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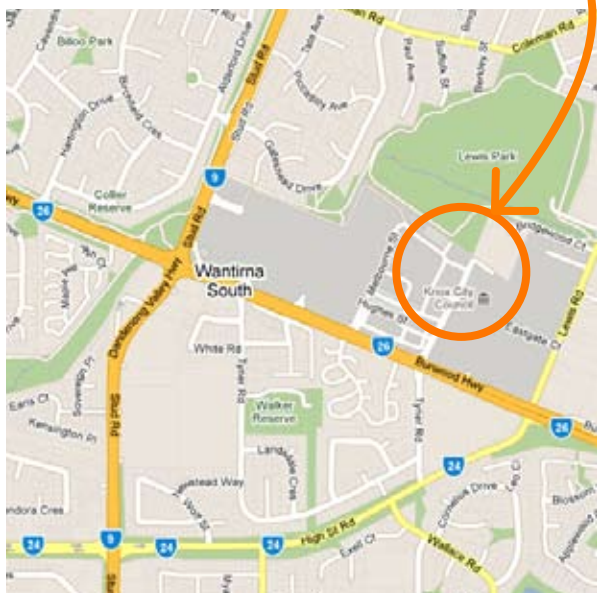
THE BLOWER



this months cover Viv is victorious at Mikes go cart challenge, followed by Gilly in 2nd and Tony 3rd.

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9th august 2012

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presidential report

Hi Folks,

Greetings once again from 39,000ft somewhere over Albury once again bound for the Gold Coast! If nothing else all this time in the air forces me to catch up on paperwork and Blower Columns!

So, first news item of the month - Go Karts - congratulations to Mike on organising our most successful night ever with not a space left. After weeks of sledging and hot air, the results speak for themselves - congrats to Viv, out in front in a class of his own, and congrats to Tracey for taking out the ladies cup and winning the Ion Camera JB had put up as a prize. Some are even trash-talking about a rematch later this year if there is sufficient interest.

It's an exciting time at the moment, next weekend is the Phillip Island 6 Hour Relay, and I believe everything is on track for our two teams to take to the circuit once again. I know some cars are sitting quietly in garages just waiting to be put on trailers, some are having gearboxes fitted, and others didn't quite make it, "it is my sad duty to inform you that I will be unable to run in The 6 Hour due to the fact that my pitifully unreliable pile of s**t is once again in pieces and despite having poured several more thousand dollars into it will not be reassembled by the due date" -- free pint at Club Night to the person who guesses who that quote is attributable to!

Thank you to those club members who work tirelessly behind the scenes - our trackside catering team are looking after 30 people this year - one third of the club - that gives you some idea of the scale of support given there are 11 drivers.

This year we welcome two new drivers in James Ford and Viv Dilkes-Frayne - this event is the best track training you will ever receive, we hope you enjoy your experience! We also welcome Tracey Dewhurst to the support team - it's a fantastic social occasion!

To ensure some healthy rivalry, Noodles is managing team 3 (Shake'n'Bake) and I am managing team 4 (Swedish Ninjas) - yes folks, it's come down to Husband vs Wife - may the most accurate team win!

In other news, I hear great feedback about the new merchandise range - feel free to contact Rick Thorpe to register your interest in the next order if you missed out this time.

Facebook tells me a bunch of Club Members headed across to Scouts Rally SA - come along to club night to hear some stories, and see if they have all dried out yet - same goes for the HRA Experts Trial!

A reminder too that October is our AGM, and will be upon us before we realise it - the club is in a great position right now, and it would be fantastic to have some more assistance on either committee, or helping out on our events in 2013.

Till next month,

Prez Ormie

mikes go cart night



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FORMER CHAMP CURDLES, AS FRENCHMAN WINDS UP HEAT

Thursday 5th July, 2012 Author: SpeedCafe @

Former Car Club RMIT Inc karting champion Richard Gill was denied a return victory last night, during what many industry experts call a changing of the guard. French backed Dilkes-Frayne, had a comprehensive win on the Sunshine circuit, blitzing the field over the course of the race. When asked how he managed to pull such an outstanding result, Dilkes-Frayne replied with his strong french accent "Le lait est pour les fables". - Milk is for the weak. With confidence flying high in the french man, the rest of the field was left stunned. "I took great advice last week, that by consuming plenty of milk, my endurance and stamina would be increased. Bull **% I tell you" Quoted Gilly, as he stormed of the circuit post race in second place.

Rounding out the top three was Tony Robinson, who was rumour to be preparing karts for other racers, however it now appears that all his energy was spent preparing his own kart, as he stumbled across the line in 3rd place. He was later seen passed out in his 0.5 star Formula1 Hotel, after an overdose of Carby starter. He has since been taken to EFI rehabilitation, with a statement due shortly from his team manager.

In the Ladies cup, a solid finish was had by the place setters, 3rd place falling to Toyota fanatic Amelia Hennessy, and Sherry Taylor nursing her kart into 2nd place, after the power steering failed early on during qualifying. These technical issues didn't hide the fact that a convincing top ten outright finish occurred with Tracey Dewhurst, who walked home 1st outright in the Ladies Cup. She was awarded the lon, and then went fanatic after being advised that it won't take the creases out of shirts, but will capture in HD quality, every mistake her regular driver Joel Ward makes on the rally stages! Further down the field, current Australian Rally Champion Matt Lee, was seen "opening the gap" on the last corner, as a loving brotherly gesture, allowing Jeff to feel that he too could beat a champion. "Jeff works really hard sometimes, and I wanted him to feel the glory of what it's like to beat a champion on the last corner" Lee stated during the post event media conference. Meanwhile down the back of the pack, hot favourite Jimbo, who has since booked himself in for psychiatric help following a miserable performance, possibly due to being down on power electrical issues managed to work there way into the kart. Jimbo was though, able to keep ahead of "The Spudded Exhaust" recipient Mike Twycross. Twycross was seen rattling the trophy - It is unsure why?



Dilkes-Frayne stands tall and proud after sealing a comprehensive victory.

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"Milking it for all it's worth"

By correspondent George Roberts

Western Suburbs resident Richard Gill has spoken out regarding the Car Club RMIT Inc night of Kart racing, and how he feels that a ice cold glass of milk will give him the Champions edge.

"I accepted the glass of milk from a quality endurance trainer last thursday night, after previously consuming a light beer. I can definitely feel the improvement in my reactions since consuming that drink - even my wife has been impressed the improvements."

It's rumored that the increase of calcium in the diet

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Remains found

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'New low'

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Alan Kohler

There's been a lot of talk of austerity, but there hasn't been much of it yet.



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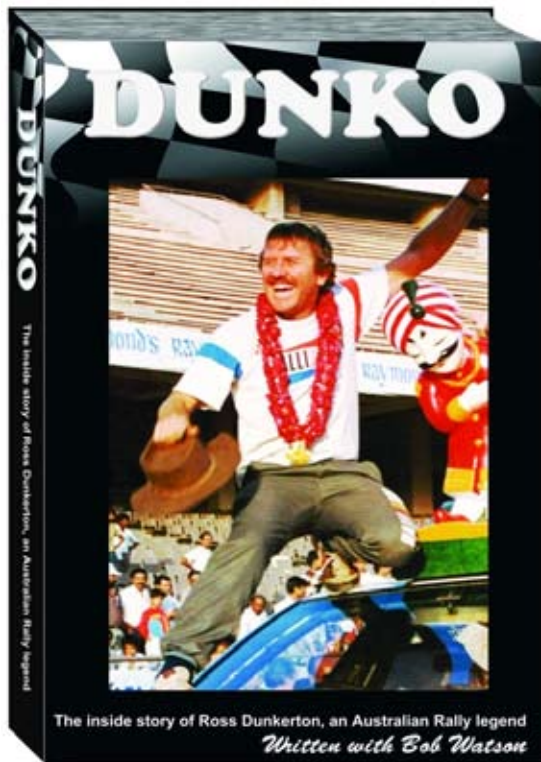
You Said It

Ultimately the responsible consumption of alcohol comes down to the individual. Unfortunately, large elements of the community are demonstrating that they are unable to handle extended trading hours in pubs and clubs.

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CCRMit book offer



Winner of five Australian Rally Championships, two Asia Pacific Rally championships and thirty seven international rallies, Ross Dunkerton - over five decades - is Australia's GREATEST rally driver, but he is much more than that. Ross is a successful businessman, well respected after dinner speaker, television star in his native West Australia, family man and raconteur extraordinaire. He is a larrikin who has achieved major success as well as surviving two serious accidents and nineteen rollovers.

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30 Days

Peter Agrolis
Gary Berrie
Mary Corbsero
Ange Egan
Mark Egan
Charles Elliott

Chris Grolovic
Neil Schey
Stuart Wills
Jay Wilson
Matilda Wilson

club calendar

Sat	8/4/12	Baden Powell Intro – RSM / Phillip Island 6 Hour
Sun	8/5/12	Phillip Island 6 Hour
Thursday	8/9/12	Club Night
Sat	8/25/12	VCAS #9 – Broadford – Daylight
Sun	8/26/12	
Monday	8/27/12	Committee Night
Sat	9/1/12	Mt Porpunkah Rallysprint
Sun	9/2/12	
Sat	9/15/12	Marysville Stages – FFCC – VCRS #6
Sun	9/16/12	
Sat	9/22/12	
Sun	9/23/12	
Monday	9/24/12	Committee Night
Thursday	10/11/12	Club Night & AGM
Friday	10/12/12	Coffs Rally – ARC #5
Sat	10/13/12	Akademos – MUCC – VRC #5 / Coffs Rally ARC #5
Sun	10/14/12	Akademos – MUCC – VRC #5 / Coffs Rally ARC #5
Sat	10/20/12	
Sun	10/21/12	VCAS #11 – Mafeking Park
Sat	10/27/12	Bagshott Rallysprint – HRA
Sun	10/28/12	
Monday	10/29/12	Committee Night
Thursday	11/8/12	Final Club Night of the year?
Friday	11/9/12	Rally Victoria – CCC – VRC#6
Sat	11/10/12	Rally Victoria – CCC – VRC#6
Sun	11/11/12	VCAS #12 – TBA
Monday	11/26/12	Final Committee night of the year
Sat	12/1/12	Rally Bonnie Doon – NECC – VRC #7
Sun	12/2/12	VCAS #13 – Part of CAMS CARnival

ccrmit club merchandise

For sizing information and stock availability email Brett Williams on merchandise@ccrmit.com
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bucket hat \$12



sticker [classic] \$1



sticker [new] \$1

peaked cap \$12

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beanie [new] \$12

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stubbie cooler [classic] \$5

stubbie cooler [50th] \$5



polar fleece [pull over] \$40



polo shirt [classic] \$20

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Contact Details

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Yes/No: _____ If Yes what grade ie, general: _____

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\$20	n/a	Part time RMIT University Students
\$20	n/a	Full time Student
\$30	\$80	Full CCRMIT Member
\$40	\$110	Couple/Family living at same address
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Cheques: payable to ì CCRMITî and sent with this form to 2/71 Berry Ave Edithvale VIC 3196

Direct deposit: BSB 063262; Acct 10069719; Reference ì Member-surnameî please email your receipt number and a copy of this form to secretary@ccrmit.com

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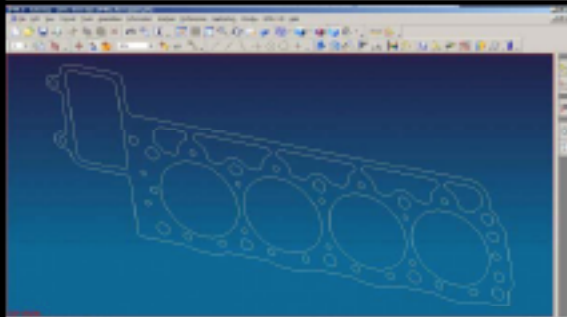
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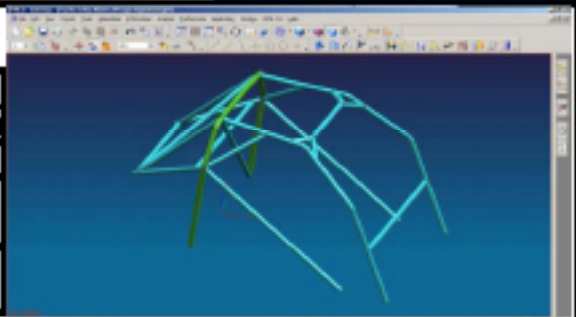
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