

Checkpoints

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EVENTS CALENDAR



8/21

1st Annual Galactic Autocross Championship at the Virginia Motor Sport Park in Dinwiddie. OD's Bill & Shelia Hunter & Andrew Siff.



9/1

See flier in last months issue. Board of Directors meeting at the offices of Platinum Technologies (formerly Datura).



9/15

Dinner meeting for the general membership at Steak & Ale, Glenside and Broad St.'s. Dinner at 6:30, meet @ 8:00, 15% gratuity on separate checks. Tell the host your w/ VMSC.



9/18

Autocross. Site to be announced. For details contact the man who knows, Ken Van Horn at 804-598-4009.



10/2

Rally. Stonewall's Revenge. A joint venture with the Mazda Sports Car Club of Washington. Rallymasters the Greenwoods, the Westbrooks and Arch Scurlock.

See flier inside.

INSIDE

WHOOPS!

I would like to apologize to the membership for the lateness of last months Checkpoints. My company has been growing and is now doing some intensive R&D work thus my time has been at a premium. I am doing my best to juggle all the demands on my schedule. It seems that 12 hour work days are not enough any more. I am getting back on schedule now. Please bear with me. Thanks!

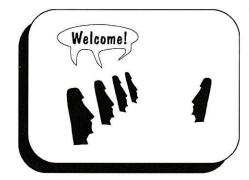


NEW MEMBERS



Michelle Briston Dickinson

Michelle is the daughter of long time member Neale Dickinson. She lives at home with her parents, Neale and Martha, while attending Stony Point school. She joins us at the young age of 10. While she won't be a driver in any of our events any time soon, we will probably see her rallying and helping out at other events. In her free time, Michelle enjoys playing games. She is also active in the Girl Scouts.



Jennifer Christian Dickinson

Jennifer also joins us from the Dickinson household. She is a student at the Stony Point school with her sister. Both Jennifer and her sister, Michelle, list their primary interest as T.B.D. Being a 10 year old she likes to play games and is also a member of the Girl Scouts. We can expect to see her helping out at events and rallying as a navigator.

VMSC Autocross Schedule

August

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Virginia Motor Sport Park Autocross. Shelia & Bill Hunter & Andrew Siff ODs.

September

18 Site to be announced.

October

30 Virginia Motor Sport Park Autocross

November

6 Ft. Lee Autocross

VMSC Known Rallies

October

2 Rally Masters Wilt & Barbara Greenwood and Bookie Westbrook

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CONGRATULATIONS

Cheryl & Mike

There has been a wedding! Cheryl Sheperd and Mike Weedon have tied the knot. Mike, as many of you know, was last year's club president. Cheryl is Mike's long time friend and business partner from Datura. They were married on Friday, August 12th, aboard the Annabel Lee paddle wheel cruise ship on the James river here in Richmond, VA.

As I write this, they are winging their way to a honeymoon in Hawaii where they plan to stay for two weeks of blissful enjoyment and relaxation.

The wedding and reception on the Annabel Lee was a wonderful time for all those who were in attendance. Talk about your ship board romance! After the reception the party continued at Razzles night club on Midlothian Turnpike.

All of VMSC wish the couple heart felt best wishes! Congratulations again!



THE REPEAT RALLY FINAL RESULTS

Event Date: 8-7-94

Rallymasters: Neale Dickinson & Gerry Eberhard

0/A	CLASS				CONTROL				TOTAL
POS'N	POS'N		TEAM	MARQUE	1	2	3	4	SCORE
1	1E	T	Wilt & Barbara Greenwood	Saab	0	1	1	1	3
1	1E	T	T.C.G.* & Rita* Wagner	Honda	0	0	1	2	3
3	3E		Mike Weedon & Chuck Hoelzel	Honda	0	2	5	2	9
4	1R	T	Charlie & Charlie* Passut	Mazda	4	5	7	2	, 18
5	10	T	Bill & Shelia Hunter	Honda	0	3	19	1	23
6	2U		Andy Siff & Danny* Meter	Eagle Talon	26	30	8	4	68
7	2R		Jeanna* Hardee & Mary Isemann	Eagle Summit	1	5	22	41	69
8	3U		Walter & Walter* Witschey	Acura	23	18	23	·10	71
9	3R		Pat* & Tom* Wellford	Ford	100	200	200	200	700

T = Trophy position

Official Checkers: Scott Powell & Pat* Concodora

Workers: Alan Armstrong, Bobby Dickinson, Sue Howells, Beth Mills, Floyd Mills, Marvin Mills, & Scott Powell

Thanks to all contestants for running our event. We hope everyone had a great time. Many Thanks to all the workers for a job well done.

Special Thanks to Dennis & Debbie Weir for hosting a fine picnic.

Extra Thanks to Mother Nature for providing a perfect day.

^{* =} Non-VMSC contestant

SPECIAL EVENT

Volunteers Needed!

The **Ford Motor Co.** has asked VMSC to provided equipment and personnel for an autocross in their annual recruitment drive at the University of Virginia. The event will take place at the university's campus in Charlottesville, Virginia. Some of Ford's new line up of 1995 model year automobiles will be on hand and in use at the event. The legendary **Bob Bondurant** will also be in attendance providing instructional assistance to the attendees. Bob is bringing several of his instructors to the autocross from his high performance driving school. Unfortunately for us, this event is only open to University of Virginia students.

VMSC will be designing and setting up, not one but two courses which will run concurrently. We will also be providing official scoring and others related logistics. For our effort in this event, the club is going to receive monetary compensation. Hopefully, the second generation timing system will be completed by then making scoring a breeze.

This is a call for volunteers. The event will be an all day event starting at the wee hour of 6:00 AM and continuing on until 6:00 PM. Only ten persons are needed so sign up early. Also, those who volunteer will receive a **continental breakfast** and **T-shirt** to add to their collection of memorabilia.

To sign up and/or inquire about further information, contact **Shelia Hunter** at **804-752-7669** during the week.

Also, any one willing to let the club use a laptop computer for this event please contact Phil Webster at 804-675-0625. The computer must be capable of running Microsoft's Windows version 3.1 and have 30MB of hard disk space available for the automatic timing software.

This promises to be something different and interesting.

CORRECTIONS

The published membership list contains an error. The telephone number for Dr. Charles & Charlotte Hoelzel is incorrect. The proper number is 919-330-4668. Please correct your list as needed.

-Ed.



The Virginia Motor Sport Club

as guest host for
The Mazda Sports Car Club of Washington

PRESENTS:

Stonewall's Revenge!





October 2, 1994 - from Fredericksburg

Rallymasters:

Wilt and Barbara Greenwood Bookie and Barbara Westbrook (804)282-1493 (Richmond) (804)823-6807 (Charlottesville)

MWCSCC/MSCCW Contact:

Arch Scurlock

(703)978-3798 (Northern Virginia)

Stonewall's Revenge! will be a straightforward TSD rally of low to medium difficulty, lasting about 8 hours, and covering much of the area between Fredericksburg and Charlottesville where Stonewall Jackson roamed during the latter part of the Late Unpleasantness. The starting location was chosen in an attempt to draw contestants from both the Richmond and D.C. rallying communities; in addition, the course has been designed keeping in mind the prevailing rally conventions of both areas. Since the Rallymasters are all VMSC members, the rally will tend to be in the Richmond style, but it will conform to MWCSCC C2R standards and will be checked by both VMSC and MWCSCC crews. Contestants may elect to compete in either VMSC or MWCSCC classes - points and trophies will be awarded in both, as applicable.

Traps will vary from easy to a little more difficult, but all are looped or provided with callback mileages, and liberal use is made of off-course markers. All contestants should experience no difficulty in finishing the course. Roads are interesting and often scenic - some good quality dirt is used where appropriate.

The rally will start and end at the Spotsylvania Mall shopping center in Fredericksburg, VA, on Route 3 about one-half mile North of its interchange with I-95. The lunch break will be at the Pantops shopping center in Charlottesville, at the intersection of Routes 250 and 20. Registration will open at 8:00 AM on rally day; first car will be off at 9:01 AM. We strongly recommend registration in advance - we will hold the drawing for car numbers on September 17, and General Instructions will be mailed to all preregistrants at that time. The fee is \$12.00 for members of any MWCSCC club or VMSC, or \$15.00 for non-members. Send your check made payable to VMSC and the completed form below to the Greenwoods at 1006 Sharon Lane, Richmond, VA 23229-6529 (checks will not be deposited until after the event).

Driver: Address:	_	Navi	gator:	[
Phone:				Phor	ne:			
VMSC Class? <u>or</u> (circle only one)	E	U	R				VMSC Member?	3
MWCSCC Class?	E	SE	AU	N	В	R	MWCSCC Club?	1