

Checkpoints

VIRGINIA MOTOR SPORT CLUB

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YOLUME 38 NO. 9

EVENTS CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER, 1993



9/12

VMSC rally, "Deja Vu V", OD'd by Barbara and Wilt Greenwood. A classic in the Greenwood Tradition. Be good to yourself & run it! See flyer.



9/19

VMSC autocross, "Thunder Road Autocross", OD'd by Dana Cole and John Hartka at Southside Speedway. Come play on the speedway! See flyer.



10/2

VMSC rally, "Another Day in the Country Rally", OD'd by Gerry Eberhard and Phil Webster. Check out what this new team can do! See flyer.



10/7

VMSC Board of Directors Meeting, Datura, Inc., 1940 East Parham Road, 8:00 PM.

Join VMSC for a DINNER MEETING at the IRON HORSE RESTAURANT

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

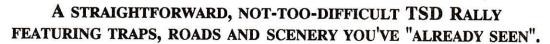
DINNER STARTS AT 7:00 PM, MEETING AT 8:00 PM.

The entire excellent menu will be available. VMSC will be seated in the new dining room. Take I-95 north to RT. 54, follow 54 to the railroad tracks and turn left. The IRON HORSE is first on your right.



RALLY & COOKOUT

Déjà Vu V



RALLYMASTERS AND COURSE LAYOUT:

WILT AND BARBARA GREENWOOD

OFFICIAL PRECHECK:

MIKE WEEDON & DOUG BURTON

DATE OF EVENT:

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1993

TIME OF EVENT:

REGISTRATION FROM 10:00 TO 10:45 A.M.,

1ST CAR OFF AT 11:01 A.M.

STARTS FROM:

THE BEVERLY HILLS SHOPPING CENTER, LOCATED IN THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE INTERSECTION OF PARHAM ROAD AND PATTERSON AVENUE (ROUTE 6). REGISTRATION WILL BE HELD NEAR THE PATTERSON AVENUE ENTRANCE.

ENDS ÁT:

THE HOME OF THE RALLYMASTERS, 1006 SHARON LANE, FOR A COOKOUT. BURGERS & BEVERAGES FURNISHED BY VMSC AND INCLUDED IN THE ENTRY FEE. (THE FINISH IS APPROXIMATELY 1/2 MILE FROM THE START LOCATION).

COST:

\$18.00 PER CAR. THE COOKOUT IS FREE TO WORKERS. MEMBERS & FRIENDS OF VMSC WHO ABSOLUTELY CAN'T OR WON'T PARTICIPATE IN THE RALLY BUT WISH TO ATTEND THE COOKOUT WILL GRUDGINGLY BUT POLITELY BE PERMITTED TO DO SO FOR \$4.00 PER PERSON - COME AROUND 3:00.

THIS WILL BE A STANDARD-FORMAT, LOW-TO-MEDIUM-DIFFICULTY EVENT, USING BOTH NUMBERED AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS. SPEEDS WILL BE MODERATE, SPEED CHANGES FEW, SCENERY ATTRACTIVE, AND TRAPS SIMPLE, FAIL-SAFED, AND (MOSTLY) FAMILIAR. PREREGISTER BY MAIL TO THE RALLYMASTERS AT 1006 SHARON LANE, RICHMOND, VA 23229-6529, OR CALL (804)282-1493. ABOUT 100 COMPETITIVE MILES.



Registration 10:30AM - 11:30AM FCO 11:45AM

Start Location: Rockwood Square Shopping Center Southwest Corner of Route 360 & Courthouse Rd.

\$15.00 Per Car

Rallymasters - Gerry Eberhard & Phil Webster For pre-registration & further info call 745-2572

UPDATED VMSC 1993 RALLY SCHEDULE

(REVISED AS OF AUGUST 1, 1993)

A significant number of date changes have occurred in this year's Rally Schedule. Specifically:

- 1. The Dickinson/Boogher event scheduled for August 8 has been moved to December 15.
- 2. The Hunter/Siff event scheduled for December 15 has been moved to November 14. The Open Date on November 7 has been dropped.
- 3. The Greenwoods have taken the Open Date on September 12.

A complete updated schedule for the entire year is given below.

DATE	DOW	O.D.(s)	CHECKER(s)	FORMAT
05/02	Sun	Greenwoods	Powell	Low difficulty, classic format TSD, ending in Chili fest at Andy Siff's restaurant in Ashland.
06/20	Sun	Weedon/Yost	Burton	Low difficulty TSD.
09/12	Sun	Greenwoods	Weedon/Burton	Low to medium difficulty TSD, ending in a cookout. NEWLY SCHEDULED EVENT!
10/03	Sun	Eberhard/Webster	Dickinson/Boogher	Medium difficulty TSD.
11/14	Sun	B. Hunter/Siff	S. Hunter	Medium+ difficulty TSD, lead-in to year-end event. NOTE DATE CHANGE!
12/05	Sun	Dickinson/Boogher	Greenwoods	End-of-year championship, medium++ difficulty TSD, ending in party. NOTE DATE CHANGE!

We now have Rallymasters for all the scheduled events, but we still need workers. If <u>anyone</u>, experienced or not, is interested in helping by working or checking an event, please get in touch with Rally Coordinator Wilt Greenwood (282-1493) or Activities Chairman Dick Boogher (285-4133). That also applies if you'd like to try competing in a rally but aren't too sure what it's all about - just ask! We'll be happy to provide all the information you need.

Come out and run!

YOU MAY ALREADY BE A WINNER!

VMSC HAS A LARGE NUMBER OF TROPHY WALL PLAQUES (WP) AND DASH PLAQUES (DP) FROM PAST EVENTS FOR THE FOLLOWING PARTICIPANTS:

1991 AND 1992 WALL PLAQUES:

BAUER, GREG BLANKENSHIP, DALE CRESS, CARL GANNON, MIKE GERRARD, PAUL (2WP) GILCHRIST, WM (2WP) GREGORY, DALLAS(2WP) HOWELL, RICKY MATHEWS, ROB

MOSKALSKI, ROB MOY, ROLAND NELSON, DOUGLAS POWELL, CHARLIE RAMBURG, OWEN ROGERS, MARK SANDERS, CALVIN SMITH, BOBBY

1993 WALL PLAQUES:

BAKER BLANTON BOOGHER CHESSON CHISOLM DAME EVANS (2WP) FLYNN GEARHART HENDERSON JOHNSTON KEETON KESSLER MADDOX MILLER PEBWORTH SHELLY

1993 DASH PLAQUES:

FIDEN
GARRETT
GREEN
JONES
KLUTE
LOTTS
LOWERY
MILLHISER
ROBINSON, DAVID
ROBINSON, ROB
SIEBER
SHAUF
SMITH, TOM
VAN AUKEN

PLEASE SEE TROPHY CHAIRMAN DANA COLE AT ANY OF OUR EVENTS OR CALL HIM AT (804) 740-5126 6PM -10PM WEEK DAYS. ON WEEKENDS, COHERENT RESPONSES WILL MOST LIKELY BE OBTAINED AFTER 9AM AND BEFORE 11PM.

DRIVER D/M	MARK	1ST RUN	2ND RUN	3RD RUN	BEST	CLUB	Comments
John Sheally Ken Van Horn Robie Robinson D/S	MOGRAN LYNX LYNX	DNF 1:39.72 2P 1:49.02 1G	1:18.15 1:29.44 1:33.66	1:15. 95 1:27. 97 1:29. 90	1:15.85 1:27.87 1:29.80	SCCA VMSC VMSC	
Dana ColeJason FullerE/S	NISSAN HONDA	1:33.49 1:33.78	1:32.91 1:31.27	1:31.57 1:32.57	1:31.57 1:32.57	VMSC None	DNW
 Steve Cabrian Tyler Hancock Jeff Holwes E/SP 	HONDA TRIUMPH TRIUMPH	1:30.13 1:30.67 1:32.71	1:29.59 1:30.07 1:33.07	1:28.44 1:29.62 1:30.00	1:28.44 1:29.62 1:32.71	SCCA VMSC None	DNW
Nick Smilek	CHEVROLET	1:30.53	1:28.72	1:29.37 1P	1:28.72	None	
 David Diaz III Kerry Flynn H/S 	FORD CHEVROLET	1:28.59 1:32.55	1:29.57 1:33.35	1:31.52 1:55.08 2G	1:28.59 1:32.55	None None	
 Bill Lloyd Marshall Cosby S/S 	CHEVROLET HONDA	1:40.99 1:54.21	1:33.03 1:50.93	1:32.19 FUN 1:46.47	1:33.03 1:45.47	VMSC None	
Greg Bauer Dick Hammaker Tom Hooker	CHEVROLET CHEVROLET CHEVROLET	1:19.56 1:28.01 1:37.97 1G	1:19.60 1:27.34 1:28.46	1:19.91 1:26.48 1:28.03	1:19.56 1:26.48 1:28.46	HRCC NVCC NVCC	DNW

Times have gate & pylon penalties added in.

DNW means Did Not Work causing best time to be forfeited.

The OD's would like to thank all those who participated & especially those who didn't yet came out and worked the event.

^{*}Trophy position.

DOG DAYS AUTOCROSS **RESULTS** 8/15/93

DRIVER A/P	MARK	1ST RUN	2ND RUN	3RD RUN	BEST	CLUB	Comments
Ray BruningA/S	CHEVROLET	1:23.93	1:27.12 1P	1:25.97	1:25.97	NVCC	DNW
Mike LordA/SP	MAZDA	1:27.64	1:26.96	1:25.07	1:26.96	None	DNW
John Phillips Terry Gonyaw Roger G. Garrett John Estep	CHEVROLET CHEVROLET CHEVROLET NISSAN	1:17.85 1:19.57 1:19.74 1:27.32	1:17.89 1:20.26 1:20.64 1:29.03	1:18.47 1:20.43 1:21.03 1:28.68	1:17.85 1:19.57 1:20.64 1:27.32	HRCC HRCC SCCA VMSC	DNW
B/P " Ned Arnold Tom McGrath B/S	CHEVROLET CHEVROLET	1:26.43 1:23.77 FUN	1:25.70 1:28.16 FUN	1:25.75 1:26.32 FUN	1:25.75 1:23.77	None NVCC	DNW
Richard WestB/SP	TOYOTA	1:22.53	1:22.43	1:22.17	1:22.17	VMSC	
 Ken Taggart George Skalkeas Walt Gilbert C/S 	CHEVROLET CHEVROLET CHEVROLET	1:21.68 DNF 1:29.44	1:21.34 DNF 2:00.69	1:21.70 1:24.92 1:29.10	1:21.34 1:24.92 1:29.44	NVCC NVCC	DNW
Chuck Atwood George Ferrell Steven Church C/SP	TOYOTA MAZDA SAAB	1:29.46 DNF 1:36.63	1:31.33 1:29.86 1:37.26	1:31.41 1:30.02 1:32.73	1:29.46 1:29.86 1:36.63	None VMSC None	DNW
Chip Williams Rob Lowery John Hope Chris Hope	HONDA HONDA HONDA HONDA	1:26.46 1:27.73 1:34.93 1:40.26	1:25.40 1:32.56 1:36.93 1:37.08	DNF 1:28.26 1:34.84 1P 1:38.17	1:25.40 1:28.26 1:34.93 1:38.17	VMSC None None None	DNW DNW DNW



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PRESENTS THE:

THUNDER ROAD AUTOCROSS

Sept. 19, 1993 at Southside Speedway OD'S: DANA COLE AND JOHN HARTKA Registration: 9:00am First Car Off: 10:00am \$12 for VMSC Members, \$15 for nonmembers.

NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ALLOWED!

3 TIMED SOLO RUNS, 10 HEATS, SCCA SOLO RULES. Each driver is required to work one heat or forfeit best run. VMSC safety regulations enforced.

DIRECTIONS FROM RICHMOND:
Route 360 West. Right on Genito
Rd.Southside Speedway is on the
right about 2 miles from Route 360.

To pre-register or for more information call Dana Cole at (804) 740-5126 after 6:00pm M-F, or anytime weekends.

"It's like deja vu... all over again..."

Do you remember VMSC's rallies from the late '70s and early '80s? As I rolled through the Land of Gooch in Wilt's Saab 900 Turbo on the precheck for "Deja Yu Y", I kept thinking of how much fun we had then. Fields of 20+ cars, trophies going down to third and fourth place in the rookie class, five equipped teams within a 15-point spread - all losing to the unequipped winner...

Yes, this is a special event. It has the flavor of the old days. Dead-slam beginners will get to all the controls, and have a ball doing it. Seat-of-the-pants rallyists will have a shot at the intrepid calculators this time, for course-following will be very much to the fore.

I enjoyed this event so much, I'm even thinking of buying a Zeron... My first experience with real rally equipment spoiled me pretty badly. I had never seen a navigator actually look through the windshield before...

All this, and a killer party/picnic, too! An excellent opportunity to be regaled with stories of the rallies of yore, to be trounced at the dart board, to be entertained in the Greenwood Tradition of time that passes too quickly among pleasant company. You've worked hard! You deserve to have a day like this!

AUTOCROSSERS! Come on out! The Greenwoods know what driver's roads are all about! This rally uses some of the best asphalt curvature in the area, with a little dirt thrown in for flavor. Besides, you look more sane if someone else is in the car when you're talking...

BETHERE.

And remember, it's never to late to bite the same trap you bit in 1980...

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