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*NEWSLETTER OF THE  
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AUTOMOBILE CLUB*

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Josh Munn - Round 1 Motorkhana



## SEAC OFFICERS 2025/2026

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TRIALS SCORER	2025	Rob Pearson		
KHANACROSS COORDINATOR	2025	Curtis Boyd		
KHANACROSS SCORER	2025	Damien Wilson		
MOTORKHANA COORDINATOR	2025	Jody Viitanen		
MOTORKHANA SCORER	2025	Damien Wilson		
AUTOCROSS COORDINATOR	2025	Daniel Oldaker		
AUTOCROSS SECRETARY	2025	Kevin Raedel		
AUTOCROSS SCORER	2025	Damien Wilson		
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NEWSLETTER	2025	Henry Sims		
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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE	2025	Aaron Bowering John Whitehead Dale Cagney		
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE	2026	Bill Fisk Josh Munn Rob Pearson		
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MA AUTOTEST	2025	Graham Van de Hoek		

## **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**T. CROWE, H. TELFORD, J. SIMS, R. SHEPHARD, A. BOWERING, J. WHITEHEAD, D. CAGNEY, B. FISK, J. MUNN, R. PEARSON, G BROWN, D. OLDAKER, C. BOYD, J, VIITANEN, K, RAEDEL, P, HEIGHT, P HUGHES, P. LOCK**

**IF YOU HAVE BEEN LEFT OFF THE LIST, OR YOUR DETAILS ARE INCORRECT, CONTACT SIMPLY SIDEWAYS ASAP!**

## **GENERAL CLUB INFORMATION**

**THE SEAC OFFICE IS LOCATED ON ATTAMURRA RD (ATTAMURRA SELF STORAGE) , WORROLONG.**

**IT IS OPEN THURSDAYS AFTERNOONS – CHECK WHAT TIMES ESPECIALLY IF THERE ARE NO EVENTS! PLEASE ATTEND TO CLUB NEEDS ONLY IN THESE HOURS.**

**GENERAL MEETINGS – SEAC PARK, MEGAW ROAD, COMPTON – PLEASE KEEP AN EYE ON NEWSLETTER AND FACEBOOK FOR TIMES  
EXECUTIVE MEETINGS -SEAC PARK, MEGAW ROAD, COMPTON – 2ND WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH**

**ANYTHING FOR THE NEWSLETTER CAN BE EMAILED TO  
HENRY.SEAC2024@GMAIL.COM**

**SEAC'S POSTAL ADDRESS IS P/O BOX 1551, MT GAMBIER SA 5290**

## **PRESIDENTS REPORT THE CROWE CHRONICLE**

Hi all,

With the 2025 season underway, it is presenting us with a few challenges. The weather is not being that kind to us and is predicted to not improve on conditions for the next few months. Please stay vigilant with your activities. Stay hydrated. Take extra care with power tools as fire is still our biggest risk. Most importantly, please respect all directors and officials for decisions and changes based on the weather and conditions. This is out of their control, and it can be a very difficult decision for them.

Thank you everyone and happy competing.

Tristan Crowe.



Please note all minutes are entered as given, sometimes this means you are on the present and apologies list, or your item on the agenda isn't mentioned here. However, if I don't get it, I can't put it in.

### **GENERAL MEETING 12<sup>th</sup> February 2025**

No members present – Not held

### **EXECUTIVE MEETING 12<sup>th</sup> February 2025**

Minutes not received – next meeting 19<sup>th</sup> March 2025

### **LEGEND OF THE LAKES HILL CLIMB MEETING 5<sup>th</sup> March 2025**

MEETING OPEN – 7.40pm

APOLOGIES – B Fisk, M Cooper

PRESENT – P Lock, E Lock, K Howard, M Argoon, T Crowe, K Raedel, D Brand, H Telford, M Evans.

ACTIONS –

1. Minor changes made to Supp Regs, e.g. Programme of event, competition programme, roll cages etc.
2. Sponsorship – work in progress
3. Promo design, outline started with EB Designs.
4. Merchandise – to be ordered, same numbers as 2024
5. Junior Patron? – Marcus Brand & Harrison Bliss
6. Event Patron? – TBA

GENERAL BUSINESS –

M Argoon – has purchased 20' container, Mick to retain ownership & will lease to LOL event (with conditions). General discussion, decision to be made.

K Raedel – (A) Kevin welcomed SEAC member, Matthew Evans to Legends committee. (B) Next meeting decisions to be made regarding Trophy design, sponsorship & Supp Regs. (C) P Lock & M Argoon to approach Alan Duell regarding sponsorship. (D) Kevin was approached by Bob Byham, he had an idea of sourcing a Wheel trophy from Dave Byham's workplace. Kevin suggested Bob to organise and present this as special 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary trophy. (E) Kevin to obtain Quotes from businesses re installation of fencing at event.

MEETING CLOSE – 9.00PM

NEXT MEETING – TBA

# **NEXT GENERAL MEETING - TBA**



# ATTENTION ALL COMPETITORS!

Entries will no longer be accepted 'on the day'

Entries need to be completed in full and paid for on the Thursday prior to the running of an event, or as per the supp regs. You can do this online for

most events at [www.motorsport.org.au](http://www.motorsport.org.au)

# SEAC CALENDAR 2025

SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Date	Event	venue	Status
23/3/25	Round 1 Autocross	CANCELLED	
27/4/25	Round 2 Motorkhana	Mount Gambier Saleyards	Multi
3/5/25	Round 1 TRE	Mount Gambier	Multi
10/5/25	Round 2 Autocross	SEAC Park	State
11/5/25	Round 2 Autocross Day 2	SEAC Park	State
25/5/25	Round 3 Khanacross	<b>LCORC TBA</b>	<b>TBA</b>
31/5/25	Round 2 TRE	Compton	Multi
10/8/25	Round 3 Motorkhana	Mount Gambier Saleyards	Multi
16/8/25	Round 3 TRE	Mount Gambier	Multi
24/8/25	Round 3 Autocross	SEAC Park	Multi
13/9/25	Round 4 Khanacross Vic State	Mount Gambier Saleyards	Sate
14/9/25	Round 4 Motorkhana Sa/Vic State	Mount Gambier Saleyards	State
21/9/25	Round 4 Autocross	SEAC Park	Multi
27/9/25	Round 4 TRE	Mount Gambier	Multi
18/10/25	Round 5 Motorkhana Aus Championship	Mount Gambier Saleyards	Aus
19/10/25	Round 5 Motorkhana Aus Championship Day 2	Mount Gambier Saleyards	Aus
7/11/25	Legend of the Lakes Hillclimb classic	Valley Lakes	Multi
8/11/25	Legend of the Lakes Hillclimb Day 1	Valley Lakes	Multi
9/11/25	Legend of the Lakes Hillclimb Day 2	Valley Lakes	Multi
22/11/25	Round 5 Autocross Day/Night	SEAC Park	Multi
7/12/25	Round 5 Khanacross	<b>LCORC TBA</b>	<b>TBA</b>

If any dates are incorrect please speak up to get it fixed

# THE “O” BOARD

A Short Interview With Life Members

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## Membership Fees for 2025

Full Membership \$100

Junior Membership \$50

Family One \$130

(One adult and any number of immediate children under 18)

Family Two \$200

(Two adults and any number of immediate children under 18)

Six Month Membership \$60

(New members after 30<sup>th</sup> June ONLY)

Associate Membership \$55

Single Event Membership \$30

Conditional membership 1 \$70 or \$210 for 3 years

Conditional Membership 2 \$110

## Event Fees For 2025

AS PER SUPP REGS OF INDIVIDUAL EVENTS

# RESULTS!

## ROUND 1 MOTORKHANA

[Click here to see results](#)



After an unfortunate start to this years events with Round 1 of the Khanacross series being called off due to the high fire danger risk at the Heywood wood wine and rose festival we kicked off the year with Round 1 of the Motorkhana series. With the possibility of not having a director and the club seeking some younger blood to step up and take on some roles in the club, I decided to take on the task with the help of Bruce on the day to put on this event. Knowing that we are hosting the Australian Motorkhana Championship this year I had the idea of trying to encourage and give the young juniors a chance to develop their reversing skills and car placement skills by choosing some courses that involved a bit of reversing and some tight turn arounds. Although we didn't quite get through all our tests the day ran smoothly with almost everyone happy and only being called jokingly evil once or twice, thanks Henry. All being said we had a great turnout with 16 entrants 9 of which were juniors which is fantastic to see and helps keep this budget-friendly racing going on. it would be great to see some familiar faces from Autocross and Khanacross come out and try their luck at the Motorkhanas.

Big thanks to everyone who helped out on the day and volunteered their time to run this event.

Thanks, from your assistant director,  
Josh

## PHOTOS













Special thanks to Kyle Johnson for the photos

VINTAGE AND VETERAN  
CLUB  
OPEN SHED DISPLAY

21ST - 29TH JUNE 2025

0900 - 1800 EACH DAY

FREE ADMISSION BUT A  
DONATION IN AID OF JUVENILE  
DIABETES IS APPRECIATED.

10 ELDRIDGE DRIVE, WORROLONG  
SA 5291

COME AND HAVE A CHAT WITH GARY AND  
SEE HIS FABULOUS AUTOMOTIVE AND  
PERIOD MEMORABILIA IN A WELL LAID  
OUT DISPLAY.

A VERY WORTHWHILE VISIT WITH  
AMAZING THINGS TO SEE