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- MARCH 19: VMSC Monthly Meeting
- MARCH 21: VMSC Rally OD'd by Scott Powell and Neale Dickinson. See flyer inside.
- MARCH 29: VMSC Autocross OD'd by Richard West and Bill Lloyd. See flyer inside.
- APRIL 2: VMSC Board Meeting at the home of Bill and Carla Gilchrist.
- APRIL 12: VMSC A&W Autocross OD'd by Sue and John Adams and Ruth and Toby Williams. See flyer inside.
- APRIL 16: VMSC Monthly Meeting
- APRIL 25: VMSC "Another Rally" OD'd by Warren and Christie Beam and Bill Hunter and Gary Stout. See flyer inside.

The following change to the Competition Regulations was adopted by the board at the March board meeting.

### RALLY OF THE YEAR

- 6.0 A. A Rally of the Year Award will be presented annually to the rallymaster(s) whose event was recognized as displaying excellence in purpose, planning, and execution.
- B. ELIGIBILITY: All VMSC-sanctioned TSD rallies conducted during the calendar year shall be eligible. Club members who have participated as contestants in at least 40% of these events shall determine the winner of the award by ballot. Only those ballots which rank all rallies run will be considered valid.
- C. SELECTION: Eligible members will vote by ranking, in order of preference, all rallies in which they competed. The first selection will receive a score equivalent to the number of rallies run by the member, the second choice a score of one less, the third, two less, etc. For example, a contestant running 5 of 8 rallies will assign a score of 5 points to his first choice, 4 to his second, etc. The scores thereby assigned will be summed for each rally. The highest total score will determine the Rally of the Year.
- D. ADMINISTRATION: The chairman of the Competition Committee shall designate one member of the committee to conduct the voting. That member shall distribute, collect and tabulate the ballots and then forward the results to the Secretary. A second committee member will also be appointed to audit the results.

The person in charge of the voting shall, in cooperation with the club Secretary, determine those members qualified to vote and provide each with a ballot indicating the rallies in which they participated. To be considered valid, the ballot must be signed by the member.

All ballots will be distributed at the December meeting. Those absent will be mailed ballots on the following day. To count toward the selection, completed ballots must be in the hands of the person conducting the voting on or before December 31. Results shall be calculated and forwarded no later than January 4.

#### \*NEW MEMBER\*

Did you hear the one about the traveling salesman? Well, it seems this salesman from Williamsburg had nothing better to do with \$40.00 than give it to VMSC.....

Seriously, we welcome Clarence Beach to the club. He is a salesman for Miles Pharmaceuticals, owns a '66 Lotus Elan, and has interests in Autocrossing, Racing and tinkering. Also a member of SCCA, Clarence lives at 156 Nina Lane, Williamsburg, Virginia, and his phone number is 564-9459. Welcome!!

A LETTER FROM YOUR ELECTED BOSS

AS 1987 BEGINS, I AM EXCITED ABOUT STARTING A NEW YEAR OF EVENTS WITH THE CLUB. I AM EVEN MORE EXCITED ABOUT BEING YOUR PRESIDENT FOR THIS YEAR. TO THOSE OF YOU WHOM I DIDN'T SEE AT THE BANQUET (SHAME SHAME), OR AT THE JANUARY GENERAL MEETING (SHAME SHAME SHAME), I WOULD LIKE TO THANK-YOU FOR GIVING ME THIS OPPORTUNITY.

AS YOU NOTICED IN THE JANUARY CHECKPOINTS, YOUR BOARD OF DIRECTORS WAS LISTED FOR YOUR INFORMATION, AND MOST IMPORTANTLY TO LET YOU KNOW WHO IS DOING WHAT! SO BE SURE TO CONTACT THE CORRECT PERSON SHOULD YOU NEED SOMETHING, OR YOU CAN CALL ME (YOU CAN CALL ME FOR MOST ANYTHING, EXCEPT LATE FOR SUPPER).

I HAVE GREAT EXPECTATIONS FOR THIS YEAR. I HOPE THAT THIS YEAR WILL BE ONE TO REMEMBER IN THE LIFE OF OUR CLUB (ONE TO REMEMBER DUE TO POSITIVE THINGS I HOPE, BUT IF NOT, ONE TO REMEMBER THE DUMB THINGS TRIED). MY EXPECTATIONS STEM FROM OUR PROMISING SCHEDULE OF EVENTS, SPONSORSHIP FROM OUR BUSINESS SUPPORTERS, AND THE NUMBER OF "NEW BLOOD" MEMBERS WE HAVE ON THE BOARD AND PUTTING ON EVENTS.

I ENCOURAGE YOUR SUGGESTIONS FOR IMPROVEMENT THROUGHOUT THE YEAR. I CAN'T PROMISE EVERYTHING WILL BE SOLVED (LIKE SOME POLITICIANS), BUT I CAN PROMISE AN OPEN EAR TO LISTEN, AND AN HONEST TRY TO MAKE GOOD ON YOUR SUGGESTION.

SEE YA AT AN EVENT,



JOHN ADAMS, '87 PRESIDENT

VMSC CHECKING ACCOUNT BALANCE  
Presented March 5, 1987

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CHECKING ACCOUNT:

Beginning Balance  
Receipts \*  
Expenditures  
Ending Balance

THIS  
MONTH

\$ 742.13  
0.00  
341.30  
400.83



Saturday April 25, 1987

Presents

**A**IN'T  
**N**O TRAPS  
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**Rally**

- \* A TRAP-FREE TSD RALLY WITH EMPHASIS ON THE SOCIAL ASPECTS OF RALLYING
- \* THE RALLY WILL FEATURE PASSAGE CONTROLS AND BRISK BUT NOT OPPRESSIVE SPEEDS
- \* THE START IS AT THE PARK AND RIDE JUST SOUTH OF I-64 (EXIT 47A) NEAR RICHMOND INTERNATIONAL (BYRD) AIRPORT
- \* REGISTRATION IS OPEN FROM 9:30 TO 10:15 A. M. FCO AT 10:31 A. M.
- \* ENTRY FEE IS \$8.00 PER TEAM
- \* THE RALLY WILL END AT THE CHAMBERLIN HOTEL IN FORT MONROE. YOU CAN SPEND THE NIGHT (THE CHAMBERLIN HAS A HEATED INDOOR SALTWATER SWIMMING POOL) OR RETURN HOME
- \* PRE-REGISTRATION AND INFORMATION FROM:

GARY	(804)288-0174
WARREN & CHRISTIE	(804)741-1630
BILL	(804)883-6557

**RALLYMASTERS :**

**WARREN and CHRISTIE BEAM**

**BILL HUNTER**

**GARY STOUT**

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# A/X Class changes for 1987

## STOCK

### C/STOCK

Honda CRX-SI  
Jensen Healy  
Porsche 914/2.0

### D/STOCK

Datsun 280ZX Turbo  
Datsun 300ZX Turbo  
Honda CRX 1500 (carb)  
Porsche 914 1.7 & 1.8  
Porsche 924S  
Porsche 944 (all)  
Volkswagen Scirocco 16V

### E/STOCK

Dodge Omni 2.2  
Dodge Omni GLH (non-turbo)  
Dodge Rampage 2.2  
Dodge Shelby Charger  
Ford EXP (turbo)  
Honda Civic S  
Honda Prelude SI  
Mitsubishi Mirage (turbo)  
Pontiac Fiero V6  
Toyota FX-16  
Toyota Celica (twin-cam FWD)  
Volkswagen Golf GTI  
Volkswagen Rabbit (all)  
Volkswagen Scirocco (not otherwise classed)

### F/STOCK

Chevrolet Corvette (1953-67)

### G/STOCK

Acura (all)  
Alfa Romeo Milano  
Datsun 280ZX  
Datsun 300ZX  
G.M. J-Body V6  
Porsche 924 (4 & 5 speed)  
Porsche 924 Turbo  
Saab SPG (16 valve, Turbo)  
Saab Sonnett III  
Volvo (turbo)

### H/STOCK

Audi (all)  
BMW 318  
BMW 320  
Chevrolet Chevette

H/STOCK (con'd.)

Fiat 850  
Ford Fiesta

STREET PREPARED

B/STREET PREPARED

Sunbeam Tiger (all)  
Toyota Supra (1982-85)  
Toyota Supra (1986 & later)

C/STREET PREPARED

Acura Integra  
Alfa Romeo Milano  
BMW 325E  
Datsun 280ZX  
Datsun 300ZX  
Jensen Healy  
Mazda 616  
Mazda 808, Mizer  
Mercury Capri 1600  
Nissan Maxima  
Porsche 914 1.7 & 1.8  
Porsche 924  
Toyota FX-16  
Volkswagen Scirocco (all)  
Volkswagen Scirocco 16V

D/STREET PREPARED

Acura Legend  
Alfa Romeo 1750 & 2000 Sedans  
Audi 10CLS (all)  
Audi Fox, 4000 4-cylinder (all)  
Audi 4000 5-cylinder (all)  
Audi 5000  
Austin Healy 100-4, 100-6, 3000 (all)  
BMW 320i, 318i (all)  
Datsun 810  
Datsun 200SX (1976-79)  
Datsun 200SX (1980-83)  
Datsun 200SX, 200SX Turbo (1984 on)  
Datsun 1200 (all)  
Fiat Brava and 131 (all)  
Fiat 1200 and 1500 (all)  
Honda Civic 1200 (1973-79)  
Isuzu Impulse (non-turbo)  
Lancia Beta, Zagato (1975-83)  
Mazda RX 4  
Mazda Cosmo  
Mazda R-100  
MG-A (all)  
MG-C, C-GT (all)

D/STREET PREPARED (con'd.)

Opel Kadett 1500, 1900 (all)  
Opel 1900, Manta (all)  
Opel GT 1500, 1900 (all)  
Plymouth Horizon, TC3, Turismo, (2.2)  
Pontiac Fiero 2.5 (all)  
Renault 17 Gordini  
Renault Fuego (turbo)  
Saab 99, 99ems, 99 turbo (all)  
Saab 900, 900 Turbo (all)  
Saab 9000  
Saab SFG (16V, Turbo)  
Sunbeam Alpine (all)  
Subaru 4WD Turbo (all)  
Toyota Camry  
Toyota Corolla 1600, 1800 RWD (1980-83)  
Toyota Corolla FWD (1984 on)  
Triumph TR-2, TR-3 (all)  
Triumph TR-4, TR-4A (all)  
Triumph TR-250, TR-5, TR-6 (all)  
Triumph TR-7 (all)  
Volkswagen Dasher, Quantum (all 4-cylinder)  
Volvo 1800, P1800, ES1800 (all)  
Volvo 240 Series Turbo (all)  
Volvo 700 Series (all)

## EXCUSE US!

Our apologies to MONT Linkenauger who was identified  
as Mort a total of 4 times in our last issue  
What do you expect from the editor (and CO-OD of the March  
autocross) who can't type his own phone number??

THOUGHTS - or Lack there of.

Our compliments to the people responsible for showing the video of the Firestone Firehawk Series of races at he last club meeting. Our club needs entertainment at the monthly meetings to keep people interested in coming to them. We hope to see a lot more entertainment presented this year. Perhaps we should ask Joe Kelly back to talk to us about the mini-stock series at Southside Speedway.

Due to the inclement weather in January and February, March and April promise to be two very busy months for VMSC members. At least we can be thankful nice weather has set in.

The editors of Checkpoints would like to encourage all members to submit articles to be included in YOUR magazine. Articles need to be sent to the editors by the first of each month or brought to the monthly board meeting.

Anybody who wants to sell something can place an advertisement in our small but hopefully growing classified section. Free to members. Did I say small? How about currently non-existent.

Hey Bill, Do you remember your phone number, now?

If you need any special handling as far as wheels, tires, etc. contact the manager of the Firestone Performance Pro Shop at Cloverleaf Mall.

Bill Gilchrist and Overbaugh Racing are scheduled to run in the Twelve Hours of Sebring March 21. We will try to give you a report from the race next month.

EXTRA EXTRA EXTRA Run the February, I mean March, Fling rally. The rally will prove to be an interesting event. Be forewarned, You must keep your mind on what you are doing.

Dale Earnhardt looks like he is Going to be hard to beat in NASCAR this year. Ole Ironhead has won two in a row.

Signing off for now,

*Lerry*



**VMSC PRESENTS:**

# **THE A & W AUTOCROSS**

**APRIL 12, 1987**

**AJD PARKING LOT, CASTLEWOOD RD. OFF JEFF. DAVIS HWY.**

**\$8.00 FOR 3 RUNS**

**TECH AND REGISTRATION OPENS AT 9:30AM  
10 CAR HEATS, 1ST HEAT STARTS AT 10:00AM**

***\*EXHAUST SUPPRESSION RIGIDILY ENFORCED OF 106Db AT 25 FEET\****

**1987 SCCA SOLO II CLASSING**

**PRE-REGISTRATION AND INFO:  
SUE ADMAS (804)730-9157**

**OD'S: SUE & JOHN ADAMS  
RUTH & TOBY WILLIAMS**

**NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ALLOWED, BUT ROOT BEER WELCOMED !!**

VMSC PRESENTS THE  
~~FEBRUARY~~ <sup>MARCH</sup> FLING RALLY

Saturday, March 21, 1987

**WHEN:** REGISTRATION 12:00 PM TO 12:45 PM,  
FIRST CAR OFF 1:01 PM.

**WHERE:** TUCKAHOE VILLAGE SHOPPING CENTER ON  
PATTERSON AVE. (ROUTE 6) APPROX 4 MILES  
WEST OF PARHAM ROAD.

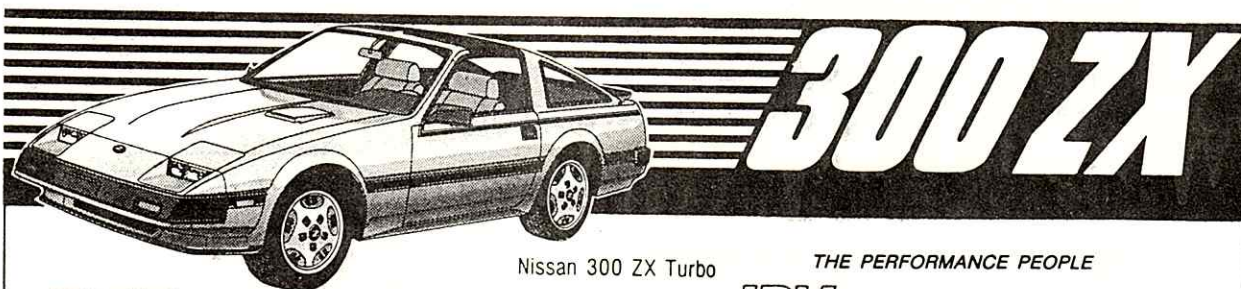
**COST:** \$8.00 FOR ANY CAR CONTAINING A VMSC  
MEMBER, \$10.00 FOR ANY CAR CONTAINING  
NO VMSC MEMBERS.

**CONCEPT:** AN EASY TSD RALLY OF MODERATE LENGTH  
DESIGNED TO BE FUN FOR THE EXPERIENCED  
AND EDUCATIONAL FOR THE NOVICE. NO MORE  
THAN ONE VMSC MEMBER WILL BE ALLOWED  
PER CAR.

**PARTY:** THERE WILL BE AN AFTER RALLY PARTY AT  
THE HOME OF SCOTT POWELL, 108 WILLWAY  
DR. MANAKIN-SABOT, VA. BYOB.

**PREREGISTER TO:** H. NEALE DICKINSON, JR.  
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**PRE-CHECKS:** GERRY AND SANDY EBERHARD.



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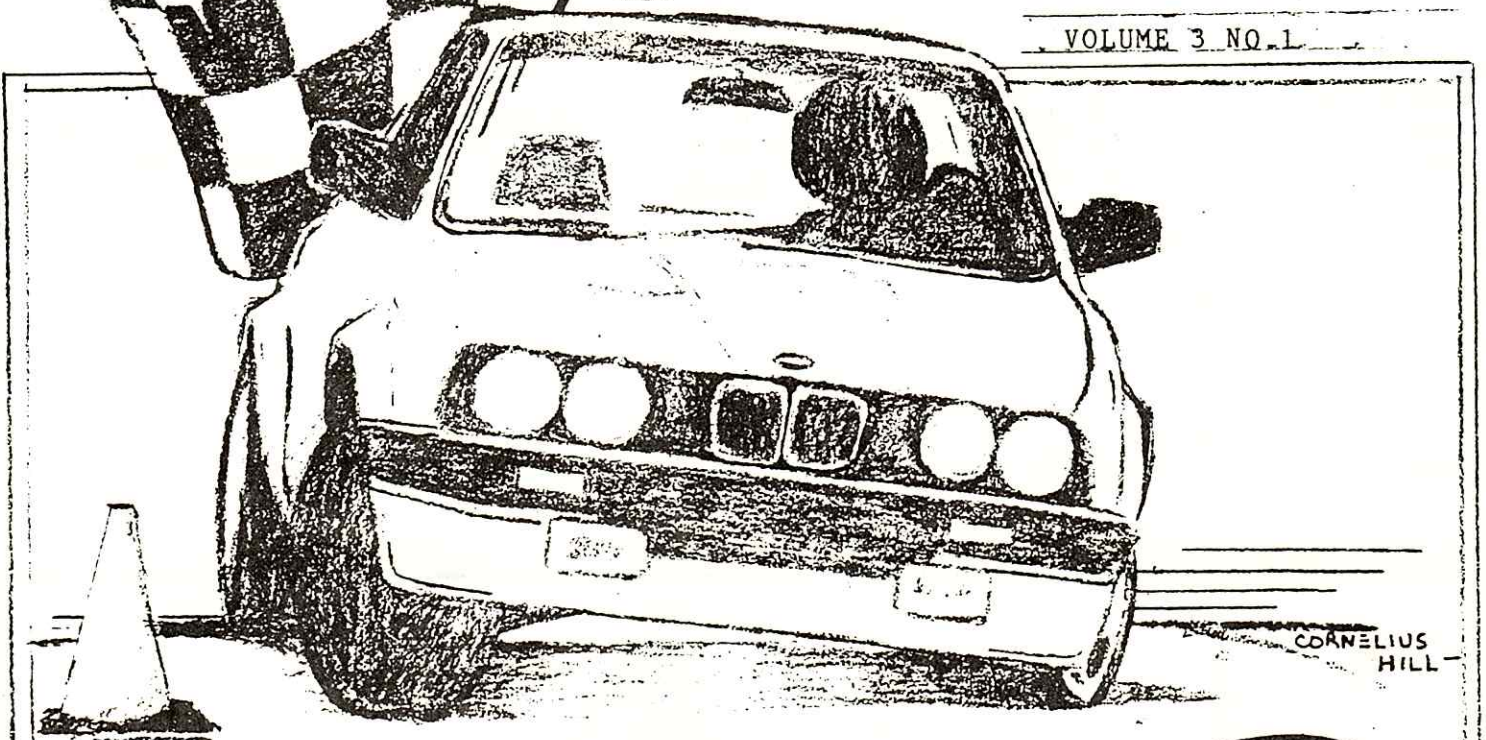
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# LEARNING

MARCH 29, 1987

## Curves III

VOLUME 3 NO. 1



\* PRACTICE AUTOCROSS \*

NO CLASSES NO POINTS NO TROPHIES

AJD. PARKING LOT, CASTLEWOOD RD. OFF JEFF DAVIS HWY.

UNLIMITED RUNS FROM 9:30-5:00 TWO COURSES (AM&PM)

LIMITED TO 30 ENTRIES PAID PRE REGISTRATION \$15.00 \$20.00 DAY OF EVENT  
TEAMS OF 2 OR MORE DRIVERS PAY \$15.00 PER CAR \$5.00 PER DRIVER

\*EXHAUST SUPPRESSION RIGIDLY ENFORCED\*

PRE REGISTRATION AND INFO

RICHARD WEST, 4210 CEDARDALE LN. RICHMOND VA. 271-8424 (7-10 PM)

BILL LLOYD, 8705 BUTTERMINT DR. RICHMOND VA. 271-1399



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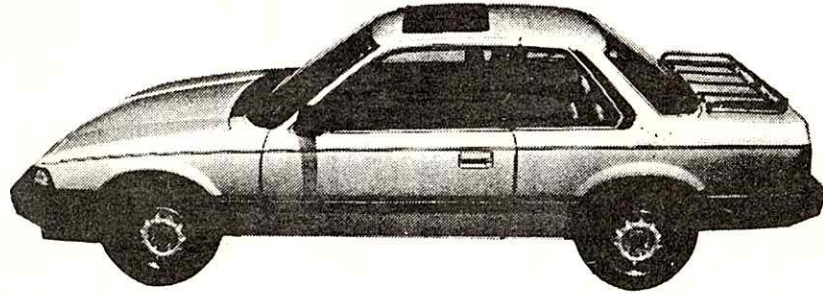
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