

SPRITE CLUB OF SA

GENERAL MEETING

9 October 2023

MINUTES

1. **Welcome:** President Robin opened the September meeting at 20:00. Members are reminded to sign the Club's Attendance Book
2. **Apologies:** Russell & Judy Schmarr, Pat Miller, Gerard Miller, Gary & Fay Brock, Paul Doube, Sean Power, Ray Kinlay.
3. **Minutes of the previous meeting:** The September meeting minutes were posted on the club's website and accepted.
Moved Daryl Ottewill Seconded Don Cardone
4. **Correspondence** In: Goblin Gazette – Sprite Club of Vic.
Out: Nil
5. **Treasurer's Report:** None available
6. **Social Events:** Michael McLaren spoke of the success of the Annual Dinner saying it was one of the better ones in his opinion with members mixing well before with pre dinner drinks followed by an excellent meal. He thanked all who had helped with gift and prize packs with a special mention of Robin's visual display.
Collingrove Hillclimb run saw a number of Sprites make the trip to the Barossa Vintage Hillclimb for what was an enjoyable day with some members having a very controlled trip up the hill. Robin thanked the SCCSA for the opportunity to attend the event. A potential new member may result from the day.
7. **Webmaster:** Robin advised the website had ongoing problems requiring further fixes.
8. **Club Registration:** Don advised the next Federation meeting to be held on 16 October. A reminder was given that details of DTI grants expenditure had to be reported.
9. **Competition Report:** Pat's report came via email;
Peter Stanley driving his very nicely presented Sprite, Andrew Wald and myself sharing Gerard's Plymouth Special competed in the Collingrove Hillclimb meeting for historic vehicles. The weather was perfect and it was great to see so many Sprite club members displaying their cars. Her excellency the governor presented trophies at the end of the day.
The next Super Sprint will be at Mallala on October 29 while the official 50 year commemoration celebration will be held with the annual presentation day next February. Date & location to be advised.
The MSCA is proceeding with a promotion to attract more competitors to Super Sprint meetings.
Gerard was very grateful for all the good wishes extended to him by club members during his brief appearance at the Historic Hillclimb meeting
10. **Clubbies SA Report:** None available
11. **Regalia:** Daryl advised not much happening apart from logbook covers (custom made) are now available for \$25.00
12. **Library:** Miles had nothing to report.

13. **General Business:** David Low mentioned a link to Dean King's 255kph exploits at The Bend which was shown on the big screen thanks to the deft keyboard skill of Robin. Don gave a quick rundown on the display day with all volunteer jobs allocated, trophies organized, coffee van booked, parking tickets arranged for trailers, insurance coverage being finalized and good weather ordered. Robin had contacted clubs that have Sprites on their books, SCCSA, Austin 7, Morris Registrar, Gawler V & V, MG advising them of the day but no responses had been received.
14. **Coming events:** 13/15 October SA Hillclimb Championships
- 22 October Bay to Birdwood
 - 29 October Super Sprint Mallala
 - 29 October Collingrove Challenge round 4 Hillclimb
 - 5 November Display Day

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Meeting closed at 20:35 followed by the usual coffee and chat.