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## **Cover Photo:**

Elvis Presley's MGA on display in Geelong.

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## **President's Report**

What lovely weather we are still having in Autumn. The downside is the ending of Daylight Saving, and how quickly does is get dark.

On a sadder note, Wayne Gonninon, the creator of the classic car runs on the 1st Wednesday of the month is not well and is in the Whittle Ward in Hobart. He is surrounded by his loving family and friends. Wayne and Paula's eldest son Simon assisted Wayne in organising the run-on 6th April. All Wayne and Paula's children were at the event and the daughters were taking photos for Wayne to see and people were asked if they wanted to send Wayne a video message. Depending on how Wayne is feeling the family take him home for a few hours each day.

Just some clarification about not holding social events on the same day as a competition event. It was designed that members were not disadvantaged, i.e. that if a member aimed to win their Sub-Centre Clubman Trophy and also wanted to try and win the Motorkhana Trophy, and if there is a social and competition event on the same day, that member is at a disadvantage because they cannot attend both events, (unless the social event is a run to where the competition is being held – majority of competition events commence between 9am and 10am it would need to be an early run).

The Tasmanian Motorsport Australia competition calendar is compiled in October / November by all affiliated clubs submitting their preferred dates to hold events in the next year. Most clubs nominate events roughly around the same time as the current year. If there are any clashes the clubs, try to readjust their dates. Order of importance of events - International Events, National Events, Race Meetings then Club Events (Motorkhana, Club Days). The MG competition dates are published on the back page of the Monthly News Magazine. On rare occasion there is doubling up of events, usually due to the availability of the facility.

Next competition event is on Sunday  $15^{\rm th}$  May, a Multi-Club Motorkhana being held at the Latrobe Speedway Pit Area. Entry will be through Motorsport Australia Event Entry Portal.

As you will see further in the magazine the National Motor Museum in Launceston is holding an MG Day at their premises on Sunday 1st May 2022. Please get your MG/s out of the garage and get them along to display and support this event. The vehicle does not need to be in Concours condition. We need a range of the different models of the Marque.

Keep safe everyone and enjoy using your MG.

Zube
(Bronwyn Zuber)

## **Membership Report**

This month we welcome seven new members,

Keaton and Lenore Beattie (Northern)
The Beattie's own a 1970 MGB and are interested in social outings.

John Tait (Southern)
John owns several American cars and is interested in social outings,
Tasmanian history,
world events and American cars.

Marco Stepanovic and Boris Miljusevic (Northern)
Marco and Boris own a MGA Roadster and are interested social outings, restoring classic cars, and helping others with projects.

Chris Read and Abbie Stott (Southern)
Chris and Abbie own a Mini and are interested in competition.

We hope these people enjoy many club arranged activities.

Wayne Jessup Membership Officer

## Life Members

01	Joe Paul (dec)	1969	10	Bill Griffiths	2007
02	Bob Moore (dec)	1974	11	Tony Gurnhill	2009
03	Arthur Twining (dec)	1976	12	Cheryl Gurnhill	2013
04	Ian Wade	1984	13	Greg Bannon	2013
05	Terry Atkinson	1984	14	Bronwyn Zuber	2013
06	Dennis Burgess	1984	15	Craig Twining	2014
07	Chris Ellis (dec)	1985	16	Phillip Tilley	2017
08	John Sluce (dec)	1994	17	Jim Brown	2020
09	Robin Wilmot	1998	18	Peter Shaw	2020

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## **MGCCT Facebook Page**

#### The MG Car Club of Tasmania Inc

For those members who are Facebook users, we have an MG Car Club Tasmania Facebook page. Feel free to add events, photos, and videos, but remember that anything offensive or not relevant to the Club may be removed at the discretion of the administrator.

## **MGCCT Website**

#### www.mgtas.org.au

Copies of this magazine can be downloaded from the MGCCT website. Membership forms and change of address forms are also available for download. Links to other car clubs are also available.

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## VC Registrations, Inspections and Renewals

Vehicle Club registration allows members of a recognised car club (approved by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles) to use their vehicle in either a club sanctioned event or for general use 30 days outside of club events. These vehicles attract a reduced rate of registration and third party insurance.

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## **Motor Sports Chaplain**

Should you require the services of the Tasmanian Motor Sports Chaplain, his contact details are:

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## **Ed Says**

Sometimes things just go to plan and other times they don't. As Forrest Gump would say "Life is like a box of Chocolates, you never know what you will get"

An update on our F wows, thankyou for those that contacted me with suggestions, that is much appreciated. I did however have to resort to plan B and have sent the immobiliser module off to get the immobiliser part bypassed so we could still use the fobs for the doors. Well apparently the thing is dead so we are up for a new immobiliser, luckily our particular frequency is still available new so that is the resolution.

A couple of weeks ago I had the harmonic balancer fail on the BMW X5. Now I do not know whether is by fluke or design, but when it failed the main serpentine belt stayed in place and I still had power steering and alternator charge along with a squeaking belt. The AC belt kicked itself off and so I had no AC. But to replace the harmonic balancer, all I had to do was remove the engine cowlings and undo 4 bolts, it took less than 1-1/2 hours to change out, I was a bit disappointed in myself though, because the youtube clip only took 8 minutes. And to make it easy it has a pin that you insert to lock the flywheel, while you change the harmonic balancer out. I just had to keep telling myself "remove the pin before you start the car"

This months magazine is a little later than normal because of how the beginning of the month fell. The up shot is all the reports are in and it is now only 8 o'clock and this report is all I have left to do. No late night getting the magazine completed for me this month.

I don't say it often enough, but a huge thankyou to those that send in articles and photos for the magazine. I am not a very good story writer, so without your contributions, if I had to write the whole magazine, it would be double sided flyer. I can write a technical report or engineering specification by the pages, and I can suffer bouts of verbal diarrhoea as well, but writing a good story is not one of my forte's. Enjoy your magazine.

Ed.

## **Competition Points & Results**

Club Championship Trophy		Motorkhana Trophy	
Robin Wilmot	10	Damien Midgley	9
Damien Midgley	9	Kevin McGuire	7
Kevin McGuire	7	Robin Wilmot	6
Angela Howie	6	Cameron Howie	6
Cameron Howie	6	Don Fraser	4
Don Fraser	6	Angela Howie	3
Mark Dilger	4	Mark Dilger	3
Mark Harrington	4	Kate Figgel	3
Kate Figgel	3	Maklyn Midgley	3
Maklyn Midgley	3	Levi Midgley	2
Ian Campbell	3	Mark Harrington	1
Mike Walpole	3		
Jim Brown	3		
Phil Dance	3		
Graham Norman	3		
Bill Daly	3		
Tony King	3		

Remaining members with 2 or less points

Junior Trophy		<b>Ladies Trophy</b>		
Cameron Howie	6	Angela Howie	6	
Maklyn Midgley	5	Kate Figgel	3	
Levi Midgley	3			
Kate Figgel	3			



## Symmons Plains Motorkhana 3rd April 2022

#	Plc.	Driver	Car	Club	Class	Category	Total	Points	MG	Junior
3	1	Midgley Damien	Hyundai	MG	CF.1		112.321	4		
11	2	Nicklasson Justin	Hyundai	MSCT	CF.2		112.437			
13	3	Bailey Khairul	Mazda MX5	NWCC	BR.1		114.325			
1	4	McGuire Kevin	Mazda MX5	MG	BR.2		122.216	4		
7	5	Midgley Makalyn	Hyundai	MG	CF.3	J 1	123.405	2		
5	6	Howie Cameron	MGA	MG	BR.3	J 2	127.369	3	4	3
14	7	Nicklason Imogen	1999 Lancer	MSCT	CF.4	J.3, F.1	129.395			2
9	8	Fraser Don	MG A	MG	BR.4		132.44	2	3	
4	9	Dilger Mark	MGB	MG	BR.5		133.428	1	2	
12	10	Harrington Mark	MGB GT	MG	BR.6		141.279	1	1	
8	11	Wilmot Robin	MG ZS 180	MG	DF.1		141.932	3	3	
6	12	Craggs Sarah	Toyota Corolla	MSCT	DF.2	F.2	156.635			
11	13	Migley Le∨i	Hyundai	MG	CF.5	J 4	170.169	1		3
2	14	Craggs Tim	Hyundai	MSCT	CF.6		172.699			(c) (c)







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Southern Sub Centre Meeting	Meet every Tuesday night at 8pm Civic Club, 134 Davey Street, Hobart		
Postal Address	GPO Box 5, Hobart, Tas, 7001		

## Southern Notes

#### **PAST EVENTS**

#### 13th March - My Slice of Pie Breakfast Run

It was a rather cool dewy start from the Civic Club at 8.05am but that did not deter several from going tops down. New members Kathryn Page and Kevin van der Veer joined us for their second MG run in their beautiful MX5. A very warm welcome to them!

With 19 members in tow (9 MG's, 3MX5s, a Packard, an Austin Healey, a Mercedes and a Falcon flat tray!) we travelled on Churchill Avenue to Sandy Bay Road via the Channel Highway to Kingston and then via Blackmans Bay, Howden, Margate and Leslie Vale. By now brilliant sunshine had warmed things up and the views on the way were outstanding. We met up with Robin and Julie Wilmot at the Leslie Vale Hall before continuing on to Grove where we struck rather thick fog. We headed towards Mountain River and turned into the lower end of Dip Road having been warned that the other end was very rough.

On arrival just after 9am at My Slice of Pie the fog began to lift and we were bathed in glorious sunshine at this beautiful venue under the gaze of the Sleeping Beauty. We were joined by another 6 members making our contingent 25 members. Tracey and her helper had everything in readiness for us. We all treated ourselves to a leisurely breakfast consisting of berries and yummy homemade honey yoghurt for starters, toast and homemade jam, eggs, sausages, bacon, tomatoes, lambs fry and bacon and orange juice. We also had bubbly for those that liked some with their breakfast, and we finished off with tea and coffee. Once again we were spoiled for choice at this beautiful venue. All this for \$25.00 per head! Alan Briggs and Julie Wilmot were each happy recipients of lucky door prizes of a movie pass.

Well done to Tracey and her crew for ongoing support of the MG Car Club. She does not normally open on a Sunday or do breakfast but has made an exception for our Club for many years along with her predecessor, Christine – another job well done! She received a well deserved standing ovation from those present!

Sadly she has informed us that she is moving to a new venue in the near future, but the good news is that she is taking My Slice of Pie with her. We wish her all the best for her future ventures. She has already taken our

booking for mid-March next year, but this will be at a new venue. We will certainly miss the old one at Mountain River.

**Bob Leeson** 







#### 27th March - Margate Men's Shed Run

We departed the Civic Club at 10am on a clear sunny autumn morning Sunday with 9 cars for the run to Margate where we were joined by 4 more cars. On arrival at the Men's Shed we were greeted by Steve Huntley who, thanks to wife Jenny, had laid out a lovely spread of home cooked cake and biscuits. We were given a tour of what is a very well-appointed men's shed with a couple of our members joining up on the spot with a few more expressing interest in joining up in the near future.

Then it was onward to Drew Point for our BBQ / Picnic where all the meats were supplied by the Sub Centre and members supplied their salads etc and cakes courtesy of the Men's Shed morning tea left overs. One point of note - never forget to take the tomato sauce to a BBQ! Chris Wagstaff











#### **COMING EVENTS**

#### 10th April - Run to Dover RSL

Meet at the Civic Club at 10am for a 10.30am departure. There will be a morning tea stop in Huonville at the Huon Jet Boats café. We will then continue to Dover via Police Point for lunch at the RSL club. There will be open choice of meals from their full menu. This will be a poker run. For further information please contact Shane Manley: 0405 077 570.

# **15-19 April – MG National Meeting, Lake Macquarie** Hosted by the MGCC Newcastle.

#### 1st May - MG Day at the National Automobile Museum, Launceston

A run to Launceston for MG Day at the National Automobile Museum. There will be departures from the Civic Club on Saturday at 12 midday (coordinator Chris Wagstaff) and 7am Sunday (coordinator Peter Shaw). For those travelling up on Saturday a dinner with the Northern Subcentre members is planned. Please RSVP to Peter Shaw ASAP so that a group accommodation booking can be made. We hope to be able to fit everyone in at the Colonial which has undercover parking. Cars need to be in place at the museum on Sunday by 10am for display until 2pm. Please note that only MG's will be on display, but of course all cars are welcome to join the run.

For further information please contact Peter Shaw: 0417 641 802.

## Late May/Early June - Greg Ellis Memorial Run

This will be the inaugural Greg Ellis Memorial run. We would particularly like to see as many MGA's as possible participating in the run. A possible BBQ lunch at Baskerville is being considered, but date and details will be advised next month.

For further information please contact Chris Wagstaff: 0438 055 199.

#### 15-16th October - BBQ and Britain to 'Bunna Weekend

This year the BBQ run to David Scott's place and the 'Britain to Bunna' car show run will be combined, with the BBQ on Saturday and the car show on Sunday. Members can choose to do one event or do both and stay overnight at either the Eastcoaster Resort or Blue Waters Hotel. More details will be

advised closer to the event.

Mark Harrington



"You're so beautiful,
I'll love and take care of you always,
thank you for being in my life!"

## GENERATIONS OF STYLE







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Northern Sub Centre Meeting	Committee meeting and social night: Last Wednesday night of the month at 7.30pm VCCA Rooms 67 Lawrence Vale Rd, Launceston		
Postal Address	PO Box 682, Launceston, Tas, 7250		

## Northern Notes

We should start this month's notes with a big happy birthday wishes to Graeme Springer who turned 80 over the weekend and had an impromptu Birthday Party at Bridport.



L/R Phyllis Ashley Jones (the birthday boy) Graeme Springer Geraldine and John Biggelaar

Richard and Trudy Cooke Frances Jeeves

With the Covid 19 regulations being relaxed somewhat our social activities can return to a little less ridged conditions and with the majority of participants being fully vaccinated with a greater degree of safety. We have the Mad Day ( $1^{\rm st}$  May) car display which the MG Car Club is supporting the National Automobile Museum with their "one marque display days "for all MG's not just club members.

So if there is someone that you know owns an MG invite them to come along as it would be good to see if we can get 100 MG's on display.

#### Past events

#### St Leonards Picnic 9th March

The last Summer BBQ run March 9th 2022

The club has been very mindful of Covid and has not held any indoor meetings during this period. The general feeling of members is we can now arrange indoor events again.

The last BBQ run was on Wednesday 9th March, we met at the K Mart car park in Launceston and travelled via Penquite Road to the St Leonards picnic area. Even though attendance of 10 people, we enjoyed a warm and sunny evening, great companionship and interesting discussions between the group.'

One can feel Autumn in the air, at 8pm the temperature started to drop and we all headed home.

Thank you to those who attended.

#### Richard Ashley-Jones



L/R Judy Moles Colleen Webb John James Peter Moles Phyllis Ashely Jones Jill James and John Biggelaar

#### 25th March Coffee Run.

We had 38 members gather at the Casino car park at Prospect which comprised 21 cars.

The venue for the day was Woolmer's who opened up early to provide the club with a venue for our morning tea.

The weather gods smiled on us that day as the photos attest.

We arrived there by 10.15am and enjoyed a Coffee and Muffin and as with any MG social gathering you would be hard pushed to get a word in edge ways.

If that can be used as a gauge all enjoyed themselves an most got away by 12 noon to allow the venue to start looking after the normal walk-in patrons.



A perfect day at Woolmer's Estate Homage Restaurant



The gathering in the car park



Graeme Springer and Sophie Tilley with Phil Tilley in the background



L/R Phil Paine, Sue Paine, Jackie and Brian Ralph



Brian Ralph , left, commenting on Phil Tilley's new mow with the curled up ends.



L/R Margaret and Frank Brooks, Kim Orpwood, Paul Beauchamp, Vicki Walkden Di Paine and Michelle Beauchamp



L/R Peter Harper, Mike Paine, Col Cleaver, Cathie Cleaver, Sue Paine, Liz Harper, Annie Saunders



Mark Dilger

The walking wounded, Frank Brooks broken bone in his foot and Phil Paine broken bone in his hand, It's a D.O.B. issue.

#### **Coming Events**

**April Sun 3:** Picnic Run to Bridport. BYO. Meet at Windsor Hub Carpark 10:30 am. RSVP 2/4/22 P. Paine 0419291483

**April 13** Midweek Dinner: Chinese Dynasty Restaurant. Bathurst St. 6:00pm RSVP by 11/4/22 P. Paine 0419291483

April 15th to 19th 2022: Nat meeting Newcastle.

April 29: Coffee Run.. M Dilger 0408271029. Details to follow

**May 1:** MG May Day at the National Automobile Museum of Tas.. Bill Daly 0417512484 Details available from museum website. Display cars in place 9am. More details to follow.

**May 11:** Mid-week dinner: The Ducks (Old Strathlyn Restaurant), Rosevears Drive 6pm. No Run. RSVP W.Daly by 09/05/22, 0417512484.

May 27: Coffee run.. M Dilger 040827102.Details to follow

June 8: Mid-week Dinner R. Ashley-Jones 0419350811. Details to follow

June 19: Hillclimb/Supersprints Baskerville

July 17: State Motorkhana Latrobe

August 28: Test and Tune Day. Baskerville

October 30: Club Day. Baskerville

Mark Dilger Northern Notes Coordinator



## **North West Notes**

Position	Member (Partner)	Contact Details
North West Coordinator	Terry Jeffrey (Colleen)	(m)0417 344 369 northwest-coord@mgtas.org.au
North West	Meets Second Thursday night of the month: 6.00pm for meal and social evening. Bass & Flinders Motel, Ulverstone	

#### **Past Events**

March Dinner Meeting – Thursday 10th Feb. 15 members came together for dinner and a chat at Bass and Flinders Motor Inn. Thank you to Terry Sansom from Northern group for his good company for the evening.

#### **Up Coming Events**

**Sunday April 10<sup>th</sup>** – Run to Guide Falls Farm (Organised by Chris and Tim Grant)

- 9.30 am Meet at Bunnings Car Park, Devonport.
- 10.00 am approx. Stop over for Morning Coffee at Beach Hut Café, Ulverstone
- Members east of Devonport can meet us at the Café.
- 12.30 pm Arrive at Guide Falls Farm Restaurant for lunch.

Please advise Chris Grant by Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> April if you are planning to come on this run. Mob: 0408 365 243 or Email: <a href="mailto:chrisgrant561@gmail.com">chrisgrant561@gmail.com</a>

April Dinner Meeting Thursday 14th – Bass and Flinders Motor Inn from 6pm.

**April 15<sup>th</sup> – April 19<sup>th</sup>** - MG National Meet 2022 – at Lake Macquarie, hosted by Newcastle MGCC. Safe travelling to all members going from Tasmania.

**Thursday April 29**<sup>th</sup> Coffee run to the Letterbox Café, Penguin leaving Bunnings's car park at 9.15am. Members east of Devonport can pick us up on route. Please notify me if you coming by noon Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup>.

**Sunday May 1**st - 100 MGs required for display at the National Automobile Museum, Launceston. See details elsewhere in the magazine if you are interested in participation. NW members who wish to travel together, we will department from Bunnings Car Park 8.45 am. Please notify me by April  $30^{\rm th}$  if you are joining the cavalcade to Launceston.

**May Dinner Meeting Thursday 12**th – Bass and Flinders Motor Inn from 6pm.



TJ's humour for the month of April



A man is sitting at the bar staring at his drink. After staring at it for half an hour not taking a sip, one of the bar attendants decides to have some fun with him. He picks up the man's drink and drinks it all. The man starts crying. "Don't take it like that," said the bar attendant. "It was a joke. I'll buy you another one." "İt's not just that," replied the man.

"This day has been the worst of my life. First, I overslept and get into work late. My boss fires me and when I leave the building, I find my car has been stolen. I get a cab home but leave my briefcase on the back seat with my wallet in it. Then I get home and find my wife in bed with the gardener. After all that I come to this bar and then when I make up my mind to end it all, you show up and drink my poison..."

Terry Jeffrey NW Co-ordinator

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## Waynes 109th Run

Things are slowly getting back to normal with 56 people in 32 cars enjoying a gorgeous drive and an outdoor lunch. The drive via the windy roads through Sandy Bay, Taroona, Blackmans Bay, Howden, Margate, Sandfly until we arrived at the Longley International was enjoyed by all. And for many there was the beautiful road back to Hobart via Nieka and Fern Tree. The weather was kind as we were sitting undercover outdoors for our 2 course lunch. Good to have David Bantoft back and taking the pics.

Remaining drives for the year are as follows,

April - Wednesday 6th (110th drive)

May - Wednesday 4th (111th drive)

June - Wednesday 1st (112th drive) - to be arranged by Bob Leeson

July - Wednesday 6th (113th drive) - to be arranged by Wal Van Schie

August - Wednesday 3rd (114th drive) - to be arranged by Lyn Cengia

September - Wednesday 7th (115th drive)

October - Wednesday 5th (116th drive)

November - Wednesday 2nd (117th drive)

December - Wednesday 7th (118th drive)

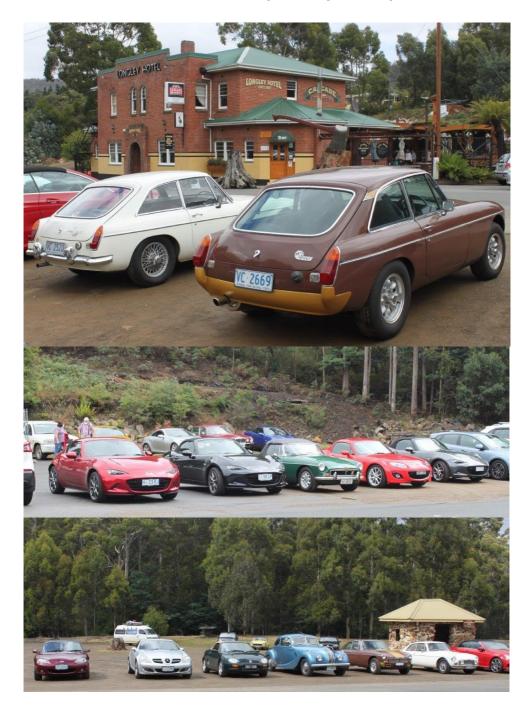
Cheers for now,

Wayne (XK 140 DHC)

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## **Square Rigger Notes**

## All Pre War, T and Y Type MGs.

A collection of MGs – P, T and Y attending various events in recent months with the Southern arm of the Square Rigger group. Most pics at the usual gathering at the Beach first Sunday, Brian Cullen's TD and TCs of Alan Briggs, Mike Hobden and Dave Peters. Also good to see the handsome Y Type of Richard McCure, procured in fairly recent times from South Australia.







Another shot from the Concours back in November, the Briggs PA, TCs of Ian Campbell, Tony Gurnhill and Peter Richards, the latter departing shortly in the entourage to the Nats in Newcastle - finally after repetitious force majeure.







More Southern activities, a recent day out at Bruny Island with a good shot afloat, something TCs don't do well! And the TC of Tony Farrel in company with an omni-present Briggs MG.

A reminder of the State trip 27 – 29 May, Tarraleah the destination and accommodation arrangements down to each participant.

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## **MAY 1ST 2022**





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## **Club Social Events**

Events in red do not attract Club Points
(More details can be found in the Sub Centre Notes)

Date	Event	Meet At	Coordinator
15-19 April	National Meeting	Lake Macquarie	MGCC Newcastle
29th April	NSC Coffee Run		Mark Dilger
29th April	NW Coffee Run	Bunnings Car Park	Terry Jeffrey
1st May	MG May Day	National Auto Museum - Launceston	
1st May	Classics on the Beach	Sandy Bay	
11 <sup>th</sup> May	NSC Mid-Week Dinner		Bill Daly
27th May	NSC Coffee Run		Mark Dilger
Late May – Early June	Greg Ellis memorial Run	TBA	Chris Wagstaff
27th-29th May	Square Rigger State Tour		Peter Scott
8th June	NSC Mid-Week Dinner		R Ashley-Jones
16-16 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Britain to Bunna Weekend	TBA	TBA

## **Club and State Competition Events**

Date	Event	Location	Coordinator
15th May	Motorkhana	Latrobe	MGCC
23rd April – 2nd May	Targa Tasmania Anniversary Event	Statewide	Targa Tas
19th June	Hill Climb / Super Sprints	Baskerville	MGCC / MCC
17th July	State Motorkhana Rnd 3	Latrobe	MGCC
28th August	Test and Tune Day	Baskerville	MGCC
15th - 18th Sept	Historics	Baskerville	Baskerville Foundation
30th Oct	Club Day	Baskerville	MGCC / MCC



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