

Coming up:

- 7th of June: Club Race Day
- 14th of June: 1/5th & Nitro Race Day
- 21st of June: Club Race Day
- 5th of July: Club Race Day
- 19th of July: Club Race Day
- 2nd of August: Club Race Day
- 16th of August: Club Race Day
- 6th of September: Club Race Day
- 12th of September: Newcastle RC Grand Prix Practice Day
- 13th of September: Newcastle RC Grand Prix

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Newsletter

We're nearly half-way into 2015 and the big events are getting closer.

The first big event is just around the corner. The 14th of June will be the 1/5th Scale and 1/10th scale Nitro race day.

The event format will involve three 10-minute qualifying races and one 30-minute final. Although this isn't a regular club day, volunteers will still be required to help out with marshalling and the canteen. At this stage we'll be hosting competitors from Sydney and Queensland so the event looks like it will be a cracker!

The Grand Prix is slowly creeping up on us too. Soon we'll be releasing entry details for the 12th & 13th of September race meeting. Classes will be the same as last year except for

Vintage Trans-Am replacing 1/12th Scale Open. Keep an eye on the website.

The event will have 4 qualifying rounds and 3 finals for A grade (all other finals will get 1 race). This will be the 5th Annual Grand Prix held by the club and will see competitors from all over the state come and race with us. We look forward to welcoming them.

We are also pleased to announce that our 5-year lease has been approved, guaranteeing that we will be at Williamstown until at least 2020.

Our Facebook page is ticking along nicely too. At the time of writing, we only need another couple of likes to hit 100!



Competitor & Member Conduct

A small group of club committee members are currently in the process of dealing with a dispute that has been well documented on the club website.

This is the first time in the history of the club that a dispute of this nature has taken place and we certainly hope that it is the last.

Please note that all competitors and club members are expected to adhere to the club by-laws which can be viewed on the club website. (go to the 'About Us'

link and scroll down to the link that says 'Club By-Laws and Class Rules).

We understand that sometimes competitors can get frustrated but acting in an inappropriate manner (physical or verbal) is unacceptable.

First and foremost, we are a family orientated club and we want it to stay that way.

If you do have issue with the conduct of a competitor or club

member, please ask a member of the committee and they will attempt to address the situation accordingly.

After 7 rounds, here are the standings:

1/5th Scale

- 1. Clifford Coleman 322
- 2. Tony Coleman 296
- 3. Iain Turner 273

Novice

- 1. Jasmin Bradshaw 253
- 2. Nikita Bartlett 183
- 3. Sam Brooks 148

1/12th Scale

- 1. James Turner 283
- 2. Tim Phillips 229
- 3. Malcolm Sidney 168

Mini

- 1. Anthony Bryant 285
- 2. Chris Bartlett 252
- 3. Wayne Bradshaw 230

Open Nitro

- 1. Tony Wolfram 313
- 2. Anthony Bryant 251
- 3. Iain Turner 217

Stock 13.5

- 1. Rob Moxey 228
- 2. Greg Brooks 200
- 3. Tim Phillips 167

Vintage Trans-Am

- 1. Rob Moxey 194
- 2. James Turner 189
- 3. Greg Wood 183

Formula 1

- 1. Eden Watson 258
- 2. Wayne Bradshaw 225
- 3. Iain Turner 88

Sportsman

- 1. Greg Wood 269
- 2. Barry Storey 194
- 3. Sam Walker 191

Club Championship Update

We're now 7 rounds into the 2015 club championship and the points tables make for interesting reading.

We have to give Vintage Trans-Am a shout-out with over 20 competitors running at various points of the championship, which at such an early stage of the year is fantastic.

To clarify on a few things:

- An event will not be counted as part of the championship if it is rained out before the end of the second round of the day. If

this does occur, a competitors entry can either be carried over to the next race meeting or refunded.

- In order to be eligible for a trophy at the end of the year, a competitor must be a financial member of the club.
- We still have the drop your worst two rounds rule. (For example, if the championship is made up of 15 rounds, a competitors best 13 rounds will count)

The championship runs until mid-November, so keep racing hard. Although you might not be in contention yet, anything could happen.

Good luck and race hard!



Annual General Meeting: 19/7/2015

The Annual General Meeting for the club will take place on the 19th of July after the race day. As most members will be present at the race meeting, we feel it is best to hold the AGM with as many members as possible.

All club members are welcome and encouraged to attend. If you have a question or issue that you wish to bring up, the AGM is the place.

Positions on the committee will also be up for grabs, so if you

would like to be involved more with the club, you are most welcome to put your name forward for a position on the committee at the AGM.

Positions include:

- Club President
- Club Vice President
- Treasurer
- Secretary

- Public Officer
- Race Director
- Electric Representative
- Nitro Representative
- 1/5th Scale Representative
- Committee Member (x3)