

Cobra Car Club Meeting



1st July 2015

1. Welcome:

President Rohan Smith welcomed all members and guests to the meeting. Apologies have been received from Jeremy Bland.

2. Membership report:

A small change is required for administration proposes, this year subs will not required until after 1st July. Membership subs will remain \$65.00 for the upcoming year.

Any member who has a vehicle using the CPS and is not financial is in breach of the clubs constitution and could be fined by VicRoads for driving an unregistered vehicle. All members are reminded to manage their own details via the club website

3. Treasurers Report:

Current balance is reported as being around \$11,000.00 The balance will lift substantially once subs are processed. Payments are not to be made before 1st July. Shelby Fest final financial statement has not been completed yet, but it appears the club will sustain a small loss. Early indications points to a smaller number of entries and a drop in revenue from the raffles.

4. Social / Touring Events:

Brass Monkey Run is for 2015 has been run and luckily the weather gods where relatively kind to us. The event was an overall success and we are looking forward to a new venue next year.

The club's visit to Elfin museum on 20th June was a well attended event with great cars, stories and company at lunch at Fat Bob's afterwards.

Planning for the 2016 Alpine Run is well underway. We will be changing accommodation for both Friday night and Sunday night to try and better accommodate for the swelling numbers. Next year we have 27 rooms in Beechworth for Friday night and the same number at Yarram in Gippsland. Omeo remains unchanged. Full details along with booking information will be circulated shortly.

The Club is planning a trip to Tasmania over the Cup Weekend in 2016. Early information is it will be a package deal with Ferry, and Accommodation to be included. The early costing indicates approximately \$1600.00 per car.

A group of club members are planning to visit the 2016 Historic LeMans Classic. Anyone interested should contact Rohan Smith.

5. Competition Report:

Now Shelby Fest is run and one for another year our competition focus is on the Nationals. Our club is planning to stay at the Bakehouse again. We would like to see a stronger contingent from Victoria than last year of 17 cars.

Other events to keep a look out for, the Maryborough ¼ Mile, Tony Walsh is the current outright holder for the course. Alpha Club Sprints Round 4 at Broadford State Motorcycling Complex 14/5.

Entries will soon be open for the 2015 Mt Gambier hill climb, an event highly recommended by a number of club members who have previously entered. Anyone interested should contact Tony Welsh.

It was confirmed the club would not be entering a team for this year's Phillip Island 6 hour.

6. Buy Swap and Sell:

7. General Business:

As a general reminder to all members, it is your responsibility to insure your details on the club website are up today.

A new range of club apparel will be launched next month. This is from a new supplier who will offer an online service with very competitive pricing and extensive range and sizes.

8. Next meeting:

Next meeting is will be AGM on Wednesday 5th August 2015.

9. Guest Speaker: Michael Beck, Evershine Car Care give us a very comprehensive briefing on his line of waterless car care products.