

WELLINGTON CAR CLUB (INC.)

# Bulletin August 2010

Welcome to the Bulletin for August .... and, yes Brrrr it's still cold and wet.

Anyway.... there has been plenty of action to look forward to.

### Clubnight

# **Indoor Grand Prix**

Social Karting Event, HVMC & HCCC have been invited to make it an interclub event.

## Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> August, 7:30pm

Indoor Grand Prix, Westminster Street, off Hutt Road, opposite Animates, Kaiwharawhara.

Depending on numbers \$35 - \$45

They would like to know numbers attending, so please RSVP to wcc@seabrightmotorsport.co.nz by 20<sup>th</sup> August

#### **Membership Subscriptions**

Yes people it is that time of year again. Your club membership expires at the end of July. Invoices will be sent out soon. If you are planning to compete in Early August you need to contact Brian Budd ASAP to get your renewal processed.

Unfortunately the committee has been forced to increase the membership fee from \$60 to \$65 (incl GST). This is due to MSNZ increasing the capitation levy, and the club being unable to cover this cost, especially as we haven't increased the fee for, well we can't remember when.

The good news is that we will absorb the increase in GST later in the year, so this will be the only increase in membership fees at this time.

#### WCC AGM

The club AGM has been set for Tuesday 28 September 2010. See the separate notice attached to this bulletin. If you wish to add anything to the Agenda, please contact Jody Seabright (details above) ASAP.

Committee				
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It has also been suggested that we re-introduce membership categories to cater for non-competing members and families. We will discuss the best way to do this at the AGM.

We will hold the AGM at our clubrooms (with the nice new heaters now installed), where we will open the archives at the end of the meeting. We haven't had a look at all of the old cutting and new clippings from events in the 60s and 70s, especially the international New Zealand Rallies we ran at that time. It is a real treasure trove and well worth looking at again. Mark your diary now!!!

#### **Father's Day Promotion**

We have been approached by North City Mall in Porirua to put on a display as a feature of their Father's Day promotion on Sunday 29 August.

In combination with the Hutt Valley and Harbour Capital clubs, we will promote motorsport and Rally Wairarapa to the masses. So far we have a Toyota single seater coming down and Tony Burrowes will be bringing along his rally car.

We are always keen for members to help out, so if you would to come along and help promote our club and our sport, just turn up inside the Porirua mall on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> August.

#### Shelly Bay

We are already in the process of organising this event for Sunday 26 September. Earlier than last year, so you can get some practice in before Targa.

Mark your diaries now and keep that weekend free.

If you are able to help marshal at the event, or know of people who do, then please contact Paul Berkahn on paul@primestar.co.nz or phone 920 0527

#### Rally Wairarapa

The "local" rally is on 11-12 September and it is looking to be awesome. The inaugural running of the Malcolm Stewart Classic Rally as a part of the main event will add an extra spice to the weekend.

If you are competing or helping, then have a wonderful time. If you would like to help out, but don't yet have a job to do, contact Bernie Keith at the numbers above.

#### Valley View

The first running of the event this year was wet and a little wild. But that didn't stop our members featuring in the results. Tony Dixon won overall, and Anthony Paroli took second in Class D. Well done to both.

#### FOR SALE

**Honda Civic EF9 V-Tec**. This is a well presented, reliable and quick club/rally car and the current owner has enjoyed great success with it on gravel and sealed events. Comes with spares including tyres and rims. Price \$9995.00 or near offer.

Call Ted, 029 939 3232 or e-mail T.clay@xtra.co.nz

### Coming Events - 2010

14 Aug	Autocross (Grass)	Silverstream
15 Aug	Intermarque Sprints	Manfeild
15 Aug	Gravel Sprint	Ruanui Rd,
		Ormondville
15 Aug	Rallysprint	Esk Forest, Hawkes
	POSTPONED	<del>Bay</del>
22 Aug	Gravel Hillclimb	Valley View, time for
		another play.
22 Aug	Dual Car Sprints	Manfeild, hosted by
		HCCC
5 Sept	Race Meeting,	United Travel Series
		Manfeild
8 Sept	Night Trial	Petone start.
11-12	Rally Wairarapa	Masterton
Sept		
18 Sept	Mini Pikes Peak	Wanganui
	Gravel Hillclimb	
18 Sept	Seal Sprint	Te Onepu Rd, Hawkes
		Вау
19 Sept	Seal Sprint	Pukeora Rd, Hawkes
		Вау
19 Sept	Autocross (Seal)	Slipway, Brooklyn
26 Sept	Seal Sprint	Shelly Bay, Wellington
3 Oct	Gravel Sprint	Wairongomai Rd,
		Otaki
3 Oct	Rallysprint	Tararua Rd,
		Dannevirke
10 Oct	Intermarque Sprints	Manfeild
13 Oct	Night Trial	Paraparaumu start
17 Oct	Gravel Sprint	Puketiro Rd
24 Oct	Seal Sprint	Port Rd, Seaview
25 Oct	Grass Autocross	Silverstream
25-31	Targa NZ	Welly finish on 30th
Oct		

