

Western Australian Race Results 1959

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Results from this period are incomplete

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Labour Day Standing & Flying 1/4 mile

[Standing: Time in seconds. Flying: Speed in mph. 3 runs allowed.]

[It was not customary to award Fastest Time of Day at this period. The following FTD table is created by me.]

FTD: Standing Quarter Mile

1	Syd Negus	15.23 seconds
2	Doug Green	15.51 seconds
3	Norm Rossiter	15.52 seconds
4	Vin Smith	16.17 seconds
5	Sid Taylor	16.76 seconds
6	Peter Bond	16.97 seconds

Flying Quarter Speed (mph)

1	Syd Negus	128.00 mph
2	Doug Green	113.12 mph
=3	Vin Smith	107.14 mph
=3	M Pavlinovic	107.14 mph
5	D McGuinness	105.82 mph
6	Jack Ayres	102.85 mph

Individual Times

Driver/car	Standing Quarter			Flying Quarter (mph)		
851-1100 Sports						
P Wells, Sprite	21.67	21.68	21.42	79.10	81.80	81.88
1101-1300 Sports						
G Forward, MGTC #33	20.86	20.75	20.95	78.10	79.75	80.67
G Forward, MGTC #29	-----	-----	-----	61.45	70.70	65.21
G Forward, MGTC #26	-----	-----	-----	79.10	79.82	79.90
1301-1600 Sports						
J Harwood, HRG	19.19	19.33	19.47	86.35	88.23	89.60
L Beattie, MGA	19.35	19.63	19.57	90.65	81.81	93:75
C Gooch, MGA	20.58	20.47	20.50	88.23	89.22	89.00
B Copley, MGA	-----	-----	-----	81.81	86.53	85.25
1601-2500 Sports						
G Bowra, TR2	19.05	19.09	19.05	86.53	97.82	99.50
C Weir, TR2	-----	-----	-----	98.25	99.10	100.50
2501 and over Sports						
D McGuinness, Healey	17.31	17.30	17.36	103.70	103.00	105.82
E V Hantke, Healey	18.26	18.56	18.65	100.00	100.00	100.00
R Neale, Healey	19.11	19.25	18.95	97.82	96.70	96.45
A Melrose, Healey	18.75	18.55	18.72	97.82	97.80	99.95
R Heath, Jaguar XK120	17.92	18.42	17.84	100.00	100.00	102.27
M Pavlinovich, ""	18.34	17.85	17.73	102.27	103.61	107.14
R Heath, Ford V8	17.61	17.11	17.22	82.00	92.56	93.05
Up to 850cc sedans						
J Wynhoff, Dauphine	22.16	22.04	22.01	79.60	77.80	77.00
L Johnson, Dauphine	24.56	23.84	24.07	74.30	-----	-----
D Walker, Dauphine	22.54	22.69	22.58	72.58	72.58	72.58
1301-1600cc sedans						
C D Blythe, Lancer	18.83	19.04	19.14	88.64	88.23	88.60

1601-2500cc Sedans

V Morley, Holden	-----	-----	-----	77.58	78.40	78.00
D Hendley, Holden	-----	-----	-----	80.80	80.68	78.26
J Ayres, Holden	17.21	23.96	16.88	102.85	-----	-----
T Le May, Holden	20.21	19.97	19.65	84.00	84.90	85.50
D Sullivan, Holden	17.80	17.77	17.81	78.40	-----	-----

2501cc and over sedans

A G Melrose, A95.	21.10	20.97	20.72	82.70	82.90	-----
J Budge, V8 Ute	-----	-----	-----	72.40	72.58	-----

Up to 1500cc Racing

D H Green, Cooper	15.51	14.56	-----	113.12	112.50	-----
V Smith, Alpha	16.17	16.18	16.00	107.14	107.00	-----

Over 1500cc Racing

S A Negus, Cooper Repco	15.23	16.31	15.07	128.00	-----	-----
S Taylor, TS Spl	16.76	15.68	-----	-----	-----	-----
N Rossiter, TS Spl	15.52	15.66	15.29	-----	-----	-----
P Bond, Bondley	16.97	16.96	16.84	97.82	97.82	98.00

Motor Cycles

B Cummins, Norton	15.42	16.92	15.92	112.50	113.00	-----
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Hillclimb Championships, Albany 28 March 1959

FTD Top 10

1	S Negus, Repco Cooper	35.77
12	D Green, Cooper Mk V	36.33
7	V Smith, Alpha	37.51
13	P Bond, Bondley	40.31
9	E Hantke, Healey 100/4	41.32
32	E Kinnear, Austin A40	42.01 =
17	A G Melrose, Healey	42.01 =
15	S Negus, Plymouth Sports	42.82
16	D McGuinness, Healey	43.29
4	J Harwood, Ford	43.30

Racing Cars

No	Driver/car	Run 1	Run 2	Run 3
1	S Negus, Repco Cooper	36.41	35.77	
12	D Green, Cooper Mk V	39.39	36.59	36.33
7	V Smith, Alpha	38.61	37.51	
13	P Bond, Bondley	78.08	40.31	
4	J Harwood, Ford	44.56	44.08	43.30
4	S Campbell, Ford	44.30	45.92	43.32
11	F Coxon, Holden	47.89	46.21	
Fastest 0/1500: Negus				
Fastest u/1500: Green				

Sports Cars

9	E Hantke, Healey 100/4	45.21	41.32	43.06
32	E Kinnear, Austin A40 spl	43.15	42.50	42.01
15	S Negus, Plymouth Sports	42.87	42.87	42.82
17	A G Melrose, Healey 100/4	44.00	42.92	42.01
16	D McGuinness, Healey 100/6	44.44	43.75	43.29
19	G Bowra, Triumph TR2	45.07	44.19	44.02
23	H McKinlay, Berkeley	47.25	52.07	
Fastest 501-850: McKinlay				
Fastest 1601-2500: Bowra				
Fastest 2500 and over: Hantke				

Sedan Cars

30	J Ayres, Holden	41.99	41.50	41.14
25	D Sullivan, Holden	41.92	41.69	41.80
39	T LeMay, Holden	46.87	45.60	45.41
22	J Glasson, Vanguard	52.38	52.36	
21	C D Blythe, Lancer	45.79	45.70	46.52
36	L A Jenkins, Peugeot	55.29	52.89	55.38
31	B Lemon, Volkswagen	57.79	52.50	55.38
37	L Johnson, Dauphine	59.11	58.28	57.29
Fastest 501-850: Johnson				
Fastest 1101-1300: Jenkins				
Fastest 1301-1600: Blythe				
Fastest 1601-2500: Ayres.				

Albany Tourist Trophy, Albany Circuit 29 March 1959

1: 6-lap Sports and closed production handicap

1 J Ayres, Holden
 2 J Glasson, Vanguard
 3 G Bowra, Triumph TR
 4 S Negus, Plymouth Sports
 5 C D Blythe, Lancer.
 Fastest Time o/1500: J Ayres
 Fastest Time u/1500: D Blythe

2 . 7-lap handicap, racing and sports cars

1 S Negus, Cooper Repco
 2 F Coxon, Holden Spl
 3 D Green, Cooper Mk V
 4 S Taylor, TS Spl
 5 V Smith, Alpha
 Fastest time 0/1500: S Negus
 Fastest Time u/1500: D Green

3 . 5-lap handicap, Sports Cars

1 A G Melrose, Austin Healey
 2 D McGuinness, Austin healey
 3 G Bowra, Triumph
 4 S Negus, Plymouth Sports
 5 L Beattie, MGA
 Fastest Time o/1500: S Negus
 Fastest Time u/1500: L Beattie

4 . 5-lap scratch, Racing Cars

o/1500cc

1 S Negus, Cooper Repco
 2 S Taylor, TS Spl
 3 P Bond, Bondley

u/1500cc

1 D Green, Cooper Mk V
 2 V Smith, Alpha

5 . 5-lap Hcp, Closed Production Cars

1 C D Blythe, Lancer
 2 L Johnson, Dauphine
 3 J Glasson, Vanguard
 4 J Ayres, Holden
 5 B Lemon, Volkswagen
 Fastest o/1500: J Ayres
 Fastest u/1500: C D Blythe

20-lap Albany Tourist Trophy hcp, racing cars

Handicap section:

1 P Bond, Bondley
 2 S Negus, Cooper Repco
 3 A G Melrose, Austin Healey
 4 M Geneve, Corvette Spl

Scratch Section:

1 S Negus, Cooper Repco
 2 P Bond, Bondley
 3 A G Melrose, Austin Healey
 4 M Geneve, Corvette Spl

Fastest Lap of Day:

0/1500: S Negus, Cooper Repco, 1 min 35 sec.
 u/1500: D Green, Cooper Mk V, 1 min 38 sec

Six Hour Race, Caversham June 1959

Results Outright

1	Triumph TR3A	Clem Dwyer / Vin Smith	176 laps
2	MGA	Lionel Beattie	174 laps
3	MGA	Merv Dudley / Doug Green	174 laps
4	Holden FX	Jack Ayres	172 laps
5	Triumph TR3a	Jim Harwood / Bill Downey	171 laps
6	Austin Healey	Darryl McGuinness	171 laps
7	Holden FX	Dave Sullivan	171 laps
8	Triumph TR3	Ray Barfield	164 laps
9	Simca	David Sadique	163 laps
10	Jaguar XK120	Ron Heath	159 laps
11	Standard 10 Cadet	Don Reimann / John Glasson	155 laps
12	Plymouth Sports	Syd Negus	152 laps
13	Morris Minor	R Betteridge	150 laps
14	Standard 10 Cadet	Bob Annear / D Reines	148 laps
15	Volkswagen	Brian Lemon	147 laps
16	1938 Ford V8	Lloyd Trezise	146 laps
17	Skoda	Mick Geneve / R Pelusey	143 laps
18	Renault Dauphine	L Johnson / J Wynhoff	138 laps
19	Austin Healey	H Van Lannen	131 laps
20	Holden	Stan Starcevich	122 laps
21	Austin Healey	Aub Melrose	116 laps
22	Austin Healey	Tony Carboni	96 laps
23	Ford Zephyr	Jim Ward	69 laps
24	MG TF	Mal Chapman	15 laps

Sports Cars:

1	Triumph TR3A	Clem Dwyer / Vin Smith	176 laps
2	MGA	Lionel Beattie	174 laps
3	MGA	Merv Dudley / Doug Green	174 laps

Sedan Cars:

1	Holden FX	Jack Ayres	172 laps
2	Holden FX	Dave Sullivan	171 laps
3	Simca	David Sadique	163 laps

Classes:

Up to 850cc:	Renault Dauphine	L Johnson / J Wynhoff	138 laps
851-1100cc:	Standard 10 Cadet	Don Reimann / John Glasson	155 laps
1101-1300cc:	Simca	David Sadique	163 laps
1601-2500cc:	Holden FX	Jack Ayres	172 laps
Over 2500cc:	1938 Ford V8	Lloyd Trezise	146 laps

Teams Award:

Diesel Motors			
1	Triumph TR3A	Clem Dwyer / Vin Smith	176 laps
11	Standard 10 Cadet	Don Reimann / John Glasson	155 laps
14	Standard 10 Cadet	Bob Annear / D Reines	148 laps

Lambretta Trophy:

David Sadique.

3-lap scratch racing for racing cars:

1	S Negus	Repco Cooper
2	M Geneve	Corvette

[The remaining races were abandoned after the fatal accident to Mick Geneve.]

Mick Geneve Memorial Meeting, Caversham 4 July 1959

[This meeting was held as a benefit meeting, the proceeds to the widow of Mick Geneve. It was one of the rare meetings held on the "Tee" circuit, and included motorcycles, speedcars and other vehicles in their own events.]

5-lap sports:

1	Austin Healey	Tony Carboni
2	TR3	Clem Dywer
3	Jaguar XK120	Ron Heath

5-lap Racing Cars:

1	Repco Cooper	Syd Negus
2	TS Spl	Sid Taylor
3	Bondley	Peter Bond

5-lap production cars:

1	Holden	Jack Ayres
2	Holden	Dave Van Dal
3	Holden	Dave Sullivan

5-lap racing cars:

1	TS Spl	Sid Taylor
2	Repco Cooper	Syd Negus
3	Bondley	Peter Bond

5-lap sports and production cars:

1	Holden	Jack Ayres
2	Holden s/c	Bob Annear
3	MGA	Lionel Beattie

5-lap hcp racing and Sports cars:

1	Jaguar XK120	Ron Heath
=2	Bondley	Peter Bond
=2	TS Spl	Sid Taylor
4	MGA	Lionel Beattie

Standing & Flying 1/4 mile, Caversham September 1959

[Best of 3 runs at standing and flying quarters.]

Class and Category Winners

Racing Cars

Over 1500	P Bond	Standing 17.12 sec	Flying 93.00 mph
under 1500	D Green	Standing 15.04 sec	Flying 108.00 mph

Sports Cars

751-1100cc	P Wells	Standing 20.84 sec	Flying 77.58 mph
1101-1300	J Elliott	Standing 20.33 sec	Flying 76.77 mph
1301-1500	L Beattie	Standing 19.36 sec	Flying ---- mph
	C Reardon	Standing 19.36 sec	Flying 88.26 mph
1501-2000	J Percival	Standing 17.65 sec	Flying 93.76 mph
2001-3000	D McGuinness	Standing 17.12 sec	Flying 102.85 mph
over 3000	R Heath	Standing 16.90 sec	Flying 94.38 mph

Sedan Cars

761-1100cc	J Covich	Standing 21.22 sec	Flying 71.50 mph
1101-1300	W Tighe	Standing 20.69 sec	Flying 80.35 mph
1301-1500	O Evans	Standing 19.79 sec	Flying 87.37 mph
1501-2000	A Collett	Standing 18.85 sec	Flying 90.75 mph
2001-3000	D Sullivan	Standing 17.69 sec	Flying 89.16 mph
over 3000	D Blythe	Standing 17.72 sec	Flying 95.00 mph

Outright Standing: D Green, 15.42 sec

Outright Flying: D Green, 108.0

Details

V Morley, Holden	Standing 20.07 sec	Flying 83.33 mph
J Ward, Zephyr	Standing 19.44 sec	Flying 83.33 mph
J Dunkerton, VW	Standing 21.35 sec	Flying 67.66 mph
R Roberts, Holden ute	Standing 20.85 sec	Flying 82.94 mph
J Rutherford, Vauxhall	Standing 24.58 sec	Flying 63.38 mph
H Bishop, Austin A30	Standing 24.34 sec	Flying 60.80 mph
J W Tighe, Simca	Standing 20.69 sec	Flying 80.35 mph
J Covich, Dauphine	Standing 21.22 sec	Flying 71.50 mph
A G Melrose, Austin	Standing 20.52 sec	Flying 78.06 mph
G Wakelin, Zephyr	Standing 21.07 sec	Flying 77.58 mph
A Collett, Porsche	Standing 18.85 sec	Flying 90.75 mph
J Carlton, Lancer	Standing 20.45 sec	Flying 76.59 mph
D Blythe, Chrysler	Standing 17.72 sec	Flying 95.00 mph
O W Evans, Porsche	Standing 19.79 sec	Flying 87.37 mph
B Lemon, VW	Standing 21.34 sec	Flying 67.16 mph
R Dunning, Peugeot	Standing 24.06 sec	Flying ----
J Wynhoff, Dauphine	Standing 23.74 sec	Flying ----
D Sullivan, Holden	Standing 17.69 sec	Flying 89.16 mph
C Metcher, Morgan	Standing 18.05 sec	Flying 90.00 mph
L Charlton, MGA	Standing 21.00 sec	Flying 79.29 mph
M Bonner, MGA	Standing 19.68 sec	Flying 82.19 mph
D Hartley, Singer	Standing 19.75 sec	Flying 73.17 mph
L Beattie, MGA	Standing 19.36 sec	Flying 85.50 mph
R Heath, Ford V8	Standing 16.90 sec	Flying 94.38 mph
- Bennett, MGTF	Standing 19.81 sec	Flying 81.08 mph
J Percival, TR2	Standing 17.65 sec	Flying 93.76 mph
H Leich, MGTC	Standing 20.60 sec	Flying ----
W Wearn, MGTC	Standing 20.34 sec	Flying 74.88 mph
K Devine, A40	Standing 25.23 sec	Flying 64.28 mph
P Wells, Sprite	Standing 20.84 sec	Flying 77.58 mph
J Lewis, A/Healey	Standing 17.88 sec	Flying 89.16 mph
G Forward, MGA	Standing 20.23 sec	Flying 80.35 mph
J Elliott, MGTC	Standing 20.33 sec	Flying 76.77 mph
A Melrose, A/Healey	Standing 17.26 sec	Flying 95.23 mph
R Annear, Holden s/c	Standing 17.94 sec	Flying 97.82 mph
J Harwood, TR3	Standing 17.92 sec	Flying 92.78 mph

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D McGuinness, Healey 6	Standing 17.12 sec	Flying 102.85 mph
P Bond, Bondley	Standing 17.12 sec	Flying 83.00 mph
V Smith, Alpha	Standing 16.20 sec	Flying 100.50 mph
C White, TQ Jawa	Standing 21.66 sec	Flying 67.41 mph
D Green, Cooper MkV	Standing 15.04 sec	Flying 108.00 mph
D Blythe, Lancer	Standing ----- sec	Flying 76.27 mph
C Gillies, MGTC	Standing ----- sec	Flying 75.00 mph

State Championships (and Aust Gold Star Rd) 24 October 1959

Programme [from Supp Regs]

Race 1: Racing Car Championship heat 1, 5 laps
 Race 2: Sports Car Championship, 10 laps
 Race 3: Racing Car Championship heat 2, 5 laps
 Race 4: Closed Car Championship, 10 laps
 Race 5: Racing Car Championship Final Heat, 15 laps

Racing Car Championships Over 1500 and Under 1500 scored on points basis for results in all three heats: 5 4 3 2 1 for 1st five places in each engine class. There was no "overall" Championship.

Results (*Sports Car World*, January 1960 issue; *Visor Magazine* October 1959 issue.)

Race 1: Racing Car Championship (and Gold Star) Heat 1, 5 laps

Pos	Driver	Car	Time	F/lap	
1	Stan Jones	Cooper Climax 2.2	7:39.0	1:30	
2	Len Lukey	Cooper Climax 1.9	7:39.0	1:30	
3	Alec Mildren	Cooper Climax 1.9	7:41.0	1:31	
4	Syd Negus	Cooper	8:25.0	1:39	
5	Sid Taylor	TS Spl	8:56.0	1:44	
6	Peter Bond	Bondley	8:59.0	1:45	
7	Bob Annear	Pegasus	9:10.0	1:46	
DNF	Vin Smith	Alpha		1:50	4 laps
DNF	Stuart Campbell	Topolino	suspension		0 laps
DNF	Ray Barfield	Aston Martin DB3S	collision		0 laps
DNF	Doug Green	Cooper Mk V	collision		0 laps
DNF	Keith Winsor	V8 Spl			? laps

Race 2: Sports Car Championship, 10 laps

1	Jack Ayres	Holden Spl	17:52.0	1:45
2	Syd Negus	Plymouth Spl	18:12.0	1:47
3	Bob Annear	Pegasus	18:23.0	1:45
4	Ron Heath	Jaguar XK120	18:47.0	1:49
5	Daryl McGuinness	Austin-Healey	19:01.0	1:45
6	Jim Percival	Triumph TR2	19:02.0	1:48
7	Tony Carboni	Austin-Healey	19:06.0	1:52
8	C Reardon	MG A	19:45.0	1:51
9	K W Lang	HRG	19:53.0	1:52
DNF	Ray Haythornthwaite	Jaguar XK120		1:53

Race 3: Racing car Championship (and Gold Star) Heat 2, 5 laps

1	Len Lukey	Cooper Climax 1.9	7:35.0	1:29
2	Stan Jones	Cooper Climax 2.2	7:37.0	1:29
3	Alec Mildren	Cooper Climax 1.9	7:52.0	1:33
4	Syd Negus	Cooper	8:28.0	1:41
5	Peter Bond	Bondley	9:03.0	1:46
6	Sid Taylor	TS Spl	9:07.0	1:46
7	Vin Smith	Alpha	9:18.0	1:50

Race 4: Closed Car Championship, 10 laps

1	Terry Le May	Holden Repco sedan	19:08.0	1:52
2	Dave Sullivan	Holden	19:31.0	1:53
3	George Wakelin	Holden	19:47.0	1:56
4	David Sadique	Simca	21:39.0	2:07
5	Jack Wynhoff		21:51.0	2:08
6	J Covich		21:59.0	2:09
DNF	Jim Harwood			2:02

Race 5: Racing car Championship (and Gold Star) Heat 3, 15 laps

1	Len Lukey	Cooper Climax 1.9	22:36.0	1:28	
2	Stan Jones	Cooper Climax 2.2	22:37.0	1:28	
3	Alec Mildren	Cooper Climax 1.9	23:16.0	1:31	
4	Syd Negus	Cooper	25:12.0	1:39	
5	Peter bond	Bondley		1:47	11 laps

Results from the three heats of the Gold Star / Racing Car Championship:

1	Len Lukey
2	Stan Jones
3	Alec Mildren
4	Syd Negus
5	Peter Bond
6	Sid Taylor

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1	Vin Smith
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Christmas Cup 28 November 1959

[Joint car/motorcycle meeting]

Race 2: Sedan Car Handicap, 5 laps

Pos	No	Driver	Car	Hcp	Time	HcTime	F/lap
1		Don Rimes	Riley 2.5	0.35	10:21	10:56	2:01
2		Dave Sullivan	Holden	1:25	9:38	11:03	1:53
3		Jeff Dunkerton	VW?	Go	11:10	11:10	2:12
4		Brian Lemon	VW	Go	11:23	11:23	2:13
5		Mike Tighe	Fiat 1500	0:40	10:54	11:34	2:06
6		Jim Ward	Zephyr	1:05	10:32	11:37	2:01
7		George Wakelin	Holden	1:15	10:26	11:41	2:01

Race 4: Sports Car handicap, 5 laps

1		Jack Ayres		2:35	8:54	11:29	1:43
2		Jim Percival		2:10	?		1:49
3		C Reardon		2:05	9:51	11:56	1:55
		C Heath		Go	13:53	13:53	2:40
		T Torda		1:00	10:55	11:55	2:07
		Terry Le May		?	9:47	?	1:54
		Lionel Beattie		1:55	10:00	11:55	1:57
		C Percival		1:55	10:00	11:55	1:56
		Jim Harwood		2:10	9:38	11:48	1:52
		Syd Negus		2:20	9:13	11:33	1:48
		Ray Barfield		2:45	9:13	11:58	1:45
DNF		R Heath		2:10			1:53

Race 6: Racing Car Handicap, 5 laps

1		R Heath		0:30	9:15	9:45	1:49
2		J Ayres		0:55	8:51	9:46	1:43
3		M Trenberth (SA)		1:40	8:06	9:46	1:35
4		Syd Negus	Cooper Bristol	1:40	8:08	9:48	1:36
5		K Winsor		0:25	9:37	10:02	1:53
DNF		Ray Barfield	Aston Martin DB3S	1:05			1:46
DNF		Doug Green		1:10			1:44

Race 8: Sedan and Sports Car Handicap, 10 laps

[The Visor gave only individual lap times, no results]

	C Heath	2:39
	J Dunkerton	2:12
	B Lemon	2:13
	T Torda	2:06
	J M Tighe	2:05
	D Rimes	2:00
	J Ward	2:00
	G Wakelin	2:00
	D Sullivan	1:53
	T Le May	1:53
	L Beattie	1:57
	J Percival	1:48
	R Heath	1:50
	S Negus	1:47
	J Ayres	1:43
	R Barfield	1:48

Race 10: Valvoline Christmas Cup, 15 laps hcp

1	S Negus	5:00	24:20	29:20	1:35
2	M Trenberth	5:00	24:23	29:23	1:35
3	J Harwood	?	28:15	?	1:50
4	K Winsor	1:15	28:37	29:42	1:51
5	J Percival	1:30	28:27	29:07	*1:50
6	J Ayres	2:45	21:33	24:18	**1:46
DNF	L Beattie	0:45			2:07

* 13 laps ** 12 laps
