 Valve Bounce collation

Tuesday 11 Board Meeting, 7 p.m., Clubrooms Thursday to Sunday 14/16 Australian Grand Prix, Albert Park

Sunday 23 American Breed Car Show, Manhattan Hotel, Ringwood

APRIL

Tuesday 1 Valve Bounce collation

Tuesday 8 Board Meeting, 7. p.m., Clubrooms

Saturday 5 Melbourne to MOVE, Museum of Vehicle Evolution, Kialla

Friday to Sunday, 11/13 Repco V8 Supercars at Taupo, NZ

MAY

Tuesday 6 Valve Bounce collation

Tuesday 13 Board Meeting, 7 p.m. ,Clubrooms Saturday to Sunday, 17/18 Terry Baker Motorsport Weekend

JUNE

Tuesday 3 Valve Bounce collation

Tuesday 10 Board Meeting, 7 p.m., Clubrooms

JULY

Tuesday 1 Valve Bounce collation

Tuesday 8 Board Meeting, 7.p.m., Clubrooms

AUGUST

Tuesday 5 Valve Bounce collation

Tuesday 12 Board Meeting, 7 p.m., Clubrooms

SEPTEMBER

Tuesday 2 Valve Bounce collation

Tuesday 9 Board Meeting, 7.p.m, Clubrooms

OCTOBER

Tuesday 7 Valve Bounce collation

Tuesday 14 Board Meeting, 7.p.m., Clubrooms

NOVEMBER

Tuesday 4 Valve Bounce collation

Tuesday 11 Board Meeting,7 p.m., Clubrooms

DECEMBER

Tuesday 2 Valve Bounce collation

Saturday 7 GCC Multiclub Twilight Hill Climb at Bryant Park

Tuesday Board Meeting

Sunday 14 GCC Multiclub Khanacross at Bryant Park

NOTE: All dates shown above are subject to change - please check with the organisers of the events to confirm the dates. TBC alongside an event means date to be confirmed. Events shown as **Bold** are rounds of the Gippsland Car Club Championship (some of these dates may be changed): events shown as **Bold Italics** are rounds of the Gippsland Car Club Khanacross Championship. GCC Practice Days are for members and associate members only, and will run from 1.00 p.m. until 4.00 p.m.. If you believe that any of the dates listed are incorrect, please contact John Bryant and they will be amended.



Peter Brock heading over the "Hump" at Morwell AHCC 1977

Editorial Ponderings:

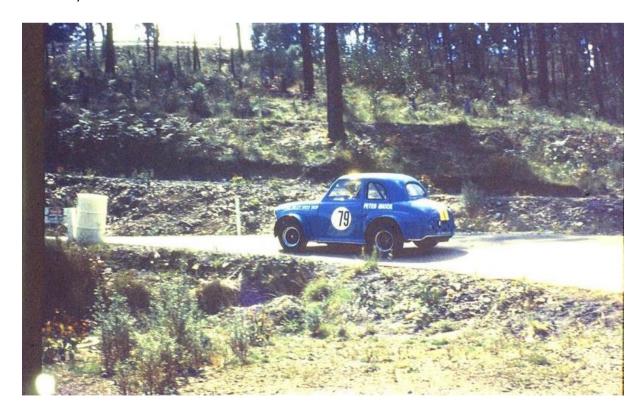
Welcome to the August 2024 edition of Valve Bounce.

We recently finished off July with a Multiclub Hill Climb in some challenging conditions at Bryant Park. To say it was cold and wet was probably an understatement but it didn't stop a dedicated field of competitors from having a go. I started off very tentatively with no real idea how much grip I'd have, after 2 runs I decided to push things much harder in run three, and then it all fell apart when I destroyed a driveshaft and had to get towed back. Hopefully I can get it fixed and up and running again in time for the September 1st event.

In other motorsport news it was great to see Oscar Piastri get his maiden F1 race victory and add to the list of Australian's who have achieved this feat. If the rumours are correct we may also see Jack Doohan on the grid next year which is an exciting prospect.

Things are still plugging along for the AHCC, we still very much need class sponsors and I'm having some discussions around a potential naming rights sponsor but more on that down the track. I'd also encourage those who are thinking of entering to get your entries in, we had a pretty quick start filling half of the total spots within the first month.

See you soon: Jarrod Bryant



A great shot of Peter Brock in the A30 at Lakeland Hill Climb – pic by Ron Simmonds

2024 Australian Hill Climb Championships Sponsorship Acknowledgement

I thought I would take this opportunity to thank and acknowledge our sponsors for the AHCC so far:

Major Sponsors

- The State Government of Victoria have provided the club with a \$5k grant from the significant sporting events funding program
- Trojan Tools have signed up as a silver sponsor for the event

Class Sponsors

- Hayward Engineering is sponsoring the Top 10 shootout for the event
- Ashby's Electrical
- Yacar Racing
- Able Mechanical Services
- Valid Technologies
- Speedcraft
- DKC Home Maintenance
- Mountain Ash Animal Oracle Book Vicki Minahan
- Seddon Insurance Services
- Inverloch Mechanical Repairs
- Gippsland Sporting and Classic Car Register
- O'Connell's Tyres
- Wim Janssen
- Nugget Nationals
- Outback Accessories
- Ackland Automotive Repairs
- Victorian Historic Racing Register





BITS AND PIECES, INCLUDING FROM THE BOARD

John Bryant

CHEQUES Did you know that the use of cheques is almost dead? I read in the newspaper this morning (July 16) that Bank Australia will no longer accept cheques and will no longer issue cheques to members to make payments from their accounts. I was in the Club bank today (Bendigo in Traralgon) with some cheques (!!) from Club members to deposit, and was told that the Bendigo will soon be going the same way, as apparently are all other banks. The very pleasant bank lady told me that it will cause many problems for older people (obviously I do not look a day older than 50!) as they will have to use cash (which I thought was also being done away with) or become familiar with and use electronic banking – it is a bit hard to use electronic banking if people do not have a computer, and many don't. I assume that Postal Orders are still available from your friendly Post Office, but they are not necessarily five minutes away from where you live. Be warned, for those of you who use cheques to pay for many things, including Club membership and entry fees, you will not be able to in the near future. Believe it or not, this is progress, as is closing bank branches in many country towns as well as in some suburbs. I assume that the aim for banks in the long run is to get rid of cheques, get rid of cash, then get rid of all branches and we all pay and receive electronically. If I had an incinerator (they were banned many years ago) I would go down the backyard and burn my cheque book, but I guess I will have to use the shredder!

MEMBER PRACTICE Club members are eligible to practice at the track on Working Bee days (provided they have done some work in the mornings) and also on the Saturday prior to competition days on Sundays. At this point in time, days when practice can be undertaken are as follows (more working bees will be inserted into the Calendar as the year progresses):

Saturday, August 24 Saturday, August 31 Saturday, September 28

Further opportunities will be available when we determine dates for future working bees.

DAMAGE AT THE TRACK You will be well aware from what I have written in recent times that we had a series of break ins with considerable damage done. Most of the damaged areas have been cleaned up, and now we have to replace many items, such as glass entry doors to the Clubrooms, roller doors on the tractor shed etc.. This renewal work will commence shortly. The perpetrator of the damage has been apprehended and will face trial in the near future, with the Police pursuing restitution on our behalf. The only problem is that restitution is basically only the excess on our insurance policies, which is not much, but better than nothing. On behalf of the Club, I have completed the claim form for insurance, so we will wait and see how much money we receive from the insurance company.

AN EVENT WITH A DIFFERENCE – AUSTIN 7 CLUB MUD TRIAL (Photographer Rick Dathan). We had an event at our property on July 14 that did not use the track! It used the grass, dirt and dams (parts of the track that definitely should NOT be used in khanacross or hill climb events!). You will note from the photograph below two trials cars (one in the foreground waiting to start and one emerging from the dam area), and some sticks in the ground nearby. The aim of the exercise is to set out a course that most will not be able to complete. The sticks are set out in pairs, with ten sets of sticks for each trial – for each pair of sticks passed on the run, one point is scored – if all ten are passed through, ten points are scored. Most vehicles get to a stage in the trial (each set of ten pairs of sticks is called a trial) where they lose forward motion and stop or they go backwards – in either case, end of that trial, and the car is usually pulled out by a number of spectators pulling on a rope which is carried in the car. As you can see from the photograph, there are two people in each car, and the

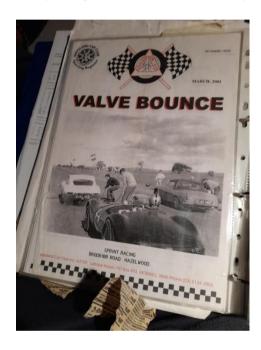
car looks somewhat different to most competition cars you will have seen. This type of competition started out life in England with the ubiquitous Austin 7. The front end on the car is very interesting — it is built in such a manner that the car can virtually turn in its own length. As you can see, Austin 7 cars are no longer used, and cars are self-built, with either a front or rear engine and two wheel drive. You will notice that the rear wheels are wider than the front, and this is to obtain as much grip as possible in mud or water. You may also notice the exhaust pipe on the car waiting to start — vertical to prevent water entering the system when the vehicle is traversing water obstacles. The passenger is not just there for the ride — they are sometimes sitting, sometimes standing bouncing the car up and down to obtain grip on the rear tyres. Wet weather gear is advisable. It was very wet when the trial at our track was being held — we would not be impressed with rain at our hill climb and khanacross events, but they thought it was great. If you want to see some excellent videos of mud trials, check out *Austin 7 Club Mud Trials*. Some of these videos are good for a laugh, especially when both the driver and the navigator go for an accidental swim in a dam after the car comes to a halt.



Notice in this photograph the trailer seen over the top of the exhaust on the other side of the track has what looks like a portable toilet on the trailer – that is because it is a portable toilet.! These people come prepared as they often use locations that are not close to toilets at the venue – what you probably cannot see on the trailer is a large barbeque used for lunches – I am not sure about the proximity of the toilet to the barbeque!!

SOME HISTORY We often come across information about the Club in the past and, where possible, we include in the current magazine. Recently Jarrod had sent to him a photo of an old magazine cover and a photograph of a young lad sitting in a racing car. I have included both in this copy of Valve Bounce. The young lad is Russell Budge, who will be known to many of you, the youngish looking gentleman leaning on the car is Terry Morris, father of racing entrepreneur Paul Morris, and

the car is the Zephsca (Paul Hickey will be interested in this photograph). Terry Morris is a Life Member of our Club, and the young Russell Budge sitting in the car is now the owner of the car some 60 years after this photograph was taken. If you go to historic races regularly, you will see Russell driving the car, usually with number 47 on the door. The car is a Paul England Ausca chassis and body fitted with Ford Zephyr running gear. The photograph was taken in Brodribb Road in Hazelwood (near the now demolished Hazelwood Power Station) in the 1960s' where our Club used to run quarter mile sprints. I believe that is a young Kevin Foote holding the chock at the rear of the car. I further believe that the car was constructed by the driver of the E Type Jaguar, whose name I do not know. The cover of Valve Bounce in the photo was the March 2001 version of the magazine, at which time I was the editor. More photos of this car have been put up on the Facebook page Gippsland Park Morwell Hillclimb 1960s to 2008 in the last couple of days — I even learned from the new postings that Jack Forbes was responsible for all of the welding on the car.





AUSTRALIAN HILL CLIMB CHAMPIONSHIP SPONSORSHIP PROPOSAL We have included in this Valve Bounce the sponsorship proposal that we are using in an attempt to gain sufficient sponsorship for the upcoming AHCC event to be held in late October. Our aim is to have one Gold sponsor, two Silver sponsors, and a number of class sponsors equal to the number of classes we will be running. It is unlikely we will have a Gold sponsor. At this point in time we have raised \$5,000 from the Victorian Government (which we can use as a Silver sponsorship), \$5000 from Trojan Tools, we have two other \$5000 sponsorships in the wings so to speak, one \$1000 Shoot Out sponsorship, and about half of the class sponsors we need, It is our hope that by including the sponsorship proposal in this Valve Bounce, you may know of someone, or even yourself, who may be interested in being a Class sponsor for the event.

COSTS I often receive enquiries from other clubs or individuals as to how much it would cost to run an event at our track. The hire of our track is not exactly a cheap undertaking and one where people who want to run a hill climb often do not proceed with their idea. To proceed with such an event, they would need to be either an affluent club, or one that can attract at least 60 to 70 entrants if they are going to cover costs for the proposed event. As a matter of coincidence, I have had two members of our Club ask about the financials of our hill climbs in the last few days, so I thought I would give all members an idea as to how much it costs to run our own events. The receipts for the event are the entry fees, whilst we have fixed costs for the ambulance, the safety vehicle, the

Motorsport Australia Permit, whereas variable costs are GST (depends on the number of entrants) and the cost of trophies (depends upon how much money Rhys wishes to spend for the event). The rental of garages also provides income, but I have not included this item as it is an unknown from event to event. An example is as follows (figures are for a Multiclub event):

| Entries: | 30 entries | 40 entries | 50 entries | 60 entries |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Receipts (entries at \$1 | 10 each) | | | |
| | 3,300 | 4,400 | 5,500 | 6,600 |
| Payments | | | | |
| Ambulance | 1,919 | 1,919 | 1,919 | 1,919 |
| Safety | 950 | 950 | 950 | 950 |
| MA Permit | 935 | 935 | 935 | 935 |
| GST | 300 | 400 | 500 | 600 |
| Trophies (say) | 350 | 350 | 350 | 350 |
| | | | | |
| Total Payments | 4,454 | 4,554 | 4,654 | 4,754 |
| Deficit or Surplus | 1,154 | 154 | 846 | 1,846 |

Our hill climb on July 28 had 51 entries, one of whom was a junior, hence entry receipts were \$5,550, so we would have made a surplus of approximately \$896, plus the amount from garages which were rented for the day.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO VOLUNTEER TO BECOME AN OFFICIAL? We cannot run our events without the assistance of volunteers. We run two types of events – khanacrosses and hill climbs and each requires a number of officials to run efficiently. You can find out all about becoming an official by looking at the Motorsport Australia website on your computer, and follow the instructions. The easiest MA official to become is a General Official, and all you have to do is complete what I am told is a relatively easy General Officials module, then wait for your licence and you are in business. If you want to proceed further with a specialised area, then find the appropriate module and follow the directions. For our events we need Event Command, Timekeeping, Scrutineering, Stewards, Event Administration and General Officials. For khanacross, all you need is a General Licence, and the ability to work a stop watch and check to see that competitors are going in the correct direction, and report in on a radio to Event Control if they are not. If you wish to be a scrutineer at a khanacross, you will need a Scrutineers Licence. If you wish to officiate at a hill climb, you can be a General Official to do most trackside tasks, or have the appropriate qualifications to be a Clerk of Course, Timekeeper, Secretary of the Event or Scrutineer. If you are interested enough to do the appropriate MA modules, we will teach you how to put your qualifications into practice at our events. We will need many officials for the Australian Hill Climb Championship.

AUSTRALIAN HILL CLIMB CHAMPIONSHIP 2024 The AHCC is a four day event, not the usual one of two day shows that we normally run. The timetable for the event is:

| Thursday, October 24 | Untimed, unofficial practice |
|----------------------|---|
| Friday, October 25 | Official practice – all entrants expected to practice |
| Saturday, October 26 | Official time runs – four on the day |
| Sunday, October 27 | Official timed runs – three on the day, to be followed by |
| | trophy presentation |

For the whole week leading up to this event, the Latrobe Valley was fine and dry with clear blue skies – excellent weather for a hill climb. The afternoon prior to the event the weather turned and the rain arrived. Would it disappear by Sunday? No such luck – there was more of it! With a top temperature of 10 degrees, I was surprised that anyone came to compete, and I was even more surprised that they actually ran when they saw the wetness of the track. The day was terrible, with the winds coming from Antarctica, and they were bloody cold. We had fifty one entries, and of those fifty one, forty one competed, which was an excellent show as far as I was concerned. What was even more surprising was that a number of people competed on slicks – definitely a handful in this weather.

Mike Barker, driving Hayward 06, set the pace early on from Pete Minahan in Hayward 07. On run 3, however, Mike had an off which put him out for the day with minor damage to the car. The weather came and went, so to speak, with the track drying at some times and then getting drowned again in the next downpour. John Moss (Steward) and myself discussed finishing the meeting at 1 p.m., but at that time the track was a bit drier so we kept going. By 2 p.m. it looked a bit better, so we had two more runs and during that time the track dried considerably – by 3 pm the sky was black so we finished the day at that time – bit early but there was nothing to be proved driving in the pouring rain.



Mike Barker, captured by The Race Torque.com

Now for the surprise. Mike Barker was leading the event at the conclusion of run 5 and looked like taking out FTD, although Pete Minahan was still in with a chance. Out of the blue came Jim McNiven in the 1300cc Toyota Corolla, on slicks and still on a slightly damp track, who put in a blinder in run 6 to pass both of them and finish up with FTD and a best time of 86.00 seconds. Mike stayed in second, with Pete in third at the end of the day. Rhys Yeomans finished the day in fourth position, with Jacob White in the very grunty Nissan Skyline in position 5 – the amount of

power in this car has to be seen to be believed but it was not all suited to a wet track. Frank Penrose finished in position 6 in the Datsun 180, Gavin Pollock in 7 in the WRX, Darren Blake in position 8 also in a WRX, Zachary Baldwin in 9 in a Subaru BRZ, with Simon Wills finishing in position 10 in the Mazda MX5.

As far as class competition was concerned, there were a number of classes with only one entrant, which is disappointing but understandable on a day such as this. The classes with only one starter were Formula Libre up to 1600, FL 1301 to 2000, Historic – Other, Sports cars 2001 and over and Juniors. Improved Production up to 2000 had six runners, with Rhys Yeomans a convincing winner, from Brett Matheson, Andrew Chambers, Alan Airey, a now very fine Cory Horter (amazing what a promise for a drive in a Formula Vee will do), and Paul Murphy in the rebuilt Datsun 1200. Frank Penrose took out the IP 2001 and over class in the Datsun 180B by 1.62 seconds from Karl Hess driving the Honda Accord – the removal of the roof racks from the Hess car might well give the car more speed! William Cchorn in the Lexus was in third, followed by Fouad Hallaby sharing the Lexus, Laurie Johnson in the Hyundai Veloster, Brett Hill in the BMW and Trevor Tate in the Ford Laser.



Kev Wilson Captured Trevor Ross in the Royale RP37

Apart from one, the Sports Car classes had a reasonable entry. Zachary Baldwin was successful in the Production Sports up to 2000 class – his Subaru BRZ literally scraped in by 0.10 of a second from Simon Wills in the Mazda MX5. Ian Speight in his Mazda MX 6 was another 0.66 of a second away in third position. Cameron Stephens was next driving a Toyota 86, from Declan Wills in the family Mazda MX5, Scott Campbell in a Toyota 86 (must be missing the 5 litre V8 powered Commodore), and Frank Oostermeyer in the MG B Roadster.

The Sports Sedan classes all had at least three starters, with close competition in some of them. The outright winner on the day, Jim McNiven, took out the SS up to 2000 class comfortably from Brett Baker in a Toyota Corolla, and Jarrod Bryant, also in a Corolla, who had to suffer the indignity of being towed back to the pits on a piece of string in run 3 when his car had front end problems.

Jacob White was successful in the booming Nissan Skyline in the SS 2001 and over class, from Toyota Camry driver Jamie Caspersz, John Harper in a very brightly adorned Honda Accord was next, with James Mackie in fourth in the Ford Falcon GT (not sure of some of the colours on this car!)

The final class for the day was the Sports Sedans 4WD, the class I would have most liked to be in if I was driving - four wheel drive and wet track seem to go much better together than two wheel drive and wet track. Gavin Pollock in the Subaru WRX snuck in for the win by 0.47 of a second from Darren Blake in a Subaru Impreza in second. Jeremy Banham was not far away in third in a Subaru Forester, with Chris Jones in an Audi A4 in fourth from Deborah Pollock in fifth in the family Subaru WRX, and Thomas Foley in an Audi S3 next.

Was a wonderful day had by all? I am not sure, but I am sure that it was wet and extremely cold and I am glad I was in the Timing Building rather than out in the weather. Will our next event on September 1 be held on a fine day? Given all of the wet events lately, it is high time for a sunny and dry day. This event will be held on the Clockwise Figure 8 Track.

The results for the day, as well as the current points for the Gippsland Car Club Hill Climb and Outright Club Championship, are contained elsewhere in this edition of Valve Bounce.



The Jacob White Nissan Skyline taken by Car Porn



Peking to Paris Race 2024

The Peking to Paris Motor Challenge 2024 finished on Sunday 23 June in Paris. The event began in Beijing, 37 days and 14,500 kilometres before and several Australians competed.



The race was first held in 1907, between Peking (now Beijing) and Paris. It came about as a result of a challenge published in the Paris newspaper *Le Matin* on 31 January 1907. That read:

"What needs to be proved today is that as long as a man has a car, he can do anything and go anywhere. Is there anyone who will undertake to travel this summer from Paris to Peking by automobile?"

As a result of this the first race then started from the French embassy in Peking on 10 June 1907 with 5 entrants. The winner, Prince Scipione Borghese, arrived in Paris on 10 August taking 2 months to complete the journey.

The outright winner this year was the Scottish duo Andy Buchan and Mike Sinclair in a 1928 Bentley 4 ½ Le Mans. Second place went to Alex Vassbotten & Bas Gross in a 1933 Alvis Fire Fly 12/70

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and third place to Carlos Rieder & Urs Schnüriger in a 1931 Ford Model A Coupe.

Australian, Matt Bryson, together with Englishman, Mike Pink, won the Classic Category in Matt's 1974 Leyland P76.

This was Matt's fourth Peking to Paris victory which is a record for an

individual driver. It also showed the Australian P76 family sedan could again beat some of the best rally cars in the world. The P76 was apparently pushed very hard by the second place getters, Lars and Annette Rolner of Denmark in their 1974 Porsche 911 S. This place in the classic category went to Kevin Bradburn & Cole Bradburn - 1969 Porsche 912.





For information, including videos go to https://www.hero-era.com/films-images/peking-to-paris-2024. You can also express an interest in joining the 2025 event . Go to: https://www.hero-era.com/rallies/2025/05/peking-to-paris-2025.



This race will start on 17 May 2025. And will have three categories: Pioneer up to December 1920; Vintage & Vintage from January 1921 up to December 1947 and Classic from January 1948 to December 1975.





2024 AUSTRALIAN HILL CLIMB CHAMPIONSHIP

Gippsland Car Club



Event Sponsorship Proposal



SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

The Gippsland Car Club are now seeking sponsors to help support the 2024 event, and are looking to partner with businesses to help drive exposure and grow their customer base.

Sponsorship Opportunities for the 2024 Australian Hill Climb Championships include:

- · Naming Rights Sponsor
- · Silver Sponsorship
- · Class Sponsors

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NAMING RIGHTS COST \$20,000

As Naming Rights sponsor you will be the sole name associated with the 2024 event title and it will be known as the "xx" 2024 Australian Hill Climb Championships.

Benefits include

- Primary coverage in all correspondence and promotions for the event including invitations, event program, newspaper, radio, television, results publication and all social media activity
- Corporate display at the event
- Sponsor stickers on all competing cars
- Sponsor name on all 5 outright place trophies
- Sponsor logo on all merchandise produced for and sold at the event
- Provision of a location for prominent trackside signage for a period of 5 years (sign to be provided by sponsor)
- Placement of other sponsor banners during the event weekend
- The right to distribute agreed promotional material during the event
- Provision of an agreed insert on the GCC Website and in the monthly magazine for a period of 5 years
- Free passes to the event to be used at the discretion of the sponsor
- Opportunity to present the outright trophies or the event
- Private use of the Bryant Park facility for 2 nominated days at no cost for business or staff development, trade days of staff fun days







SILVER SPONSOR COST \$5,000

There will be 2 Silver Sponsor packages on offer and as a Silver sponsor you will receive the following benefits:

- Secondary coverage in all correspondence and promotions for the event including invitations, event program, newspaper, radio, television, results publication and all social media activity
- Corporate display at the event
- Provision of a location for prominent trackside signage for a period of 1 year (sign to be provided by sponsor)
- Participation for sponsor and delegates in a ride day at Bryant Park hosted by the Gippsland Car Club
- Placement of other sponsor banners during the event weekend
- The right to distribute agreed promotional material during the event
- Provision of an agreed insert on the GCC Website and in the monthly magazine for a period of 1 year
- Free passes to the event to be used at the discretion of the sponsor

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CLASS SPONSORS COST \$700 PER CLASS

Each class of vehicle for the event will have a class sponsor.

The benefits of class sponsorship are:

- Acknowledgement is the event program as the sponsor of the class
- Acknowledgement over the public address system during the duration of the event
- Acknowledgment at the trophy presentation at the conclusion of the event
- Sponsor name engraved on the trophies for the relevant class or classes
- Opportunity to erect a sponsor banner for the
- Listing as a supporting sponsor of the event in the official results distributed after the event



VHCC Rd3 30-June-2024 Clockwise Short Track TRACK RECORD New Class Record Club Club Class CLASS Ch'ship POSITION Rank Run Time Class Record **SCORE** Points 1 Thomas Inkster 39.52 Historic Other 40.47 0.977 11 2 Jordan James 38.97 Sports Sedans 4WD 38.03 1.025 13 41.90 Production Sports Cars up to 2000 40.60 1.032 3 Ian Speight 1 9 4 Jacob White 39.81 Sports Sedans 2001 and over 38.44 1.036 1 10 5 Jim Mcniven 42.86 Production Sports Cars 2001 and over 40.15 1.067 1 6 42.17 Improved Production 2001 and over 39.21 1.075 6 Frank Penrose 1 8 7 Karl Hess 42.40 Improved Production 2001 and over 39.21 1.081 2 7 8 Sei Vella 43.39 Sports Cars up to 2000 40.06 1.083 1 4 43.98 Production Sports Cars 2001 and over 40.15 1.095 9 John Trolove 2 1 10 Mike Barker 35.26 Formula Libre 1301 to 2000 31.81 1.108 20 1 11 Rhys Yeomans 43.03 Improved Production up to 2000 38.52 1.117 1 5 43.64 Sports Sedans up to 2000 39.01 1.119 2 12 Garry McIvor 1 13 Geoff Cooling 43.43 Sports Sedans 4WD 38.03 1.142 14 David Cantwell 44.66 Sports Sedans up to 2000 39.01 1.145 2 15 Peter Minahan 38.70 Formula Libre up to 1300 1.155 17 33.51 1 16 Bruce Minahan 38.82 Formula Libre up to 1300 33.51 1.158 2 15 17 Ian Maud 47.17 Production Sports Cars up to 2000 40.60 1.162 2 45.43 Sports Sedans 2001 and over 38.44 1.182 18 Arron Daniel 2 1.187 19 Jarrod Bryant 46.29 Sports Sedans up to 2000 39.01 3 20 Damien Pennycuick 46.98 Improved Production 2001 and over 39.21 1.198 3 1.199 21 Raymond Vella 48.03 Sports Cars up to 2000 40.06 2 49.12 Historic Group N 2001 and over 1.209 22 Ernie Corry 40.63 23 Laurie Johnson 47.55 Improved Production 2001 and over 39.21 1.213 4 24 David Casey 49.85 Sports Cars up to 2000 40.06 1.244 3 39.01 1.280 4 25 Joshua Bryant 49.94 Sports Sedans up to 2000 26 Les Morrall 50.86 Sports Sedans up to 2000 39.01 1.304 5 51.76 Improved Production up to 2000 1.344 27 Paul Murphy 38.52 28 Alexander Thorbecke 52.33 Sports Cars 2001 and over 36.70 1.426 1

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| 1 | Jim McNiven | 86.00 | Sports Sedans up to 2000 | 79.04 | 1.088 | 1 | 20 |
| 2 | Simon Wills | 90.14 | Production Sports Cars up to 2000 | 81.76 | 1.102 | 1 | 11 |
| 3 | Rhys Yeomans | 87.20 | Improved Production up to 2000 | 78.61 | 1.109 | 1 | 13 |
| 4 | Ian Speight | 92.06 | Production Sports Cars up to 2000 | 81.76 | 1.126 | 2 | 7 |
| 5 | Frank Penrose | 90.55 | Improved Production 2001 and over | 80.18 | 1.129 | 1 | 9 |
| 6 | Gavin Pollock | 90.61 | Sports Sedans 4WD | 80.02 | 1.132 | 1 | 8 |
| 7 | Jacob White | 90.16 | Sports Sedans 2001 and over | 79.09 | 1.140 | 1 | 10 |
| 8 | Karl Hess | 92.17 | Improved Production 2001 and over | 80.18 | 1.150 | 2 | 6 |
| 9 | Jeremy Banham | 93.28 | Sports Sedans 4WD | 80.02 | 1.166 | 2 | 5 |
| 10 | Declan Wills | 95.44 | Production Sports Cars up to 2000 | 81.76 | 1.167 | 3 | 2 |
| 11 | David French | 93.58 | Production Sports Cars 2001 and over | 80.15 | 1.168 | 1 | 4 |
| 12 | Scott Campbell | 96.90 | Production Sports Cars up to 2000 | 81.76 | 1.185 | 4 | |
| 13 | Deborah Pollock | 96.30 | Sports Sedans 4WD | 80.02 | 1.203 | 3 | |
| 14 | Brett Barker | 95.82 | Sports Sedans up to 2000 | 79.04 | 1.212 | 2 | 1 |
| 15 | Brett Matheson | 95.31 | Improved Production up to 2000 | 78.61 | 1.212 | 2 | 3 |
| 16 | Andrew Chambers | 97.12 | Improved Production up to 2000 | 78.61 | 1.235 | 3 | |
| 17 | Laurie Johnson | 100.49 | Improved Production 2001 and over | 80.18 | 1.253 | 3 | |
| 18 | Aileen French | 100.49 | Production Sports Cars 2001 and over | 80.15 | 1.254 | 2 | |
| 19 | Mike Barker | 86.63 | Formula Libre 1301 to 2000 | 68.93 | 1.257 | 1 | 17 |
| 20 | Peter Minahan | 87.11 | Formula Libre up to 1300 | 66.85 | 1.303 | 1 | 15 |
| 21 | John Trolove | 104.63 | Production Sports Cars 2001 and over | 80.15 | 1.305 | 3 | |
| 22 | Brett Hill | 105.75 | Improved Production 2001 and over | 80.18 | 1.319 | 4 | |
| 23 | Thomas Foley | 106.60 | Sports Sedans 4WD | 80.02 | 1.332 | 4 | |
| 24 | Alan Airey | 105.21 | Improved Production up to 2000 | 78.61 | 1.338 | 4 | |
| 25 | Jarrod Bryant | 107.79 | Sports Sedans up to 2000 | 79.04 | 1.364 | 3 | |
| 26 | Frank Oostermeyer | 111.50 | Production Sports Cars up to 2000 | 81.76 | 1.364 | 5 | |
| 27 | Cory Horter | 111.48 | Improved Production up to 2000 | 78.61 | 1.418 | 5 | |
| 28 | Paul Murphy | 111.68 | Improved Production up to 2000 | 78.61 | 1.421 | 6 | |
| 29 | Trevor Ross | 117.44 | Historic Other | 78.03 | 1.505 | 1 | |
| 30 | Alexander Thorbecke | 122.70 | Sports Cars 2001 and over | 79.83 | 1.537 | 1 | |



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| | # GCC Entrants | 43 | 35 | 32 | 28 | 30 | | |
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| 1 | Ian SPEIGHT | 1.067 | 0.991 | 1.000 | 1.032 | 1.126 | 5 | 5.215 |
| 2 | Rhys YEOMANS | 1.019 | 0.999 | 1.010 | 1.117 | 1.109 | 5 | 5.254 |
| 3 | Jim MCNIVEN | 1.048 | 1.086 | 1.012 | 1.067 | 1.088 | 5 | 5.301 |
| 4 | Jarrod BRYANT | 1.183 | 1.199 | 1.141 | 1.187 | 1.364 | 5 | 6.073 |
| 5 | John Trolove | | 1.081 | 1.038 | 1.095 | 1.305 | 4 | 4.520 |
| 6 | Mike BARKER | 1.131 | 1.061 | | 1.108 | 1.257 | 4 | 4.558 |
| 7 | Peter Minahan | | 1.116 | 0.990 | 1.155 | 1.303 | 4 | 4.564 |
| 8 | David CASEY | 1.157 | 1.285 | 1.094 | 1.244 | | 4 | 4.780 |
| 9 | Jordan JAMES | 1.028 | 1.046 | | 1.025 | | 3 | 3.099 |
| 10 | Jacob White | | | 0.985 | 1.036 | 1.140 | 3 | 3.16 |
| 11 | Terry Selwyn | 1.059 | 1.060 | 1.068 | | | 3 | 3.18 |
| 12 | Frank Penrose | | | 1.011 | 1.075 | 1.129 | 3 | 3.210 |
| 13 | Matthew HEALY | 1.157 | 1.081 | 0.983 | | | 3 | 3.22 |
| 14 | Bruce MINAHAN | 1.094 | | 1.010 | 1.158 | | 3 | 3.263 |
| 15 | Karl HESS | 1.054 | | | 1.081 | 1.150 | 3 | 3.28 |
| 16 | Sei VELLA | 1.055 | 1.151 | | 1.083 | | 3 | 3.29 |
| 17 | David CANTWELL | 1.095 | 1.085 | | 1.145 | | 3 | 3.32 |
| 18 | Dale BARKER | 1.135 | 1.122 | 1.079 | | | 3 | 3.33 |
| 19 | Geoff COOLING | 1.093 | 1.118 | | 1.142 | | 3 | 3.35 |
| 20 | Brett Barker | | 1.138 | 1.076 | | 1.212 | 3 | 3.42 |
| 21 | Raymond DORE | 1.163 | 1.139 | 1.128 | | | 3 | 3.430 |
| 22 | Raymond VELLA | 1.105 | 1.242 | | 1.199 | | 3 | 3.54 |
| 23 | Laurie Johnson | | | 1.171 | 1.213 | 1.253 | 3 | 3.63 |
| 24 | Cory Horter | | 1.177 | 1.188 | | 1.418 | 3 | 3.78 |
| 25 | Joshua BRYANT | 1.274 | 1.267 | | 1.280 | | 3 | 3.82 |
| 26 | Alexander Thorbecke | | | 1.202 | 1.426 | 1.537 | 3 | 4.16 |
| 27 | Thomas INKSTER | 0.992 | | | 0.977 | | 2 | 1.96 |
| 28 | Dale Hocking | | 1.035 | 0.942 | | | 2 | 1.97 |
| 29 | David MAHON | 1.005 | 1.007 | | | | 2 | 2.01 |
| 30 | Stephen LESTER | 1.046 | | 1.000 | | | 2 | 2.04 |
| 31 | Steven BUFFINTON | 1.056 | 1.002 | | | | 2 | 2.05 |
| 32 | Ewen Moile | | 1.080 | 0.984 | | | 2 | 2.06 |
| 33 | Stuart HAVERKORT | 1.038 | 1.054 | | | | 2 | 2.09 |
| 34 | Simon Wills | | | 1.006 | | 1.102 | 2 | 2.10 |
| 35 | Lasith LIYANAGE | 1.083 | 1.055 | | | | 2 | 2.13 |
| 36 | Ian Maud | | | 1.002 | 1.162 | | 2 | 2.16 |
| 37 | Garry MCIVOR | 1.083 | | | 1.119 | | 2 | 2.20 |
| 38 | Colin NEWITT | 1.059 | 1.147 | | | | 2 | 2.20 |
| 39 | David FRENCH | 1.090 | | | | 1.168 | 2 | 2.25 |
| 40 | Keith WILSON | 1.151 | 1.151 | | | | 2 | 2.30 |
| 41 | Ernie CORRY | 1.103 | | | 1.209 | | 2 | 2.31 |
| 42 | Brett Matheson | | | 1.122 | | 1.212 | 2 | 2.33 |
| 43 | Aileen FRENCH | 1.152 | | | | 1.254 | 2 | 2.40 |
| 44 | Alan AIREY | 1.116 | | | | 1.338 | 2 | 2.45 |

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| 47 | Brett Hill | | | 1.204 | | 1.319 | 2 | 2.523 |
| 48 | Paul Murphy | | | | 1.344 | 1.421 | 2 | 2.764 |
| 49 | Les Morrall | | 1.479 | | 1.304 | | 2 | 2.783 |
| 50 | Brett HAYWARD | 0.985 | | | | | 1 | 0.985 |
| 51 | James LAMBERT | 0.992 | | | | | 1 | 0.992 |
| 52 | Spencer Lambert | | 1.000 | | | | 1 | 1.000 |
| 53 | Warren Heath | | 1.002 | | | | 1 | 1.002 |
| 54 | Roderick Macnab | | | 1.023 | | | 1 | 1.023 |
| 55 | Joel Templar | | | 1.026 | | | 1 | 1.026 |
| 56 | Brent COLEMAN | 1.030 | | | | | 1 | 1.030 |
| 57 | James Dyer | | 1.046 | | | | 1 | 1.046 |
| 58 | Gregory ACKLAND | 1.052 | | | | | 1 | 1.052 |
| 59 | Wesley Inkster | | | 1.080 | | | 1 | 1.080 |
| 60 | Kevin Baptist | | 1.083 | | | | 1 | 1.083 |
| 61 | Dmitri Djulai | | | 1.091 | | | 1 | 1.093 |
| 62 | Alan FOLEY | 1.091 | | | | | 1 | 1.091 |
| 63 | Jeremy BOOTH | 1.103 | | | | | 1 | 1.103 |
| 64 | James MCCOY | 1.120 | | | | | 1 | 1.120 |
| 65 | Tegan COLLINS | 1.125 | | | | | 1 | 1.125 |
| 66 | Gavin Pollock | | | | | 1.132 | 1 | 1.132 |
| 67 | Ian MAYZE | 1.151 | | | | | 1 | 1.151 |
| 68 | Jeremy Banham | | | | | 1.166 | 1 | 1.166 |
| 69 | Declan Wills | | | | | 1.167 | 1 | 1.167 |
| 70 | Arron Daniel | | | | 1.182 | | 1 | 1.182 |
| 71 | Scott Campbell | | | | | 1.185 | 1 | 1.185 |
| 72 | Damien Pennycuick | | | | 1.198 | | 1 | 1.198 |
| 73 | Deborah Pollock | | | | | 1.203 | 1 | 1.203 |
| 74 | Bobby TUIT | 1.210 | | | | | 1 | 1.210 |
| 75 | Peter Horter | | 1.213 | | | | 1 | 1.213 |
| 76 | Edward LEWIS | | 1.223 | | | | 1 | 1.223 |
| 77 | Andrew Chambers | | | | | 1.235 | 1 | 1.235 |
| 78 | Nicholas Spackman | | | 1.255 | | | 1 | 1.255 |
| 79 | Ernest MAWHINNEY | 1.311 | | | | | 1 | 1.312 |
| 80 | Luke Spackman | | | 1.311 | | | 1 | 1.311 |
| 81 | Frank Oostermeyer | | | | | 1.364 | 1 | 1.364 |
| 82 | Trevor Ross | | | | | 1.505 | 1 | 1.505 |
| 83 | Jane Lester | | | 1.510 | | | 1 | 1.510 |

| PLACE | ш | VHCC Rd 2 17-Feb-24 | GCC Khanacross 04-Feb-24 | RACES 1 17-Mar-24 | GCC Khanacross 24-Mar-24 | VHCC Round 4 21-Apr-24 | VKC Khanacross 28-Apr-24 | GCC Multiclub Hillclimb 26-May-24 | GCC Khanacross 09-Jun-24 | RACES 2 16-Jun-24 | VHCC Rd 3 30-Jun-24 | GCC Multiclub Hill Climb 28-Jul-24 | Rounds | CHAMPIONSHIP @ 29-Jul-24 |
|-------|-------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|--|--------|-----------------------------|
| 4 | Simon Wills | | 20 | | 20 | | 20 | 2 | 20 | | | 11 | 9 | 93 |
| 2 | Peter Minahan | | | 17 | | 11 | | 15 | | | 17 | 15 | 2 | 27. |
| ж | Mike Barker | 13 | | | | 17 | | | | | 20 | 17 | 4 | 29 |
| 4 | Roderick Macnab | | 17 | | 17 | | 17 | | 15 | | | | 4 | 99 |
| 2 | Bruce Minahan | 11 | | 15 | | | | 13 | | 10 | 15 | | ın | 49 |
| 9 | David French | | 13 | | 15 | | 15 | | 10 | | | 4 | ın | 57 |
| 7 | Ewen Moile | | | | | 15 | | 17 | | 17 | | | ю | 49 |
| ∞ | Matthew HEALY | 6 | | | | 13 | | 20 | | | | | ю | 42 |
| 6 | Rhys Yeomans | 2 | | 7 | | 9 | | 6 | | | 2 | 13 | 9 | 42 |
| 10 | Jordan James | 7 | | 11 | | 7 | | | | | 13 | | 4 | 38 |
| 11 | Scott Seddon | | 11 | | | | 13 | | 13 | | | | ю | 37 |
| 12 | David CASEY | | | 20 | | | | | | 15 | | | 2 | 35 |
| 13 | David MAHON | 15 | | | | 20 | | | | | | | 2 | 35 |
| 14 | Peter Ferguson | | 10 | | 13 | | | | 11 | | | | m | 34 |
| 15 | Declan Wills | | 15 | | | | | | 17 | | | 2 | m | 34 |
| 16 | Jim MCNIVEN | 1 | | | | | | 7 | | | 9 | 20 | 4 | 34 |
| 17 | Aileen French | | 6 | | 9 | | 11 | | 7 | | | | 4 | 33 |
| 18 | Frank Penrose | | | 4 | | | | 8 | | 4 | 8 | 6 | 2 | 33 |
| 19 | Jacob White | | | | | | | 11 | | | 10 | 10 | m | 31 |
| 20 | Aston Hill | | 9 | | 7 | | 8 | | 9 | | | | 4 | 27 |
| 21 | Gavin Pollock | | | 10 | | | | | | 6 | | 8 | ĸ | 27 |
| 22 | Zander Wills | | 80 | | 6 | | | | 6 | | | | m | 26 |
| 23 | Alyssa Perks | | 7 | | 8 | | | | 8 | | | | m | 23 |
| 24 | Ian SPEIGHT | | | | | 2 | | 4 | | | 6 | 7 | 4 | 22 |
| 25 | James Dyer | | | 13 | | 80 | | | | | | | 2 | 21 |
| 56 | Brett HAYWARD | 20 | | | | | | | | | | | П | 20 |
| 27 | Keith Wilson | 10 | | | | 10 | | | | | | | 2 | 20 |
| 28 | Patrick Malanaphy | | | | | | | | | 20 | | | н | 20 |
| 29 | Sarah Seddon | | 5 | | 3 | | 7 | | 5 | | | | 4 | 20 |
| 30 | Thomas Inkster | 8 | | | | | | | | | 11 | | 2 | 19 |
| 31 | Debbie Pollock | | | 6 | | | | | | 8 | | | 2 | 17 |
| 32 | Gregory ACKLAND | 17 | | | | | | | | | | | н | 17 |
| 33 | Stephen LESTER | | | 1 | | | | 10 | | 2 | | | æ | 16 |
| 34 | Caitlin Seddon | | 4 | | 1 | | 9 | | 4 | | | | 4 | 15 |
| 35 | Stuart Haverkort | 4 | | 8 | | 3 | | | | | | | m | 15 |
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| 37 | Steven Buffinton | 25 | | | | 6 | | | | | | | 2 | 14 |
| 38 | David Thirlwall | | | | | | | | | 13 | | | П | 13 |
| 39 | Karl HESS | | | | | | | | | | 7 | 9 | 2 | 13 |
| 40 | Joel Templar | | | | | | | 2 | | 7 | | | 2 | 12 |
| 41 | Blake Coady | | | | 11 | | | | | | | | 1 | 11 |
| 42 | Dale Hocking | | | | | 4 | | 9 | | | | | 2 | 10 |
| 43 | Dean Evans | | | | 10 | | | | | | | | 7 | 10 |
| 44 | William Morgan | | | | | | 6 | | | | | | 1 | 6 |
| 46 | Brent COLEMAN | 9 | | | | | | | | | | | н | 9 |
| 47 | Greg Brown | | | 9 | | | | | | | | | 1 | 9 |
| 48 | Alan AIREY | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | П | 2 |
| 49 | Andrew Evans | | | | 2 | | | | | | | | 1 | 5 |
| 20 | Warren Heath | | | | | 2 | | | | | | | 1 | 2 |
| 51 | Sei VELLA | | | | | 1 | | | | | 4 | | 2 | 2 |
| 52 | Jeremy Banham | | | | | | | | | | | 5 | 1 | 5 |
| 53 | John Trolove | | | 2 | | | | 1 | | | 1 | | m | 4 |
| 54 | Adam Boughton | | 3 | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 3 |
| 55 | Archie Hammond | | | | | | | | 3 | | | | П | 3 |
| 99 | Colin Newitt | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 3 |
| 22 | Don Atkinson | | | | | | | | | 3 | | | П | 3 |
| 28 | lan Maud | | | | | | | 3 | | | | | 1 | 3 |
| 29 | James MCCOY | | | 3 | | | | | | | | | 1 | 3 |
| 09 | Brett Matheson | | | | | | | | | | | 3 | 1 | 3 |
| 61 | Geoff COOLING | | | | | | | | | | 3 | | 1 | 3 |
| 62 | Keven Stoopman | | | | | | | | | 2 | | | 1 | 2 |
| 63 | Rehan Liyanage | | 2 | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 2 |
| 64 | Sam Crowe | | | | 2 | | | | | | | | П | 2 |
| 9 | Garry MCIVOR | | | | | | | | | | 2 | | 1 | 2 |
| 99 | Alexandra Suzic | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | П | 1 |
| 29 | Brett Barker | | | | | | | | | | | , | , | 7 |

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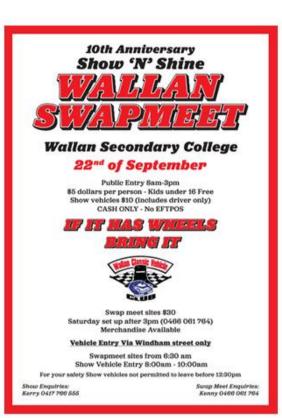
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