



**LOWER BLUE MOUNTAINS CHRISTIAN CAR CLUB INC**

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# Monthly Magazine for June 2014

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## NEXT MEETING

**General Meeting**

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2014**

**7:30 pm @ Glenbrook Baptist Church Hall**



# PRESIDENTS REPORT

Hi Members,

Not much on this month, our calendar showed a khanacross at Cataract Park with CACA last month, not sure if anyone went. Our only club event this month is our social day which is a Test and Tune Day at Hampton organised by Trevor Hill on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> June (see flyer later on in magazine).

Our next club meeting on the first Tuesday in June at the Glenbrook Baptist Church hall from 7:30pm.

All the best

Phil Whitaker

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## Lower Blue Mountains Christian Car Club General Meeting – 1<sup>st</sup> April 2014

<b>Meeting Opened</b>	:	8: 05pm in prayer led by Trevor.
<b>Attendance</b>	:	Steve Gifford, Ben Paynter, Trevor Hill, Graham Adam, Steve Newell, Rob Gifford, Sam Winsor.
<b>Apologies</b>	:	Rex Meredith, John Kypreos, Phil Whitaker.
<b>Minutes of previous meeting</b>	:	Accepted Steve Gifford, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Ben Paynter.
<b>Business Arising</b>	:	None.
<b>Correspondence</b>	:	<b>IN:-</b> Club magazines (BLCC x2, Thornleigh, Fiat), Ansell Park invoice. <b>OUT:-</b> Club magazine.
<b>Treasurers Report</b>	:	Current balance \$7098 (already paid for next EC Motorkhana).
<b>Devotional</b>	:	In magazine Galatians 3:1-14.
<b>Magazine Report</b>	:	Thanks to Trevor for the article in the last magazine.
<b>Competition Report</b>	:	Eastern Ck m/k. Graham ran his new car in one day (took the points as well). Trevor completed his first rally at Oberon. Next comp CACA khanacross at Cataract. Test & Tune at Hampton, possibly 14/6. Graham suggest limiting Eastern Creek events to 40 entrants.
<b>General Business</b>	:	Steve G moved that the club purchase magnetic numbers, 2nd Graham, passed.
<b>Meeting closed</b>	:	8:40 pm.

# Devotions – June 2014

## Introduction

This year we will look at the letter of Paul to the Galatians, the favourite letter of Martin Luther. It is an impassioned plea for Christians to remain true to the gospel of Jesus Christ, written in the context of a first century heresy, but still totally relevant in our modern world.

## The Reading

<sup>Gal 3:15</sup> To give a human example, brothers: even with a man-made covenant, no one annuls it or adds to it once it has been ratified. <sup>16</sup> Now the promises were made to Abraham and to his offspring. It does not say, "And to offsprings," referring to many, but referring to one, "And to your offspring," who is Christ. <sup>17</sup> This is what I mean: the law, which came 430 years afterward, does not annul a covenant previously ratified by God, so as to make the promise void. <sup>18</sup> For if the inheritance comes by the law, it no longer comes by promise; but God gave it to Abraham by a promise.

<sup>19</sup> Why then the law? It was added because of transgressions, until the offspring should come to whom the promise had been made, and it was put in place through angels by an intermediary. <sup>20</sup> Now an intermediary implies more than one, but God is one.

<sup>21</sup> Is the law then contrary to the promises of God? Certainly not! For if a law had been given that could give life, then righteousness would indeed be by the law. <sup>22</sup> But the Scripture imprisoned everything under sin, so that the promise by faith in Jesus Christ might be given to those who believe.

<sup>23</sup> Now before faith came, we were held captive under the law, imprisoned until the coming faith would be revealed. <sup>24</sup> So then, the law was our guardian until Christ came, in order that we might be justified by faith. <sup>25</sup> But now that faith has come, we are no longer under a guardian, <sup>26</sup> for in Christ Jesus you are all sons of God, through faith.(ESV)

## The teaching

Last month we saw the simplicity of the gospel – to believe in faith that Jesus Christ took on our curse when he died on the cross, so that we can have an eternal relationship with God, and that he was raised again on the third day. This month we see both the immutable nature of the promise of God and the need for the law.

In our lives there are periods of calm and beauty, and periods of trouble and strife – our lives may be clouded by the conditions that we find ourselves in. When all is well it's easy to believe that God loves us. God may allow our conditions change in order to prompt us to go back and check what the character of our God is like, to go back to the bible to find that God's love is steadfast.

One of the ways our view of God can be clouded is to be misled by the idea that God's grace is dependent on, or can be undone by, whether we have met certain requirements or not. This is the Galatian heresy, and is a trap for all Christians. Today we see that this is not the case, that God's love is steadfast despite all our weaknesses and failings. We see that God's love is dependent on the promise that he made and the covenant he established with Abraham, not on anything we do or don't do.

A covenant is a steadfast agreement, for example, the imposition of certain conditions applying to the use of a piece of land, or probably in this case, a person's will. A person's 'last will and testament' remains unchanged once that person has died. If Peter wills his golden guitar to Paul then Mary can't mess with the will. So it is with the promise that God made to Abraham 430 years before the Law was given, and that He ratified with a covenant. In fact, God's overarching promise was not to Abraham himself – the fundamental promise was to his 'offspring' (singular), that his 'offspring' would inherit everything that is eternal. In verse 16 we see that this offspring or descendant is Jesus Christ, and that God gave him as a promise to Abraham. In verse 17 we see that the law cannot change that. In verse 18 we see that the law was not a condition for the inheritance – it was a promise.

Why then the law? We have already seen that the law cannot bring life (except by the impossible condition of perfectly fulfilling it in its entirety). It cannot of itself give us eternal life, nor can it of itself lead us to Christ. No, the law is a sign of trouble, all it can do is imprison us in our sin and give the knowledge of our need for salvation. The promise of Christ alone, initially given to Abraham, can give us salvation and eternal life. The response required of us is to believe by faith that our inheritance lies in Christ alone, and that there is nothing that we can do or not do that changes that.

## Prayer

Father, we thank you for your saving grace through Jesus Christ. May we live our lives by faith in response to the promise of the new life, the eternal life that you have given to all who believe by faith in Jesus Christ.

The day you have been waiting for is almost here!

Come and join us for

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# Test and Tune series



Where? Hampton Motorsport Park

When? Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> June from 8:30am



A hot piece of flat metal will be available so bring something to cook for lunch.

The entry fee will be \$150 divided by the number of drivers.

Encouragement awards will be presented for:

- most pathetic launch
- earliest mechanical failure

(hopefully Trev can pass the mantle for at least one of those)

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## LBMCCC Point Score - 2014

Name	Meetings											Motorkhana						Khanacross			Other	Mag contrib	Club Promo	Total Points
	D	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	22 M	26 A	6 JI	30 A	21 S	15 N	16 F	10 M	23 A	Events	Social events	Events	
Steve Gifford	6	6	6	6	6							15	15								15			75
Ben Paynter	6	6	6	6	6							15	11									10		66
Rob Gifford	6	6	6	6	6							11	15									10		66
Phil Whitaker	6		6	6								15	15										15	63
David Gaskell	6	6										11	10									20		53
Steve Newell	6	6	6	6	6												12					10		52
Sam Winsor		6	6	6	6	6						11										10		45
Trevor Hill	6	6	6		6																	20		44
Graham Adam	6	6	6		6								15											39
Rex Meredith	6	6	6																				15	33
Tony Martin	6	6	6										10											28
John Kypreos	6	6	6	6																				24
Angelo Dellis	15		6																					21
Barry Thurling	6	6																						12
Dan Whitaker	6			6																				12
Glenn Miller																						10		10
Tony Koomen	6																							6
Rae Gifford	6																							6

Gordon Leven Motorkhana Shield	22 M	26 Ap	6 JI	30 Au	15 N	Total Points	Best 4
Ben Paynter	15	11				26	
David Gaskell	11	10				21	
Graham Adam		15				15	
Robert Gifford	11					11	
Sam Winsor	11					11	
Tony Martin		10				10	

Rex Meredith Junior's Shield	Meetings											Motorkhana						Khanacross			Other	Mag	Club Promo	Total Points
	D	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	22 M	26 A	6 JI	30 A	21 S	15 N	16 F	10 M	23 A	Events	Contrib	Events	
Sam Winsor		6	6	6								11												29
Dan Whitaker	6			6																				12

Points for the club championship will be allocated for the following events:-

- 1) LBMCCC organized competition events.
- 2) LBMCCC club meetings.
- 3) Four events chosen by the LBMCCC committee in response to invitations from other clubs
- 4) Events where the member is representing LBMCCC, i.e. State
- 5) All social events organized by LBMCCC

Points will be awarded in the following manner:-

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| a) Club Meeting                               | 6  |  |
| b) Magazine contribution                      | 10 |  |
| c) Competition events                         | 10 |  |
| d) Social activities                          | 10 |  |
| e) Officiating at LBMCCC or other club events | 15 |  |
| f) Bonus points of                            | 3  |  |
|   | 2  | for finishing in 1 <sup>st</sup> place outright/club |
|   | 2  | for finishing in 2 <sup>nd</sup> place outright/club |
|   | 1  | for finishing in 3 <sup>rd</sup> place outright/club |
| As well as:                                   |    |  |
|   | 3  | for finishing in 1 <sup>st</sup> place in class      |
|   | 2  | for finishing in 2 <sup>nd</sup> place in class      |
|   | 1  | for finishing in 3 <sup>rd</sup> place in class      |

**Special Note:** In order to be eligible for the club championship a member must officiate for at least two events in the calendar year and attend at least half of the monthly meetings.

**Junior Championship:**

In order to be eligible for the junior championship a member must be under the age of 18 for at least one third of the year, help out (e.g. Help cook lunch or set up courses or be a runner for the time keepers etc. (they can still compete whilst doing these)) for at least one event in the calendar year and attend at least one monthly meeting.

## Lower Blue Mountains Christian Car Club Calendar 2014

<b>June</b>	1 <sup>st</sup>	WRX Motorkhana	Sydney Motorsport Park
	1 <sup>st</sup>	HDCC Khanacross (state)	Hampton
	<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>Club Meeting</b>	<b>Glenbrook Baptist Church</b>
	7 <sup>th</sup>	CACA Motorkhana	Sydney Motorsport Park
	<b>14<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>LBMCCC Test &amp; Tune Day</b>	<b>Hampton</b>
	21 <sup>st</sup> - 22 <sup>nd</sup>	NSW Motor Race Championship	Sydney Motorsport Park
	22 <sup>nd</sup>	NSSCC Khanacross	Colo
<b>July</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>Club Meeting</b>	<b>Glenbrook Baptist Church</b>
	<b>6<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>LBMCCC Motorkhana</b>	<b>Sydney Motorsport Park</b>
	12 <sup>th</sup>	CACA Motorkhana	Ansell Park
	12 <sup>th</sup> - 13 <sup>th</sup>	Shannons Nationals	Sydney Motorsport Park
	20 <sup>th</sup>	WRX Motorkhana	Sydney Motorsport Park
	26 <sup>th</sup> - 27 <sup>th</sup>	NSW Motor Race Championship	Sydney Motorsport Park
<b>August</b>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	CACA Motorkhana	Sydney Motorsport Park
	<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	HDCC Khanacross	Hampton
	<b>5<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Club Meeting</b>	<b>Glenbrook Baptist Church</b>
	22 <sup>nd</sup> - 24 <sup>th</sup>	V8 Supercars R9	Sydney Motorsport Park
	<b>23<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>CACA Khanacross</b>	<b>Cataract</b>
	24 <sup>th</sup>	FCC Motorkhana	Ansell Park
	<b>30<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>LBMCCC Motorkhana</b>	<b>Ansell Park</b>
	31 <sup>st</sup>	RDTC Motorkhana	Sydney Motorsport Park
<b>September</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>Club Meeting</b>	<b>Glenbrook Baptist Church</b>
	6 <sup>th</sup> - 7 <sup>th</sup>	Muscle Car Masters	Sydney Motorsport Park
	12 <sup>th</sup> - 14 <sup>th</sup>	Rally Australia (WRC)	Coffs Harbour
	13 <sup>th</sup>	WRX Motorkhana	Sydney Motorsport Park
	20 <sup>th</sup>	CACA Motorkhana	Ansell Park
	<b>21<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>LBMCCC Motorkhana</b>	<b>Sydney Motorsport Park</b>
<b>October</b>	4 <sup>th</sup>	CACA Motorkhana	Sydney Motorsport Park
	<b>7<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Club Meeting</b>	<b>Glenbrook Baptist Church</b>
	9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	Bathurst 1000	Bathurst
	19 <sup>th</sup>	TCC Khanacross	Hampton
	25 <sup>th</sup> - 26 <sup>th</sup>	NSW Motor Race Championship	Sydney Motorsport Park
<b>November</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> - 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Shannons Nationals	Sydney Motorsport Park
	1 <sup>st</sup>	HDCC Khanacross	Hampton
	<b>4<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Club Meeting</b>	<b>Glenbrook Baptist Church</b>
	8 <sup>th</sup>	CACA Khanacross	Cataract
	<b>8<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Glenbrook Fair</b>	<b>Glenbrook</b>
	8 <sup>th</sup>	WRX Motorkhana	Sydney Motorsport Park
	9 <sup>th</sup>	RDTC Motorkhana	Sydney Motorsport Park
	<b>15<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>LBMCCC Motorkhana</b>	<b>Ansell Park</b>
	16 <sup>th</sup>	FCC Motorkhana	Ansell Park
	22 <sup>nd</sup>	CACA Driver Training	Marulan
29 <sup>th</sup>	HDCC Khanacross	Hampton	
<b>December</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>Club Meeting</b>	<b>Glenbrook Baptist Church</b>
	5 <sup>th</sup> - 7 <sup>th</sup>	V8 Supercars R14 Sydney 500	Homebush

LOWER BLUE MOUNTAINS CHRISTIAN CAR CLUB



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION / RENEWAL - 2014

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ POSTCODE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NUMBER (Home) \_\_\_\_\_ (Work) \_\_\_\_\_

**SCHEDULE OF FEES:**

Club Membership	\$40	_____
Junior Membership (Junior – Motorkhanas 12 – 18 years) Speed events 14 – 18 years)	\$20	_____
Family Membership	\$60	_____

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: A family is regarded as Parent or Parent and children  
Under the age of 18 years.

**TOTAL** \_\_\_\_\_

Return completed form to Lower Blue Mountains Christian Car Club  
PO Box168 Glenbrook NSW 2773  
Please make cheques payable to LBMCCC Inc.

***Please make sure your details are correct before mailing.***

What areas of motor sport are you interested in: (Please tick relevant boxes)


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| <i>Social Events:</i>   | Navigation Drives <input type="checkbox"/> | Scavenger Hunts <input type="checkbox"/>                                      |
| <i>Dirt Events:</i>     | Motorkhanas <input type="checkbox"/>       | Khanacross <input type="checkbox"/> Rallies <input type="checkbox"/>          |
| <i>Speed Events:</i>    | Supersprints <input type="checkbox"/>      | Hillclimbs <input type="checkbox"/> Circuit Racing <input type="checkbox"/>   |
| <i>Non-competitive:</i> | Event Organiser <input type="checkbox"/>   | Flag Marshall <input type="checkbox"/> Event Steward <input type="checkbox"/> |
|                         | Just helping out <input type="checkbox"/>  |   |


***Club meetings are held on the first Tuesday of each month at the Glenbrook Baptist Church Hall,  
commencing at 7:30pm.***


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