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META meetings are held on the fourth Wednesday of every month, except December. Publication deadline is the 30th of each month. Submissions may be e-mailed to the Editor.

Produced in Canada.

Next META meeting will be

January 27, 2021

Our meeting location this month will be via Zoom Video Conferencing

Speed Reading

Jan 13 - TBC	SCCBC Meeting		
Jan 16&17	Ice Race # 1 – Barnes Lake	WCIRABC	Ashcroft, BC
Jan 23&24	Ice Race # 1 – Barnes Lake	WCIRABC	Ashcroft, BC
Jan 26	VRCBC Annual Gala with META		Your House
	– via Zoom		
Jan 27	META Meeting – via Zoom	7:30	Your House
Jan 30&31	24 hours of Daytona	IMSA	Daytona Beach, FL
Jan 30&31	Ice Race # 2 – Barnes Lake	WCIRABC	Ashcroft, BC
Jan 30	META Banquet – CANCELLED		
Feb 10 - TBC	SCCBC Meeting		
Feb 13&14	Ice Race # 3 – Barnes Lake	WCIRABC	Ashcroft, BC
Feb 24	META Meeting	7:30	
Feb 27&28	Ice Race # 4 – Barnes Lake	WCIRABC	Ashcroft, BC

Note that Ice Races are subject to Ice and Weather conditions.
Please check the website <http://www.carsonice.ca/> before traveling.

CARS ON ICE - WCIRABC

December 27, 2020 at 3:37 PM

Due to the Covid19 safety precautions, we have decided to postpone our first IceX event. We will be moving it from January 16 to **January 23rd**. We are awaiting further instruction from the BC Health Authorities on January 8th. We are allowing time to accurately plan for any new government mandates that may be announced on January 8th.

Please stay tuned for further updates on all of our events in the 2021 season. We hope to have good news, but will only proceed if our events meet the current BC Public Health Order allowing an outdoor event to be held. Communication will also be sent out to participants and volunteers through motorsportreg.com.

Thank you,

Cars on Ice Organizing Team



President's Report

Happy New Year everyone. I hope everyone had a safe and happy holiday season, and was able to spend time with their family and friends where conditions allowed it.

As you have probably seen elsewhere in the Mayday SCCBC and ICSCC have released tentative schedules for 2021. With the change in the Portland Indycar race, the ICSCC race at Mission is back on the Labour Day weekend. Hopefully there have been enough vaccinations in both countries by that time and the borders are open and we can see our American racing family members at our track again.

We are starting a new membership year so please remember to renew your META memberships, either by completing the membership application form available on our website, or in this very newsletter.

We have one new member on the club executive this year, I want to thank Karen Clouston for stepping into the role of secretary this year, keeping the three incumbent members of the executive in line will be a part time job.

I want to thank Ann Peters for the three years she served as Secretary in her latest term on the META executive. I've been a META member for over 20 years, and it feels like Ann has been serving on the META executive in one capacity or another for more than half of those years. Ann's dedication to META and motorsports is unsurpassed and our club has benefited from her service.

META has reaffiliated with CACC for the 2021 season, and licences can be purchased through a link on the CACC website. Please remember to attach all of the required documents to make the licence administrator's job easier.

Stay safe everyone,

David Bell

CACC Licences

Licence applications for 2021 Competition and Officials licences are being accepted on Motorsportreg.com

Officials Licences can be applied for here: <https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/2021-cacc-officials-licence-application-465845>

At the Fall AGM a proposal was set forward that there be wording added to the officials rule book that states:
*"For 2021 Marshals may renew their Officials License at the same level as 2020 **without** having worked 6 race days in 2020"*

Meeting minutes can be found here: <http://www.cacautosport.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/12/2020-FALL-Minutes-for-OFFICIALS-Discipline-Meeting.pdf>

If you have any questions regarding the licencing application please contact the licence registrar, Malcolm Curtis licensing@cacautosport.org

Vice President's Report

Happy 2021 everyone, may your year be a safe and happy one, and let us hope that with the increasing number of COVID vaccines coming forward that we are able to all stay healthy. I suspect that the early part of the 2021 race season will still be run under the same COVID protocols as the end of the 2020 race season, however, I do expect that things will start opening up as more people get vaccinated.

I consider myself lucky as I was able to spend Christmas and the New Year's Eve with my younger daughter, Chantelle, and her family, of course Nia and her little brother, Zain (another future track rat) thoroughly abused me, attacking me every-time I fell asleep (actually I have a blast with them).

I suspect many of you probably spent the holidays alone. In that I live alone and occasionally babysit my grandchildren it was within Bonnie Henry's guidelines being with Chantelle's family during the holidays.

I did however feel the holidays were a bit uneventful, probably like many of you, because things like Ann and Roger's open house did not happen and Santa did not get to visit with his usual pocketful of candy canes.

For me, since I usually spend Christmas in Fort St. John with Chantelle's older sister Sabrina and her family (2 more grandchildren who like jumping on 'Grampa Mike'), Christmas usually includes a sleigh ride at Chalmers farm just outside of Fort St John.

We also didn't get our Christmas walks in freezing weather this year, something else I enjoy.

I'm sure many of you have developed regular Holiday rituals that couldn't be participated in this year.

Here is hoping that 2021 ushers in a return to normal... or what may be a new normal — that may include wearing a mask when we know we have a cold, the flu, or something else contagious (or just stay home) as a courtesy to others.

In September I had the opportunity to stop in Prince George on my way up to Fort St. John for a two week visit and had coffee with Shirley Olund, who I'm glad to report is in good health. We ended up talking for an hour while sitting kitty-corner at a table maintaining our 6-foot separation.

I suspect her turnworking days are numbered as she doesn't drive far from her home these days, she was also talking about giving up driving altogether. The Tim Horton's we met at was walking distance from her house as well as the hotel I chose to overnight in. I didn't want to drive the Pine Pass at night at that time of year — too big a chance of hitting black ice or other hazards.

Coming back I made it through the Pine Pass just before the winter weather really closed in and was driving in snow from just outside Prince George to just north of Quesnel (where I hit fog).

Ice racing:

I do hear from my northern friends and family that this winter has been mild compared to the norm, which does not bode well for Ice Racing. I understand that the first ice racing weekend has been postponed, although that was due to the current COVID protocols not making it possible to hold the event.

Please check the [Cars On Ice Website](#) for up to date information and email info@carsonice.ca if you wish to volunteer (and I'm sure they would like all the volunteers they can get).

Mike Bailey

Vice President



META Awards Banquet

CANCELLED DUE TO COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS

*Annual awards have also been
suspended for 2020*



VRCBC Annual Gala

*Planning is underway for a
Virtual Banquet including META via Zoom
on Tuesday January 26
More Details to Follow*

It's that time of year again!!!

TIME TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP IN META

- Membership is from January 1 to December 31
- The membership list will be purged of non-renewals March 31.
- Look elsewhere in this issue for the renewal form or you can renew your membership on-line using PayPal or credit card at:

<http://meta.bc.ca/wordpress/forms>

Thank you for your support.



Registration is open for the 2021 season!

If you are interested in attending all of the events, check out the seasons pass!

<https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/cars-on-ice-2021-seasons-pass-barnes-lake-wcirabc-883814>

2021 Ice Schedule

~~January 16/17 - Ice Cross (Auto-X on ice)~~ **POSTPONED**

January 23/24 - Ice Cross (Auto-X on ice)

January 30/31 - Ice Attack (Lapping/ Track day on ice)

February 13/14 - Ice Cross

February 27/28 - Ice Attack

ICE ATTACK REQUIRES A CACC ICE RACE LICENSE! - To have times recorded you must also have participated in an Ice-x or Ice Attack event within the past 5 years.

You may sign up for a CACC license after signing up for this event.

The event is held on Barnes Lake, near Ashcroft, BC, Canada and is approximately a 4 hour drive from Vancouver. The travel time may vary depending on weather, however you should be prepared considering you plan to RACE ON ICE! A number of participants stay overnight in Ashcroft or nearby town Cache Creek for ~\$80/night for a two bedroom stay. For those wanting a true out-door experience some participants chose to camp overnight next to the lake (You must be prepared for the weather).

This event will follow BC COVID-19 protocol and will require all competitors and crew to wear a mask or an equivalent face covering. Some would even recommend the use of a scarf.

<https://www.facebook.com/carsonice.ca/>

<http://carsonice.ca/faq>

What is IceX?

IceX is an autocross event held on a frozen lake. This is a single car timed event completing 1 lap at a time. IceX allows beginners to learn car control techniques and gives an experienced driver a chance to hone and perfect the skills they already have. Previous experience not required.

What is Ice Attack?

Ice Attack is a time attack, multi lap timed event on a frozen lake. Passing is not allowed, but there is a pull out lane for slower drivers to allow for the faster cars to continue. This event is more race oriented with higher speeds and has continuous lapping to increase seat time. Previous ice experience is required. This minimum includes completion of 1 IceX event or a previous wheel to wheel event and a CACC competition license.

2021 **TENTATIVE** SCCBC Race Schedule

March	27-28	Spring Drivers' Training
April	16	Practice Day
April	17-18	CACC Race #1
May	8-9	CACC Race #2
May	29-30	Summer Drivers' Training
June	12-13	CACC Race #3
July	24-25	CACC Race #4
Aug	14-15	BCHMR Historics Race
Sept	3-4-5	ICSCC Races
Sept	18-19	CACC Race #5
Oct	9-10	CACC Race #6



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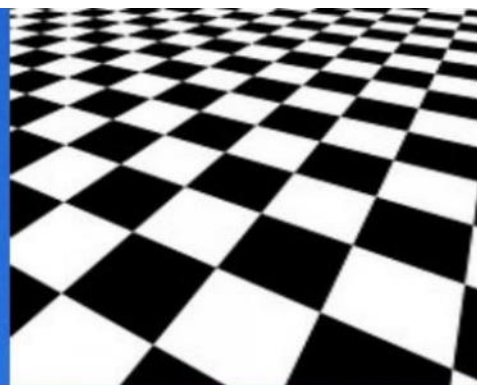


2021 CANADIAN RALLY CHAMPIONSHIP CALENDAR

RALLYE PERCE-NEIGE	FEB 5-6	MANIWAKI, QC
ROCKY MOUNTAIN RALLY	MAY 28-29	COCHRANE, AB
RALLYE BAIE DES CHALEURS	JULY 2-4	NEW RICHMOND, QC
RALLYE DEFI PETITE NATION	SEPT 9-11	MONTPELLIER, QC
PACIFIC FOREST RALLY	SEP 30-OCT 2	MERRITT, BC
RALLYE DE CHARLEVOIX	OCT 22-23	LA MALBAIE, QC
LINCOLN ELECTRIC TALL PINES	NOV 19-20	BANCROFT, ON
BIG WHITE WINTER RALLY	DEC 10-11	KELOWNA, BC

LEARN MORE AT: CRCRALLY.COM

2021 ICSCC EVENT SCHEDULE



MAY 1-2	@	PORTLAND INT'L
MAY 15-16	@	PACIFIC RACEWAY
JUNE 4-6	@	SPOKANE
JUNE 19-20	@	PORTLAND INT'L
JULY 17-18	@	PACIFIC RACEWAY
AUG. 14-15	@	PORTLAND INT'L
AUG. 28-29	@	THE RIDGE
SEPT. 3-5	@	MISSION
OCT. 16	ENDURO @	PORTLAND INT'L

SCHEDULE IS TENTATIVE



**NORTHWEST
CHAMPIONSHIP
ROAD RACING**

META Members Favorite Businesses

*In an effort to support local business I am listing some member recommended businesses.
Do you have a favorite restaurant, pub, or local business?
Send it to me for some free advertising – maydayeditor@hotmail.com*

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<https://www.pallasathena.org/>

604-941-4871

Coquitlam – Hiraku Sushi

<https://hirakusushi.com/>

604-475-2754

Port Coquitlam – Gillnetter Pub

<https://gillnetterpub.com/>

604-941-5599

Port Coquitlam – Spice Art (Indian)

<https://spiceart.ca/>

604-474-1511

Port Coquitlam – San Remo Restaurant

<https://www.sanremopizza.ca/>

604-941-8644

Maple Ridge – Kingfishers Waterfront Bar & Grill

<https://kingfisherspub.com/>

604-463-0094

Richmond – Tug Boat Annie's Bar & Grille

<http://www.tugboatannies.com/>

604-270-0364

Maple Ridge – Billy Miner Alehouse

<https://springsgroup.ca/billyminer/>

604-467-6002

Vancouver – Vassilis Souvlaki Greek Taverna

<https://www.vassilissouvlakigreektaverna.ca/>

604-434-0626

Coquitlam – Coquitlam Grill

<https://www.coquitlamgrill.ca/>

604-942-1337

Vancouver – Slickity Jim's Chat 'n' Chew

<http://skinnyfatjack.com/>

604-873-6760

Coquitlam – Woody's Pub

<https://www.woodyspub.com/>

604-526-1718

Coquitlam – Cambie Appliance Repair & Refrigeration Ltd

<https://cambieappliance.com/>

Port Moody – Rosa's Cucina Italiana

<https://www.rosascucina.com/>

604-939-7500

Port Coquitlam - Tip Thai

<http://www.tipthai.com/>

604-472-0005

Coquitlam – Sun Star Restaurant

<http://www.sunstarrestaurant.com/>

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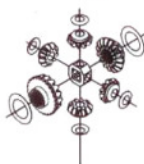


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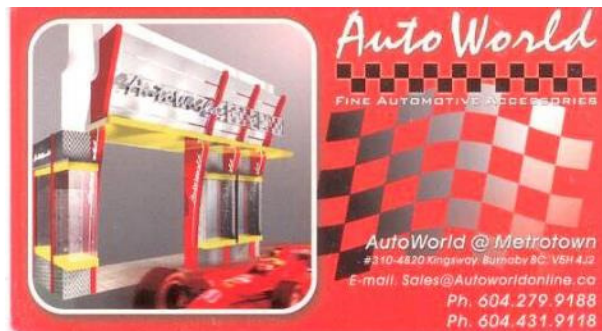
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