

WALKY TORQUE JUNE 2023

Welcome to your June newsletter. So, the season is under way. We have a number of Walky Park events to look forward to, as well as the Heartlands Rally later this month. The Walky 100 will be here before we know it too!

Keep in mind that competing is not the only way you can take part in club activities. We are always in need to officials and there are number of working bees coming up.

DIARY DATE

Your social committee has set a date for this year's Biggest Morning Tea (Supper) event. This has been well supported in previous years and we're planning to do it all again.

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The event will take place prior to the **June General Meeting, 21 June at Walkerville RSL Hall, at 6.30**. Members are encouraged to bring a plate of food to share and to enjoy the talk from a Cancer Council Ambassador. We are hoping to include the light box as in the past. A tool which highlights any skin marks which may be cancer and should be checked.

NEXT MEETING

**WEDNESDAY 21 JUNE
2023**

**6.30pm for Australia's
Biggest Morning Tea**

**SEE YOU THERE AND
AFTERWARDS FOR THE
GENERAL BUSINESS
MEETING.**

Back in the Day'.

We're **STILL** looking for your personal experiences, your memories (good and not so good) and anything else you might like to contribute . You **don't need to be William Shakespeare – all the editor needs is your words and information. She'll do the rest.**

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NOTICEBOARD

A new feature for members' use. Do you have something you need? Do you have something to sell? Is there an event you're keen for others to know about? If it's of interest to you, then it could be of interest to others. For example:

Calling all car enthusiasts and passionate individuals!

Introducing Xexas Motorsport's Red Riot Rally Car Project—a thrilling opportunity to join forces and bring the Falcon to life as a rally car! Inspired by the beloved anime series My Hero Academia, this project promises an exhilarating adventure like no other.

But we can't do it alone—we need YOUR help! Starting on the 27th of June, we're inviting dedicated volunteers to join our regular meetings and contribute their skills and passion to this undertaking. Whether you're an experienced mechanic or simply eager to lend a hand, your involvement will be invaluable.

We'll kick off our meetings at 6 pm with tea and an atmosphere filled with lively conversations about cars and racing. At 7 pm, we'll dive headfirst into the nitty-gritty of the Ford at our workshop located in Marion. By 9 pm, we'll wrap up the evening's efforts. Our goal is to have the Red Riot ready for the 2024 Rally of the Heartland.

If you're ready for this thrilling challenge and eager to make a difference, don't hesitate! Feel free to contact us using any of the contact options below to express your interest and join the Xexas Motorsport team. Let's make the Red Riot Rally Falcon a reality!

Tamara Brice

Contact Options:

Facebook Messenger

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RECENT EVENTS

Mark Lacey hands the perpetual trophy to Oscar Farnden.



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PROGRESS REPORT JUNE 2023

PROGRESS

The organising team is now meeting on a more regular basis leading up to the event. There is much to be achieved still but, the event progress is basically still on track.

The next team meeting is scheduled for Tuesday the 13 June 2023.

FINANCE

Financial and material support is being pursued for the event. Expenses to date are as expected with materiel purchases expected over the next couple of periods in line with the event budget.

COURSE

A Pre-MA check of the Road Book against the course has been completed with the results being assessed by the COC. The formal MA check will take place following an updated issue of the Road Book. The MA Course Checker has been confirmed.

EQUIPMENT

Materiel acquisition has commenced with equipment to be sourced over the next couple of periods. Access to RallyOne owned equipment is to be arranged per previous Walky 100 events. Recognition of this generous offer will be passed on to Ivar Stanelis.

COMPLIANCE

All requests have been submitted to both councils involved and we now await the formal M A Course Check to be completed in the coming weeks.

PERSONNEL

As always recruiting officials is a huge task but at the time of updating g the event schedule the following officials have been confirmed"

Stage Commanders = 5

Officials = 32

A detailed phone around is now being undertaken to secure the remainder of the required officials for the event.

ISSUES

The Event Director is keen for anyone who would like to get involved to call him and discuss how they can help. Please contact Jake Alker on 0435 907 738.

UPCOMING EVENTS 2023

Walky Park

Wednesday 21 June – Australia's Biggest Morning Tea event
Please bring a plate, your money and/or your credit card

Sunday 25th of June 2023

Walky Park Khanacross Round 2 Motorsport Australia

Saturday 22nd and Sunday 23rd of July 2022

Walky Park Khanacross Series Round 3 Motorsport Australia

Sunday 27th August of 2023

Khanacross Round 4 Motorsport Australia

Sunday 24th of September

Walky Park Khanacross Series Round 5 Motorsport Australia

Sunday 22nd of October

Khanacross Round 6 Motorsport Australia

Sunday 29th October

Observation Run 4

Other events

Friday June 23rd

Mallala Motorsport Park

Skidpan and track training 8.00-4.30

Sunday June 25th

The Bend Motorsport Park MSCA Supersprint Round 2 (6.00-4.00)

Saturday/Sunday 16th and 17th September

Rally Barossa

SARC Round 3

Saturday/Sunday 14th and 15th October

SCCSA SA Hillclimb championship – Collingrove Hillclimb Motorsport Track

Sunday 22nd October

Bay to Birdwood

Don't forget our sponsors. We encourage you to support them, as below.



Track Committee

- The club has purchased 3x20 foot containers.
- Once they have been delivered we will need a working bee to clean them out and organise them and our existing 40 foot container ready for use
- We are in need of additional people with Clerk of Course qualifications. If you are qualified or would be interested in becoming qualified and can help out, please let us know.

Rally Skills Program

It was decided at a recent sub-committee meeting to modify the name of the planned program from Rally Skills Development program to simply Rally Skills program.

- Once the containers are in place and organised, we start acquiring cars to store in them ready to start the program in 2024
- If you have a surplus car that you think might be suitable and would like to donate it to the club, please let us know.
- Once we start acquiring cars we will need some help to service them and ensure that they are safe and fit for purpose, please let us know if you can help
- We are in the process of documenting policy and procedures in relation to a Child Safe Environment which will need to be approved and adopted by the club.

Grants

- We were successful in getting a surplus laptop from the SA Gov't
- We have also been successful in getting a grant under the Active Club Program
- Many thanks to Gill Farnden for her help in getting these submissions lodged.

Any questions or offers of help, contact President Bob Nason or Treasurer Peter Tann.

The Last Word again...

The season is well under way now and things are moving on at Walky Park. Many thanks to Tamara and Ellie Brice for their hours of hard work with timing and lights. Same to Bob Nason and Steve Barker for their ongoing track maintenance work. There's always room for any more willing hands to help out in all sorts of ways. An hour or two here or there can make a lot of difference.

I will be MIA again in July and will enlist the amazing Gill Farnden to assist in producing July's newsletter.

Catch you next time

Fran

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Minutes of the General Meeting
Walkerville RSL Hall, Walkerville Tce., Walkerville

Meeting Opened: 7:30pm by Bob Nason.

Members were welcomed by the President.

Present: Members and visitors were present as per the attendance book.

Apologies:

- Carmel Miels
- Graham Olds
- Adrian Shepherd
- Daren Herring
- Steve Rowe
- Peter Tann
- Fran Tann
- Andrew Farnden

Approval of

Previous Minutes:

Moved: Mark Lacey

2nd: Steve Barker

Carried unanimously.

Business Arising from

Previous Minutes:

- Nil.

Secretary's Report: Correspondence In:

- AAMI Insurance Acknowledgement Letter for Transfer of Ownership of Vehicle
- Bank SA Statement

Correspondence Out:

- Mid-Murray Support Request Letter

Treasurer's Report: - No report tabled.

Membership Officer: - The Club currently has 358 financial members.

Editor: - The Club's newsletter has been released

Rally Panel: - The Rally Panel is in discussion with the Organisers of the Shannons Adelaide Rally regarding support for events, and the future of the event within the state championship series of future years.

- Results and standings are being reviewed following the last SARC events.

Competitors are reminded that some branding and sponsor decals are mandatory as per SARC/SARS regulations.

- A course for Course Checkers is being delivered by SARP. Date and location to be confirmed.

- A silver licence upgrade course is being run on 4th July by Motorsport Australia.

Information is available via the Motorsport Australia website.

- Motorsport Australia is re-introducing the requirements for time-cards and control cards within the SARC calendar.

State Council: - No report tabled.

Competition Secretary: - The Backbone Hill Climb was a huge success. The Club thanks its members for supporting the event. The club has been approached to further support the event in 2024.

- The Club is eagerly awaiting the approval of the 2023 Khanacross Regulations by State Council.

- Ongoing work is being done to ensure that track licences for Walky Park are issued by Motorsport Australia. These are expected to be approved in time for the 2024 season.
- 100 tonne of road base has been delivered to Walky Park for further track works.
- Due to feedback from competitors, minor revisions to track design at Walky Park are being undertaken to aid in the safe and timely stopping of vehicles.
- The Club's Sportivity licence has been renewed for another 12 months.
- Discussion held regarding infrastructure improvements in relation to timing equipment. Other events have placed interest in hiring of our equipment and services.

Motion: That the Club purchase a further licence for the Club's timing software concurrent with offering live timing.

Moved: Tamara Brice

2 nd: Damien Rollond

Carried unanimously.

Track Maintenance: - Grading and rolling has been undertaken at Walky Park.

Walky 100: - Event Planning is tracking well.

- Event Organisers met with Councillors in relation to the Event. Discussion was held on the growth and further development of the Event.
- Works at Eudunda Oval are currently being undertaken to improve the grounds.

Rally Skills

Development Program:

- Investigation is being undertaken to determine vehicles, storage, instructors, and volunteers.
- Branding and promotions need to be developed.
- Discussion held regarding the erection of a shed at Walky Park for storage and maintenance of vehicles.

Social Committee - The social club meeting at Balaklava went well.

- More social outings are currently being planned, more information coming soon.
- A door raffle will be held at the June 'Biggest Morning Tea' GBM.
- The above event is being promoted throughout the wider community through several avenues.
- Members were encouraged to bring a plate to share for the event.

- The Club is celebrating its 70th anniversary in 2024. Further investigation and discussions to be undertaken to devise a plan of recognition and celebrations.

Website: - Further development is being undertaken of the Club website.

- The Club's mailing system is under review due to existing capacity limits.
- The Walky 100 website needs to be transitioned to a Club-hosted platform very soon.

General Business: - The Club has received notification that tyre-bundles are available for donation

from the Adelaide 500. Further investigation to be undertaken regarding the delivery of such tyre bundles to Walky Park.

- The Public Relations Officer is currently working to create multiple forms of media to promote the Club and its events.
- Members were reminded that care should be taken to promote Club and Event sponsors accurately and appropriately in all out-ward facing documentation and content, including the use of Sponsor names in Event titles.
- Multiple potential sponsors have been vetted and approached in regard to initial or continued support of Club events.
- The Club accepted the resignation of Sandi Stuit from the Club Committee, and thanks her for her service.

Nominations were opened for the now vacant role.

Motion: That Ellie Brice be accepted into the vacant role of General Committee member.

Moved: Greta Nason

2 nd: Mark Lacey

Carried Unanimously.

Meeting Closed: 8:29PM

Next Meeting: WACC General Business Meeting

7:30PM

21 June, 2023

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