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Twin Cities Autosports Club

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

19TH FEBRUARY

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3 Bultarra St
Kirwan

GPM - B.B.Q.

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TWIN CITIES AUTOSPORTS CLUB

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EDITOR'S NOTES

Welcome to the first issue of the magazine for this year. The most important things to note at this time is the A.G.M. to be held at Ken Long's place on the 19th Feb. **THIS IS THE MOST IMPORTANT MEETING OF THE YEAR. If you have to miss all the other usual monthly meetings, DON'T MISS THIS ONE.** On the back page of this issue is a nomination form for the office-bearers for 1996. Fill it out, (sensibly!) and bring it to the A.G.M., or if you really can't make it on Feb 19, then get the form to Goofrey any way you can. Without enough nominations, we cannot elect people to take office this year. You have been warned. You may be nominated for a position yourself, so it is important you turn up to accept (or decline) any offers.

The other important thing to note is the Calendar also included in this issue. Please note - it is only a *draft* and may be changed at any time, depending on circumstances. We have done our best to provide some sort of event on each free weekend of the year, including events in neighbouring Cairns & Whitsunday Clubs. More events may be planned, or items may be cancelled. If you have agreed to Direct an event & later find you cannot commit yourself for whatever reason (it had better be a damned good one!) then you **MUST** let someone know, either the President or Secretary or Club Captain. As is often pointed out, we need a genuine team effort to get this Club running to full potential, so do your part. There should be enough events this year for us to be able to pick & choose what we can & can't enter.

February 10 - There is a Rally School to be held this date. Details are unknown to me, but contact Goofrey for the important bits. I understand it is to give members some basic training in running a Rally, but I could be wrong!

Cardwell (Q.R.C.) 1996 is up & running, full noise, with our Sponsorship team hot on the heels of prospective money-bags. If you have any suggestions about anything Cardwell related, then come along to the Q.R.C. meetings, generally fortnightly Mondays at Ken Long's place. If you have any queries, contact Goofrey & he'll set you straight. Any ideas or thoughts are always welcome.

Cairns Club (F.N.Q.M.S.C.) seems to be getting itself sorted out at last with some events. A bit like ourselves, they seem to have been a bit lacking in enthusiasm over the past few years, but our information from James Fisher (our resident Cairns Liaison Officer !!!) is that several members are keen to get right involved. A couple of them have entered some neighbouring events, such as Cardwell '95 & Dray Park Autocross, and they have also got underway with a range of events of their own. Another draft calendar, this time from C.A.M.S. Qld. is included, with details of proposed Cairns Club events. The most notable is the 5 round Khanacross Series, Supp. Regs. also included. It might be worthwhile for a few members to check out a few rounds - as mentioned before, if we show interest in other Club's events, they will generally return the favour, and remember: more entrants at events means more money coming in, which means more events - for you.

A final point to end my years contribution - sadly one of complaint. Communication is badly lacking in our club. Several people have expressed concern that important issues are not being communicated thoroughly to all members. As a general rule, that is my job, as Editor. However, I can only let people know things when I find out about them. Admittedly, I have been fairly slack with the timing of this magazine throughout the year, but I don't take **full** responsibility for the lack of communication between Club Members. I have heard stories from the "old folk" of the Club about the "good old days." Sadly, those "good old days" seem to be gone forever. Stories of how whenever we had an event, **everybody** let **everybody else** know about it. One method of achieving this was that each member had about 3 people to ring. If they found out about an event coming up, they would inform their 3 people regardless, with the resultant pyramid effect ensuring that nobody missed an event "because nobody told me it was on." It is up to *all of us* to make sure we *all* get out there and have some fun.

GENERAL MEETING
15TH JANUARY, 1996

PRESENT: L. Stone, J. McCombe, P. Russell, D. Reini,
G. Van Dinter, S. Eggins, L. Down, J. Kelly, B.
McCarthy, K. Long, B. Johnson, Ron White, R. White,
G. Ross

Meeting declared open at 7.20pm

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance in Account \$2300.00
All Trophies have been paid for.
Rego on van has been paid.
Tarp purchased for \$28.00 for van.
Repairs to club car paid.

CLUB CAPTAIN'S REPORT

Outstanding presentations made to those who did not attend the
Christmas break up.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

A.G.M. to be held 19th February, 1996 at the usual venue.

Q.R.C. progressing well

Rally school to be held 10th February, 1996 at Ken Long's
place. See Greg for further details

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Information received on Cairns events, details will be in the
next issue of the club Mag.

Received letters from C.A.M.S. re: outstanding Event Report
Forms. Greg to follow up and send.

GENERAL BUSINESS

Bluewater Rally to be run some time in April. It is to be a
Club set event so everyone can learn how to organise an event.

Club calendar set dates of all our events and other clubs
events will be in a lift out in the next mag.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

es, it's 1996, another year has come and gone. 1995 was a year many within the club may say was not too successful. On face value this may seem so, we only had a handful of events, with Cardwell Rally, our biggest being a bit of a rush job. In reality though, 1995 was a better year than that. Mobil 1 came through in June and exposed us all to the running of a large event. Sure it took a lot of people's time, and deprived us of our own events, but it gave us all a look at the big guys. It stirred us up enough to get nearly every existing club member and a few new ones involved. From this involvement with the Mobil 1 Trial has come the confidence to allow us to run round 3 of the Q.R.C. this year. A task we certainly would not have tackled before this. Organisation is already underway with sponsors being chased and agendas being set. A six pack of people will be going to a rally school in Brisbane on Feb 3, to help us organise this event. The Q.R.C. will be "A Good Thing" for the Club and worth the effort required by us all.

Already we have set a Calendar for this year, with a host of events - and Directors - planned. The next being a Rally School on Feb 10, to show people what's involved in Directing rallies, mainly Bluewater which is in April - check the Club Calendar in this mag for dates.

That's about enough harping on from me, except to say, if we can all do our bit we will have our best year ever.

See You

Goof.

REMINDER

Club Membership Fees are now due for 1996 - if you pay at A.G.M. only pay 1995 rate; otherwise an increased rate for 1996 may result.

Single Membership: \$30.00 + \$6.00 CAMS = \$36.00

Family Membership: \$35.00 + \$6.00 CAMS/person

Social Membership: \$10.00 (non competitive)

CAMS Basic Licence: \$22.00 *for 12 months, from date of purchase*

On a personal note, thanks to all members who have contributed to this magazine over the year. Special thanks to Phil Russell for his artistic contributions, most of which are still waiting to be printed.

FINAL CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP POINTS FOR 1995

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

NAME	POINTS	PLACE	LADIES
Greg Van-Dinter	173	1	
Lindsay Stone	152	=2	
Shawn Eggins	152	=2	
Ron White	138	4	
Joe Kelly	136	5	1
Bruce McCarthy	130	=6	
James McCombe	130	=6	
Phil Russell	124	8	
Phill Mason	118	9	
David Reinl	103	10	
Geoff Nicol	89	11	
James Fisher	81	12	
Ken Long	78	13	
Linda Down	77	14	2
Shane Ogilvie	74	15	
Shannon Croft	73	16	
Angela Kelly	67	17	3
Grant Ross	54	18	
Robyn White	50	19	4
Ken Donovan	41	20	
Brad Trimmer	40	21	
Leigh Achterberg	39	22	
Ian Ogilvie	35	23	
Craig Furniss	33	24	
Geoff Miller	30	25	
Tracy Jupp	25	26	5
Mathew Long	23	27	
Chris Harrison	15	=28	
Mike Jenkins	15	=28	
Peter Maloney	8	30	
Lee Williams	5	=31	
James Dean	5	=31	

FOR SALE

MAZDA 626 ROTARY

13B 6-PORT ROTARY
48mm DELLORTO - SIDE DRAFT CARBY
ELECTRONIC IGNITION
NEW EXHAUST (\$400 FLOOR HUGGING)
KONI ADJUSTABLE SHOCKS & HEAVY DUTY SPRINGS
ADJUSTABLE FRONT END
FOUR WHEEL DISC BRAKES
HYDRAULIC HANDBRAKE
SABELT 4-POINT HARNESS
RECARO & RS2000 SEAT
HALDA & MAP LIGHT
SUMP GUARD
HOLLEY RED FUEL PUMP
2 - ELECTRIC FANS
2 - LOCKED DIFFS (4.4 & 3.7)
2 - GEAR BOXES (4 & 5 SPEED)
STANDARD FUEL INJECTION PARTS
2 - STANDARD 4 BARREL CARBS & MANIFOLD
6 - RALLY TYRES
4 - ROAD TYRES
4 - SKID TYRES
12 - MAG WHEELS
SPARE MAZDA SHELL

ALL UP \$5000

FOR DETAILS PHONE BRUCE McCARTHY: 733031

MAZDA 121 - early model (coupe)

Complete car

Mags

4 wheel discs

Body rusted - needs work

MAKE AN OFFER

CONTACT RON WHITE: 812 167 (wk)

FNQ MOTOR SPORTS RALLY AND CAR CLUB

KHANA CROSS SERIES

SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATION

ADMINISTRATION

The event shall be known as The (Sponsor) FNQ Motor Sports Club Khana Cross Series. The event hereafter known as the "Event" held under the International Sporting Code of the F.I.A., The National Competition Rules of Cams, and further rules and regulations under the Khana Cross code.

The Event will be conducted under Cams Permit No. (To Be Advised) and will be open to invited clubs only. This being FNQ Motor Sports Club, Twin Cities Autosports Club, Whitsunday Sporting Car Club, Mackay Off Road & Rally Club and Central QLD Motorsporting Club.

The Event will be conducted in Cairns at venues To Be Advised.

The Event will be conducted over 5 rounds with points issued for each round to determine the series winners. The best of 3 of 5 rounds will be counted. Round 3 will be part of Suncorp North Queensland Games and Double Points will be issued for this round along with Gold, Silver and Bronze medals for Outright, Class and Junior winners.

Dates for the Event:

Round 1	25th February 1996	
Round 2	17th March 1996	
Round 3	7th April 1996	Suncorp Nth QLD Games
Round 4	26th May 1996	
Round 5	16th June 1996	

Director of the Event shall be Jim Cavill (070) 514382.

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Steward for the Event shall be ~~Tom Peritt~~ and (TBA).

Organising Committee Jim Cavill, Mitch Lewis, Rod Harris and Graham King.

Crew shall be driver only except for Novice driver who shall be permitted to take a "navigator" for tuition purposes only (navigator being a most experienced competitor).

Driver and or entrant must be a financial member of a Cams Affiliated club being the FNQ Motor Sports Club or invited club.

The Driver must have current Cams basic licence for 1996.

Juniors under the age of 18 must have a parent or legal guardians permission to compete and have the endorsement signed on the entry.

Entries open on the 5th January 1996 and close for the series at 5pm on 16th February 1996. Fee for all 5 rounds shall be \$60-00 non refundable after the closing date. Entry to any single round shall open 6 weeks before the date of the round and will close on Friday at 5pm the week before the date of each round. Fee for any single round shall be \$20-00 non refundable after the closing date.

All rounds will be limited to the first 25 drivers entered.

The Competition

Each round of the series shall be run under the Khana Cross Code. Results will be determined. Loss of points winners being those who have lost the least number of points. Each competitor shall receive points in order of finishing from 35 down to 1 awarded to each.

Penalties as per the Khana Cross code.

All rounds shall start at 12 noon. Scrutineering shall start 10:30am at the venue (TBA) of all rounds.

Scrutineering Requirements

Helmets shall be worn during competition meeting as 1698 or International equivalent. Clothing for the day of each round of the Event for drivers and pit crew shall be non Flammable material, covering from ankles to neck and wrists (ie. long sleeve shirts, long pants or overalls). Driver is encouraged to wear driving suits.

Covered footwear of non-flammable material shall be worn at all times by the crew and drivers during the Event. No thongs, Roman Sandals or High Heel shoes to be worn in or around the pit paddock area.

Fire extinguisher of AS 1841, 1846, 1848 of at least 900 gram should be fitted in the vehicle in a suitable and accessible location during competition.

Clothing, footwear, helmets and licence will be checked and enforced rigidly. Failure to comply may mean exclusion from the Event.

All protests shall be in accordance with NCR part XII of Cams Manual of Motor Sport and accompanied by the appropriate fee.

Classes	1	Up to 1500cc
	2	1501 - 2000cc
	3	2001 - 3000cc
	4	3001 and over
	5	4WD

Award Trophies

Rounds 1, 2, 4 and 5 1st, 2nd and 3rd for all classes with at least 3 starters in each class otherwise 1st only.

Round 3 Suncorp Nth QLD Games (Sponsor)
1st - Gold medal and trophy
2nd - Silver medal and trophy
3rd - Bronze medal and trophy



APPLICATION

FOR

MEMBERSHIP

F.N.Q.

MOTORSPORTS

CLUB INC.

BOX 7704

CAIRNS QLD 4870

PH: (070) [REDACTED]

Please make all cheques payable to the F.N.Q. Motorsports Club INC. Send to: Secretary F.N.Q. Motorsports Club INC. P.O. Box 7704, Cairns Qld 4870.

ONE FORM PER ADULT/FAMILY PLEASE.

NAME..... DATE OF BIRTH (optional) _/_/_

NAME..... DATE OF BIRTH (optional) _/_/_

CHILDRENS NAMES

POSTAL ADDRESS.....

.....POSTCODE.....

PHONE HOME () WORK ()

OK to call you at work? Y/N?.....

OCCUPATION..... EMPLOYER.....

PLEASE USE THIS AREA TO EXPRESS YOUR MAIN INTERESTS AND ANY SUGGESTIONS OR EXPECTATIONS YOU HAVE.

MEMBERSHIP TYPES

NEW MEMBER \$35

RENEWAL \$30

ARE YOU A MEMBER OF ANY OTHER CLUBS?

YES 1.

NO 2.

MEMBER NOMINATED BY:M/SHIP NO.

WOULD YOU LIKE A C.A.M.S. LICENSE?

YES

NO

* Required for some Motorsports events.

I hereby agree to abide by THE RULES AND CONSTITUTION OF THE CLUB.

x...../.../...
signature of applicant dated signature of secretary

PREVIOUS MEMBERS NO. NEW MEMBER NO.
MONIES REC'D..... DATE.../.../... RECEIPT NO.

SPECIAL NOTES



WHITSUNDAY SPORTING CAR CLUB

P.O. BOX 1115 AIRLIE BEACH 4802 QLD.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

JANUARY	21ST	SUNDAY FUNDAY (MOTORKHANA)
	25TH	COMMITTEE MEETING
	28TH	DRAY PARK CLOSED CLUB DAY
FEBRUARY	3RD	PRACTICE DAY - MACKAY AUTOCROSS
	4TH	KHANACROSS
	8TH	GENERAL MEETING
	18TH	MACKAY AUTOCROSS
MARCH	22ND	COMMITTEE MEETING
	3RD	MOTORKHANA
	14TH	GENERAL MEETING
	28TH	COMMITTEE MEETING
	30-31ST	MACKAY AUTOCROSS
APRIL	11TH	GENERAL MEETING
	20-21ST	ECONOMY RUN
	25TH	COMMITTEE MEETING
MAY	4-5TH	DRAY PARK DAY/NIGHT AUTOCROSS
	9TH	GENERAL MEETING
	11-12TH	MACKAY AUTOCROSS
	23RD	COMMITTEE MEETING
JUNE	8-9TH	CARDWELL RALLY (Q.R.C.)
	13TH	GENERAL MEETING
	23RD	WOODWARK BAY - HILL CLIMB
	27TH	COMMITTEE MEETING
JULY	11TH	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
	14TH	KHANACROSS
	25TH	COMMITTEE MEETING
	27-28TH	MACKAY AUTOCROSS
AUGUST	8TH	GENERAL MEETING
	22ND	COMMITTEE MEETING
	24TH	KHANACROSS
SEPT	7-8TH	MACKAY AUTOCROSS
	12TH	GENERAL MEETING
	21ST	CATHU RALLY
	26TH	COMMITTEE MEETING

1996 Calendar - Draft 201295
: Queensland

Month	Month	State	Organiser	Event	Type	Status	Clasif.	Venue
Feb	4/02/96	Qld	Brisbane Sporting Car Club Ltd	Qld Drivers Series	Rally Sprint	Club	S4B	
Feb	11/02/96	Qld	Brisbane Sporting Car Club Ltd	QRC/Clubman Series	Off Road SC	Club	S4I	TBA
Feb	24/02/96	Qld	Brisbane Sporting Car Club Ltd	Historic	Rally	Club	Q	Gympie & Surrounds
Mar	3/03/96	Qld	Brisbane Sporting Car Club Ltd	Historic	Touring Assembly	Club	Q3L	
Jun	2/06/96	Qld	Brisbane Sporting Car Club Ltd	Historic	Rally Sprint	Club	S4B	
Jun	29/06/96	Qld	Brisbane Sporting Car Club Ltd	Historic	Touring Assembly	Club	Q3L	
Jul	13/07/96	Qld	Brisbane Sporting Car Club Ltd	ARC/QRC	Rally	National	Q	
Aug	3/08/96	Qld	Brisbane Sporting Car Club Ltd	Clubman Series	Rally	Club	Q	Imbil
Sep	1/09/96	Qld	Brisbane Sporting Car Club Ltd	Qld Drivers Series	Off Road LC	Club	O4	Gatton
Sep	8/09/96	Qld	Brisbane Sporting Car Club Ltd	Historic	Rally Sprint	Club	S4B	
Sep	22/09/96	Qld	Brisbane Sporting Car Club Ltd	Historic	Touring Assembly	Club	Q3L	
Sep	28/09/96	Qld	Brisbane Sporting Car Club Ltd	"Motor Show Rally"	Rally	Club	Q	
Nov	2/11/96	Qld	Brisbane Sporting Car Club Ltd	Historic	Touring Assembly	Club	S3L	
Nov	10/11/96	Qld	Brisbane Sporting Car Club Ltd	Historic	Rally Sprint	Club	S4B	
Nov	30/11/96	Qld	Brisbane Sporting Car Club Ltd	QRC/Keema Classic	Rally	Open	Q3J	Gallangowan
Dec	1/12/96	Qld	Brisbane Sporting Car Club Ltd	Clubman Series	Rally	Club	Q	Gallangowan
Sep	1/09/96	Qld	Central Coast Car Club	QRC/Clubman Series	Rally	Open	Q	Gladstone
Apr	20/04/96	Qld	Christian Autosports Club of Australia	QRC/Clubman Series	Rally	Open	Q	
Feb	2/02/96	Qld	Confederation of Australian Motor Sport	Evening of Champions	Qld State Awards		P4	Mercure Hotel-Grand Chelsea Ballroom
Feb	25/02/96	Qld	FNQ Motor Sports Club Inc	Khanacross Series Rd 1	Khanacross	Club	M4	Caïms <i>SHOW GROUNDS PART OF CAÏMS NEVER SHOW</i>
Mar	17/03/96	Qld	FNQ Motor Sports Club Inc	Khanacross Series Rd 2	Khanacross	Club	M4	Caïms
Apr	7/04/96	Qld	FNQ Motor Sports Club Inc	Khanacross Series Rd 3	Khanacross	Club	M4	Caïms
May	5/05/96	Qld	FNQ Motor Sports Club Inc	Rally Tinaroo Dam	Rally	Club	Q4J	Lake Tinaroo
May	28/05/96	Qld	FNQ Motor Sports Club Inc	Khanacross Series Rd 4	Khanacross	Club	M4	Caïms
Jun	16/06/96	Qld	FNQ Motor Sports Club Inc	Khanacross Series Rd 5	Khanacross	Club	M4	Caïms
Jul	7/07/96	Qld	FNQ Motor Sports Club Inc		Motorkhana	Club	M4	
Jul	28/07/96	Qld	FNQ Motor Sports Club Inc		Motorkhana	Club	M4	
Aug	17/08/96	Qld	FNQ Motor Sports Club Inc	Black Mountain Rally	Rally	Club	Q4J	Kuranda
Sep	8/09/96	Qld	FNQ Motor Sports Club Inc		Touring Assembly	Club	Q4L	Caïms and District
Sep	29/09/96	Qld	FNQ Motor Sports Club Inc		Motorkhana	Club	M4	Caïms
Oct	20/10/96	Qld	FNQ Motor Sports Club Inc		Motorkhana	Club	M4	Caïms
Nov	9/11/96	Qld	FNQ Motor Sports Club Inc	Atherton Tablelands Rally	Rally	Club	Q4J	Atherton Tablelands