

WELLINGTON CAR CLUB (INC.)

Bulletin March 2009

Hello to all for the March Bulletin.

Well, what an event!! Alexandra Road was a goodie and by the sounds everyone had fun. Read on for more info

March Clubnight

Tuesday 24th March, 7:00pm

Fancy a game of Mini Golf?? We have the most unique one in NZ. At Carlucci Land Where you say?? You all know it, the beautiful Rock and Rust sculptures beside the entry to the southern landfill on Happy Valley Road (down from Brooklyn and up from Owhiro Bay. A mini golf course has been established and Bernie, our esteemed leader has organised a twilight event for us.

Make sure you get there by 7pm, ready to start. Refreshments will be made available.

Mini Golf
Refreshments
7:00pm
Tuesday, 24th March 2009
Carlucci Land, Happy Valley Road, beside the tip entrance.

Alexandra Road

Yes, it was a fine day, we had 59 competitors and everything went well. A big thank you to you all in the club for helping to make it such a great event. We had 17 of our member competing, plus many more marshalling and assisting before hand and on the day. It was a good team effort reminiscent of the good old days.

A very well done to Ron Scanlan for once again rising to the occasion and taking the win. To Murray O'Neil, thanks for not only helping with all the work prior and on the day, but still managing to come third overall.

In fact we had Wellington members in 5th, 6th, 7th and 9th overall. Well done to John McAndrew, John Mine, Ryan Stevens, and Stephen Dykes respectively.

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Whariti Hillclimb

Speaking of our members doing well, and showing a turn of speed. Well done to Anthony Parolli. 7th overall and first in class B, ahead of the likes of Euan Fuge and Ian Glenny.

It must be a gravel thing Anthony, because you have had some good results recently.

Coming Events - 2009

29 Mar	Autocross	Donnelly Park, Levin	
29 Mar	Nat Race Meeting	Manfeild	
4 April	Sprints	By Alfa Car Club at	
		Manfeild	
4-5 Apr	Hawkes Bay Rally	1 st rnd of NZRC	
5 Apr	SafeSpeed	At Hutt Riverbank Car	
		park	
18-19	Hamilton 400	V8 Supercars	
Apr			
19 Apr	Autocross	Silverstream, HVMC	
		event	
26 Apr	Intermarque Sprints	Manfeild	
26 Apr	Tea Creek Sprint	Wairarapa	
3 May	Dual Car Sprints	Manfeild by HCCC	
8-9 May	Classic Charity	MG CC event at	
	Race Meeting	Manfeild	

Safe Speed

Victor Yuen is organising an event called Safe Speed.

SafeSpeed. Where road safety and motorsport come together.

There are over 400 people dying on our roads every year. That's one person a day on average. Even one death on our roads is too many and we as a community need to take action and make our roads safer.

SafeSpeed is a one day event about introducing motorsport to the community and demonstrating the benefits it has to road safety. It will be an interactive day with exciting displays /demonstrations including a motorkhana event and demonstrations by the Wellington Free Ambulance.

Sunday 5th April 2009 10am – 3pm Riverbank Carpark, Lower Hutt (next to Harvey Norman)

More details available at www.safespeed.org.nz

Future Clubnights

The committee has decided to ask for ideas on what you would like for future clubnights. Many of the ideas floated at the committee meetings, we feel, we have already done in recent times, so aren't keen to keep repeating ourselves. We want to make clubnights interesting, sometimes informative, and fun.

Therefore if you have any good ideas on topics, places, or areas of interest, please pass on your thoughts to one of the committee members as listed above. We always welcome good suggestions.

After all we could just have a social night for every clubnight where we get together for a few refreshments and a chin-wag, as a way of catching up once a month.





Ron Scanlan



Murray O'Neil



Jono Begley's off