



Newsletter April 2017

President's Note

With the end of our financial year just around the corner on 30 April and the AGM on 3rd July, I look back over the past year and marvel at how much we have achieved.

The completion of the Control Tower lift has been a huge success with many of our club members & volunteers making use of it. Once again thank you to Jack for his very generous contribution towards it.

During the last off season we had the ditch adjacent to the entrance road piped and filled in which has improved the view from the entranceway massively. We also replaced the grass area in the pits with hard fill and levelled it so no more puddles in that area.

Thanks to Downers, along with Oz and Noel, the spectator bank at the Sievwright Hairpin is looking amazing and continuing to expand. Downers are also assisting with building our autocross track behind the banking.

Upgrading the hand-held radio's to the digital system has proved to be invaluable at events with clear communication around the circuit for the first time in a couple of years. Again, contributions from ILT Foundation and the Community Trust of Southland greatly assisted this project.

Air conditioning units on the top two floors of the Control Tower have now provided much better working conditions – anyone who ventured up to those floors on a fine day will understand how tough it was for all who work up there.

We have also just upgraded our AMB MyLaps Timing system to the latest X2 version and look forward to using that come September.

Congratulations to Nick Hamlin for being appointed to the MotorSport New Zealand Board in an independent capacity, and to Liam MacDonald for clinching the Class Two NZ Touring Cars Championship. Also to all our club members who have performed with distinction in their various series around the country – very well done.

Sadly we farewelled long-time club member and racer, Colin Dawson, and past club member, Brian McIlwrick. We extend our deepest condolences to both the Dawson and McIlwrick families.

Looking to the future there is still plenty to do to keep improving the facility to keep Teretonga Park as the place to come for a great motorsport experience.

Thank you to Norma, Russell, the Executive Committee, Race Committee, Volunteers and Sponsors, for all your hard work and assistance over the past year.

Dean Maw
President

Race Committee

Another great season is over and I would firstly like to thank the committee of Lenard, Daniel, Noel, Norma, Rachael, Tony, Wendy, Paul and Dean, who have all done an amazing job this season. Secondly, to all the volunteers who turned out at each Race Meeting, a huge thank you, we couldn't run our race meetings without you. And last, but not least, thank you to all the competitors and crews who have this year travelled from far and wide to provide some truly amazing racing.

Three seasons ago we started what we call "Last Man Standing" and the first one is still going at this stage. We have three running at the moment and will start another one at the beginning of next season with all Clubmans and Sports & Racing Cars once again eligible.

LAST MAN (OR WOMAN) STANDING # 1

Commenced 21/9/2014

Prize Pool after March Race 2017 \$425.00

Still Standing – Rachael Beck
Todd Blackmun

LAST MAN (OR WOMAN) STANDING # 2

Commenced 20/9/2015

Prize Pool after March Race Meeting 2017 \$315.00

Still Standing – Rachael Beck
Todd Blackmun

LAST MAN (OR WOMAN) STANDING # 3

Commenced 11/9/2016

Prize Pool after March Race 2017 \$260.00

Still Standing – Rachael Beck
Todd Blackmun
Wayne Elliott
Tony Mann
Dave McKenzie **
Andrew Muir
Boyd Wilson

** Sports & Racing Car Class not available at December Race Meeting 2016 or Classic Speedfest 2017. Entered March Race Meeting but no class to run with.

Points for the season are available on the website but for those of you who don't do computers they are as follows –

Sports & Racing Championship 2016/2017

Competitor	Sep-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Feb-17	Mar-17	Totals
Dave McKenzie	120	72				192
Joseph Oliver	108	80				188
Brendon Leitch		120	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested	120
Trevor Earley		105				105
Damon Leitch		102				102
Robin Williams	96					96
Jordan Michels		90				90
Greg Millane		80				80
Dave Harris	33	22				55

Sports & Racing - Flying Farewell Championship 2016/2017

Competitor	Sep-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Feb-17	Mar-17	Totals
Dave McKenzie	40	26				66
Brendon Leitch		40	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested	40
Robin Williams	36					36
Damon Leitch		36				36
Jordan Michels		33				33
Joseph Oliver	DNF	30				30
Greg Millane		28				28

Race Championship 2016/2017

Competitor	Sep-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Feb-17	Mar-17	Totals
Tony Mann	66	56	60	60	72	314
Liam MacDonald	80		40	73	80	273
Todd Blackmun	23	63	61	24	56	227
Jason Crosbie		58	42	56	66	222
Adam Cullen	26		52	40	54	172
Rachael Beck	18	29	46	27	40	160
Andrew Muir	46	36	38	22	17	159
Pierre Neame	72		72			144
David Robertson	56	37			50	143
Boyd Wilson	46	14	46	9	13	128
Dean Maw		50		32	44	126
Wayne Elliott	32	23	34	13	17	119
Bradley Dawson		80		38		118
Jeremy Dawson		69		42		111
Ian McKenzie		48		22	28	98
Nicky Maw		19	29	15	30	93
Andrew Cundall				73		73
Dayle Kirby		23	30		20	73
LeRoy Stevenson				72		72
Reon Hotton	28		24	9	11	72
Olivia Beck-Graham	26		22	2	17	67
Scott Milne		14		17	32	63
Colin Dawson	60					60
Alyssa Clapperton				14	44	58
Andrew Kennedy		21	23		13	57
Rodger Cunninghame		16	39			55
Sam Smith	23	18	11	1		53
Jeremy Skeggs				52		52
Steve Ross			48			48
Keith Macdonald		46				46
David Crosland	44					44
Mark Dean			23		20	43
Kieran Roberts	40					40
Jamie Conroy					30	30
Dion Dawson				24		24
Walter Willmott				21		21
Paul Rosel					21	21
Stuart Mitchell		20				20
Brent Cross				12		12
Shaun Turner				10		10
Trevor De Clifford				7		7

Saloons 0-1300cc Championship 2016/2017

Competitor	Sep-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Feb-17	Mar-17	Totals
Todd Blackmun	36	40	40	40	40	196
David Robertson	40	36	36		33	145
Andrew Kennedy		33	33		30	96
Walter Willmott				36		36
Jamie Conroy					36	36

Saloons 1301-1600cc Championship 2016/2017

Competitor	Sep-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Feb-17	Mar-17	Totals
Andrew Muir	40	33	40	33	40	186
Reon Hotton	36		36	28	30	130
Dayle Kirby		30	33		33	96

Jeremy Dawson	40	40	80
Bradley Dawson	36	36	72
Mark Dean	30	36	66
Shaun Turner	30	30	30

Saloons 1601-2500cc Championship 2016/2017

Competitor	Sep-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Feb-17	Mar-17	Totals
Wayne Elliott	40	28	36	33	30	167
Rachael Beck		33	40	40	40	153
Nicky Maw		36	33	36	36	141
Sam Smith	36	30	28	28		122
Olivia Beck-Graham	33		30		33	96
Dean Maw		40				40
Trevor De Clifford				30		30

Saloons 2500cc & over Championship 2016/2017

Competitor	Sep-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Feb-17	Mar-17	Totals
Liam MacDonald	40		40	33	40	153
Tony Mann		28	30	28	36	122
Adam Cullen	28		28	22	30	108
Jason Crosbie		33	24	24		81
Colin Dawson	33	40				73
Boyd Wilson	26	24	22			72
Ian McKenzie		26		18	28	72
Pierre Neame	36		33			69
Rodger Cunninghame		30	26			56
Andrew Cundall				40		40
Scott Milne				16	24	40
Keith Macdonald		36				36
Steve Ross			36			36
LeRoy Stevenson				36		36
Alyssa Clapperton					33	33
David Crosland	30					30
Dion Dawson				30		30
Jeremy Skeggs				26		26
Paul Rosel					26	26
Kieran Roberts	24					24
Stuart Mitchell		22				22
Dean Maw				20		20

Saloons - Flying Farewell Championship 2016/2017

Competitor	Sep-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Feb-17	Mar-17	Totals
Liam MacDonald	40			36	40	116
Todd Blackmun		33		30	33	96
David Robertson	33	30			28	91
Andrew Muir	28	18		20	22	88
Rachael Beck	20	14		22	26	82
Wayne Elliott	24	11		11	12	58
Boyd Wilson	30	26				56
Bradley Dawson		28		28		56
Ian McKenzie		20		18	18	56
Colin Dawson		40				40
Andrew Cundall				40		40
Nicky Maw				16	24	40
Adam Cullen	36					36
Jason Crosbie		36				36
Jamie Conroy					36	36

Sam Smith	22	12			34
Jeremy Skeggs			33		33
Mark Dean			13	20	33
Andrew Kennedy		16		14	30
Alyssa Clapperton				30	30
Kieran Roberts	26				26
Walter Willmott			26		26
Dayle Kirby		13		13	26
Tony Mann		24			24
Dean Maw			24		24
Jeremy Dawson		22			22
Paul Rosel				16	16
Scott Milne			14		14
Trevor De Clifford			12		12
Reon Hotton				11	11
Shaun Turner			10		10

We are currently working on dates and formats for next season and have already confirmed with SIERDC the date for the One Hour and Three Hour races which will be Saturday 9th September 2017. When we have confirmed our other dates we will let you know what is happening.

Bevan Gerrard
Chairman
Teretonga Race Committee



ClubSport

Our grassroots motorsport continues to grow with a lot of new members joining the ranks. As at the writing of this newsletter, we still have the final round of the Motorkhana and Autocross Championships to go (including the Discount Tyres 0-1600cc & Stresscrete 1601 & over championships). Thank you to everyone who has helped out over the season.

I have thoroughly enjoyed my time as ClubSport Convenor but, although I will still be involved, have decided to step down from the role so if you would like to step up and give it a go please put forward your nomination.

Cameron Morison
ClubSport Convenor

Newsletter items

If you have anything you want to share in the newsletter, whether you are a competitor, volunteer or spectator, please feel free to send it in. If you don't want to write it yourself give me a call and I'll be happy to talk to you and write it for you.

Just drop me a line at vroberts@actrix.co.nz or leave a message on 03 2130768, after 6 pm please. Due to the security on my email you will probably get a message saying your email couldn't be delivered, it will be there but I need to add you to the safe senders list so don't panic.

COMING UP

April 9	ClubSport Round 6 – Motorkhana & Autocross
April 29	Drift/Grip Track Day
July 3	SSCC Annual General Meeting & 2016/2017 Prize Giving

DIRECTORY OF CLUB OFFICIALS

Patron	Jack Johnstone	
President	Dean Maw	215 6851
Vice President	Rachael Beck	216 2454
Treasurer	Nick Hamlin	218 2123
Imm Past President	Howard Kingsford-Smith	2304879
Club Captain	Noel Atley	03 2349060
Custodian	Oz Osborn	213 0203
Publicity Officer	Lindsay Beer	021 351499
Chief Flag Marshal	Daniel Kent	0278 245798
Chief 1 st Response	Lenard McLeod	217 7026
Chief Timekeeper	Bevan Gerrard	215 8257
Board Chairman	Steven Kennedy	03 2360306

COMMITTEE HEADS

Race	Bevan Gerrard	215 8257
ClubSport	Cameron Morison	213 1258
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ADMINISTRATION & GENERAL ENQUIRIES

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the 68th Annual General Meeting of the Southland Sports Car Club Inc. will be held in the Clubrooms at Teretonga Park, 86 Sandy Point Road, Otatara, on Monday 3rd July 2017 starting at 7.30pm.

AGENDA:

1. Welcome & Apologies
2. Valedictory
3. Confirmation of Minutes of the 67th Annual General Meeting
4. Matters Arising from Previous Minutes
5. Presidents Report
6. Chairman's Report
7. Race Committee Report
8. Presentation of Annual Reports and Balance Sheet
9. Election of Officers
10. Consideration of Annual Subscription
11. General Business

Norma Burns
Secretary

Nomination Form

Nominations are now invited for the following positions on the Executive Committee of the Southland Sports Car Club Inc.

Nominations close with the Secretary, Southland Sports Car Club, PO Box 543, Invercargill 9840 or Email info@teretonga.org.nz at 5.00pm on Monday, 26th June 2017.

If less than the required nominations are received, extra nominations may be called for at the Annual General Meeting. Positions to be elected are –

President • Vice-President • Treasurer • Club Captain • ClubSport Convenor •
Custodian • Social Convenor

Nominations for all offices shall be in writing, each signed by the Nominator, Seconder and Nominee, each of whom must be a Financial Member of the Southland Sports Car Club Inc.

Nominee _____ for the position of _____
(Please Print) (Please Print)

Nominator _____ Signed _____
(Please Print)

Seconder _____ Signed _____
(Please Print)

Signature of Nominee _____

