

Kempsey Macleay Off Road Club

2009 NEWSLETTER

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Our first race meeting for the year (Dondingalong March 21/22) is only a few weeks away and it promises to be a very special deal as a **Breast Cancer Fundraiser** will be held in conjunction with the event. Competitors, Officials, and Spectators are encouraged to get into the spirit of the occasion by dressing in pink, or running pink colours, to acknowledge this very worthwhile cause. As a lead up to the weekend there will be a Breast Cancer Fundraiser function held Saturday 14th March at 6.30pm. Your support of this evening would be appreciated. The function will be held at a private residence with all meat supplied. Drinks are BYO, and club members are asked to bring along a salad or dessert to aid with catering. For more information, and to note your attendance (and/or assist with catering), telephone 6566 9283 after hours. Individuals who would like to donate a prize or two for the raffle please phone the same number. Cost of the function is \$10 for adults, with children free. Numbers are limited so be sure to book early. The club is also organising a bulk purchase of pink caps, and these will be available for \$10 each. On race weekend there will be raffles, and a donation box at the main gate. A sea of pink at the track would really add to the atmosphere...so...**are you TUFF ENOUGH TO WEAR PINK????**

On the competition side of things the Dondingalong circuit is looking first class after recent working bee's by a few dedicated club members. A lot of scrap metal has been sold off, a dangerous tree or two trimmed, and extra water tanks installed for those camping overnight etc. The covered spectator area has been extended (and houses the club caravans when not in use on a race weekend). There has been a minor change to the track layout as well, in order to avoid a section that was constantly cutting up.

Supplementary Regulations and Entry Forms for Round 1 of the NSW Off Road Championship / Round 1 of the East Coast Tri Challenge can be downloaded from the KMORC website at www.kempseyoffroadracing.net. Look for the website to be updated with results and photos (after 6pm) Sat March 21 and Sun March 22.

Last year the Dondingalong event attracted in excess of 30 entries and we are expecting a similar turnout this year despite a tougher economic climate. Looking down the track a little further be sure to mark down June 20/21 in your calendar for the annual Wittittrin 200 Long Course race.

Rewinding briefly back to the start of the year and the Annual KMORC Presentation Dinner in January saw 52 individuals attend, with everyone enjoying the evening. 25 Club Members earned points throughout the season but the Class winners were : Murray Bignell (Pro Buggy), Mick Latimore (Prolite Buggy), Kaleb Schmidt (Super 1650 Buggy), Gary Hyde (Sportsman Buggy), Neil Duck (Extreme 2WD), Wayne Lockrey (Performance 2WD), and

Bevan Michel (Production 4WD).

The NSW Off Road Championship Presentation was held at Raymond Terrace mid February and once again KMORC members excelled. KMORC also won the East Coast Tri Challenge Series.

The next Newsletter will be released in May and will feature results from Dondingalong and a preview of Wittittrin. If you can't wait that long, be sure to check the club website where you can register (free) to receive email notices of site updates.

Hope to see you at Dondingalong.....

Rod Thurgood / KMORC Publicity Officer.
www.kempseyoffroadracing.net

Breast Cancer FUNDRAISER

Dondingalong March 21/22

Special Fundraiser Sat March 14 : \$10

Phone 6566 9283 to book or assist

Raffles at the track both days.

Donation Box at the gate.

Pink Caps on sale : \$10



KMORC Race Calendar

21 / 22 March 2009

Dondingalong

Round 1 NSW Off Road Championship

Round 1 East Coast Tri Challenge

20 / 21 June 2009

Wittittrin

Round 3 NSW Off Road Championship

Round 1 NSW Long Course Series

Sponsors WANTED

The Kempsey Macleay Off Road Club is seeking sponsors for the 2009 Wittittrin 200. Sponsors receive banner space at the track, acknowledgment over the track public address system, a listing in the Club Race Program / Newsletter, and details posted on the Club Website.

If you know of a company (or individual) that may be interested in becoming a sponsor of the 2009 KMORC Wittittrin 200 contact the Secretary Maurie Fuller on 6562 1366 or via email at fullers@ausnet.net.au