



# Checkpoints

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*Happy Holidays*

## EVENTS CALENDAR

DECEMBER	JANUARY
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DECEMBER 20 - VMSC Annual Meeting at the Forest View Volunteer Rescue Squad Building, 5327 Forest Hill Avenue, at 8:00 p.m. Voting will take place for 1991 officers, and ballots for Rally of the Year will be distributed.

JANUARY 3 - VMSC Board of Directors meeting at the home of the newly elected President at 8:00 p.m.

JANUARY 12 - VMSC 40th Anniversary Awards Banquet at the Westwood Racquet Club. See flyer this issue.

JANUARY 17 - VMSC regular monthly meeting at the Forest View Volunteer Rescue Squad Building at 8:00 p.m.

JANUARY 20 - TSCC Autocross. Third event of Winter Four Autocross Series. More info Dave Hinde (804)461-7222 or Tom Spangler (804)431-2549.



### VMSC

ANNUAL MEETING  
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1990  
8:00 PM at Forest View Rescue

Come and VOTE for 1991 Officers

The Nominees Are:

- |                     |                 |
|---------------------|-----------------|
| PRESIDENT           | Scott Powell    |
| FIRST V.P.          | Doug Burton     |
| SECOND V.P.         | Mike Weedon     |
| SECRETARY           | Neale Dickinson |
| TREASURER           | Wilt Greenwood  |
| ASSISTANT SECRETARY | Judy Santagata  |



*the 40th Anniversary*  
**Awards Banquet**

The Annual Awards Banquet is coming up on January 12th and music will be provided by the Righteous Brothers, Roy Orbison, the Beatles, Sam Cooke, the Beach Boys, Ray Charles, the Doobie Brothers, the Rolling Stones, Three Dog Night, Aretha Franklin, the Moody Blues, and anyone else whose song you submit to the D.J. It's really going to be fun to dance to the music that we select, so make up your list of favorite songs and send them to Katy Fisher ASAP.

For those of you who are new to VMSC and have never attended the Banquet, here's a preview:

The festivities begin at 6:00 p.m. with cocktails (BYOB) and checking out all the fancy party clothes that have appeared on people you generally see wearing jeans and T-shirts. The Buffet Dinner is served at 7:00 p.m. and the menu includes Carved Roast Round of Beef, Seafood Newburg, Chicken Coq Au Vin, a variety of salads and vegetables, rolls and butter, and assorted desserts. The Awards Presentation begins at 8:00 p.m. All the VMSC points you earned while competing and/or working in events during the year, as well as the meetings you attended, are tabulated. Trophies are presented to the top points earners in Overall Participation; the Equipped Class and the Unequipped Class in rallies; the Stock category, the Street Prepared category, the combined Prepared/Modified category in autocrosses; and a Speed Trophy based on the PAX Index. In addition, Marque Trophies that have been donated by local car dealers and other interested groups are awarded to the members earning the most points while competing in a car of those marques (Chevy, Datsun/Nissan, Honda, Mazda, Saab, Triumph, Volkswagen, and Volvo). Trophies are also awarded to the Rallymasters whose event is voted Rally of the Year by the participants. After all of the trophies have been given out, the new Life Members (who have maintained membership in VMSC for eight years) are introduced. All of VMSC's Past Presidents who are present are recognized, the Officers for 1991 are introduced, then it's time to BOOGIE!! When 12:30 a.m. arrives, and everyone has boogied enough to last them until next year's Banquet, about twenty-five of us invade Aunt Sarah's for breakfast. (We look forward to this night all night long, and we don't want it to end!)

Come on out, and invite your non-VMSC friends. You won't find a more fun evening anywhere, and it's a real bargain at \$26.00 per person.  
See you there!

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presents...*

*the 40th Anniversary*

## *Awards Banquet*

*January 12th, 1991  
at the*

*Westwood Racquet Club*

*Cocktails at 6:00 p.m.,*

*Dinner served at 7:00 p.m.*

*Awards presentation at 8:00 p.m.*

*Dancing (music provided by D.J.)*

*9:00 p.m. to 12:30 a.m.*

*B.Y.O.B. (no beer)*

*Wine will be subject to  
corkage fee.*

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**VIRGINIA MOTOR SPORT CLUB**  
**TREASURER'S REPORT.....November 30, 1990**

CHECKING	November	YTD	PAST YTD
Beginning Balance	\$1,362.41	\$1,958.14	\$3,706.42
Receipts	\$518.50	\$8,357.70	\$7,478.40
Expenditures	\$1,141.31	\$9,576.24	\$9,183.01
<b>Ending Balance</b>	<b>\$739.60</b>	<b>\$739.60</b>	<b>\$2,001.81</b>

SAVINGS	November	YTD	PAST YTD
Beginning Balance	\$490.09	\$713.16	\$681.08
Receipts	\$9.47	\$36.40	\$28.89
Expenditures	\$0.00	\$250.00	\$0.00
<b>Ending Balance</b>	<b>\$499.56</b>	<b>\$499.56</b>	<b>\$709.97</b>

LIABILITIES	
Membership Fund	\$184.42
Club Equipment	\$203.06
<b>AVAILABLE ASSETS</b>	<b>\$851.68</b>
<b>OUTSTANDING BILLS</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>

Receipts	November	YTD	PAST YTD
Membership Fund	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Rallies	\$90.00	\$606.00	\$240.00
Protest Fees	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Autocrosses	\$422.00	\$4,239.00	\$3,033.04
Indoor Activities	\$6.50	\$71.50	\$55.50
Dues - Renew	\$0.00	\$495.00	\$573.50
Dues - New	\$0.00	\$315.50	\$247.50
Subscription (Life)	\$0.00	\$252.00	\$240.00
Subscription (Other)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$25.00
Checkpoints Advertising	\$0.00	\$260.00	\$80.00
Club Merchandise	\$0.00	\$127.00	\$716.00
I. Misc.	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
II. Misc. (Banquet)	\$0.00	\$1,293.20	\$1,224.00
Refunds & Overpay	\$0.00	(\$25.50)	\$0.00
Donations	\$0.00	\$474.00	\$332.29
Club Sponsorship	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Club Equipment	\$0.00	\$250.00	\$0.00
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>\$518.50</b>	<b>\$8,357.70</b>	<b>\$7,478.40</b>

Disbursements	November	YTD	PAST YTD
Membership Fund	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Rally Trophies	\$172.62	\$213.90	\$357.29
Other Rally Expense	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Autocross Trophies	\$397.38	\$798.78	\$710.50
Other Autocross Expense	\$200.00	\$1,755.26	\$824.86
Indoor Activities	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3.96
Checkpoints	\$148.63	\$1,030.91	\$827.91
Club Merchandise	\$0.00	\$313.50	\$1,076.57
I. Misc.	\$48.02	\$445.99	\$249.85
II. Misc. (Banquet)	\$0.00	\$2,069.29	\$1,948.65
Other Awards	\$3.66	\$1,070.91	\$1,001.48
Insurance	\$146.00	\$1,028.00	\$627.00
Historian	\$0.00	\$177.63	\$108.92
Publicity	\$0.00	\$385.50	\$352.50
Clerical	\$25.00	\$183.44	\$232.01
Donations	\$0.00	\$103.13	\$90.80
Club Equipment	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$298.67
<b>Total Disbursements</b>	<b>\$1,141.31</b>	<b>\$9,576.24</b>	<b>\$9,183.01</b>

VMSC GENERAL MEETING

NOVEMBER 15th, 1990

The monthly meeting of the Virginia Motor Sports Club was held at the Forest View Rescue Squad on November 15th, 1990. The meeting was called to order at 8:07 by President Dennis Weir. The readings of the minutes was dispensed. TREASURER: Mike Weedon reported that for the month ending October 31st, 1990 the beginning balance in the checking account was \$1743.98 with receipts of \$352.00. Expenditures totaled \$733.57 resulting in a balance of \$1362.42. There were no changes in the savings account with a balance of \$490.09. Available assets are \$1465.02 with \$109.00 in outstanding bills.

OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES: Shelia Hunter for Floyd Mills about his upcoming rally, said the course has been pre-checked and that it starts in Hanover.

COMPETITION COMMITTEE: No report.

CHECKPOINT EDITORS: Shelia Hunter has extra copies of Checkpoints here at the meeting.

PUBLICATIONS: No report.

TROPHIES: Neale Dickinson gave out trophies for the Autumn Leaf rally and Shelia Hunter gave out trophies for the last autocross.

HISTORIAN: No report.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE: No report.

INDOOR ACTIVITIES: Thirteen tickets have been sold this evening. Scott Powell won.

MERCHANDISE: Debbie Weir has all the merchandise here for sale.

AUTOCROSS SITE FINDING COMMITTEE: Chip Williams announced that Nickles department store has gone out of business and the Corvette Club has been using the lot for events.

NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE: Jerry Eberhard announced the nominations for next years Board of Directors. They are as follows;

Assistant Secretary - Judy Santagata  
Secretary - Neale Dickinson  
Treasurer - Wilt Greenwood  
Second Vice President - Mike Weedon  
First Vice President - Doug Burton  
President - Scott Powell

There were no further nominations and the nominations were closed.

D.A.M. AWARD: The rally team of EDWARDS and McCALL for using the clock on the dashboard of their car with out a secondhand. The clock is only accurate to plus or minus one minute.

C.H.U.M.P. AWARD: Jay Magun was awarded for running over the timer at the last autocross.

VISITORS: Dennis Stone and family were visiting for the meeting.

OLD BUSINESS: None.

NEW BUSINESS: Gerry Eberhard spoke about timing equipment for rallying, for more information contact him.

The next Board of Directors meeting will be December 6th, 1990 at the home of Dennis and Debbie Weir. The meeting was adjourned at 8:30.

Dick Boogher  
Assistant Secretary

**OFFICIAL RESULTS - SIBLING RIVALRY RALLY**  
**NOVEMBER 18, 1990**

NO.	CL	TEAM	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	TOTAL
3	UE	B. HUNTER*/J. MILLS* T	74	54	198	200	200	171	14	200	1	2	12	21	1147
12	UE	C. PHILLIPS/M. HOLLANDER	200	130	36	46	158	200	106	200	15	2	98	200	1391
9	UE	R. GEORGE/E. HAMILTON*	181	90	45	140	200	112	165	200	110	55	114	100	1512
11	R	J.*/T.* SANTAGATA T	200	177	134	38	72	135	200	48	20	200	49	193	1466
5	R	N./R. RUNKE	200	200	160	134	200	95	172	18	147	60	50	31	1467
4	R	C.*/V. MADISON	200	140	78	200	200	200	49	200	139	61	200	13	1680
1	R	R. HARRINGTON/A. FITZGERALD	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	4800
7	E	T./R. WAGNER T	2	14	25	0	3	0	1	1	1	0	3	2	52
10	E	W.*/B.* GREENWOOD	1	5	1	0	200	1	3	2	14	0	2	6	235
2	E	S. POWELL*/N. DICKINSON*	200	171	1	3	88	1	2	4	17	0	17	2	506
6	E	F.*/N. DEBARDELEBEN	2	191	5	3	200	102	10	176	11	0	3	19	722
8	E	G.*/S.* EBERHARD*	200	200	196	36	200	196	8	12	25	0	3	2	1078

T - TROPHY POSITION  
 \* - VMSC MEMBER

MANY THANKS TO OUR PRE-CHECKS AND WORKERS BETH MILLS AND SHELIA HUNTER. WITHOUT THEIR HELP THIS EVENT WOULD HAVE BEEN A GREAT DEAL MORE DIFFICULT.

THANKS, FLOYD AND MARVIN

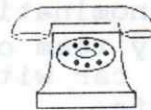
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## Year's End

1990 was a pretty good year, VMSC-wise. Though we didn't have as many rallies as some of us would like, the ones we had were first class. We found a couple of new autocross sites, and one of them (Food Carnival) has it all-- good location, surface, and visibility. We also hope to be using Ft. Lee and Southside Speedway again in '91. Speaking of Ft. Lee, Bill and I were celebrating our anniversary at the Surrey House this weekend when a Trans Am drove up with shoe polish numbers on the window. We struck up a conversation with the couple and when they found out we ran autocrosses in Richmond, the first thing they asked was "Do you run events at Ft. Lee? We've heard it's a great course!" Nice to know that even the out-of-town autocrossers have heard nice things about VMSC.

We'd like to thank all the people in VMSC who worked so hard this year-- the ODs and workers, and the Officers and Board of Directors of the Club. And we'd especially like to thank those of you who helped with Checkpoints: Charlie Larus, Porter Seay, and Madison McClintic for their wonderful recollections of VMSC's early years; Caroline Crenshaw for the donation of some 1950s era VMSC trophies; Marvin Mills for writing a rally report; Beth and Jessica Mills for submitting their favorite personalized license plates; Doug Burton for some wonderful flyers and ads; and, last but not least, Joyce and George Page (AKA Mom and Honey) for the many times they collated, stapled, and licked stamps to help us get Checkpoints out in a timely manner.

Thanks to all, and to all a Good Night.

*Shelia*

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