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CRC meetings are usually held at the Canada Bay Club, 8 William Street, Fivedock at 7.30 pm sharp.

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Classic Rally Club Meetings are held on the 4th Tuesday of each month, January to November from 7.30pm at the Canada Bay Club, 8 William Street Fivedock.

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30 YEARS OF CLUB PRESIDENTS



John Vickery
1994—1996



Brian Cooper
1997—2004



Lui MacLennan
2004—2010



Ross Warner
2011—2014



John Cooper
2015—2024

Celebrating 30 years of the Classic Rally Club

Where it all started was with the Press Release and the proposed Meeting Agenda announcing the expressions of interest meeting to form a new Rally Association / Club on the 25th January 1994, to be held at West Strathfield Bowling Club. An attendance list was circulated and here is the list of peoples names that were there on the night to listen to the proposal put forward by Geoff Bott. Many more people started to get interested and joined up in the following months as the Club started the momentum of establishment. (see Press Release & Meeting Agenda)

Geoff Bott	Adrian Walmsley	Garth Taylor
Trever Crowley	Garth Evans	Ken Smith
John Cooper	Denise Smith	Brad O'Conner
Geoff Swanley	Peter Thomson	Grant Freeman
Dick Rangott	Tony Hudson	Phil Sperryn
Peter Edwards	Ralph Skinner	David Rhys-Jones
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Peter Rudland	John Vickery	Ed Holly
Ric Cary	Paul Warne	John Shaw
Brian Wye	David Wheatley	Jeanette Shaw
Roy Fox	Bob Williams	Jack Brownlow
Tony Kanak	Kathleen Plimsell	Dave Wilson
Phil Coppin	Richard Johnson	Leone Johnson
Ian Thompson	Brian Cooper	Maureen Turner
Glen Davis	John Slater	Andrew Papadopoulos
Hamish Duff	Tony Wise	Ron Pope
David Whisker	James Pope	Tom Morrison
Don Jones	Paul Vander Heyden	

The meeting was a huge success where everyone was in agreement to form a Club and a Steering Committee was formed. The first Annual General Meeting was held on the 26th July 1994. (see History document else where to continue on with the Club's History.)

The Club was now gaining momentum only a few years after the resurgence of our style of rallying with the concept of the Repco Mountain Rallies, promoted and conducted by the Jaguar Drivers Club, back in 1991. These events were mainly the brain child of our founder, Life Member, founding interim President and Editor, Mr Geoffrey Bott, who has been active within the CRC for the 30 consecutive years. Without Geoff proposing his idea and concept to the Jaguar Drivers Club to conduct a navigation/ sporting style rally for classic cars back in 1990/91 and the introduction of the week long Repco Mountain Rallies that formed a resurgence in the use of classic cars our Club's formation would not have occurred.

CLASSIC RALLY CLUB

Press Release

Ever fancied yourself competing in the Repco Mountain Rally, Snowy 1000, Targa Tasmania, Grand Prix Rally or the Tour T' Adelaide? Because if you have, you'll be interested in the inaugural meeting of the Classic Rally Club, being formed to support the classic rally movement.

In the same way that the very successful Historic Sports & Racing Car Association was formed to support historic racing some years ago, the Classic Rally club is designed to ensure the survival and growth of classic rallying and to provide a lobby group that will ensure that a voice is heard in CAMS and by organisers of events so as to get the regulations and events that are really wanted by the classic rallyist.

Former Repco Mountain Rally Clerk of Course, Geoffrey Bott, is calling the meeting.

Time: 8 pm

Date: 25th January, 1994

Location: West Strathfield Bowling Club, Cnr Fraser & Kessell Sts., Flemington.

Repco Mountain Rally officials will be in attendance to answer queries on the 1994 event.

Any person interested in the formation of the club is invited to attend. For further information Phone (ah) 047 513 396 or Fax 047 513 396 anytime.

The proposed
CLASSIC RALLY CLUB
Meeting Agenda - 25th January 1994

1. Greetings to all , welcome to guest speakers
2. Why another Club?
 - a/. No club caters for the sport presently.
 - b/. A voice at CAMS
 - c/. To promote new events and existing ones, provide officials ideas & expertise to organisers.
 - d/. To aid entrants in the preparation of cars, drivers and navigators.
3. Invitation to the floor to speak on their ideas.
4. Reply to floor discussion.
5. If so desired by the floor, to begin the process of forming a club.
6. Discussion on the officers, election/volunteering and general enthusiasm
7. Formation of a steering committee :
 - President
 - Secretary
 - Treasurer
 - Editor
 - Member
 - Member
8. New officers to take the chair.
9. Circulation of forms for intending members
10. Any further business
11. Cars/Parts for sale
12. Next meeting, Fourth tuesday of the month at the West Strathfield Bowling Club for General members/interested parties.
13. Guest speakers to address meeting - Ken Smith of the Shock Shop on Haldas
- Doug Henderson, 1994 Repco Mountain Rally

The Classic Rally Club - The Founding & the Future

by
Geoff Bott



Like many thousands of car enthusiasts in the 1960s and 1970s I was smitten with rallying and competed in the South Australian Rally Championship. Family commitments meant that this unpromising career was shelved but the love of the sport lay dormant within me.

In the 1980s I established the Historicar bookshop and became the largest retailer in Australia of the Duke Marketing range of VHS videos. I was entranced by a particular video from the 1970s called the "Avon Tour of Britain" that was designed to test the skills of circuit racers versus rally drivers. it linked a series of British race circuits by navigational & forest stages thus providing a good test to determine the best drivers of the day. Rally drivers generally won as they had the best combination of skills.

Then in 1989 came the Pirelli Marathon in Europe and I devoured the exploits of my rally heroes such as Roger Clark, Paddy Hopkirk, Stirling Moss and many others and desperately wanted to run in this type of event which also combined navigational challenges, hillclimbs and circuit sprints. I put together a proposal for such an event to be run here in NSW and put it to the Jaguar Drivers Club of Australia, of which I was a member (but lacking ownership of a Jaguar at the time).

The JDCA enthusiastically embraced the concept as they were looking for an idea to reinvigorate the club at the time, having had a perilous time financially in the recent past. The event that resulted was the 1991 Repco Mountain Rally and it attracted a field of 110 entries drawn from every state in Australia. It was very successful as it was the first event of its kind, ran for 6 days and had 2 full days of competition and 4 days of navigational stages, all timed.

However, despite the success of the event I felt that

a marque car club was not going to be devoted to the concept

wholeheartedly and was eventually going to run out of steam as although the organising committee was very enthusiastic, it was drawing from a very small group of dedicated people within that club.

In 1994 I called a meeting of interested parties largely drawn from competitors of the Repco Mountain Rally with the idea of forming a club that was specifically designed to support navigational rallies for classic cars. About 40 people turned up and the Classic Rally Club was formed. I was the inaugural president and with a small committee then took up the challenge of getting representation at CAMS, forming a constitution and the multitude of tasks required to get a club running.

Meetings were well attended and the club slowly grew. Our editor of "Rally Directions" was Paul van der Heyden but he left to return the USA and I ceded the presidency to John Vickery and took up the editors post. Other founding members included Adrian Walmsley, Tony Kanak, Brian & John Cooper. Adrian was the treasurer for many years. "The Joke" was the main part of his presentation at meetings and set the tone for the night with many convivial discussions. This was one of the reasons that the CRC has never developed an attitude where it took itself too seriously at meetings and avoided politicking.

One of the first things we arranged was a club championship, combining the current events that soon came about. This included the MG Club Winter Rally, TSOA via the Popes and the JDCA Mountain Rally.

I then left NSW to work in Melbourne for several years while others took on the guidance of the club.

I returned to Sydney in 1997 and thought that it would be a good idea to start an event under the umbrella of the CRC and with sponsorship from my company at the time, the VIGIL Alpine Marathon was born as a semi-commercial venture. It was largely organised by me with the substantial help of John & Val Vickery. While successful with quite a large field of previous Repco Mountain Rally entrants, the commercial side was not rewarding. Prizes awarded were gold, silver and bronze medallions and the ceremony took place at the Hydro Majestic hotel at Medlow Bath, the scene of several Mountain Rally finishes. Following this, Lui McLennan took up the event and the CRC Presidency for many years, renamed the rally and its now called the Classic Alpine under the stewardship of Alan & Lauren Walker.

The three Cooper brothers have been a mainstay of the club since the inception. Sadly, we lost Brian Cooper over 10 years ago and John Cooper has guided the club in the interim, aided by brother Ron and Tony Kanak.

As time has gone by, the interest in navigational rallies has waxed and waned but the CRC has endured with a healthy membership I am pleased to say. The introduction of the graded instructions for masters and apprentices made life a little easier for the serious competitors. However, its clear that the tour category is a real winner with many members opting for a great drive in the country with minimal navigation and an emphasis on the social component. I am of the view that the tours will only grow in popularity and be part of the inevitable change in focus as the CRC evolves and continues to be a leading force in our sport.

10/11 October 1998

The Classic Rally Club Inc. & Alpine Marathon presents

VIGIL ALPINE MARATHON
Prelude - 1998

Start & Finish each day at the Leura Village Fair.
Overnight & Diner at the Hydro Majestic Hotel in the magnificent Blue Mountains of NSW.

Get it out of the shed! This could be you in your classic car

100 Fabulous Classic Cars

A Classic Car Rally in the grand tradition offering 3 levels of participation

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2. Tour - more relaxed event for novices
3. Support - non competitive section for family & friends of competitors in 1 & 2.

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Thanks for expressing an interest in the *VIGIL Alpine Marathon Prelude* on the 10/11th October.

However, as at today's date of 25th August, I have not received your entry. Entries close on the 28th August - this is primarily due to the shortage of accommodation in the Blue Mountains.



I have reserved you a room at present but it is *absolutely essential that you contact me at the rally office by phone, fax or e-mail to confirm your entry by Monday 31st August* in order to secure your accommodation, followed by your entry form and payment by Wednesday 2nd September. If you've sent it in the mail this week or are not entering, ignore this note of course.

Also the Navigation School at open to any interested parties, 60 people and I already have starters at this so let me know **this at the same time.** The school notes and maps are of course available separately for \$30 post paid.

Pitt Town on the 20th September, is filling fast. We can only take 38 about



We have some fantastic entries so far, including an ultra rare Arnolt Bristol having it's first run in many years. Other entries range from 750cc to 6.5 litres in size from Fiat to Pontiac! You'll really kick yourself if you miss out.

The photos included are all of actual entrants vehicles, the variety is fantastic and I'd really like to see you in the rally. Oh, by the way, *you do not need to have a Halda* or a similar instrument to do well in the event as we have structured it to suit ordinary speedometers, consequently there will be *no penalties applied for electronic mileage measuring devices.*

Regards,

Geoffrey Bott
Director



HISTORY OF THE CLASSIC RALLY CLUB INC.

THE FIRST 20 YEARS

(Reproduced from the "20th" celebration edition)

Introduction by John Cooper, Club Historian.

It gives me much pleasure to present the following information in respect of our Club's history for "The 20" magazine edition. This information has never previously been collated and is based on research from our newsletters and meeting minutes. Unfortunately some information was never recorded and as such, some additional research would be necessary to detail our history a little more comprehensively.

You may notice no record at all for the 1996 CRC Championship point score, this is because it cannot be found anywhere, and in 1997 names were produced with information taken from members' trophies. If you can help me to fill in these gaps or any other missing data from our first 20 years, please let me know so I can complete our records.

I will attempt to update our records yearly because this is an important aspect of our Club's history and it should not go unrecorded.

1994 January 25th. Foundation Meeting - Strathfield West Bowling Club.

Geoff Bott calls for interested rally participants to attend a special meeting to discuss the proposal of forming a Classic Rally Club/Association to mainly have a force or voice with CAMS who were developing the new rally codes, that would affect our sport, and be an organisation that would advance and develop the cause of Classic Rallying as well as conduct rallies for classic and historic cars.

65 people attended, and voted to form a club for Classic Rallies and elected a steering Committee to get things underway. Twenty people joined and paid their subs on the night and many more were to follow.

So the Classic Rally Club name was voted on and the Club foundation was put into place.

President: Geoff Bott
Editor: Paul Van der Heyden
Committee: John Vickery
Glen Davis
Ron Pope
Phil Coppin

February 9th. CAMS Affiliation was sought and granted in June 1994. Monthly Magazines are to be provided as the Club's form of communication.

March. A draft constitution was established at the March General Meeting for discussion and input from Members.

April. The Club Meeting venue was changed to The Crows Nest Club, Hayberry Street, Crows Nest due to cost and the eventual closure of Strathfield West Bowling Club.

July 26th. The first Annual General Meeting was held at the The Crows Nest Club, the Constitution was adopted and the election of the following office bearers accepted.

President: John Vickery
Secretary: Ron Pope
Treasurer: Adrian Walmsley
Editor: Geoff Bott
Committee: Mark Alchin

NOTE: Geoff Bott was elected President, however when Paul Van Der Heyden announced he could not stand for Editor due to his move back to the USA, no other nominations or volunteers could be found for the Editor's job, Geoff suggested due to the importance of communication via the newsletter he would withdraw from his previously elected position and took up the Editor's job, and John Vickery was elected as President.

August. A proposal to incorporate the Club was investigated and actions commenced.

1995

President: John Vickery
Secretary: Ron Pope
Treasurer: Adrian Walmsley
Editor: Geoff Bott
Committee: Mark Alchin

The CRC convinced the Jaguar Mountain Rally organisers to include the Mini Mountain Rally in their event. This provided the opportunity to compete for two days on equal terms with the six day competitors and gave teams without available time, plus newcomers to the sport, the opportunity to be involved.

By August the Club boasted 66 financial members.

In September Magazine Club Editor, Geoff Bott, relocated his business to Melbourne to take up his position as General Manager of VIGIL Insurances for VGL Insurance Brokers, and resigned as Editor.

1996

President: John Vickery
Secretary: Ron Pope
Treasurer: Adrian Walmsley
Editor: Scott Austin
Committee: Mark Alchin
Ross Hockley

Due to costs at Crows Nest our meeting venue was relocated to Parramatta Rugby Union Club for the start of 1996. The AGM was held on the 27th February and the Committee was unchanged and decided to move the AGM from February to November each year, to allow the Committee to function for the full rally year's calendar.

The Classic Rally Club organised and conducted its first official rally event. A one day rally called the R.L Nicholson Rally, with sponsorship from club member Ken Convoy through his shipping customs business. The rally was directed and organised by Jocelyn Vettoretti. She was assisted by John Vickery. 32 Cars entered and competed on the 19th May.

In June a competition for a club logo was notified with entries to be forwarded for consideration.

In July the membership of the Club was at 76.

Tony Kanak was elected at the September meeting to be the Classic Rally Club's CAMS delegate.

The CRC investigated the possibility of having a Club Plate Registration Scheme, and would need 5 cars to kick things off. Expressions of interest were sought.

Difficulties in producing a Club newsletter were continuing – the Club bought it's first computer and publishing software for \$500, however due to various reasons including computer malfunctions, Editor illness and other issues, no newsletters were produced.

No Rally Directions Newsletters were produced for most of the year until Geoff Bott, from Melbourne, published the 1996 Year Book in November.

The November Meeting was the Annual General Meeting and a lot of the existing Committee Members retired and a new era of the Club commenced.

1997

President: Brian Cooper
Vice President: John Vickery
Vice President: Ron Pope
Secretary: Tony Kanak
Treasurer: Adrian Walmsley
Committee: Ross Hockley
Event Secretary: Tony Hudson

CAMS Delegate: Tony Kanak

A monthly newsletter sheet was produced by Brian Cooper and Tony Hudson.

1998

President: Brian Cooper
Secretary: Tony Kanak
Treasurer: Adrian Walmsley
Committee: Ross Hockley
Event Secretary: Tony Hudson
Regalia Office: Rick Barrett
Publicity Officer & Newsletter Coordinator: Margaret McDonald

The Classic Rally Club approved a sub branch in Queensland, hoping to develop some interstate rallies and competition. This was organised by Queenslanders, Ken Philip, Tony Gallethy, Alan Stean and Glen Battershill.

In October Geoff Bott organised and conducted the

first Alpine Rally backed by the CRC and called the Alpine Marathon Prelude Rally.

1st Place: Gavin Rea & Rick Fletcher – Triumph TR3A

2nd Place: Ron Spellman & Jeff West – Holden FJ

3rd Place: Adrian Carrick & Lui MacLennan – Mini S
Club regalia was introduced with cloth sew-on badges, blue and yellow polo shirts and baseball style caps.

1999

President: Brian Cooper

Secretary: Tony Kanak

Treasurer: Adrian Walmsley

Editor: Geoff Bott

Geoff Bott returned to Sydney and took up the role of Editor once again to boost communication for the Club.

In April a new meeting place/venue was discussed due to continuing issues at Parramatta Rugby Club and in August the Club moved to it's new home at the MG Car Club's rooms at Henley Bowling Club.

New rallies appeared, Jeff West conducted the first "Riverina Run" using the Wagga Car Club.

Jeff Whitton invited CRC to the Forest Classic Rally in Wangaratta Victoria, run by Rally Sport News and the first short lived East Coast Targa was contested.

The Classic Rally Club backed the Club's major rally of the year, "The Vigil Alpine Marathon Rally" with Rally Director Adrian Carrick, Clerk of Course John Henderson and Administration Director Lui MacLennan. The Rally was run in October.

In June, Lui MacLennan took on the job of establishing the Club's plate registration scheme.

She sought and obtained approval from the R.T.A for the Club to commence its own club plate rego commencing in January 2000.

Club Incorporation was finalised and the Club took on the new name of Classic Rally Club Inc.

2000

President: Brian Cooper

Secretary: Tony Kanak

Treasurer: Adrian Walmsley

Competition Secretary: John Cooper

Magazine Editor: Ted Norman

Regalia Officer: Rick Barrett

Club Plate Registrar: Lui MacLennan

Club Plate Scrutineer: Danny Castro

Committee: Garth Taylor

With the appointment of Ted Norman as Editor, a new Club Magazine was produced. This started a continuous run of regular new style communication newsletter magazines, still called Rally Directions and sent to Club Members.

Ted took the nickname of Ted-itor. In May the CRC was affiliated with the Council of Veteran Vintage and Thoroughbred Motor Clubs Incorporated (CVVTMC), later to be renamed Council of Motor Clubs (CMC), and the Club attended their first Display Day at Eastern Creek.

The CRC Club Plate scheme, through the RTA, commenced with blue and yellow Classic Rally Club number plates.

2001

President: Brian Cooper

Secretary: Tony Kanak

Treasurer: Adrian Walmsley

Magazine Editor: Ted Norman

Competition Secretary: John Cooper

Regalia Officer: John Robinson

Club Plate Registrar: Lui MacLennan

Club Plate Scrutineer: Danny Castro

Committee: Garth Taylor

A Club website was established in August, assembled by Hal Corbould and Lui MacLennan.

2002

President: Brian Cooper

Secretary: Tony Kanak

Treasurer: Adrian Walmsley

Membership: Hamish Duff

Magazine Editor: Ted Norman

Competition Secretary: Robert Mifsud

Regalia Officer: John Cooper

Club Plate Registrar: Lui MacLennan

Club Plate Scrutineer: Danny Castro

Committee: Garth Taylor

Tim McGrath's red Mini Clubman became the first club car to be registered in the new style RTA Club

plates scheme (H Plates) in June.

In July the CRC attended the Motorex Club Car Show.

2003

President: Brian Cooper
Secretary: Tony Kanak
Treasurer: Adrian Walmsley
Membership: Hamish Duff
Magazine Editor: Garth Taylor
Magazine Editor's Mate: Ted Norman
Competition Secretary: Robert Mifsud
Regalia Officer: John Cooper
Club Plate Registrar: Lui MacLennan
Club Plate Scrutineer: Danny Castro
Club Plate Scrutineer: Peter Thomson
Committee: Michael St John Cox
John Henderson
Webmaster: Hal Corbould

The November AGM elected to give Life Membership of the CRC to Margaret & Don Brown, and Geoff Bott .

President Brian Cooper developed a small pain in his back on the Mountain Rally in July and upon return doctors commenced chemo treatment, for his lymphoma cancer.

At the November AGM President Brian Cooper thanked members for support during his illness and suggested he would still stand for the position of President, if the members desired, and his election was unopposed.

2004

President: Brian Cooper
Secretary: Tony Kanak
Treasurer: Adrian Walmsley
Membership: Hamish Duff
Magazine Editor: Ted Norman
Competition Secretary: Peter/SharynMcAlpine
Regalia Officer: John Cooper
Club Plate Registrar: Lui MacLennan
Club Plate Scrutineer: Danny Castro
Club Plate Scrutineer: Peter Thomson
Committee: Michael St John Cox
John Henderson
Webmaster: Hal Corbould

The Classic Rally Club turned 10 years old in January.

Margaret & Don Brown, and Geoff Bott were presented with their Life Membership.

Brian Cooper was honoured with Life Membership, for services to the Classic Rally Club.

In May President Brian Cooper passed away. His position was left vacant until the November AGM meeting, where Lui MacLennan was elected to the position of CRC President.

The late Brian Cooper will be well remembered for directing many of the Classic Rally Club's rallies, and for the contribution he made to promote and steer the Classic Rally Club to the level we all enjoyed and participated in using our classic cars for such events.

August saw the running of our first annual driver training/track day at Wakefield Park Motor Circuit.

The CRC organised a rally in November in honour of our past President. This was called "Coops Last Run". The "gurus" of classic rallying decided to bond together and set a fun run type event in Brian's name. Many Directors and Clerks of Course were involved in organising the event to raise funds for the Nepean Hospital Intensive Care Unit.

It was decided that the event be all daylight and would be divided into 3 classes – The Challenge, with tricky grid reference navigation, The Tour, all route chartered and The Social, which used mainly main roads but loosely followed the same route as the other two classes but in the opposite direction.

The event started and finished at Wilton, near Picton and the lunch break was at Berry on the South Coast where the two navigation groups and the Social group crossed over. The route was cunningly devised so that this point was half way and everyone arrived somewhere near the same time slot.

Broadly, the navigation groups headed to the coast via Mt Keira Road then through Kembla Grange to Dapto, across the Huntley and Marshal Mount to an interesting water crossing. We then travelled via Jamberoo Mountain, Saddleback Mountain, Kiama, Gerringong, Touljooa and Coolangatta to Berry.

After lunch we visited Kangaroo Valley, Fitzroy Falls, Bowral, Mittagong, Buxton, Thirlmere, Picton and back to Wilton for afternoon tea. Magically, all competitors arrived back within reasonable time of one another. The Social Group did all of the above in reverse order.

Almost every marque car was represented. It was a great showcase of sports and classic cars with a few modern cars thrown in to the 86 car field. The oldest car was a 1934 super charged MG PA.

A large number of the Club's "heavies" were organising the event but this didn't stop four crews from clean-sheeting the challenge, while 22 crew cleaned the Tour – maybe the event was a tad too easy, but none the less, great fun!

So what was the point of it all? Well, one was to gather the group of motor sport friends and collectively have fun in our old cars while remembering, possibly for the last time as a group, our good friend Brian. Secondly, we saw along the route some of the best scenery NSW has to offer. Thirdly, we raised over \$8,500 on the event, which when added to the money raised at events run by Classic Rally, MG, Thornleigh, Jaguar Clubs, plus many personal donations took the total given to Nepean Hospital ICU to in excess of \$27,000 – a fitting tribute to Brian Cooper.

2005

President: Lui MacLennan
 Secretary: Tony Kanak
 Treasurer: Adrian Walmsley
 Membership: Hamish Duff
 Magazine Editor: Ted Norman
 Competition Secretary: Peter/Sharyn
 McAlpine
 Regalia Officer: John Cooper
 Club Plate Registrar: Ron Cooper
 Club Plate Scrutineer: Danny Castro
 Club Plate Scrutineer: Peter Thomson
 Committee: Garth Taylor
 John Henderson
 Webmaster: Hal Corbould

In January the CRC made the decision to relocate to new meeting premises at Denistone Sports and

Bowling Club in West Ryde. This was due to the proposed redevelopment of the Henley Club. By November the Club membership had reached 300 members.

2006

President: Lui MacLennan
 Secretary: Tony Kanak
 Treasurer: Adrian Walmsley
 Membership: Rosalyn Walsh
 Magazine Editor: Gerald Lee
 Competition Secretary: Peter/Sharyn
 McAlpine
 Regalia Officer: John Cooper
 Club Plate Registrar: Ron Cooper
 Club Plate Scrutineer: Danny Castro
 Club Plate Scrutineer: Peter Thomson
 Committee: Garth Taylor
 John Henderson
 Webmaster: Hal Corbould

The number of H Club Plate registered vehicles with the CRC reached 51 cars.

In August the Club arranged a weekend away at the Temora Aviation Museum and Flying Exhibition. Membership was steady at 311 financial members.

2007

President: Lui MacLennan
 Secretary: Tony Kanak
 Treasurer: Adrian Walmsley
 Membership: Rosalyn Walsh
 Magazine Editor: Gerald Lee
 Competition Secretary: Peter/Sharyn
 McAlpine
 Regalia Officer: John Cooper
 Club Plate Registrar: Ron Cooper
 Club Plate Scrutineer: Tim McGrath
 Club Plate Scrutineer: Danny Castro
 Club Plate Scrutineer: Peter Thomson
 Club Plate Scrutineer: Rob Panetta
 Webmaster: Hal Corbould
 Web Photomaster: Brian Foster
 Committee: Garth Taylor
 John Henderson

The Alpine Rally raffle, donated by Heather Dux, raised \$2,444 for the Children's Cancer Institute, a

worthy cause as one of our CRC Member's seven month old daughter was diagnosed with neuroblastoma, a cancer of the nervous system.

2008

President: Lui MacLennan
Secretary: Tony Kanak
Treasurer: Alan Watson
Membership: Ian Packard
Magazine Editor: Gerald Lee/Renai Warner
Competition Secretary: Peter/Sharyn McAlpine
Regalia Officer: John Cooper
Club Plate Registrar: Ron Cooper
Club Plate Scrutineer: Tim McGrath
Club Plate Scrutineer: Danny Castro
Club Plate Scrutineer: Peter Thomson
Club Plate Scrutineer: Rob Panetta
Webmaster: Hal Corbould/ Harriet Jordan
Web Photomaster: Brian Foster
Committee: Garth Taylor
John Henderson

CRC Member and long-time club and event Steward Don Brown passed away.

In April Webmaster Hal Corbould retired and the website was taken over by Harriet Jordan.

Gerald Lee resigned his post as Editor of our Magazine "Rally Directions" and Renai Warner took over the position, producing the mag from June onwards.

October saw the running of the 7,000km Red Centre to Gold Coast Rally. Starting at Alice Springs and finishing on the Gold Coast over gruelling dirt roads and tracks, the event comprised 12 days of competition. Ten CRC cars and crews entered.

Ron Cooper the club's Historic Plate Registrar advised that 60 Club Cars were now participating in the rego scheme.

Long term Treasurer Adrian Walmsley did not stand for re-election at the November AGM, after 14 years, and was replaced by Alan Watson.

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Club lunch runs became popular and \$546 was collected, with the club adding another \$600 to the Victorian Bush Fire and \$1,000 to the Queensland floods.

Another weekend away was held to the Temora Air Show.

Jeff West organised a computerised desktop navigation rally series.

This year saw the end of the Forest Classic Rally in Victoria and Jeff Whitton's 10 year run of rallies finished.

The March Edition of the Club Mag "Rally Directions" went full colour, with Gary and Wendy Maher's Volvo P1800 on the cover.

The August driver training day switched from Wakefield Park to Oran Park full circuit, with the track to close not long after this at the end of the year.

Club membership reached 399.

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At the start of the year there was 74 cars with Club plates.

The Barry Ferguson Rally was run for the first time, with Dave Johnson master minding the event, which used older style navigation and maps from the 1960's.

President Lui MacLennan stood aside at the November AGM having steered the Club on a successful course over 6 full years in the top job.

The Alpine Rally raffle raised \$1,207 for the Bear Cottage at Manly.

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By April Club plate numbers were up to 80 cars and reached 90 by the end of the year.

The first First Friday Free Fling (FFFF) was held in February. This was a social get together, which allowed cars on Club plates to have a run and a members to have a social rally chat.

The CRC web page reached 10,000 visits per month at an average of 8 minutes. Membership numbers were 435.

Club members attended the 50 years of the Mini celebrations with 10 Minis from our CRC Club. The

highlight was the appearance of Andrew Cowan, who was brought along by Dave Johnston.

The position of Club Officials' Registrar was created, Dave Johnson taking on the role, and John Cooper was thrust into the position of Club Historian.

The Magazine Editor's position was changed in May with Bob Morey taking over, from Simon & Belle Duff.

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The 20th Anniversary of the Jaguar Mountain Rally was run as a Tour only event. A far cry from its original concept, however a large CRC contingent participated for the run.

Long-time Club photographers John Southgate and Anne Bloomfield retired from events and left a large void to fill in the recording our events with photos.

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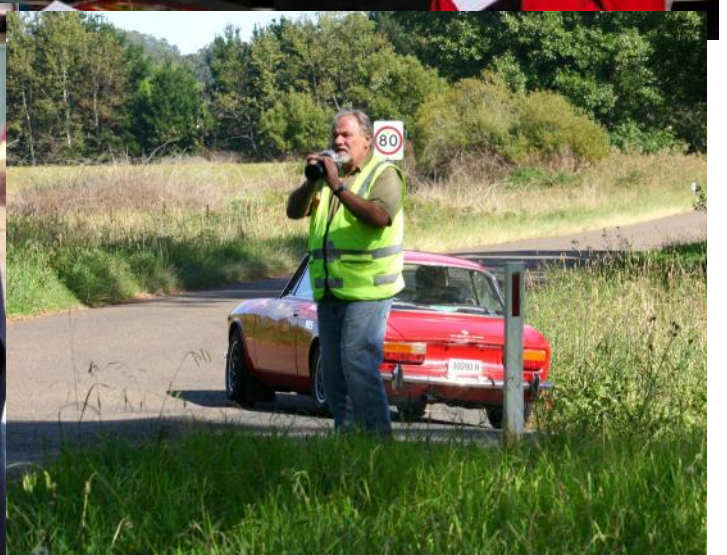
Planning got underway for the Classic Rally Club's 20 year celebrations. To be held in early 2014, on Friday the 28th February, Saturday the 1st and Sunday the 2nd March, in Mudgee.

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"The 20" is to be held over three days in Mudgee celebrating 20 years of the Classic Rally Club. Activities include; Drive to Mudgee day, Social dinner, Saturday Rally, Wine tasting, Major presentation and dinner, Car display and Club member get together.

In 2014 the Classic Rally Club started the year off with over 400 members and 100 vehicles on historic plate registration.





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10 February 2014

Ross Warner
President
Classic Rally Club NSW

Dear Ross,

As President of CAMS and a founding member of the Classic Rally Club, I would like extend my congratulations on the occasion of the twentieth anniversary of the Classic Rally Club of NSW. I was one of the enthusiasts at the West Strathfield Bowling Club meeting in February 1994 where we established a steering committee chaired by Geoff Bott to set up the Classic Rally Club. The rest as they say is history, with the formation of the club and the election of John Vickery as its inaugural President. I congratulate John, the late Brian Cooper, Lui MacLennan and yourself as Presidents and for keeping the ideals of this club alive and satisfying the need for us classic car owners in the enjoyment of our vehicles and the camaraderie and friendships that developed. I have fond memories of my time as a member and competitor and maybe I can talk Hamish Duff into a comeback with me in the near future. CAMS commends the Classic Rally Club on its success and is very proud to have your affiliation. I wish you and the club every success for the next twenty years and thank you for fulfilling the need for classic car enthusiasts in the enjoyment of our cars.

Yours in Motor Sport

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Andrew Papadopoulos'.

Andrew Papadopoulos
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C.R.C. Club Championship History.

The Classic Rally Club's Club Championship is scored based on the results of competition within our yearly calendar of events. Competitors and Event officials can score points towards the final yearly score, the number of points earned depending upon placing in the event and/or the level of commitment provided by the Event Official. Various formulas have been used since the Club inception to grade points and assign points in the point score. Since 2005 the awards have been presented to include Masters, Apprentice and Tour Level. In 2009 the "Future Star in a Rally Car" award was included in the yearly presentations for participants under the age of 30 years.

1994 NSW CLASSIC RALLY SERIES

Point Score Events; ISOA Winter Rally
 MGCC Spring Rally
 BSCC BP Range Rally (QLD)

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Greg Bott	51	John Vickery	47
2nd	Andrew Vickery	36	Jocelyn Vettoretti	34
3rd	Ken Philip	34	John Pearson	33

1995 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events; November Rally
 SCCA Beach to Brekkie Rally
 MGCC Spring Rally
 TSOA Winter Rally
 BSCC BP Range Rally (QLD)

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Mark Alchin	76	Tony Hudson	76
2nd	Gerald Lee	54	Ian Reddoch	54
3rd	Tony Kanak	21	Kath Plimsoll	21

The CRC presented a trophy as part of the Classic Rally series, called the "Spirit of the Series", being the competitors considered by the committee to have entered the events to enjoy classic rallying and generally encourage all other to do the same. The award was won by Bob Williams and Gary Phillips in the MK4 Jaguar.

1996 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events; JDCA Mini Mountain Rally
 MGCC Spring Rally
 CRC RL Nicholson Rally

No written record of the 1996 point score can be found, nor is there any for 1997, however some members have trophies that have provided this information. If you can enlighten us with this missing point score information please notify John Cooper.

1997 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events; AHRG Banjo Patterson Rally
 CRC Sydney Rally
 JDCA Mini Mountain Rally
 MG Spring Rally
 TSOA Winter Classic

1st Adrian Carrick
 2nd Jeff West
 3rd Lui MacLennan

1998 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events; CRC Midnight Rally
 CRC Mulgrave Muster
 JDCA Mini Mountain Rally
 MG Spring Rally
 CRC Alpine Marathon Prelude
 AHRG Bathurst Historic

Place	Driver	Navigator
1st	Gavin Rea	Jeff West
2nd	Brian Cooper	Rick Fletcher
3rd	Ron Spelman	Michael St John Cox

1999 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events; WAGGA Riverina Run
 JDCA Mountain Rally
 AHRG Cockatoo Cabin
 MG Spring Rally
 CRC Alpine Classic
 CRC Midnight Run

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st (eq)	Gavin Rea	92	Jeff West	92
1st (eq)	Andrew Papadopoulos	92	Hamish Duff	92
3rd	John Schryer	72	John Henderson	77

2000 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events; Riverina Run
 JDCA Mountain Rally
 AHRG Cockatoo Cabin
 MG Spring Rally
 CRC Alpine Classic
 CRC Liberty Midnight Run

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Brian Cooper	82	John Cooper	83
2nd	Andrew Papadopoulos	81	Hamish Duff	81
3rd	Peter Thomson	72	Michael St John Cox	79

2001 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	Riverina Run		
	Forest Classic (VIC)		
	TSOA Triumph Rally		
	TCC Targa Thornleigh		
	MG Spring Rally		
	CRC Alpine Classic		

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Peter Thomson	84	David Booth	84
2nd	Bill Stevenson	77	John Winspear	77
3rd	David Wigley	71	Ted Norman	69

2002 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	AHRG Lake George Econ Run
	Forest Classic (VIC)
	CRC Midnight Run
	AROCA Tour De Course
	MG Mudgee Muster
	CRC Alpine Classic
	TCC Thornleigh President Rally
	Riverina Run

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Garth Taylor	404	Michael St John Cox	430
2nd	Tony Wise	318	Lui MacLennan	300
3rd	David Wigley	274	Robert Smith	274

2003 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	AHRG Lake George Run
	South Coast Run
	T.C.C Presidents Run
	Forest Classic (VIC)
	AROCA Tour De Bargo
	JDCA Lukey Mountain Rally
	CRC Alpine Classic
	Spring Classic

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Garth Taylor	382	Lui MacLennan	426
2nd (eq)	Peter Thomson	346	2nd Michael St John Cox	382
2nd (eq)	Tony Wise	346	3rd Bruce James	338

2004 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	Kosciusko Classic
	Forest Classic (VIC)
	AROCA Tour De Course
	TCC Thornleigh 50th Anniversary
	JDCA Mountain Rally
	AHRG Heart of the Hunter
	MG Spring Classic
	CRC Alpine Classic
	CRC Coop's Last Run

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Garth Taylor	467	Jeff West	494
2nd	Dominic Votano	368	David Booth	420
3rd	Peter Thomson	356	Lui MacLennan	348

2005 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	TSOA Fluffy Duck Rally
	Forest Classic (VIC)
	CRC Midnight Run
	AROCA Tour De Course
	JDC Mountain Rally
	AHRG Heart of the Hunter
	MG Spring Classic
	CRC Alpine Classic
	TCC President Run

Masters

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Rob Worboys	170	Lui MacLennan	181
2nd	Tony Wise	157	Ted Norman	173
3rd	Laurie Mason	142	Jeff West	172

Apprentice

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Dianne Gerlach	65	Brian Foster	78
2nd	Craig Walsh	55	Adrian Kinslor	66
3rd	Ron Cooper	54	Wayne Gerlach	65

Tour

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st (eq)	Steve Bicket	32	Liz Kornhaber	28
1st (eq)	Brad Higgins	32	Matthew Bicket	28
3rd	Alan Cummine	30	Kelly Higgins	24

2006 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	TSOA Fluffy Duck Rally
	Riverina Run
	Forest Classic (VIC)
	CRC Twilight Run
	ARCOA Tour De Course
	MG Spring Classic
	CRC Alpine Classic
	TCC Presidents Trial

Masters

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	David Wigley	134	Robert Smith	134
2nd	Tony Wise	128	Jeff West	133
3rd	Bruce Smith	120	Lui MacLennan	127

Apprentice

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Garth Taylor	96	Ray Arthurs	93
2nd	David Shaw	93	Teresa Morey	88
3rd	Bob Morey	90	Wayne Gerlach	6

Tour				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Ross Warner	75	Kim Warner	75
2nd	John Cooper	73	Jenny Young	42
3rd	Jim Richardson	44	Bev Richardson	40

2007 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	AHRG Hunter Challenge
	Kosciusko Classic
	Forest Classic (VIC)
	CRC South Coast Classic
	CRC Twilight Classic
	JDCA Mountain Rally
	CRC Alpine Classic

Masters				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Rob Worboys	157	Jeff West	157
2nd	Darren Taylor	144	Lui MacLennan	144
3rd	Gerald Lee	130	John Henderson	138

Apprentice				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st (eq)	Bob Morey	111	1st Teresa Morey	111
1st (eq)	Garth Taylor	111	2nd Ray Arthurs	110
3rd	David Shaw	110	3rd Adrian Kinslor	107

Tour				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st (eq)	John Cooper	44	1st Wendy Cooper	44
1st (eq)	Tim McGrath	44	2nd Sharon McAlpine	32
3rd	Peter McAlpine	36	3rd Donna Smith	30

2008 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	Riverina Run
	CRC Highland Fling
	Forest Classic (VIC)
	CRC South Coast Classic
	MG Spring Classic
	CRC Alpine Classic
	CRC Penrith Pas De Deux

Masters				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Robert Panetta	159	John Henderson	153
2nd	Alan Watson	140	Jeff West	150
3rd	Dominic Votano	138	Pam Watson	140

Apprentice				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Bob Morey	113	Teresa Morey	113
2nd	Lui MacLennan	107	Darren Taylor	107
3rd	Kim Warner	100	Ross Warner	100

Tour				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Rob Clare	38	Sue Clare	38
2nd	Jim Richardson	37	Bev Richardson	37
3rd	Todd McPherson	36	Wendy Cooper	30

2009 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	Riverina Run
	AROCA Tour De Course
	CRC Highland Fling
	JDCA Mountain Rally
	MG Spring Classic
	CRC Alpine Classic
	CRC Pas De Deux

Masters				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Robert Panetta	135	1st (eq) Jeff West	128
2nd	Alan Watson	128	1st (eq) Pam Watson	128
3rd	David Shaw	114	3rd Ray Arthurs	114

Apprentice				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Garth Taylor	92	Ross Warner	78
2nd	Kim Warner	78	Vince Harlor	50
3rd	Tony Wise	74	Tim McGrath	44

Tour				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Jim Richardson	53	Bev Richardson	53
2nd	Brian Madigan	44	Steve Maher	44
3rd	Rob Clare	41	Sue Clare	41

Future star in rally car Michael Friend

2010 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	Kosciusko Classic
	CRC South Coast Classic
	AROCA Tour De Course
	JDCA Mountain Rally
	MG Spring Classic
	CRC Alpine Classic
	CRC Pas De Deux

Masters				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Robert Panetta	147	Jeff West	148
2nd	Bob Morey	137	Lui MacLennan	143
3rd	Darren Taylor	133	Teresa Morey	137

Apprentice				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Lauren Mackie	89	Alan Walker	120
2nd	Steve Friend	79	Peter Dunlop	69
3rd	Tony Wise	71	Winton Brocklebank	50

Tour			
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator
1st	Bruce Smith	51	1st Wendy Cooper
2nd	John Cooper	36	2nd (eq) Bev Richardson
3rd	Jim Richardson	34	2nd (eq) Sharyn McAlpine

Future star in rally car Ben Yates

2011 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	Riverina Run
	CRC Classic Capital Caper
	CRC May Medley
	AROCA Tour De Course
	JDCA Mountain Rally
	CRC Barry Ferguson Classic
	CRC Alpine Classic
	CRC Penrith Pas De Deux

Masters

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Tony South	143	Ted Norman	143
2nd	Bob Morey	140	Teresa Morey	140
3rd	Robert Panetta	138	Ross Warner	136

Apprentice

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Tony Wise	115	Alan Walker	116
2nd	Greg Yates	99	Peter Dunlop	81
3rd	Chris Hallam	85	Deborah Hallam	63

Tour

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Ian Packard	55	Steve Maher	55
2nd	Doug Barbour	52	Xanthea Boardman	52
3rd	John Cooper	40	Sharon McAlpine	32

2012 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	CRC April Fools Day Run
	CRC South Coast Classic
	CRC Barry Ferguson Classic
	AROCA Tour De Course
	CRC Winter Classic
	MG Spring Rally
	CRC Alpine Classic
	CRC Penrith Pas De Deux

Masters

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Bob Morey	149	Teresa Morey	149
2nd	Robert Panetta	145	Alan Walker	146
3rd	Tony Wise	142	Michael Stephenson	145

Apprentice			
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator
1st	Tim McGrath	94	Phil Stead
2nd	Chris Hallam	92	Xanthea Boardman
3rd	Doug Barbour	91	Garth Taylor

Tour

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Greg Yates	70	Grace Brumby	49
2nd	Steve Brumby	49	Steve Maher	39
3rd	Jim Braid	43	Ryan Baird	31

Future star in rally car Grace Brumby

2013 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	CRC Clarence Classic
	CRC Le Rally Des 100 Criques
	CRC Barry Ferguson Classic
	AROCA Tour De Course
	CRC The 3 Rivers Rally
	CRC Alpine Classic
	CRC Penrith Pas De Deux

Masters

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	John Cooper	133	Ross Warner	133
2nd	Robert Panetta	125	John Henderson	119
3rd	Gerry Both	107	Jeff West	114

Apprentice

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Doug Barbour	96	Xanthea Boardman	96
2nd	Steve Brumby	60	Phil Stead	91
3rd	Jane Morey	59	Dominic Votano	87

Tour

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Jim Baird	69	Lachlan Grave	61
2nd	Mike Birks	61	Ron Cooper	43
3rd	Tim McGrath	60	Lachlan Baird	40

Future star in rally car Lachlan Baird

HISTORY OF THE CLASSIC RALLY CLUB INC.

THE NEXT 10 YEARS

We now continue with the Club history from 2015 to 2024.

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This was the first year of COVID-19 cancellations and lockdowns. It presented many challenges to the Club. We did not know when we could continue our meetings and events. Only one event was run and our usual meeting place could not comply with the social distancing regulations. A new venue was found at the Strathfield Golf Club in November.

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Issues continued with COVID-19 later in the year effecting the two rallies at the end of the year.

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Membership: Glenn Evans
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Championship Pointscorer: Mike Batten
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C.R.C. Club Championship History.

2014 to 2024

The Classic Rally Club's Club Championship is scored based on the results of competition within our yearly calendar of events. Competitors and Event officials can score points towards the final yearly score, the number of points earned depending upon placing in the event and/or the level of commitment provided by the Event Official.

Various formulas have been used since the Club inception to grade points and assign points in the point score.

Awards are presented to Masters, Apprentices, Tour and a special category called the "Future Star in a Rally Car".

Participants under the age of 30 years old can compete for this award.

2014 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	Mudgee Trial
	Clarence Classic
	Autumn Challenge
	Barry Ferguson Classic
	AROCA Tour d' Course
	MG Spring Rally
	CRC Alpine Classic
	Penrith Pas de Deux

1st	Doug Barbour	98	Xanthea Boardman	98
2nd	Peter Jakrot	94	Valerie Jakrot	94
3rd	Ross James	75	Glenn Evans	84
Tour				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Shane Navin	66	Jenifer Navin	66
2nd	Steve Brumby	52	Heather Brumby	52
3rd	Greg Yates	49	Karen Yates	49

Masters

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Peter Reed	153	Mike Batten	153
2nd	Rob Panetta	147	John Henderson	146
3rd	John Cooper	132	Lui MacLennan	123

Apprentice

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Chris Hallam	116	Phil Stead	117
2nd	Doug Barbour	110	Xanthea Boardman	110
3rd	Tanya Arthur	93	Dominic Votano	109

Tour

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Greg Yates	75	Karen Yates	61
2nd	Jim Baird	61	Lachlan Baird eq 1st	61
3rd	Len Zech	54	Glenn Evans	54

2015 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	Highway 31 revisited
	Wollondilly 300
	Barry Ferguson Classic
	AROCA Tour d' Course
	Clarence Classic
	MG Spring Rally
	CRC Alpine Classic

Masters

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Peter Reed	128	Mike Batten	128
2nd	John Cooper	127	Ross Warner	127
3rd	Garth Taylor	108	Pam Watson	106

Apprentice

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
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2016 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	Wollondilly 270
	Compass Run
	Barry Ferguson Classic
	AROCA Tour d' Course
	Sophie's Run
	Rally of the Valley
	MG Spring Rally
	CRC Alpine Classic

Masters

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Peter Reed	133	Mike Batten	133
2nd	Rob Panetta	126	John Henderson	126
3rd	John Cooper	117	Ross Warner	117

Apprentice

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Peter Jakrot	105	Valerie Jakrot	105
2nd	Steve Brumby	85	Heather Brumby	85
3rd	Tony South	84	Ted Norman	84

Tour

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Greg Yates	57	Karen Yates	57
2nd	Jeremy Braithwaite	52	Julie Braithwaite	52
3rd	Mike Birks	50	Lachlan Grave	50

2017 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	Wollondilly 260
	April Fools Fun Run
	Rally of the South
	Sheep Station Rally
	MG Classic
	CRC Alpine Classic

Masters

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	John Cooper	93.5	Phillip Stead	96
2nd	Bob Morey	92	Ross Warner	93.5
3rd	Peter Jakrot	87	Teresa Morey	90

Apprentice

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Jann Sinfield	72	Peter Reed	75
2nd	Mike Batten	71	Mal Sinfield	72
3rd	Donna Wilkinson	69	Scott Wilkinson	69

Tour

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Alan Cummine	43.5	Karen Yates	40.5
2nd	Greg Yates	40.5	Lachlan Baird	25
			Helen Young	25
3rd	Jim Baird	25		

Future Stars in a Rally Car

1st	Heather Brumby	61
2nd	Ruby Taylor	43.5
3rd	Tom Payne	36

2018 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	Autumn Challenge
	The Run with no Beer
	Dave Johnson Autumn Classic
	AROCA Tour d' Course
	Wollondilly 250
	MG Classic
	CRC Alpine Classic

Masters

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Robert Panetta	111	Phillip Stead	110
2nd	Tony Wise	110	Martin Leaver	105
3rd	Andrew Inglis	105	Ross Warner	102.5

Apprentice

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Donna Wilkinson	84	Scott Wilkinson	84
2nd	Jennifer Navin	80	Shane Navin	80
3rd	Jon Mansell	61	Mal Sinfield	35

Tour

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Greg Yates	46.5	Karen Yates	46.5
2nd	Alan Cummine	27	Tom Payne	25
3rd	Kevin Payne	25	Helen Young	20

Future Stars in a Rally Car

1st	Tom Payne	30
2nd	Lachlan Watkins	23
3rd	Tanaz Dhondy	20

2019 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Point Score Events;	Escarpment Escape
	Hawkesbury Ramble
	AROCA Tour d' Course
	Sheep Station
	CRC Alpine Classic

Masters

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Peter Jakrot	78	Valerie Jakrot	78
2nd	John Cooper	75	Alan Walker	73
3rd	Andrew Inglis	70	Mike Batten	72

Apprentice

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Jennifer Navin	48	Shane Navin	48
2nd	Donna Wilkinson	46	Scott Wilkinson	46
3rd	Jonathan Loosli	36	Glenn Evans	41

Tour

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Andrew Taurins	28	Bruce Miller	28
2nd	Alan Cummine	22.5	Jim Deves	22.5
3rd	Greg Yates	21.5	Karen Yates	21.5

Future Stars in a Rally Car

1st	Tanaz Dhondy	27
2nd	Ruby Leonard	16
3rd	Simone Dhondy	14

2020 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic the championship points for 2020 were carried over to 2021

Point Score Events; Bucket List Tour

2021 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP

The last two events scheduled were cancelled due to a second wave of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Point Score Events;	Bucket List Tour 2020
	Dave Johnson Historic
	Shoalhaven Shuffle
	Sheep Station
	AROCA Tour d' Course
Cancelled events;	Southern Cross Classic
	CRC Alpine Classic

Masters

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Peter Reed	77	Mike Batten	77
2nd	John Cooper	72.5	Alan Walker	77
3rd	Peter Jakrot	71	Ross Warner	72.5

Apprentice

Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Murray Baker	59	Nikki Baker	59
2nd	Bang-On Mansell	56	Jon Mansell	56

3rd	Mark Hoyle	53	Tanaz Dhondy	53	3rd	Robert Panetta	156.5	Mike Batten	156.5
Tour					Apprentice				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points	Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Andrew Taurins	38.5	Bruce Miller	38.5	1st	Michael Brandt	114	Glenn Evans	122
2nd	Warren Herrick	26.5	Glenda Lawrence	26.5	2nd	Bruce Miller	105	Andrew Taurins	119.5
3rd	Jeremy Loosli	20.5	Jonathon Loosli	20.5	3rd	Jon Mansell	102	Andrzej Cieslak	87
Future Stars in a Rally Car					Tour				
1st	Tanaz Dhondy	53			Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
2nd	Simone Dhondy	16			1st	Warren Herrick	75	Glenda Lawrence	75
3rd	Isla Murdoch	6.5			2nd	Dennis Oste	54	John Learson	54
2022 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP					2024 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP				
Point Score Events;		The Twilight Zone			Point Score Events;		The Final Countdown		
		The Wondaiah					CRC Cootamundra 800 Classic		
		AROCA Tour d' Course					AROCA Tour d' Course		
		Sheep Station Rally					Southern Cross Reliability Trial		
		CRC Alpine Classic					CRC Alpine Classic		
Masters					Masters				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points	Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Andrew Inglis	98	Martin Leaver	98	=1st	Edul Dhondy	93	Mike Stephenson	96
2nd	Dominic Votana	93	Mike Stephenson	93	=1st	John Cooper	93		
3rd	Robert Panetta	91	Mike Batten	92	2nd			Alan Walker	95
Apprentice					Apprentice				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points	Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Tina Mansell	69	Jon Mansell	69	1st	Bruce Miller	69	Andrew Taurins	69
2nd	Bruce Miller	61	Andrew Taurins	61	2nd	Murray Baker	50	Nikki Baker	50
3rd	Peter Thomson	55	David Booth	55	3rd	Joyce Lawrence	42	Susan Genner	42
Tour					Tour				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points	Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Tony South	29	Ted Norman	29	1st	Doug Barbour	48	Xanthea Boardman	48
2nd	Warren Herrick	26	Glenda Lawrence	26	2nd	Dennis Oste	33	Michael Malgo	26
3rd	Justin Bedingfield	20	Jim Barrett	19	3rd	Michael Malgo	24	Geoff Hemsall	18
Future Stars in a Rally Car					Future Stars in a Rally Car				
1st	Tanaz Hoyle	49.5			1st	David Stephenson	40	Anthony Oste	18
2nd	Simone Dhondy	17			2nd	Sean Walsh	14	Ted Norman	18
3rd	Isla Murdoch	13.5			3rd	Ivy-Rose Brown	12.5		
2023 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP					2024 CRC CHAMPIONSHIP				
Point Score Events;		The Ire of Man TT			Point Score Events;		The Final Countdown		
		Cootamundra Trial 2023					CRC Cootamundra 800 Classic		
		The Analogue Run					AROCA Tour d' Course		
		Autumn Glory Tour					Southern Cross Reliability Trial		
		The Tulip Run					CRC Alpine Classic		
		AROCA Tour d' Course							
		Sheep Station Rally							
		CRC Alpine Classic							
Masters					Masters				
Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points	Place	Driver	Points	Navigator	Points
1st	Andrew Inglis	171.5	Martin Leaver	171.5					
2nd	John Cooper	168.5	Ross Warner	168.5					

LIFE MEMBERS

1994 Graham Vaughan	2017 Lui MacLennan
2003 Geoff Bott	2019 Tony Kanak
2003 Don Brown (Dec)	2021 Garth Taylor
2003 Margaret Brown OAM	2023 John Cooper
2004 Brian Cooper (Dec)	2024 Adrian Walmsley

HON. RALLY LEGENDS

Dave Johnson	Gerry Crown (Dec)
Barry Ferguson	John Bryson (Dec)
Bob Holden	Mike Batten

INTERNATIONAL AMBASSADOR

Matt Bryson



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