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Meetings of the Cerberus Car Club Inc are held on the first Thursday of February, April, June, August, October and December at Le Mans Go Karts 11-55 Water view Close Dandenong South Meetings start at 8.00 pm.

YOUR ARTICLE IS NEEDED !

The deadline for each issue is one week after the General Meeting. Please ensure that your article is given to the Editor at or before each general meeting, or mailed to the below address.

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Our members communicate on our e-group.

This can be found at:

http://sports.groups.yahoo.com/group/cerberus_car_club

Apply to join and please identify yourself when doing this as the group is only open to members. Then come & join the fun and keep up to date with what's happening.

Prez Sez

Hello and welcome to the first In Gear of 2013.

We know it has been a late start to the year with this, but some slack President has been living in Perth for the last three months and has not been keeping an eye on the club. Well, I'm back and we can now get everyone happening.

Congratulations to all of the Cerberus members on the 2012 competition year. There were some stand out results and hopefully we can carry that on in 2013. Alan, Fiona and all of their helpers ran a fabulous Rally Victoria again. Alan uses this event to promote Cerberus Car Club to the world and we should all pitch in where we can to help make this the best ARC event in the country and promote our club to help boost our membership. We (and all clubs for that matter) need new members to keep our club going, without those new members we will struggle to survive.

There are a few exciting things happening this year:

- The number one important event is Rally Victoria and looking at the entry for Canberra, we can only hope that continues for the year.
- At the moment, we are only running one Autocross this year and the venue will be advised at a later time. Keep your eye on In Gear and the club E-group for news.
- Next year we are calendaring a new event. Some older members have forgotten how much work is involved to organise rallies and are aiming to run an Introductory Rally next year, silly people we all are. Work has already commenced at a basic level so we can apply for a date next year when the applications open.
- Given the great time had by some members at the CCRMIT Hill Climb, we need to consider whether we can ask for an invite back this year or possibly run something similar ourselves. I am keen for any feedback on this from members, so please contact me and let me know. We will need to move quickly no matter which way we go.
- 2014 sees our little club turn 50. What are we going to do you ask? The short answer is I don't know. At the moment, I would like to put together a subcommittee to come up with a plan and present it to the Club Committee. The sooner the better as we would need to organise any venues as early as possible. So don't all take one step back. We could make 2014 a great social year!

Have a great 2013 and I will see you out there at all sorts of motorsport events.

Mark

From The Editor's Desk

Welcome to the March Edition of In Gear.

The new season is well and truly upon us now and we are heading toward our second car club meeting of the year on April 4.

We would love to see enough members coming along to the meetings to be able to have a race on the Go Karts at 7.00pm prior to the meeting to get you all in the mood for a ~~relaxing get together~~ important meeting afterwards. An indication of your intention to attend would be great for booking the Go Karts. It's a lot of fun and this year we will be having the CCC Go Kart Challenge and both prizes *and* pride will be at stake!

January 19th 2013 saw the club's presentation/post Christmas party. Held at Craig & Jeanette Morris' house, I am told it was a fantastic ~~drunken~~ night for all who attended. Thanks to Craig and Jeanette for your hospitality!

There's been plenty of CCC action at both Autocross and Rally level and just as soon as the VRC finds an event that doesn't present a fire hazard, that series is sure to be a great one too, with both Tom & Kav and Tristan & Jolie running new cars this year. Junior CCC members in particular continue to perform well at VCAS level and Tom & I have already kicked our rally season off with a great result in the George Woods Memorial Trial a couple of weeks ago. The VCRS season begins next week at Marysville and Cerberus looks to be well represented there too. All in all, an exciting and eventful 2013 season awaits us and it promises to be a good one!

I'll be doing my best to ensure you receive a great edition of In Gear every couple of months, but would also encourage you to contribute where you can and to get social with us at meetings and via social media.



You can find us on Facebook at:

<http://www.facebook.com/cerberuscarclub>



You can also follow the club on Twitter:

http://www.twitter.com/cerberus_cc

Annie



GO KART CHALLENGE 2013

@Cerberus Ring - Le Mans Dandenong



Rounds:

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| 1. A & F Mackay Marathon | 4/4/13 |
| 2. Bob Whitworth Trial | 6/6/13 |
| 3. Rod Rodda Invitational | 1/8/13 |
| 4. Paul Eccles Sprint | 3/10/13 |
| 5. John White Stage | 5/12/13 |

Scoring:

Place:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Points:	30	25	21	18	16	14	12	10	8	6	5	4	3	2	1

Bonus points - Qualifying:

Place:	1	2	3
Points:	3	2	1

Awards:

Trophies for 1st 2nd and 3rd
Mystery prize for 1st

Sec Sez

Welcome all to the first Mag of the new committee for 2013. We are off to a slightly belated start to the term as the Grand Poohbar Mark has been working in the West but now he's back we are ready to tackle the term with gusto.

It was great to see the committee positions filled at the AGM in November with a minimum of coercion tactics having to be employed and a good mix of old, young, experienced and new standing.

The Committee had its first meeting on the 7th and mapped out a plan for the term. More motorsport orientated social activities & a push to increase membership high on the priority list. Remember it's our Club and is what we make it!

The major events CCC are running in 2013 are:-

- Haunted Hills Hill Climb June/July. Big Bad Brian will advise as details are finalised.
- Autocross in August
- Rally Vic in November
- Juniors Rally Team Training Weekend. TBA

Please keep these dates free as we will need all hands on deck to help!

One new club competition is about to commence with an inner club Go Cart Challenge/Series. This will run before each meeting at Le Mans and Andrew Kav will have this up and going by our next meeting and should add a bit more spice to the competition.

FYI

The VRC Standing Regs have finally been approved by State Council and can be downloaded from the CAMS Site or Vic Rally

Don't forget new apparel rules are in place for 2013 and Cage padding needs to be FIA or SFI Standards in certain areas of the Car.

The GDMT VRC 2 has been cancelled due to the recent fire activity in Gippsland.

~~VRC 1 Rally Bonnie Doon are seeking officials to assist. Contact Scott Spedding if you can help.~~ *Scratch that! Too flammable. No Plan B just yet - Although ironically, the forecast is now looking like rain - (Edited)*



Alan M

2013 Calendar

FEBRUARY

- 9 Feb Deniliquin (VCAS Round 1)
9 Feb [Rally Gala](#)

MARCH

- 2 Mar [George Woods Intro](#)
~~16 Mar [Rally Bonnie Doon](#) (VRC Round 1)~~
17 Mar Kyneton (VCAS Round 2)
23 Mar [Marysville Marathon](#) (VCRS Round 1)

APRIL

- 6 Apr [Trailblazer Rally](#)
6 Apr [Millard Memorial Trial](#)
~~13 Apr [George Derrick Memorial Rally](#) (VRC Round 2)~~
20 Apr [Blue Rock Stages](#) (VCRS Round 2)
21 Apr Ballarat (VCAS Round 3)

MAY

- 4 May [East Gippsland Stages](#) (VRC Round 3)
11 May [Old BP Rally](#)
11 May Melton (VCAS Round 4)
25 May [Cooper Memorial Sprint Rally](#) (VCRS Round 3)

JUNE

- 8 Jun Swan Hill Twilight (VCAS Round 5)
9 Jun [Bega Valley Rally](#) (VRC Round 4)
15 Jun [Acheron Rally Sprint](#)
22 Jun Maffra Twilight (VCAS Round 6)
22 Jun [Nissan Nightmoves](#) (VCRS Round 4)
29 Jun [Rennick/Kenbruck Trial](#)

JULY

20 Jul Maffra Twilight (VCAS Round 7)

AUGUST

10 Aug [RSM Baden Powell Intro Trial](#)
17 Aug [Rallye du Mont Cole](#)
24 Aug *CCC Round TBA (VCAS Round 8)*
25 Aug [Winter Classic Trial/Tour](#)

SEPTEMBER

7 Sep [Mount Porpunkah Rally Sprint](#)
14 Sep [Ivans Folly](#)
14 Sep Maffra Twilight (VCAS Round 9)
21 Sep [Spring 200](#) (VCRS Round 5)

OCTOBER

5 Oct [Victoria Cross Rally](#)
20 Oct [Akademos](#) (VRC Round 5)
26 Oct [Bagshot Rally Sprint](#)
27 Oct *Mafeking Rover Park, Caveat TBA (VCAS Round 10)*

NOVEMBER

15 Nov [Rally Victoria](#) (VRC Round 6)
17 Nov Bendigo (VCAS Round 11)
30 Nov [Alpine Rally](#)

DECEMBER

1 Dec Shepparton (VCAS Round 12)

CCRMIT Haunted Hills Christmas Break Up

What a fantastic day out this was! Held in December, the CCRMIT Christmas Breakup was a huge success and we are already working hard to arrange a June/July event there again this year. Despite the weather, noone held back out on the track and a great time was had by all.



This event presented the perfect opportunity to test out some new toys!

And even though the sky prepared to cave in and a torrential downpour ensued ...



Nobody was concerned with the weather and the action was underway long before the track started to dry!



We will definitely all be going back to Haunted Hills. The Gippsland Car Club have a great setup up there and the facilities are excellent.

Big thanks to CCRMIT for being awesome hosts and also to <http://www.gripshifslide.com> for the images used here.



**NEXT CLUB MEETING IS ON
APRIL 4 2013 AT 8PM**

**LE MANS GO KARTS
(In the back room)**



11-55 WATERVIEW CLOSE DANDENONG SOUTH



*Victoria's Newest &
Biggest Go Karting Complex*

**Will you be contesting the Round 1 of the
2013 CCC Go Kart Challenge?**

The A & F Mackay Marathon kicks off at 7pm.



LAKESIDE TRACK



DAYTONA TRACK



LE MANS TRACK

2012 Victorian Rally Gala

Etihad Stadium

9th February 2013

Congratulations to those CCC members who collected awards at the 2012 Vic Rally Gala last month.

Tristan & Jolie, of Penhall Motorsport collected 2nd OR in the Vic Rally Championship and look to have their eyes firmly on the title next year too.

Chris Hincks collected the VCRS Novice Championship trophy, keeping it in CCC's hands for yet another year!

A slightly intoxicated night was had by all who attended and the Rally Gala remains a great night out for both competitors and their long-suffering partners!





MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION / RENEWAL

Applicant 1

Full Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Postcode: _____

Ph (AH) _____ Ph (BH) _____ Ph (Mobile): _____

Postal Address (If different): _____

E-mail Address: _____

Current Membership No: _____ Expiry Date: _____

I, of the above address, desire to become a member / renew my membership of CERBERUS CAR CLUB Inc. In the event of my admission as a member, I agree to be bound by the rules and constitution of the CERBERUS CAR CLUB Inc and those of C.A.M.S for the time being in force.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Applicant 2

Full Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Current Membership No: _____ Expiry Date: _____

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Signature: _____

Date: _____

Membership Fees

Single(18+) \$40.00 **Double** \$60.00 **Junior** (under 18) \$20.00

Family (with children up to and including 14 y/o) \$70.00.

I/We apply for new membership/renewal of **CERBERUS CAR CLUB Inc** and enclose payment of \$_____

Cheques should be made payable to 'Cerberus Car Club Inc'

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