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After the regular VMSC meeting on Thursday night, July 18th there will be a RALLY.

The first car is due to be off at approximately 9:00 P.M. from the Branch House parking lot.

O.D.'s Judy Custer & Neale Dickinson promise an interesting, fun, and certainly DIFFERENT rally. Equipment needed will be a working flashlight, a selfpropelled vehicle, preferably a sporty type (a four wheeled car...editors), a thinking brain, and a good sanse of humor.

There will be no navigational or mathematical problems of difficulty (this indicates that there will be some problems... editors).

The C.D.'s look forward to a good turnout for what promises to be a good event.

# note

Rally set for July 21 instead of gymkhana. See page 4 for details.



Our man in the Sahara, Len Wells, has revealed the events calendar once again. Wells, loathe to confide his innermost secrets even with your Checkpoints reporter, has, as in the past, given me all that he has. It follows:

July 18 - VMSC meeting & nite rally (see article at left)

20 - AMSC "Black Owl II" all night rally, 7:30 PM at the Warwick Shopping Center, Warwick Blvd., route 60 - call 596-0274 for more info (toll).

21 - TSCC gymkhana

- VMSC gymkhana (maybe)

28 - VBSCC gymkhana

- SCCA @ VIR Regionals

- PSCC gymkhana

For further information on any of the above events call our man in the Sahara. If he does not respond or elucidate to your satisfaction, (Arabic is a tough language to translate) contact this newspaper for assistance.

#### MEETING NOTICE

THURSDAY JULY 18, 1968

EIGHT POST MERIDAN
BRANCH HOUSE - MONUMENT & DAVIS



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# EDITORIAL

One hundred ninety-two years ago this month a nation was born conceived in the minds of men to embrace all the virtues which were lacking in the mother from whom they sprang. In the year of 1776 stalwart men rese to their feet and teld the then most powerful nation on earth to go to hell. Now the most powerful nation on earth is a pot of well-intentioned, but apathetic snivelings. And to what do we owe our apathy? To prosperity, safety, and lack of interest. Now as never before our unity and stability is threatened both within and without our national boundaries. Now as never before we need stalwart men.

Remember as you curse high taxes, the high cost of living, and your other non-self imposed burdens, real or imagined, that you enjoy a degree of prosperity hitherto unknown on the face of the earth. Seek not laws which restrict the freedoms of men - seek not to transfer your obligations to a politician. Shifting of the burden is a common sport among snivelings and speaks poorly of free men. Only when freedom is gone is it cherished. Be sure it does not go - cherish it now.

July looms before us as a month of action. A quick glance at the events calendar (please read it) shows a month jam-packed with things to do. We are a club of motor sport enthusiasts who display our unity by the beautiful car badge each person receives when he joins. To many people who pass through our club roster the badge becomes an end in itself. Obliviously this was not the intent of John Kessler who designed this badge for us. A car badge means nothing unless it regularly appears at club events. Obviously, those people who do not appear do not bother to read my editorials either else they would be there, for who can ignore my most earnest appeals? Anyhow, those of us who are there know who is not. Is it any wonder that the sometimes runs find a cold reception when they do run and go away wondering why we did not all froth at the mouth with enthusiasm at their appearance?



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#### THE TRACK MEET

#### JUNE 23

Driver	Class/Place	Time	Type Car
Len Wells	11/10	2:32.6	Falcon
Randy Cournow	II/5	2:01.0	TR-4
Miles Turner	1/2	1:56.2	Morris Garages Midget
John Bergeron	11/1	1:47.8	TR-4
Mike Castleberry	11/6	2:08.2	Mustang
Maylon Pearmon	11/8	2:12.4	Mustang
Bob McElroy	11/12	2:39.8	Mustang
Wilt Greenwood	11/2	1:50.0	TR-4A
Walt. Witschey	1/3	2:04.4	Anglia
Tom Gullette, Jr.	1/1	1:48.0	Austin-Healey Sprite
Ann Greenwood	11/11	2:35.0	TR-4A
Nancy Witschey	I <b>/</b> 5	2:32.0	Anglia
Reggie Williams	11/9	2:24.0	Corvette
Bob Freeman	11/7	2:09.0	Corvair
Brad Peaseley	11/3	1:51.2	Porsche 912
Bill Britton	I/4	2:29.6	Volkswagen
John Chehaske	FTD	1:38.4	I ain't gonna tell ya. *
Tony Bliley	1/6	3:14.8	Opel
George Winfree	II/4	1:57.0	GT-6

Thanks to Al Smith for timing and Ann Greenwood for spelling Al. Special thanks to Reggie Williams for a long, hard day as catcher. \*Anybody who wants to know what John was "driving" will have to ask him.

### July, 7, C/P - The Celebrity Room

Those of you who missed the rally today missed a good one. Carefully planned instructions resulted in a rally tough but easily completed. It seems that John Chehaske worked hard to produce this rally and one can have only accolades for him in spite of a typographical error near the end which resulted in some mis-directed contestants. All contestants agreed to the rally's successful theme, however - that is, "Tough, but it can be done."

#### RALLY SET JULY 21

Len Wells, impresario magnifico, will preside at the rally set for Sunday, July 21. The rally will start at the Brookhill-Azalea Shopping Center at 12:30 P.M. Cost will be \$3.00/4.00. Format is to be straightforward - TSD. Wells promises an excellent event.

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### V.M.S.C. EVENT REPORT

THIS REPORT TO BE HANDED IN WITHIN 7 DAYS OF EVENT. Submit 2 copies to secretary, along with a copy of the instructions, etc., used in the event. Notify 1st place to give a writeup to Checkpoints editor. Submit breakdown of expenses & receipts to treasurer. In reporting checkpoint error, use + for early - for late.

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4th			BOB FREEMAN	GENE SNOW	CORVAIR				300				938		
5th		-	NANCY GARLAND	NEALE DICKINSON	TOYOTA	1	T HOLE						1198		
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