

THE

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COMPETITION MOTORCYCLE CLUB OF W.A.



NOTICE OF AGM

Wednesday the 16th December 2015.

Come along and nominate yourself, or someone else to be on the committee or President,

Vice President, Secretary or Treasurer etc etc.

It's important that we all attend, it's your club we need to ensure we have the executive elected by the majority of members.

Please bring a plate of nibbles, and ensure your membership is current so you can nominate/vote.

ANNUAL DINNER

This Saturday Night - 21 November!

PRESIDENT'S REPORTS- *By Bill Hargrave*

ANNUAL DINNER

This year's Annual Dinner and Awards Presentation Night will be held on Saturday 21 November at the RAAF Memorial Estate in Bull Creek, the same venue as last year. Doors will open from 6:00pm for a 6:30 start. There will be a band and dancing, the band is called Sugartown Two. Club championship trophies and perpetual trophies will be presented on the night.

FUND-RAISER SAUSAGE SIZZLE AND BIKE DISPLAY FOR THE 2016 ISLAND CLASSIC

- By Annie Tregger

2 January 2016 at Bunnings, Melville.

If you are entering next year's Island Classic, please read this:- Dave and Michelle Gapes have generously offered their time and effort to help the entrants for the 2016 Island Classic raise funds towards the cost of garages at the event. Dave and Michelle were the instigators of the last sausage sizzle and bike display, which raised over \$1200 for the club, on a wet and stormy day, with a small band of helpers. This time the weather should be rather better and a bit warmer. The date may not suit everyone but there should be some big crowds spending their Christmas Gift Vouchers at good 'ol Bunnings and with a bit of loose change left over for a snagger or two.

But, here's the important bit

THIS SAUSAGE SIZZLE AND BIKE DISPLAY IS FOR THE GUYS WHO ARE GOING TO NEXT YEAR'S ISLAND CLASSIC, SO IF YOU'RE GOING TO THE EVENT, YOU SHOULD BE HELPING TO RAISE THE FUNDS ?????

This club event, like any other, depends on volunteers. At trophy presentations, we all thank the volunteers but this is an opportunity for racers to become volunteers and help raise funds for their own event. Dave and Michelle have volunteered their time to help the guys who are going racing, so come on, guys, if you're going to the Island Classic, lend a hand at the sausage sizzle, because you will be the ones who benefit. Contact Dave or Michelle on 0432 743 398 or at d.mgapes@hotmail.com if you can help in any way, whether cooking the BBQ, displaying a bike, helping at the bike display or helping out generally. All helpers will be welcome.

COALFIELDS CLASSIC.

Classic by name and Classic in reality, with 10 lovely classic machines entered on Sunday plus Andrew Bartleets' lovingly restored Ridge having it's maiden shake down on Saturday! Once again the weather was fantastic (for Collie). Heavy rain Friday afternoon, but perfect on Tuning and race day. About 12 first time riders rode on Saturday with skill levels improving.

The programme ran so smoothly that Graham Pritchard (our Steward) suggested adding 2 extra laps per race for the last round of events. this went down well with all competitors, something we might look at for next season. Once again the Gender Challenge wasn't taken out by the male species, with Kathleen Mercer and Suellyn Luckett being the dominant sex.

The sidecars were their entertaining selves with Glenn and "up in the air" Blake Murray finally killing the Suzuki engine! We ended the season with the club sponsored bbq, well organised again by Michelle and David Gapes and co-opted assistants, and greatly enjoyed by all. Once again a big THANKS to our volunteers, officials, Jason at Collie Motoplex for making us welcome, our first aid staff, Lee Crosby for his tireless work, and one man who nobody sees but we all know him when the lights go out - Geoff Blennerhassett, life member and starter. See you all at the wind up.

Vale Ralph Mammoliti Snr

I attended the funeral service of Ralph Mammoliti Snr on Thursday. Ralph is the Father of our stand-in Race secretary Terina Hickey and Ralph Jnr, and Grandad to Lachlan Hickey who came through our Junior ranks.
RIP Ralph.

Vale Linda Jiggins

Very sad news also of the passing Linda Jiggins wife of long time member of our Club Keith Jiggins. After a long and difficult illness she finally passed peacefully away surrounded by her family on the weekend. RIP Linda

On behalf of all the members we send our most sincere condolences to both the families at this very sad time - Bob and Maureen

CLUB MEMBERSHIP 2016

As you all know our club memberships expire on NOVEMBER 30 each year so it's time to start thinking about paying your annual subscription before you membership expires.

The Membership Application Form for 2016 is available on the club website. Membership application forms must be signed and dated by the applicant.

Current financial Members; The annual membership fee for current financial members who pay their 2016 membership subscription before 30 November 2015 has not gone up; it's still \$80 for competition members and \$40 for associate members. However if you don't renew your annual competition membership before 30 November 2015 it will expire and your annual fee will go up to \$90.

Current financial members who let their membership expire and rejoin the club by paying their membership subscription after November 30 do not need to be nominated as a new member.

Membership application forms and remittance should be sent to the Membership Secretary, HCMC, PO Box 568, SOUTH PERTH WA 6951 or email to secretary@historicroacing.asn.au

Do not send your membership application form to the Race Secretary and do not include it with your race entry form.

All membership applications are considered by your club committee before being approved; sending it to the wrong person will only create delays in processing your membership application.

New Members; all new members must be nominated by a financial member, if they don't know a financial member they can attend a club meeting introduce themselves and be nominated on the night. The annual membership fee for new competition members is \$90 and for associate members it remains at \$40.

SIDECARISTS BBQ - *By Alan Warner*

I have set the date for a Sidecar BBQ which will be on February 27th 2016, its a bit late for 2015. I hope it doesn't clash with an early race meeting, it will be open to all riders, passengers, and would be's and their partners of course. I will provide the venue naturally, and some basic salads and bread rolls, anyone coming will need to bring their own meat and drinks and some chairs will help as well.

My mobile is 0407 886 141 so that people can contact me and let me know they are coming.

Late Newsletter Apologies - *Mick Tesser*

I do apologise for this late newsletter, I was away all last week involved in and kept very busy leading up to it beforehand with our national/international Velocette Owners Club rally we held in the Swan Valley. I amazed at some of our members, 2 of whom rode over on their fully loaded Velo's from Victoria and then rode them back again after doing the full rally! One was an old Pre-War one too - Cast Iron Arses we Velo riders have.)

It has been a bit too busy catching up here at work since getting back into the harness so I haven't had a chance to do it until now, also didn't get Annie the membership cards in time for Wednesday nights meeting.

FOR SALE: Period 5 Suzuki GSX1100, Complete bike as I raced for 2015 season nothing taken off it or watered down 41mm forks (1 fork compression 1 fork rebound), billet triple clamps and fork brace, ohlins damper, yoshi style period correct 310mm brake rotors (will be a brand new set), billet brake carrier brackets on Brembo 08 calipers n braided lines Braced frame, 33mm Keihin crs with quick throttle, fresh engine for the nationals @mallala 4-1 exhaust, 3.5 front wheel 5.0 rear wheel, Gazi rear shocks, Braced swing arm with 25mm axle (17mm std), Stands n warmers included \$13000.00 - Rory R: 0407 446 721

FOR SALE: Kawasaki GPZ900 P6 race bike, log booked, good starting point for someone to go racing cheaply. \$2000 - Contact Chris: 0418 913 097.

FOR SALE: Ducati bevel 2 in to 1 racing exhaust, tuned length, high level, with muffler. \$200 ono. Rob Grainger 0403 015 090.

FOR FOR SALE: The club's yellow track equipment trailer 6x4 enclosed tradies trailer \$1000 or near offer all enquiries to Mike Smith 0403545049

FOR SALE: Honda CBR 150 R Junior comp bike with some spares \$4000 . contact John Mattaboni 043990687

Wanted - Triumph 3 or 4 plate clutch to suit 1930's machine. Contact Annie on 9295 6142 or email 51speedie@iinet.net.au

FOR SALE: Motorcycle, Quad Camping Trailer 4 Fold away Bunks with Mattresses, rego till 29/04/2015, 7" x 5", fully lock up, Spare wheel steel rim , Alloy wheels, LED Lights, Tyres 95% tread, 2 x jerry can holders, 2 x ramps inbuilt storage, side awning with poles, inside shelving, bike tie down points, Carpeted, Rear doors become side table, \$4350.00 ovno.

Phone John 0439 998 758, Joshua 0437 878 976

FOR SALES:

- Bike shipping crate 200cm (w) x 72cm (d) x 130cm (h) wood complies with international standards \$200 ono

- DBT racing leathers, 2 piece, padded, Suzuki blue, approx women's size 10 (163cm & 62kg) \$100 ono

- Aero leather road jacket, black, padded, action back pleating, double front zipper, Euro men's 40 \$150

- Walden Miller leather road trousers, black, Ladies size 10-12 \$50

Contact Suelllyn by email on ducatista500@hotmail.com

FOR SALE: Suzuki RGT 250 1986, complete and running, unlic - \$1500 ...also....

Yamaha TZR upper & side fairings, 2 sets, new. Contact Martin on 0413 435 187

WANTED: Early Honda CB 500 fuel tank and also side covers/panels to fit 1976 CB 550.

Marc Nesbitt PH: 0400 600 477, email: cram@westnet.com.au

All Fuel Tank repairs Ali, steel, stainless steel tank repairs, can make new fuel tanks for old classics, general Ali TIG welding. John Harris: 0404 215 944

For all your fibreglass needs - tanks, fairings, moulds etc. contact Rob Grainger on 0403 015 090 or email grainger1@iinet.net.au

MACHINIST AVAILABLE: machine work, turning, milling etc, by skilled tradesman - good rates, top quality, phone Terry Fell on 9561 1754

FOR SALE: Honda CR750 replica. 836cc engine. 93hp at rear wheel. Engine built by Gavin Forbes. CR carbs. Running on 98 petrol. Marzocchi forks, White power rear shocks. Not much work done since build. Very fast and reliable P4 unlimited race bike. 3rd in Nationals in Perth and 6th in Island classic last year. Loads of spares, Fairing, Screen, Seat, full sprocket set. Too much to list. Bike looks and sounds awesome. No expense spared in build, over \$30,000. Ring for full specifications. **REDUCED \$3000 - NOW ONLY \$16,500**



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