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Hello and welcome to the Christmas edition of our Newsletter.

This edition includes all of our season 2 and annual winners for 2015 as well as announcing details for 2016.

We also have one very big announcement at the end of the newsletter for those who missed presentation night.

Season 2 points have been posted on our web site.

### **Season 2 2015 Results**

#### **CLASS WINNERS BRCCC CHAMPIONSHIP 2015 SEASON 2**

Pos	Name	Series 2 Points
<b>13.5 Blinky</b>		
1st	Tyson Scully	1796
2nd	Trevor Waye	1466
3rd	Matt Rosenfeldt	1128
<b>17.5 Blinky</b>		
1st	Ryan Withers	1758
2nd	Jack Oberstar	1600
3rd	Gary Logan	1574
<b>Mini</b>		
1st	Gareth Hodgkiss	1696
2nd	Gary Logan	1318
3rd	Jack Oberstar	670
<b>Formula 1</b>		
1st	Daniel Stewart	1170
2nd	Rob Garcia	1144
3rd	Graham Houghton	968

## VTC

1st	Declan McQuay	1178
2nd	Dave Bain	898
3rd	Karl Goodger	380

## 21.5 Blinky

1st	Aaron Barry	1774
2nd	David Huggan	1688
3rd	Shane Williams	1468

## OPEN

1st	Chris Kalfoglou	1736
2nd	Brenton Bull	1712
3rd	Gareth Hodgkiss	1538

## 2015 Final Results

### Junior Participation 2015:

All Junior members receive a participation trophy at the end of the year. In addition, for this year it was decided that all junior members should receive a \$15 Lipari voucher for food and drink. Congratulations to all of our junior members who performed admirably this year.

1. Aaron Barry
2. Christie Jean
3. Indiana Lloyd
4. Jack Oberstar
5. Brandon Roberts
6. Tyson Scully
7. Ryan Withers
8. Oscar Bartlinski

## OVERALL WINNERS BRCC COMBINED CHAMPIONSHIP 2015 (SEASONS 1 and 2)

Pos	Name	Series 1 Points	Series 2 Points	Total
<b>VTC Class</b>				
1st	Declan McQuay	1150	1178	2328
2nd	Dave Bain	1198	898	2096
3rd	Karl Goodger	898	380	1278
<b>21.5 Blinky</b>				
1st	Aaron Barry	1686	1774	3460
2nd	David Huggan	1522	1688	3210
3rd	Indy Lloyd	1622	1260	2882
<b>Mini</b>				
1st	Gareth Hodgkiss	1772	1696	3468
2nd	Gary Logan	1708	1318	3026
3rd	Jack Oberstar	0	670	670

## Formula 1

1st	Daniel Stewart	1628	1170	2798
2nd	Graham Houghton	1376	968	2344
3rd	Rob Garcia	1182	1144	2326

## 17.5 Blinky

1st	Ryan Withers	1624	1758	3382
2nd	Gary Logan	1656	1574	3230
3rd	Jack Oberstar	1582	1600	3182

## 13.5 Blinky

1st	Tyson Scully	1792	1796	3588
2nd	Matt Rosenfeldt	1628	1128	2756
3rd	Trevor Waye	1106	1466	2572

## Open

1st	Brenton Bull	1736	1712	3448
2nd	Chris Kalfoglou	1658	1736	3394
3rd	Paul Sims	1656	1536	3192

### Clubman of the Year:

The clubman of the year is awarded by the committee to the person who best displays the values of our club.

Values such as those displayed by George Passanise and Chris Kalfoglou who both assisted new members with preparing their cars and providing advice. This is applauded and deserves a special mention.

This year two members stood out who were consistently involved throughout the year.

It is with great pleasure to announce that this year two junior members share this award:

- Aaron Barry
- Tyson Scully

### Club Champion 2015:

This award goes to the driver who achieves the highest number of points in a single class across seasons 1 and 2. For this award, all rounds are included.

Winner for 2015:

	BORONIA CHAMPIONSHIP 2015		Club Champion Season 2		Club Champion Season 1	Combined total
1	Tyson Scully	13.5 Blinky	2384	Tyson Scully	2458	4842
2	Ryan Withers	17.5 Blinky	2312	Ryan Withers	2213	4525
3	Brenton Bull	Open	1758	Brenton Bull	2364	4122

### Special thank you for 2015:

In recognition for assisting the club throughout the year with running Alycat and managing race registrations, collecting fees, serving the Kiosk, organizing dinners and allowing the president to spend more time track side:

- Bec Hodgkiss
- Wade Mculloch
- Imagine Hodgkiss

**Thank you**

### **Alycat**

Alycat 9.5 has been released and purchased by the club. This is a greatly improved version and will accurately manage racing points in line with BRCCC regulations. A special thanks to Ken Scalley at Alycat who worked very closely with the BRCCC to align the points system as well as to resolve some unrelated bugs and add some very useful features.

The club Code of Conduct will be updated to formally publish details around the BRCCC points system.

While the system has not changed, it has never been fully detailed to members.

### **Classes for 2016**

The classes are unchanged from 2015. However, Formula 1 will return to 4 rounds of races.

Note that for 2016, the following will apply:

- In order to qualify for trophies within a class (per season), drivers must complete 10 or more meetings.
- In order to qualify for club champion points, you must compete in a class that is consistently comprised of 3 or more members. This is to level the playing field by preventing a situation where one driver consistently receives 150 points each meeting due to being the only member within the class.

### **2016 Race Calendar**

The 2016 race calendar has been published on our web site.

Season 1 qualifying is on January 20, 2016.

Round 1 is January 27, 2016

First committee meeting will be 7pm on Tuesday January 19 at the club rooms. All welcome.

Especially if you have suggestions for 2016.

Main events from other RC clubs are also being added to our calendar as details become available.

### **2016 Track selection**

Members have been looking at track options with a couple of ideas trialed. Two new layouts have been well received and will be used in 2016. The review of track layouts with members will continue. To open season 1, 2016 we will use the track layout from presentation night. This was very popular and hence has been adopted.

As with 2015, tracks will be published 1 week prior to end of month and each track will be used for one calendar month (there will be a degree of flexibility as new tracks are evaluated. Understand not all tracks will suit anti-clockwise and clockwise).

### **Christmas/New year Saturday Racing**

Council have approved Saturday racing. So we intended to open the track for informal Saturday afternoon/twilight racing. Advance notice will be SMS-ed to members as well as updates on our web site home page. Expect a BBQ on these evenings for good measure.

### **2016 Drivers Stand – Construction begins**

The BRCCC has been awarded a government grant to go towards the cost of building our new drivers stand. Sincere thanks go to Gary Logan who drove this project.

The BRCCC is very grateful for the planning assistance from Karl Withers and his company who will construct the new drivers stand which will also incorporate a new control room.

During the construction phase, the steps and 1<sup>st</sup> section of the old drivers stand will be demolished.

Rob Oberstar is providing temporary scaffolding (and steps) to allow access and racing from the old stand during the 8-week construction period. During the construction period the drivers stand will not be available to the public as security fencing will seal off the construction area.

As this newsletter goes to press, the BRCCC is working with Knox Council for the building permit. A planning permit is not required. We do not have any hurdles to jump, this is just a slow process as we are building on public land. The Council have and continue to be very supportive of this project. At this stage we anticipate construction to begin in March or April.

### **Finally**

On behalf of the committee I would like to wish all of our members and their families a very happy and safe festive season. Take care on the roads and look forward to seeing you all for qualifying in January.

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to all.

Cheers,

David Huggan  
BRCCC President