

CELEBRATING MOTOR RACING HISTORY
TASMAN REVIVAL

EASTERN CREEK INTERNATIONAL RACEWAY | NOVEMBER 23, 24 & 25 2012

June 2012

Dear Competitor,

Following the great successes of 2006, 2008, and 2010 the **Historic Sports & Racing Car Association of NSW** will promote the fourth **Tasman Revival Historic Race Meeting on November 23rd 24th and 25th 2012** and we would very much like you to join us. Once again it will be a three day race meeting with private practice available (at extra cost) on the preceding Thursday.

The Tasman Revival celebrates the Golden Age of Australian motor sport. In the 1960s Australia had its own triple World Champion, (Sir) Jack Brabham, and every summer all the top F1 teams would send their best cars and drivers 'down under' for a series of race meetings held here and in New Zealand. The Tasman Championship continued into the 1970s when Formula 5000 was the main attraction.

The popularity of the series for local competitors was obvious but the appeal to international competitors was just as great. Drivers and their teams were trading the European winter for the warmth of summer in the southern hemisphere. While the racing was very competitive, there was not the pressure of the World Championship and the more relaxed atmosphere was apparent to everyone, from drivers to spectators.

If you have been with us at the previous promotions of the Tasman Revival you will have enjoyed the relaxed atmosphere, the weather (sometimes hot, sometimes wet) and the friendly reception the Tasman was famous for. Tasman Revivals in 2006, 2008, and 2010 have attracted enthusiastic participants from the UK, USA, New Zealand, Japan and from all over Australia, and we are expecting increased support once again.

As an added attraction this year we plan to include a race for 1960s British and European Grand Prix type historic motorcycles. Entries are expected from most states of Australia as well as New Zealand and the UK.

A new internet-based system is now available to make entering motorsport events faster, more efficient and more user-friendly, by removing the need to manually fill out an entry form every time you enter an event. It has been trialled at previous HSRCA events this year and has proved to be a great benefit to all. The system is secure, password protected and free and has been developed by a regular competitor at historic meetings. You need only enter your personal details, car information and team, **ONCE**. These details are stored and made available to you each time you enter a new event. You can update your information easily and quickly whenever necessary. Event organisers can add forthcoming events to the website and notify you via email (such as this one) when entries open.

To enter the **2012 Tasman Revival Meeting**,

- click this link www.motorevententry.org or type it in your browser,
- if you are new to the system, click 'Create an account' and follow the prompts – wait for a confirmation email in your normal email, then go back to the MotorEventEntry website,
- log on to the system using your MotorEventEntry ID and password,
- go to 'Toolkit' and fill in your details, cars and team,
- click 'Upcoming Events', view the Tasman Revival Meeting and then click 'Enter Event'. You can pay by direct debit, cheque or credit card. If you pay on-line by credit card (via Paypal) the usual 3% fee will be waived.



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Once you have created your account and entered your information, you need only log on to enter another event and do the last step. If you choose not to use this system you can find a complete entry package on the Tasman Revival website. www.tasmanrevival.com . Click on *event information* and then *entry information*. Failing that you can contact the HSRCA and a complete entry package will be mailed to you.

This year owing to a reduction in available space in the garages and paddock areas we have decided to mark-out numbered spaces on the skid pan area for use by those who choose to locate there. The spaces will be 10m x 3m in size and previous use of this procedure has shown that you can easily fit your race car and support vehicle in this space. We ask that you consider your fellow competitor when setting up. **If you believe you need a larger area than 10m x 3m you will need to contact the organisers to discuss size, extra charges and availability.**

Please ensure you read the supplementary regulations for the Tasman Revival meeting. You are expected to have read these prior to completing your entry form and there is some important information specific to this event in them. A link to them can be found at the Motor Event Entry site or you can go direct to the Tasman Revival web site ... www.tasmanrevival.com Go to event information and then entry information.

And finally, when completing the entry form please ensure your current email address is correct.

Thanks for your support and we look forward to seeing you in November.

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