



SO YOU THINK YOU CAN DRIVE

As Rockhampton gets ready to host the inaugural Camco Group Rocky Street Sprint, this is your chance to prove what you've been telling the boys for years – that you really are Central Queensland's best driver!

Camco Group Rocky Street Sprint is challenging young local drivers to see just how talented they really are in their fast cars.

"This is an opportunity for our local young drivers to compete legally in a controlled environment to beat other drivers' own times," said Gordon Fischer, Clerk of Course.

Already, there are a number of young local drivers from Rockhampton, Gladstone, Calliope and Alpha who have been accepted into the competition, including Rockhampton local Brendan Wrigley.

"The Camco Group Rocky Street Sprint is a great opportunity to compete in my car locally and it's a fun legal way to test the limits of my hard work and dedication to my car," said Brendon.

"I'm racing a modified 1982 Mitsubishi Scorpion," he said.

"My friends think that this is an exciting hobby and that they are all itching for a go in the car with me - a few of my mates are considering modifying their own cars too. It should be great to see ... when it happens!" he challenged.

As a member of the Central Queensland Motor Sporting Club, Brendan has been practicing for the Camco Group Rocky Street Sprint at motorkhanas and khanacross out at the Gracemere Saleyards.

"I've always been interested in cars and I started racing after encouraged by a friend at university," said Brendon.

"I started with motorkhanas and khanacross and then moved into off road racing with some friends and now into tarmac sprints and rallies.

"Brendon has been passionate about cars for the time I've known him," said Paul, the previous owner and builder of Brendon's Scorpion.

"He has a keen interest in unlocking the technical secrets of improving his race car such as set up, balance and geometric tweaks," Paul said.

The bitumen time trial sprint will take place in the Rockhampton Showgrounds and on Lion Creed Rd and Exhibition Rd around the Rockhampton Showgrounds precinct as part of Camco Group MotorMania CQ 2010.

Camco Group MotorMania CQ is the biggest motorsporting event to ever be held in Central Queensland, being held in Central Queensland from Friday 16 to Sunday 25 July 2010.

The Camco Group Rocky Street Sprint will be a bitumen sprint time trial, with the track hosting single vehicles with each driver testing abilities to beat their competitor's times.

Nominations are open until Monday 12 July and there are twenty six categories to nominate into, including Registered, Unregistered, Sports Car and All Wheel Drive categories.

Exhibition Rd and Lion Creek Rd, between New Exhibition Rd and Exhibition Rd, will be closed for track construction and the Rocky Street Sprint competition from 6 am on Thursday 22 July until 5 pm on Tuesday 27 July.

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