

# **Trials Club of Canberra Inc. Newsletter**

## **February 2011**

**MEMBERSHIPS ARE NOW UP FOR RENEWAL**

**MAKE SURE YOU GET IT DONE BEFORE THE FIRST CLUB DAY**

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## 2011 TCC Committee

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### TCC Calendar for 2011 – Please note without officials these events will not go ahead!

Date	Event and Location	Organiser	Steward	Clerk of Course	Race Secretary	Scrutineer
6 March	<b>TCC Rd 1 Kydra River</b>	David Wicks	Bob Tindall	David Bingley	Dawn Bartlett	Bob Tindall
26 & 27 March	<i>NSW Rd 1 'Masters Shield' Murringo</i>	Trevor Bennett	Peter Mowat(?)	Dennis Walker	Trevor Bennett	TBA
15 May	<i>TCC Rd 2 TBA</i>					
3 July	<i>Women's Cup</i>	Trevor Bennett				
24 July	<i>TCC Rd 3 TBA</i>					
14 Aug	<i>TCC Rd 4 TBA</i>					
4 Sept	<i>TCC Rd 5 TBA</i>					
30 Oct	<i>TCC Fun Day TBA</i>					

The Club is looking for members to take on the role of organiser for our club events. These people do not need to be officials. Yes, we need Officials to put up their hands for their availability as well. It would be great to venture forth into new properties again this year (Thanks Bev for finding "Road's End" last year). Please contact David Ault if you assist the Club in one of these roles

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## TCC Round 1

G'day all! Here we go again. The first event on the TCC calendar is fast approaching and it's time to kick the huntsman's out of the kit bag and see if the old trusty steed can be awoken from its summer slumber and coaxed back into life. I hope everyone is more prepared for the new season than I am.

Negotiations to secure the Kydra River, Nimmitabel property for the first TCC club day on Sunday the 6<sup>th</sup> March have been completed with the new owners, Sam and Dave Booth, who are keen to eventually move to the property from the big smoke by the harbour. Long term supporters of TCC, the Adams Family, handed over the keys to the farm only very recently. Following on from Chris and Kim's representations, on our behalf of the club, the venue has been made available again for 2011.

I am coordinator for the event and I am seeking expressions of interest from our pool of accredited key officials to nominate for the day as soon as possible! (These Key Officials positions have now been filled – Thanks to Bob Tindall, David Bingley and Dawn Bartlett -David Ault).

We will also need some enthusiastic helpers on Saturday to arrange some red and yellow splitters to keep the stars entertained. So give me a call on 64546320 if you can attend.

Approval for on-site camping has been given, however if you wish to stay at the salubrious Nimmitabel Motel give Chris or Bonnie Cooper a ring on 64546387 and book a room.

Keep your feet up and I'll see you soon,

My humble presidency continues, David Wicks.

**When:** Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> March

**Where:** Kydra River, Nimmitabel

**Start Time:** 10:00am

**Entry Fees:** Senior \$25

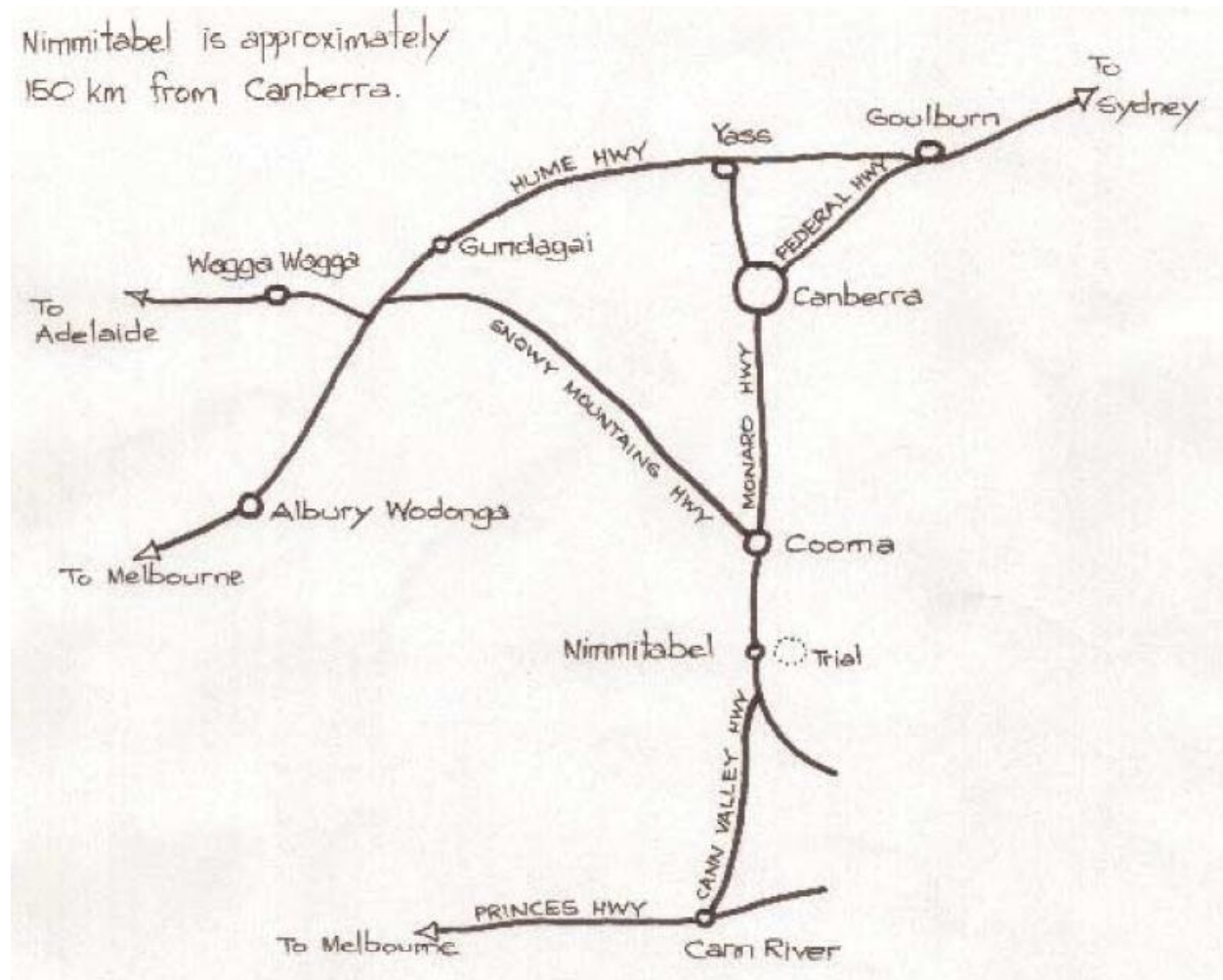
Junior \$15

Family \$30 (one senior and any number of dependent juniors)

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- You must be a financial member of the club in order to participate. Renew or join NOW!
- Please make sure you are there with plenty of time to sign on.
- Don't forget your licence, and Juniors, don't forget your log book.
- Logbook/Licence Declaration forms will be available on the day. Cost is \$45 non refundable
- One Event Licence's will be available on the day. If you need one get there early. Cost is \$50
- Camping on the Saturday night is permitted
- No animals (guide dogs excepted)

## Nimmitabel Trial Location Map – definitely not to scale!



Turn left onto Kybeyan Road at the General Store which is about 50 metres before you get to the Bakery. Follow this in a North Easterly direction until you turn left to stay on Kybeyan Road about 4km from town. We are exactly 12km from town on the right hand side from which you will see the new majestic "Lake Christoff." Look out for the cream can with 736 and 738 written on it. You can see the trial site across the lake and up on the hill near the machinery shed.

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## Howard Wallace Masters Shield 2 Day Open

Our first Open Trial for 2011 will be held on the 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> of March and will be Round One of the 2011 NSW Trials Championships.

Peter Mowat has secured us the Glenton Villa venue where we conducted our successful Two Day Open Trial last year.

Many of us, and many of the competitors, chose to stay in Young on the Saturday night. There's a variety of accommodation there, but don't leave your booking too late. Boorowa and Cowra are also close enough to stay as well:

- Boorowa 29km from Murringo
- Young 26km from Murringo
- Cowra 60km from Murringo

Supp Regs have been approved and will be circulated in the next fortnight.

The Murringo P&C are providing their excellent catering again, including breakfast barbecue.

Observers will be required for both days. If you can assist by Observing yourself, or providing someone else, on either day please let me know on 02 6292 3140. You'll need to be at the venue by 9.30am. Just remember Observers are the key to the success of any Trial. As an Observer you interact with all of the competitors, and you really are part of the event.

## **Glenmaggie Easter 2 Day Trial**

Oakleigh MCCs Easter Two Day is a great way to spend the long weekend. The trip is made easier by having Good Friday and Easter Monday on which to travel (and the Tuesday this year! Love a 5 day weekend - Wendy). This is a very relaxed Open Trial in south east Victoria. Many TCC members make the trip, generally travelling down through Cooma, Nimmitabel, Bombala, Cann River and Lakes Entrance.

Sections are generally easy for the lower grades and the trial has a very social atmosphere.

There are a group of Trials riders who regularly stay at Broadbents Motor Inn at Heyfield, although many choose to camp on site.

Entry Forms are posted on the Trials Australia website. Please feel free to give me a call for further details.

## **Tasmanian Moto Trials Championships**

A Two Day Trial on March 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> that attracts an increasing number of mainland competitors.

This is definitely a long trip which usually involving the Melbourne to Davenport ferry, (unless you have a bike like Hagrid which can fly. If you don't get the reference you don't read enough Harry Potter! – Wendy)

Open to all Trials riders.

It was a lot of fun in 2009 and I'm looking forward to this year's event. Entry Forms and further information is available on the Trials Australia website.

Trevor Bennett

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Senior Riding \$40

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