



Marque Sports Car Association of SA Inc

Hello Delegates,

I have just finished negotiating with Wayne Williams from The Bend. Murray Stephenson can attest to the fact that a number of people at Tuesday night's State Council meeting said that we'd already agreed to assist with the 60th Anniversary. This was most definitely not the case until now.

I have come up with what I believe to be the best outcome for the most people. Not everyone will be happy as is normally the case. I will outline below what we have ahead of us.

We are surrendering our trip to the East Circuit of the Bend on the 29th August in favour of attending the Mallala 60th Anniversary Celebration Event on the 28th and 29th of August. This event will have both races and sprinting. MSCA members will be able to enter for \$115 (which is our normal members' price for a sprint) which is a discount to what others may be paying. However, this will not be an MSCA event, nor will it count towards the Championship. The sprinting will occur on both Saturday and Sunday, and you can choose which day you would prefer to enter. We anticipate that you will get at least 20 laps over the day as you would at a four round sprint and there is a possibility that you will get more.

We will be going to the East Circuit at the Bend on the 31st of October, this is the date of Legends of the Lake and Sue Stephenson, our Chief Timekeeper, is planning to go to Mt Gambier for Legends. As our longest serving volunteer we do not begrudge the opportunity for Sue to have a day off. Between ourselves and the Bend we are hoping to engage a member of the Austin 7 Timing Team to lead the timing with assistance from a person from the MSCA and a person from the Bend as required. This will give the Organising Committee more time to plan the most efficient and safest way to sprint at the East Circuit. Wayne has offered a 20% discount on the East Circuit fees and I understand The Bend assistance with timing will be at no additional cost to MSCA.

One of the considerations that was brought up on Monday night was that we had a Mallala event scheduled for the 14th November and two weeks is too close. October 21st is occupied by Open Pit Lane and Track Time Motorsports have got the track on the 28th. I have asked Wayne if we can have Saturday the 27th and he is happy with that. Four weeks is not a long time from the previous sprint, but we are potentially into hot weather if we go into December.

I trust that we can all do our best to work with this new plan and be a part of the Mallala 60th Anniversary Celebrations – a place that has been our motorsport home for the better part of 30 years.

Kind Regards,

Adrian Flynn MSCA-SA President

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