



Victorian Rally Panel

Minutes of Victorian Rally Panel Held at 8pm on Tuesday 9th
August 2016 in the CAMS Meeting Room

1. Attendee

Present

Troy Bennett TB	Panel chair/ ARCOM representative
Brett Williams BW	Secretary
David McKenzie DM	VRCMG representative
Stuart Lister SL	VRO representative
Kim Begelhole KB	Member
John Roberts JR	Member (Rally scrutiny group rep)
Matthew Dulak MD	Member
Stuart Lawless SLa	RP Plate Coordinator

Abbreviations Used:

VRC	Victorian Rally Championships	COC	Clerk of course
VCRS	Victorian Club Rally Series	OLT	Observed licence test
VRO	Victorian Rally Organisation	VRP	Victorian rally panel
ARCOM	Australian rallying commission	VRSG	Victorian rally scrutiny group
VRCMG	Victorian rally championships management group	SCE	State council executive
RP	Rally Permit (rego plates)	RUVP	Rally Unregistered vehicle permit
CAMS	Confederation of Australian motorsport	TRE	Touring road event
DELWP	Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning		

2 Apologies

Vivek Ponnusamy **VP**

Member

Andrew Paice **AP**

VCRS representative

3 Previous Minutes Approval

Minutes from the meeting held on 12-7-16 approved on 8-8-16

Business arising from minutes and action items completed

Nil Business and all actions completed

Accepted By: KB

Seconded by: Sla

ACTION:

4 Correspondence In

Date Received	About	Actioned
18-7-16	VCRS Committee - Minutes of July meeting (& republished minutes of the June meeting).	
23-7-16	[Rallypanel] FW: National Rally Code Review	DM
	[Rallypanel] New Competitor seeking info	
7-8-16	Change or personnel HRA Bagshot Oct 8, 2016	AP

Business arising from Correspondence In

23-7-16	[Rallypanel] FW: National Rally Code Review	DM
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David tables format review and all information was accepted and ready for forwarding to RR Monday

9-8-16	Letter re VRC round 6 personnel	BW
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Hi Brett

I would like to put in two requests in regards to this year's 2016 Begonia Rally.

1. I would like to nominate Ross Runnalls as the course checker.

2. In line with the final 3 rounds being the pace noted series, running the event as a pace noted event.

Thanks

On Mon, Aug 8, 2016 at 10:49 PM, Brett Williams wrote:

Hi Arron

From the last rally panel meeting I am following up on the nominated checker for your Begonia Rally event

I believe that it is Ross Runnalls but if you could just confirm this that would be great

Also I will need you to apply to the panel to run the event using pace noting as per section 9 of the 2016 VRB part B

You can do this is writing for approval at the panel meetings

Send the application to the email below

Cheers Brett

Panels position is VRCMG is happy with the event being pace noted

5 Correspondence Out

25-7-16	Re: Dispensation to run a Forced Induction car as a Novice Competitor	TB
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6 Meeting Objectives

1. Strategic Plan

TB has amended the changes discussed at the last panel meeting and will submit it to cams in the following days

2. 2017 calendar

Draft calendar

About 20 events have applied for events in 2017 and looking at the dates of other events

VRC 7

VCRS 7

Intro 1

Rally sprints 3

Standalone (tre) 4

The calendar will now be forwarded to DWELP for approval before being confirmed and released

Course checkers are now being reviewed

7 Reports

- **Bulletins**

No issued

- **State Council Exec**

TB attended discussion was around the fire rescue and medical services insurance was discussed

- **Rally calendar**

2017 applications have closed and is now going to DELWP for approval

- **Event Reports**

Magical iron bark tour ran with no issues know to panel 21 starters

- **Finances**

Up to date the panel fund and we have received a report from cams
The DELWP is still to issue the road damage fund costs for Eildon stages

- **TRE/TA Historic events**

Nil events

- **VRCMG**

Dm reports

Darren Windus was asked to join the group and has agreed
VRCMG is now working on calendaring for 2017

- **VCRS Committee**

AP not present

- **VRO**

No Meeting

- **Web site**

Nil report

- **ARCOM**

Meeting next week

- **RP scheme**

Year to date: 49

New: 6

Renewals: -1

- **Scrutiny Report**

JR reports

Rally permit paperwork is to be controlled by the rally panel RP Plate Coordinator not the scrutineers as per the VRB

8 VRB 2016 NOTES

(This is a notebook to keep track of VRB changes that are discussed during the year at panel not necessarily changes that have been voted on and are changing)

1. Grading f grade for 2017 VRB for driving of turbo cars procedure and application guidelines review
2. [Minimum Communications Requirements for all Rallies and Trials in Victoria](#)

It is **mandatory** that all special stage and /or 'road closed' events, whether they are rounds of the VRC, VCRS, standalone special stage events, Rally Sprints, or multi club Non-Special Stage Novice, Introductory events, must have radio or suitable communication along the **entire competitive route**.

This may need to be looked at for the wording

3. List of checkers and how they are appointed
4. Section 10 rally scrutiny notes needs review looks to remove handbrake rules for 2017 and if certain things like the RP and RUVF is a scrutiny matter or a panel item
5. How to run pace noted events this is not ruled in the VRB as such but noted in the VRC standing regulations. Maybe we need to have them also in the VRB.

9 Trophy Presentations

TBA

10 General Business

Panel advises that there will be a memorial service for the late Steve Ashton to be held on Mon 29 August at the story hall at RMIT city campus

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Moved:

Seconded:

Carried:

For Action By:

11 Other Business

Moved:

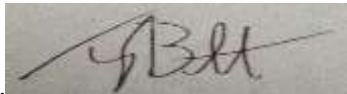
Seconded:

Carried:

There being no further business, the Chairman closed the meeting at 10 15pm

I have sighted these minutes and declare they are a true and accurate record of the meeting:

CHAIRMAN:.....



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DATE:

11/9/16

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Next Meeting: September 13th at 8 pm

CAMS Meeting Room