



# Melbourne Mini Sprinter Club Newsletter – February 2006

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### Important Things to Remember

Not many sleeps now until the **Victorian Title** at the Portland **Southern 500 Speedway** on the **11 February 2006**. Hope everyone got their nominations in on time.

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### Rosedale Open Wheel Night

A night of all open wheel racing will be held at the Rosedale Speedway on **18 February 2006**. The racing will include Compact Speedcars, VSC Sportsman, Limited Sportsman and of course our mighty Minisprints. Nominations to Jenny Saunders on 5174 1439, no later than **8.30pm** on the **13 February 2006**.

Keep in mind that this date is also the rainout date for the Victorian Title.

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### Statewide Crane Logistics – Brobo Waldown Super Series Bairnsdale - Round 5 Report by Sally Blackney

The Statewide Crane Logistics Brobo Waldown Super Series headed down to the Bairnsdale Speedway. The action had started for some before reaching the track. The Pink Panther (Warrick 69) suffering the loss of his tow vehicle, having to hitchhike with his racecar. Kris Keir had a flat tyre in the heat on her trailer, after only driving about 8 hours on her trek from Mildura. 14 cars reached the track on time for hot laps on the nice and warm sunny day.

**Heat 1A** 1st Gary Blackney (24)  
2nd Stuart Ferguson (68)  
3rd Jason Andreatta (37)  
4th Derek Ramsay (7)  
5th Craig Oliver (76)

Jason Andreatta back showing some of last years form.

**Heat 1B** 1st Warrick Taylor (69)  
2nd Scooter Carlile (V2)  
3rd Stan Brown (23)  
4th Darren Painter (46)  
5th Russell Harrison (26)

The early dramas for Warrick Taylor not affecting his racing but Danny Milton (21) finished for the night with engine problems.

**Heat 2A** 1st Darren Painter (46)  
2nd Scooter Carlile (v2)  
3rd Stan Brown (23)  
4th Warrick Taylor (69)  
5th Russell Harrison (26)

Darren Painter finished first after spinning in his first heat and finishing up the back.

**Heat 2B** 1st Gary Blackney (24)  
2nd Stuart Ferguson (68)  
3rd Jason Andreatta (37)  
4th Derek Ramsay (7)  
5th Kris Keir (47)

Great to see Kris Keir up the order, even after her long drive.

The **pole shuffle** generated some positional changes, Jason Andreatta moving up 3 places and Gary Blackney back 1 after being out driven by Dave Carlile.

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### The Final.

We started with 13 cars. Half of Danny Miltons retired 21 car was on his brother Chris's which improved his result. The first stoppage was caused by Warrick Taylor messing with the wall and Craig Oliver making contact with a slowing car which saw them both transported to the infield. On the second restart Scooter caught Gary sleeping, but was deemed to have jumped the start, while Stuart had a minor altercation

with the concrete wall and he had to be a spectator on the infield with a deflated front tyre. On the 3rd restart Gary got the early jump and lead till the end of the race. The drive of the night went to Chris Milton who came from last to finish a strong fourth. (Welldone Chris, finishing 2 heats and a final in one night)

1st Gary Blackney (24)  
2nd Darren Painter (46)  
3rd Jason Andreatta (37)  
4th Chris Milton (11)  
5th Dave Carlile (V2)  
6th Derek Ramsay (7)  
7th Stan Brown (23)  
8th Murray Miles (63)  
9th Russell Harrison (26)  
10th Kris Keir (47)

The first 5 cars to finish and 2 randomly selected were all weighed after the final, no cars were under weight (even after all the weight the drivers lost in the heat)

Remember, to catch the latest news and results check out our website

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### SCL – Brobo Waldown Super Series 05/06 Gross Points Score after 5 Rounds

Gary Blackney	839pts
Stan Brown	654pts
Dave Carlile	638pts
Darren Painter	638pts
Jason Andreatta	596pts
Craig Oliver	595pts
Murray Miles	579pts
Derek Ramsay	553pts
Russell Harrison	533pts
Stuart Ferguson	524pts
Kristine Keir	509pts
Chris Milton	358pts
Warrick Taylor	293pts
Wayne Moule	237pts
Ryan McKenna	160pts
Paul Crouch	134pts
Barry Mills	118pts
Andrew O'Connell	108pts
Wayne Moule	102pts
Lawrence Doll	90pts
Andrew O'Rourke	73pts
Danny Milton	55pts
Wade McCarthy	50pts

## Mildura Mallee Shield – Timmis Speedway

Why not spend Easter in sunny Mildura and join our northern cousins in contesting the annual **Mallee Shield**. If the holiday atmosphere is not enough, how about **\$1500** in prize money and also trophies. The Knoxville Nationals for 360 Sprintcars shares the same program. The battle for the **Mallee Shield** is to be held on **April 14 & 16 2006**, no nomination fees req'd. Please forward nominations to Peter McCarthy on 03 5023 2349.

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### Scrutineer Watch - Engines

All engines to be built using mass production blocks up to 1200cc maximum OEM capacity, engine may then be reworked to a maximum of 1240cc capacity including wear.

No more than 4 cylinders permitted, to be four-stroke piston type.

The cylinder head shall contain a maximum of 2 valves per cylinder.

A maximum of one carburetor venturi per cylinder is permitted. Supercharging, fuel injection or forced induction is not allowed.

If rubber engine mounts are used, a wire cable or chain restraint must be fitted of approximately 5mm size.

The rear of the engine block must be positioned forward of the centre point of the two axle centres.

All front mounted cooling systems must remain under the car's bonnet and incorporate either a pressure release tap or approved pressure release cap to the top tank of the radiator, to direct contents towards the ground. All hoses to be canvas or nylon reinforced.

The use of Water injection equipment for any other purpose is not permitted.

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### Victorian State Title Calcutta Night Results

The **State Title Calcutta Night** resulted in frenzied bidding for the more favoured drivers and of course the roughies. The punter whose driver wins the coveted #1 stands to take out a whopping \$832 (\$166 for last) in cash prize money. See below for all the final biddings.

Car & Driver	Punter	Bid
V1 Ryan McKenna	Dean Parsons	\$260
V2 Dave Carlile	Bernie Taylor	\$60
7 Derek Ramsay	Jason Andreatta	\$60
11 Chris Milton	Chris Milton	\$55
13 Kevin Bailey	Bailey Girls	\$100
16 Wayne Moule	Stuart Ferguson	\$50
21 Danny Milton	Chris Milton	\$30
23 Stan Brown	Chris Milton	\$25
24 Gary Blackney	Sharni Blackney	\$200
26 Russell Harrison	Kevin Bailey	\$65
37 Jason Andreatta	Jason Andreatta	\$60
44 Andrew O'Rouke	Darren Painter	\$25
46 Darren Painter	Brian Painter	\$130
47 Kristine Keir	Russell Harrison	\$65
63 Mal McKenna	Dean Parsons	\$41
65 Wade McCarthy	Laura Bailey	\$25
68 Stuart Ferguson	Stuart Ferguson	\$105
69 Warrick Taylor	Bernie Taylor	\$70
73 Dean Parsons	Matt Parsons	\$80
76 Craig Oliver	Dean Michael	\$126
81 Paul Crouch	Dean Parsons	\$33



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### From the VSC Rulebook – State Titles

No new driver (a person who has never raced or has not competed in the previous 5 years) is eligible to compete in a state title. The previous years champion shall be allowed to defend the Title but must compete in the heats. However if the champion fails to qualify by this means, a Rear of Field start is permitted in their own, or a substitute car.

## Classifieds

### Cheetah Spares

New & used tyres now available  
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New tail tank and lid - \$395  
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### V19 Minisprint For Sale

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### Minisprint Parts For Sale

Volvo gearbox with Datsun bell housing  
Weber carbies (methanol) & Datsun manifold.  
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Top wing, assorted panels, tyres, rims, spares and accessories **\$POA**  
Contact Gary Doig 0402 488 036

### For Sale

Standard Honda EB1 engine with gearbox, drive shaft, clutch, flywheel and starter motor.  
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