



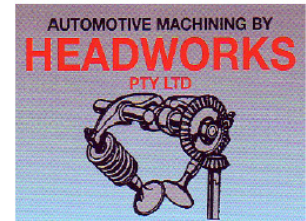
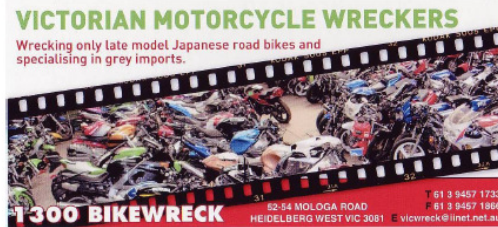
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Presidents Report

How can you help Historic Racing? How can you do your bit to make sure the best form of motorsport continues to grow and develop? What part can you play?

At HMRV we have a whole heap of behind the scenes people that all play a role in keeping the juggernaut rolling along. Some are well known around racing circles; others are a bit more in the background. I thought I might take the opportunity to shine the spotlight on a few....

Competitors have always commented on the quality of our trophies. We have Gayle Mann at Club Sport Trophies to thank for those. Gayle is a great supporter of the club and always provides classy trophies at a great price. She's an independent business woman and the club is proud to be associated with her.

We have two great photographers that always support our events....Pete Wright at KTJ Images and Sid Evans at SCE Photography. Both top blokes and huge supporters of the club. The guys always provide Glen with images for Flatchat and it's their photos that are on show on the TV screen at the Christmas dinner. Mick Chegwidgen is the clubs Red Plate Co-ordinator. Mick's been doing this role for a few years now and is both well regarded and respected for the manner in which he handles what is a growing part of club business. Recently, Russell Craddock has volunteered to assist Mick and we welcome his assistance and enthusiasm.

Merchandise has been going through a resurgence of late. Rebecca Betteridge has taken over and re-vamped the whole catalogue. She's created a lot of interest and sales have gone through the roof. Bec's working on a lot of new ideas so stay tuned for some more great fashion "must have's"

Not everyone has to be on the committee. You don't have to be an official or a flaggie. But anyone can support the club by taking on a small role or providing a quality service. Our club and our events are recognised all over the country and this only happens as a result of all the hard work put in by a small army of supporters.

Historic Winton is only a few weeks away and Leanne and I are once again looking forward to catching up with all our mates and slip sliding the outfit round the track. Always a fun meeting....

Check out the Vic Titles report in this issue.....another awesome meeting.

Cheers,
Marchy.



Well it seems there's no stopping HMRV's favourite all girl racing team. They can now add National TV stars to their impressive resume after appearing on the Today show.. Well done!

Today Show stars Chrissie and Leanne take some time out from their busy media commitment schedules to offer the President some of their wisdom.

HMRV Club meetings are conducted at the

**Mitcham Angling Club
11 Brunswick Road, Mitcham**



Meetings are (usually) held every 2nd Monday of the month from 7pm SHARP:

Come along and join us!



Ian Glover on his way to a new lap record



Oh Dear!....
Three sidecars and one corner just doesn't add up



Colin Heather nicely tucked-in on his way to winning 600cc Forgotten Era



Michael Dibb flying on the Unlimited Forgotten Era



Great work as always by our volunteers



New comers Tim and Michelle Loone having a huge amount of fun on the newly refurbished Urquhart P4

Victorian Historic Titles action courtesy of



Jack Wright on the Trease Harley was dominant in Unlimited Classic



Victorian Historic Titles 2013

Another great weekend for the Victorian Titles held at the State Motorcycle Complex Broadford.

A huge contingent of riders and support crew travelled from all over the country to compete in what has become one of the “must do” events on the historic racing calendar. And with only a few minor incidents delays were minimal and the full racing program was completed ensuring everybody left the event happy and completely exhausted.

The weather was great and with conditions near perfect a number of lap records were broken. It’s really a testament to our sport that competitors continually push the boundaries of what these bikes are capable of and the incredibly talented riders able to get the everything out of their machines. Not to mention all the people who spend countless hours and dollars behind the scenes preparing these bikes.

The following records now stand!

- 1:04.948 by Jack Wright in Unlimited Classic,
- 1:14.088 by Ian Glover in Post Classic 125’s,
- 59.799 set by Michael Dibb in Unlimited Forgotten Era and
- 1:15.639 by Bruce and Graham Marston in Unlimited Classic Sidecars

And it wasn’t just the front runners revelling in the conditions. There were a number of new comers who finished their first meeting all smiles and already counting down to the Southern Classic in October to do it all again. Personal bests were also recorded by many of our regulars, well done to all.

The Richard Frank Memorial Handicap lived up to it’s reputation as one of the highlights of the meeting. Handicapper Mick Large did another great job and the field was bunching up nicely for a run to the finish when Brian & Leanne March, Geoff & Zane Dodds, and Stu Gorrie and Aiden Westrip all tried to be squeeze through schoolhouse corner. It didn’t end well! They all went bush but thankfully with only slight damage to their machines. The fast closing pack took full advantage and the final standing saw the Marstons 1st with the Toddys 2nd and Garth and Paul a well deserved 3rd.

The Harold Carter was a little less dramatic but equally entertaining with all the Classic classes mixed in providing a great spectacle. Jack Wright took an early lead and stayed out in front for the entire race. Garth Francis and Phil Paton enjoyed a great race continually swapping 2nd and 3rd with Garth finally able to get over the line in the second leaving Phil to take third.

A very special thanks to all our officials and volunteers who ensured we had people in the right place at the right time which is crucial to an event of this size running smoothly so we can all go out on the track and have fun.

Congratulation also to our raffle winners Phil W, Yvonne O and Mo D all lucky enough to come away with some fantastic prizes. Over \$400 dollars was raised for Royal Children’s Cystic Fibrosis Research.



Richard Frank Memorial winners and Unlimited Classic lap record holders Bruce and Graham Marston



Paul Kenny/Garth Francis, Robert/Lloyd Todd and Bruce/Graham Marston at the trophy presentation.

Richard Frank Classic S/car Handicap			
	Bruce Marston / Graham Marston	Robert Todd / Lloyd Todd	Garth Francis / Paul Kenny
Harold Carter Fastest 30 Classic Trophy			
	Jack Wright	Garth Francis	Phillip Paton

Victorian Titles Results 2013

Congratulations to all our winners!

Vintage Solos	1st	2nd	3rd
	Keith Campbell	David Morse	Des Heaney
Class C Solos			
	Wayne Fary	Stan Mucha	Ross Bolding
Classic Solos 250cc			
	Jonathon Houston	Darrell Bailey	Lincoln Wilson Tucker
Classic Solos 350cc			
	Ian Saunders	Phillip Paton	Keith Campbell
Classic Solos 500cc			
	Jack Wright	Graham Roberts	Bob Rosenthal
Classic Solos Unlimited			
	Garth Francis	Mick Hone	Russell Craddock
Post Classic Solos 125cc			
	Ian Glover	John Boag	
Post Classic Solos 250cc			
	John Imrie	Darrell Bailey	Phillip Watson
Post Classic Solos 350cc			
	Troy Bondarenko	Lincoln Wilson Tucker	Robin Gibson
Post Classic Solos 500cc			
	Lincoln Wilson Tucker	Chris Pash	Tayne Forrest
Post Classic Solos Unlimited			
	Darren Tindale	Greg Parish	Stuart Gorrie
Forgotten Era Solos 125cc			
	Peter Forkes	David Gazley	Denis Brown
Forgotten Era Solos 250cc			
	Wayne Fary	Tony Sara	Robin Williams
Forgotten Era Solos 350cc			
	Kevin Youngson	Joe Valenzisi	John Boag
Forgotten Era Solos 500c			
	Colin Heather	Nick Van De Zand	Lindsay Russell
Forgotten Era Solos Unlimited			
	Michael Dibb	Stuart Loly	Mick Moloney
Classic Sidecars up to 650cc			
	Robert Todd / Lloyd Todd	Stuart Gorrie / Aiden Westrip	Geoff Dodds / Zane Dodds
Classic Sidecars Unlimited			
	Bruce Marston /Graham Marston	Garth Francis / Paul Kenny	Greame Wagland / Cynthia Lopez
Post Classic Sidecars up to 836cc			
	Calvin Merlo / Colin Magnay	Rick Chalmers / Craig Goodwin	Butch Davies / Wal Dodds
Post Classic Sidecars Unlimited			
	John Clancy / Barb Magnay	Brian Williams / Paul Newman	
Forgotten Era Sidecars			
	Bruce Collins / Peter De Angelis	Ian Gardner Kevin Burns	Darren Bilney / Josephine Voltic
Formula 2 Sidecars			
	Ron Marten / Gavin Smith	Chrissie Clancy / Leanne March	Mick Alton / Steve Bonney

APRIL GENERAL MEETING

Date: 15th of April 2013

Time :7.00 p.m.

Venue : Mitcham Angling Club



Present : Brian March, Leanne March, Rebecca Betteridge, Glen Dane, Dave Philpots, Craig Anson, John Daley, Doug Hicks, Phil Watson, Kelly Spargo, Ellie Betteridge, Robert Todd

Apologies : Mick Chegwiddden, Marg Todd.

The meeting opened at:7.15 p.m.

ITEM 1: MATTERS ARISING FROM LAST MINUTES:

Leanne and I had a bit of a computer meltdown at the last meeting and we lost the minutes. We apologise for this but it was a bit beyond our control.

Moved : Leanne

Seconded : Rebecca

ITEM 2: PRESIDENTS REPORT:

Refer attached.

Moved: Dave

Seconded: Craig

ITEM 3: SECRETARIES REPORT

Number of different contact phone numbers for the club. Can we consolidate.

Web site and membership cards needs to be updated. Craig to arrange.

Membership list needs to be consolidated – Marchy's address to go on new membership renewals so the membership lists can be kept in one location.

Brian and Craig to discuss finer details to facilitate the change.

Moved: John

Seconded: Doug

ITEM 4: DELEGATES REPORT

New President of MV : Rob Maestrom.

3 new members on the board.

Dave tabled the AGM notes.

Historic Management Committee – working on side car bonanza.

Also other strategies.

Moved: Phil

Seconded: Brian

ITEM5: RACE SECRETARIES REPORT:

Meeting went really well - \$31,604 sent to Doug for the meeting.

Starting to get entries for Winton – do not have car park passes to send out yet.

Marquee did not turn up. Did not need it – used the constructed sheds instead. Will probably use this system in future.

When people decide to withdraw from the race meeting they need to let the race secretary know as timing needs to be advised.

Moved: Leanne

Seconded: Bec

ITEM 6: TREASURERS REPORT

Term Deposit : \$61,785; Trading : \$23903 with more money to deposit; raffle netted \$409.70; gate takings \$3,834.

Discussion ensued as to whether tickets, with tear off system works or not.

Craig to send details of how ticket system should work to Brian so he can discuss with Craig at Broadford.

Doug to determine how many tickets were printed and how many we did not use, so we can only order as many as we need.

Moved: Glen

Seconded:

Dave

Item 7: PROMOTION OFFICERS REPORT

New sponsors – Midlife Cycles; Lucky 13 Garage.

List of sponsors for Winton – no charges. Free ad in program.

All finalised for Winton.

Moved: Craig

Seconded:

John

Item 8: MERCHANDISING OFFICER'S REPORT

Becky handed out merchandise update – attached.

John to speak to Dave Dickson about another design for southern classic – perhaps a sidecar.

Designs to be submitted for HMRAV Hoody. Kelly to speak to Brad Gorrie.

Discussion ensued on other items for promotion – skins; pens; key rings, G Strings.....

Moved: Doug

Seconded:

Phil

Item 9: WINTON

Deadline for program : 10 May 2013.

Require list of officials – John Paynter Clerk of Course.

Steward still with officials panel – could be Vic O'Driscoll.

Vehicle passes still not printed – will be done.

Display ride – road bikes for parade laps - up to 1972.

Same race schedule/program as for last year.

Show bags available – approximately 100 made available.

Next meeting – final one prior to event.

Timing: Kelly to liaise via Dave/or direct to Lisa at Winton. List of our requirements to be provided and discussed before the event.

Timekeepers contact details:

Time Keeper , Lisa Drayton

Eldee Timing eldee@optusnet.com.au

Permit: Kelly – all sorted.

PA System: Sourced by Phil and tested at the Vic Titles. Works well and can be used for late night drunken Karaoke sessions. Another speaker to be hired.

Medical: Organised by Austin 7 – Racesafe.

Officials: Kelly to organise.

Scrutineering: Organised – Morgans

Volunteers: Phil/Lisa – all organised. Just require a list of all people staying at the pub.

Entry forms/ Supp. Regs/Promotion: Done

Program /sponsors: Doghouse & Glen – all done. Brian to send an e:mail to Doug Gorrie to see if he wants to write something up about BSA.

Trophies: Brian to arrange trophies/need entry list from Kel.

Bill Luke – Brian and Leanne to chase up. Ken Lucas Trophy – Kelly to bring.

Merchandise: Bec to organise a small selection.

Club Van and Trailer: Betteridges may not be going so we need someone to bring the van and trailer up. Phil to consider – to confirm at next meeting.

HMRAV Pits: Brian has organised the first two motorcycle pits for Race Secretary and distinguished guests. Glen Walch offered drinks at his place on Saturday night of Winton.

Moved: Brian

Seconded: Leanne

Item 10: GENERAL BUSINESS

Think about what we do with trophies that are not used – do we arrange a buy back with Gail.

Make up some comical categories for Tarrengower to use trophies for.

Russell Craddock wants to help out Mick with Red Plate work and also other club events. Brian to give Mick a ring to confirm that Committee is happy and to proceed.

Slings and poles required for picking up bikes that cannot roll. MV handed out an award for volunteer/official of the meeting. Won by Kurt Meyer.

Geelong speed trials. Scott Pidgon, Motor Sport Director wants involvement from HMRAV for the bike component of the 2013 speed trials. Dave to prepare some dot points on how the bikes need to be run.

Dave to e:mail Toddy – any work on the Geelong Speed Trials yet. Dave to speak with Scott advising of HMRAV interest, with conditions, to attend meeting after Winton.

Craig advised that a Record of red plates form needs to be established – can a document be created that records all the red plate work? Brian to follow up.

Marg raised request, (via Kelly) to purchase a new printer – more modern. Committee agreed – Kelly to arrange quotations. Kelly to present at next meeting.

Kelly and Marg don't use lap top – needs to be upgraded. Purchase an external hard drive to be attached to people's own lap tops.

Need to confirm costs of red plate inspections and joining. Brian explained \$130 up front fee.

Meeting closed at 9.20 pm

Upcoming events and committee meeting dates *(subject to change!)*

May

Saturday 4th Female Ride Day (Broadford)
Monday 13th Committee/General meeting (Mitcham)
Saturday 25th & Sunday 26th Winton 2 + 4 (Winton)
Monday 27th HISTORIC PRACTICE DAY (Broadford)

June

Monday 10th Committee/General meeting (Mitcham)

July

Monday 8th Committee/General meeting (Mitcham)
Saturday 20th & Sunday 21st QEMSC Big Chill (Carnell Raceway Stanthorpe QLD) #1
Monday 22nd HISTORIC PRACTICE DAY (Broadford)
Sunday 28th Come & Try Day (Broadford)

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Aiden Westrip

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Craig Waters

Darren, Gail & Ricky McDonald

Chris Tuckett

Frankie Alibi

Grahame Barclay

Chris Wilcox

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