



WELLINGTON CAR CLUB (INC.)

Bulletin September 2013

Welcome to the September Bulletin.

News, news and more news. Shelly Bay Sprint, AGM and Rush – the movie.

Clubnight - AGM

Our next club night will be our Annual General Meeting.

7.30pm – 24th September
Wellington Car Club, Clubrooms
Russell Terrace, Newtown

Also see the notice of meeting, sent out separately.

With club numbers again starting to grow, and membership back above 80 people, it is time that we look at expanding the club events and participation. This means that the many hands makes light work principal is most appropriate.

Make sure you come down to be part of the democratic process, and to lend a hand at what ever level suits your circumstances.

We all need to pitch in together to make this club thrive, and to honour the huge legacy this club holds in NZ motorsport history.

Rush

This has now been confirmed for Tuesday 15th October at Lighthouse Cinema Cuba, 29 Wigan Street. We have hired a theatre just for us, with 72 seat capacity. 7.30pm for drinks etc, with an 8pm movie start. See the attached poster for more info.

Tickets \$20 each, and needed to be pre purchased from Catherine Skinner to ensure your place. We expect this to be very popular and will probably sell out. Make sure you get in now.

Membership Renewal

As you will be aware, memberships are now due for renewal. The annual roll over is 31 July, so make sure you get your payment in asap. If paying by internet banking, please ensure you email Brian Budd to let him know you have paid.

Committee

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Thank you to those who have already put payment through.

Also, remember to tell others about how to take advantage of our non-competing and family membership deals.

Shelly Bay Sprint

All systems are go for this event on Sunday 15th September. Regs and entry forms are available on our web site. We have 28 entries already.

As usual, we encourage our members to compete (in caged cars). Also, as usual we are looking for assistance and help to run the event on the day. If you, are available to assist, please email wcc@seabrightmotorsport.co.nz to ensure you get the best seats in the house.

Pass this on and let everyone know, either to compete or to help out. The more the merrier.

Coming Events - 2013

Rally Xtreme

A big congratulations to Marty Smith who has won the Rally Xtreme XT2 – Club 4WD class for this season. Well done.

Mike Hodgetts

As you will have seen in emails the club sent out, we are very sad to report the passing of Mike Hodgetts, very unexpectedly and suddenly. Mike was a long time member of our club, a very active competitor in his well used Toyota Corolla, an enthusiastic volunteer, and all round good guy.

The committee are very saddened by this news, it has come as a shock to us all.

However, the club and the wider motorsport family were well represented at his funeral. The number of people from many different clubs has shown just how well he was liked and respected. We will be making special mention of Mike at Shelly Bay (where he was due to compete on his 50th Birthday). He will be missed by all.

Assistance Required

Our web site and Facebook page are now our two primary ways of communicating with our members. Therefore we need a couple of people to assist in keeping these updated and keeping the information fresh.

You don't need to commit to hours of work, just a bit here and there to post info and keep things rolling. 2 or 3 people adding info regularly would be all that is needed. Especially to highlight members who are competing and achieving results that otherwise wouldn't be shared.

If you are able to help, and are keen to keep these important links to our wider audience going, then please email wcc@seabrightmotorsport.co.nz and we'll get you set up and running in no time.

Email Addresses Needed

Thank you to those who have advised of recent changes to their contact details.

However, over time email addresses get changed and our mailing list is getting a bit out of date.

Therefore if anyone can advise of the current email addresses for the following people, that would be appreciated. wcc@seabrightmotorsport.co.nz

11 Sept	Night Trial	
14 Sept	Gravel Hillclimb	Mini Pikes Peak, Wanganui
15 Sept	Seal Sprint	Shelly Bay, Wellington
15 Sept	Intermarque Sprints	Manfeild
21 Sept	Dual Car Sprints	Taupo
22 Sept	Clubmans Race Meeting	Taupo
22 Sept	Rally Sprint	Hawkes Bay
28 Sept	Tarmac Rally	Taupo
5 Oct	Rally Wairarapa	
6 Oct	IRC Race Meeting	Manfeild
12 Oct	Seal Hillclimb	Te Onepu rd, Hastings
13 Oct	Gravel Autocross	Otaihunga
20 Oct	Gravel Sprint	Wairongomai Rd
26 Oct – 3 Nov	Targa Rally	
27 Oct	Seal Sprint	Port Rd, Seaview
28 Oct	Seal Autocross	Trentham
2 & 3 Nov	Dual Car Sprints	Manfeild, Road & Track Series
3 Nov	Seal Sprint	Admiral Rd
10 Nov	MG Classic Race Meeting	Manfeild
10 Nov	Gravel Hillclimb	Velley View TBC
17 Nov	Grass Autocross	Silverstream

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