

SHORT CIRCUIT TORQUE

The Short Circuit Motor Sport Association's Newsletter

February 2023

Dear Members and Competitors,

The year has started as a very busy time for the Association.

Firstly, we have had our AGM and general meeting in January. For those interested, please advise if you require a copy of the minutes of both meetings.

The decision at the January meeting to set up a new entity "Carnell Raceway" to manage the site is still under development. This proposal will require a separate committee and if you are willing to offer your help, please contact Ross Rundle.

Round One has been completed and despite the very hot conditions, competitors enjoyed the event. For those not present at the event, results are not yet published as Rod is overseas but they will be published on his return in the near future.



Feb 11-12, Morgan Park

May 20-21, Carnell Raceway

July 22-23, Carnell Raceway

October 28-29, Carnell Raceway

CARNELL RACEWAY WORKING BEE

Another working bee at Carnell is being held 25 and 26 March. Camping is available on site.

If you can help in any way please contact Garry O'Halloran on 0427 721 381 to advise your availability and be put on the work roster.

Please bring your own hat, shoes, gloves, sunscreen and drinking water.

Track repairs at Carnell are underway. Safety and Risk Management plans are complete. Insurance considerations are being finalised and the proposal of having a caretaker appointed are just a few of the tasks currently in process. Your committee is working very hard to achieve the best outcome for members. A huge thank you to Gary, Bev, Lindsay and all others who worked so hard to do the first clean-up of Carnell. Well done.

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QEMCC have their first bike event at Carnell on 4 and 5 March. Downs Motorsport have cancelled their planned March event. We have been approached by other entities to hire the site for driver training and car club events. When details are finalised these will be made available.

Following the AGM, a casual vacancy has been filled by Ross Rundle being appointed Deputy Clerk of Course. He will be responsible for sourcing and managing officials (flags marshalls

2023 AWARDS DINNER

A volunteer is sought to take on organising and running of the 25th anniversary celebration/end of year dinner and trophy presentation, as Bronwyn is not available to do this.

Please offer any assistance you can so we may continue to hold events for everyone's enjoyment.

etc). Len Falknau has offered back up if required. Bev O'Halloran is no longer able to be a committee member but will continue as Membership Officer. This vacancy has been filled by Garry O'Halloran. Welcome Garry and thanks for volunteering.

On an urgent note, we need to ask all members to seriously consider helping run the organisation. At present the committee is short of a third committee member. This is not an onerous job, just be part of the meeting discussions and decision making process. This committee position incorporates organising trophies and co-ordinating a roster of admin assistants at events.

Best wishes from all your committee members.

OMMITTEE

PRESIDENT - Moss Lane
VICE PRESIDENT - Ross Rundle
SECRETARY - Bronwyn Eldridge
TREASURER - Belinda Winton
COMMITTEE (Publicity) - Neil Esplin
COMMITTEE (Carnell) - Garry O'Halloran
COMMITTEE (Admin) - VACANT

EVENT SECRETARY - Rod Sams

MEMBERSHIPS - Bev O'Halloran

CLERK OF COURSE - Lindsay Simmons

DEPUTY CLERK - Ross Rundle / Leonard Falknau

ELIGIBILITY OFFICER - Peter Herlihen

WEBMASTER - Stephen Roos

MSA DELEGATE - Bruce Nicol

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