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THE GRIDIRON RALLY

Kendall Parker and George Patteson, O. D. s. Starts at River Road Shopping Center, Rt. 117 and River Road, with the first car off at 1:00 P. M. The O. D. s promise an interesting, TSD type event. \$2.00/\$3.00 per car. Come early and get a low number.



OTHER NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER EVENTS

- Nov. 16.....VMSC Meeting at the Branch House - 8:00 P.M. NOMINATIONS MEETING.
- Nov. 18.....SCCA Regionals at Marlboro Speedway
- Dec. 3.....PMSC Rally-John Saunders, O.D.
- Dec. 10.....SEVSCO Championship Event - GEM parking lot off Petersburg Pike .
The gymkhana section is at 9:00 A.M., by Don Cully. Cecil Wright will head up the rally section at 12:00 Noon. Entry will be closed, but you can come out and support the club with Bronx Cheers.
- Dec. 14.....VMSC Meeting at the Branch House. (Note-2nd Thursday) ELECTION MEETING.
- Dec. 17.....VMSC Rally, from Azalea-Brock hill at 12:30. Two classes, navigating and SOP. George Winfree and Randy Cournow.
- Dec. 17.....PMSC Rally-Bob Kennedy, O. D.



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EDITORIAL

First, I refuse to say anything at all about the Old Dominion, except that it was the best ever, in my opinion. To describe it fully would take too much space, so if you're interested in more than the results, which appear below, just ask one of the participants.

Also, I'd like to echo the sentiments of Bob Bowes concerning the Monte Carlo control on the Halloween Rally. Bill and Laretta have found the perfect spot for one of these, as the final control on a night rally. I hope future O.D.'s pick up the idea.

Referring to the event schedule, please note that the December meeting has been moved to the 2nd Thursday. This is for this year only, because of Christmas weekend. The board meeting will also be a week early.

Finally, let me draw your attention to two items in this issue which are deserving of your notice; the proposed amendment to the bylaws, which is going to need your vote, and the Social Committees questionnaire dealing with the awards banquet. Please fill out the form and come to the meeting. Make your opinions known, it allows you to gripe later with a clear conscience.

Wiltshire

1967 Old Dominion Rally - SEVSCO

VMSC	Overall	Driver	Navigator
1	2	Ann Greenwood	Wilt Greenwood
2	3	Brad Peaseley	Hart Grundy
3	5	Laretta Dixon	Bill Dixon
4	7	Bill Whitehead	Cecil Wright
5	8	Kathleen Edwards	Chuck Edwards
6	9	Caryl Hatch	Dick Hatch
7	13	Nancy Winfree	George Winfree
8	19	Doug Deaton	Suzanne Talmage
9	22	Edith Wright	Jackie Whitehead
10	27	Chris Young	Russ Wilkinson (DLBF-Stopwatcher Trophy)
11	28	Bob Bowes	John Chehaske

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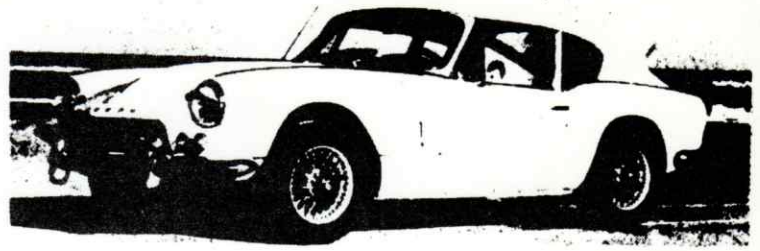
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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO BYLAWS

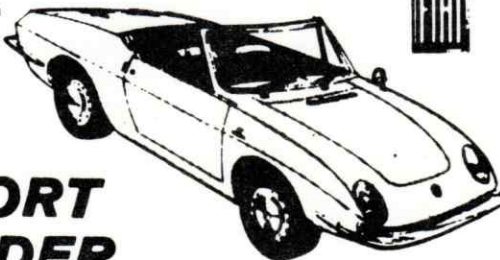
The Board of Directors of Virginia Motor Sport Club proposes the following amendments to the VMSC Bylaws:

1. Annual dues shall be \$8.00 for an individual membership and \$10.00 for a family membership and shall be payable on or before January 1.
2. Initiation fee of \$10.00 will be charged for all new members and any members 30 days in arrears.

Presently, dues are \$5.00 and \$8.00 for individual and family memberships respectively, and the initiation fee is \$5.00.

These amendments will be presented for adoption at the regular monthly meeting in December. An affirmative vote of a majority of members present is necessary for adoption.

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To: All members of VMSC
From: Social committee
Subject: Annual Awards Banquet

As you are aware the Annual Awards Banquet will again be held in January. Since this is our major social function of the year the social committee is anxious to insure that it will be a resounding success. We earnestly solicit that you give frank and sincere answers to the questions listed below and return it at the earliest possible date.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Historically, the Awards Banquet has been held on a Saturday night in January, roughly three weeks after Christmas. In the past, the cost has been in the neighborhood of \$5.00 to \$6.00 per person. The club has always had a loss on this affair which approximates \$1.50 to \$2.00 per person. These figures do not include year-end trophies which run approximately \$150.00 to \$200.00.

In view of the above facts, what are your answers to the following?

I am an active member of VMSC _____ YES _____ NO

I plan to attend the annual awards banquet _____ YES _____ NO

If the answer to the above question is YES,

I would be willing to pay \$ _____ per person to attend.

I would like a _____ POOR _____ GOOD _____ BETTER dinner.

I would like a _____ POOR _____ GOOD _____ BETTER band.

I would like a _____ POOR _____ GOOD _____ BETTER ball/dinner room.

I _____ WOULD _____ WOULD NOT like for VMSC to furnish cocktails.

Please compute the following:

ADD: Dinner 75 @ 3.75 is	\$281.25
Trophies	125.00
Band	125.00
Liquor	75.00

Divided by 75 equals:

Please return this whole sheet to 2012 Stuart Avenue, Richmond, Virginia 23220. You are requested to sign this sheet, but you may remain anonymous if you wish. Thank you.

Signed _____

NOTE***NOTE If this sheet is mailed after November 29, 1967, please mail to 3312 W. Franklin Street, Richmond, Virginia 23221.

HALLOWEEN RALLY

On the weekend of October 28-29, the sports car clubs of southeastern Virginia held the two-day Old Dominion. As all VMSC members were aware, this event was a warm-up for the Halloween rally held the following Saturday night. We blew the warm-up, but arrived at Willow Lawn rested, repaired, and eager, resplendent and confident with two brand-new shot peened BMC BTA 006 axles. Although leaving the start with some misgivings, we discovered that the Dixon's had succeeded as none had before in coming up with a night rally that was straightforward and enjoyable and at the same time was a good test of rallying skills. Having formulated Bowes' First Law of Rallying the weekend before (the driver hasn't missed seeing any signs), we ran through the course without too many tense moments, albeit arriving a tad squinty-eyed from looking at one-eyed pumpkins while joggling along at 40 mph. The Monte Carlo control at the end was beautiful--it was probably the first time in history that a navigator counted his driver into a checkpoint using long division.

Properly, a rally with a Monte Carlo control should have special sections, and, being proper, this rally did. The first special section was hopping through the tires but not touching any. Everybody has to blow something on a rally. The intrepid navigator redeemed the team by setting an absolute world record for the most bites out of an apple hanging on a string in forty-five seconds with no hands. We were relieved to find that we didn't have to bob for any apples in the brisk weather we had that night.

Anyway, it was a helluva good event. Organizers of after-the-meeting night rallies for next summer should take note.

Bob Bowes & John Chehaske

		UNMANNED	MONTE	CANDY	APPLES	TIRES	COSMETIC	TOTAL
1	Bob Bowes-John Chehaske	4	0	1	4	2	.5	-4
2	Brad Peasley-Hart Grundy	5	0	3	1	3		-2
3	Ann & Wiltshire Greenwood	3	0	2		2.5		-1.5
4	Heggie Williams-J. Bergeron	3	3	2		3	1	0
5	Bill & Jackie Whitehead	14	0	1		2.5	.5	10
6	Al & Gail Carr	19	0			1.5		17.5
7	Kenneth Hicks-Gary Wood	9	16	4		2		19
8	Michael & Kathleen Leeper	13	16	2		3		24
9	Caryl & Dick Hatch	35	14			1.5		45
10	Neal Dickenson-Judy Custer	40	24	2	3	2		57
11	John & Maria Ruble	2	58					60
12	Henry & Karin Wheeler	79	4	2		3	.5	74.5
13	Miles & Brenda Turner	86	4	4		3	.5	82.5
14	Jud Brooks-Jenny Karany	96	3			2		97
15	Jerry Adolph-Chris Shnell	153	5	4		.5	.5	153
16	John Eberhard-Don Findley	164	1			1.5		163.5
17	Hugh McDaniel-Faye Adams	259	1					260
18	Tom, Jr. & Tom Gullette, Sr.	385	20	5		2.5		397.5
19	Chris Young-Bruce Every	371	39				.5	409.5
20	Nancy & George Winfree	608	1	4	2			603
21	Cecil & Edith Wright	1171	0	6		1.5		1163.5
22	Bob McElroy-Judy Mundy	5858	11	2		2.5		5864.5
23	Bernie Windham-Sandra Duncan							DNF
	Maylon Pearmon-Ben Showalter							DNF
	Dan & Karen Snyder							DNF
	Kennie Knight-Ronnie Edwards							DNF
	Harvey Wilson-Pam Thompson							DNF

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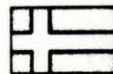
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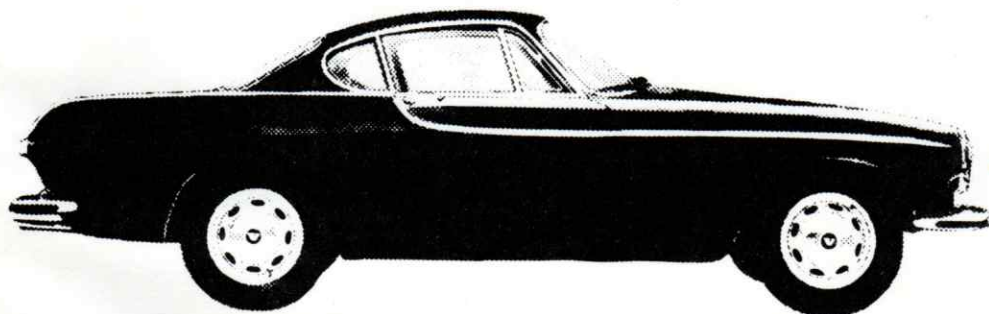
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