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# CRANKSHAFT CHRONICLE

*Quick Change*

## RAFFLE TICKETS

All members PLEASE return your raffle book/s with money collected very soon and definitely no later than Saturday 12th June. If you haven't sold all or any of the tickets the books still need to be returned for the Club to fulfil its legal responsibility.

## CLUB DINNER

The annual HMSC Presentation Dinner will be on Saturday 26th June at the Kalkee Football Club Rooms. More details on page 3 ...

## TITLE NEWS

The HMSC has successfully gained two Titles for next season. First the 360 Sprintcar Victorian Title on November 20th 2010 and then the 3 Litre Victorian Title on March 5th 2011. More title news on page 3 ...

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## COMING UP

### June

- 12th & 13th - 3pm, 1pm Racing at Blue Ribbon
- 20th Committee Meeting at White Hart 3pm, dinner after. Everyone welcome
- 26th - Speedway Dinner

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## APRIL 17th RACING

The weather set a perfect scene for some great racing on Saturday night at Blue Ribbon Speedway.

The **GP Midgets** did not disappoint when contesting their Victorian Title. Favoured driver Australia 1, Dennis Myers, got caught behind a slower car which allowed Mark Cecill to overtake him and gain an untouchable lead. Myers drove hard to chase down Cecill but ran out of laps in the 20 lap final.

Earlier in the night Cecill, Myers and Wayne Rodda had all scored heat wins. Rodda finished third in the final and Lisa Chalcraft finished fourth.

The **Formula 500's** were spectacular as usual with our Horsham drivers having a mixed night. Jeremy Beddison, Jock Backer, Ash Hicks and Marcus Heinrich all made the A Main in a hectic race over 20 laps. The nippy little 500s raced with no stoppages for the whole race which made it difficult to keep track of the Horsham boys. In the final Beddison was not far behind the leaders and finished around 5th or 6th. Hicks and Baker were mid pack and Heinrich not far behind them. In the heats Beddison's car had no power in the first two races but he did much better in his other heats gaining a third in a superb passing move at the end of his 3rd heat. Jock Baker won a heat and Ash Hicks gained a third.

Heinrich was just off the pace in all of his heats. The A main Final saw Stuart Townley charge away to win from Chad Sullivan and Greg

Wickham third. Townley set a new track record for a single lap and for the 20 lap distance.

The **Limited Sportsman** contested the Les McMaster Trophy and a determined Mark McDonald (Horsham) chased hard to catch South Australian Joe Aston but had no luck finishing second. A deserved Aston won and Hamilton's Craig Ansell was third. Other drivers to win podium finishes over the five heats were Sandy Williamson, Mark Bunting, Brett Horton and Clint Baker.

The **Super Rods** were very competitive with Shaun Toulman, Geoff Leigh and Jason Grayland contesting close finishes all night. Toulman had the edge but Leigh and Grayland were hard at his heels. The final was won by Toulman with Leigh second and Dale Walsh third.

The 1200cc saw the dominance of young local driver Stawell's Gemma Horrocks. Horrocks won all three events. Ballarat's Jess Solsbury, Hamilton's Chris Ansell and Avalons Michael Skene all had podium finishes.

The **Street Stocks** was highlighted by the appearance of lady driver Emma Hutchinson who has purchased her own car and is now able to compete in the street stocks as well as the ladies events.

Hutchinson normally shares a car with streetstock driver Richard Bansemer. Hutchinson had a good night and really tested out the male drivers. Bansemer and Luke James shared the podium finishes with Hutchinson and Swan Hill's Kevin Apps.

## WORKING BEE'S

The club desperately needs volunteers for working bees to assist with all the jobs that are banking up.

If anyone can help working bees are held the Sunday morning prior to each race meeting and the Sunday morning after each race meeting.

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# **SPEEDWAY DINNER**

SATURDAY 26th JUNE, 2010

6.30pm at KALKEE FOOTBALL CLUB ROOMS

TICKETS

ADULTS - \$15

STUDENTS 12-16 - \$10

UNDER 12 - FREE

FAMILY (2A & 2C) - \$

RSVP - EMMA WILKEN - 0431 248 326

MUST BE RECEIVED BY 21st JUNE

## **TITLE NEWS**

### NATIONAL TITLES

Junior Sedans - Murray Bridge, SA

31 December 2010 & 1 January 2011

Super Sedans - Bendigo Bank Arena, Latrobe

12 & 13 February 2011

Street Stock - Timmis Speedway, Mildura, Vic

12 & 13 March 2011

Prod Sedans - Brobenah Speedway, Leeton, NSW

15 & 16 April 2011

Mod Productions - Lismore Speedway, NSW

23 & 24 April 2011 - Heats

### VICTORIAN TITLES

Junior Sedans - ??

Street Stock - Western Speedway, Hamilton

27 & 28th December 2010

3 Litres - Blue Ribbon Raceway, Horsham

5th March 2011

Prod Sedans - Southern 500, Portland

12 February 2011

## **JUNE LONG WEEKEND NOMINATIONS**

DON'T FORGET TO NOMINATE TO RACE AT OUR

LAST MEET FOR THE SEASON.

NOMS CLOSE 8PM MONDAY NIGHT!

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### HUTCHY'S HUMOUR

#### WHERE IS GOD?

A couple had two little mischievous boys, ages 8 and 10. They were always getting into trouble, and their parents knew that if any mischief occurred in their town, their sons would get the blame.

The boys' mother heard that a clergyman in town had been successful in disciplining children, so she asked if he would speak to the boys. The clergyman agreed and asked to see them individually. So, the mother sent her 8-year-old first, in the morning, with the older boy to see the clergyman in the afternoon. The clergyman, a huge man with a booming voice, sat the younger boy down and asked him sternly, "Where is God?" The boy's mouth dropped open, but he made no response, sitting there with his mouth hanging open, making no attempt to answer. So, the clergyman raised his voice some more and shook his finger in the boy's face and bellowed, "Where is God?" The boy screamed and bolted from the room. He ran directly home and dove into his closet, slamming the door behind him.

When his older brother found him in the closet he asked "What happened?" The younger brother, gasping for breath, replied: "We are in real BIG trouble this time! God is missing, and they think we did it!"