

The following is general information regarding competing at Mt Cotton - by Gary Coulding, MGCCQ CAMS Delegate

MG Car Club of Qld owns and operates the Mt Cotton Hillclimb Venue. It is what is known as a single car Speed Event. It is a bitumen surface of 948m in length.

Events are conducted during the year on specified dates only. ([Check the MGCCQ website for event details](#)). The venue is not hired out privately.

Events are conducted under the CAMS (Confederation of Australian Motorsport) Rules and operation standards.

For you to compete at an event at Mt Cotton you will have to be a member of a CAMS affiliated car club.

You also need to have a LS2 competition licence (CAMS Speed Event Licence). ([Check CAMS web site for these details](#))

Individual entry fee is approx \$100 per driver per event. (There is no bulk/group payment)

Club level Hillclimb : vehicle requirements.

1kg fire extinguisher fitted.

Head lights taped.

Vehicle in a clean and safe condition.

Roll Cage is NOT a requirement at club level hillclimbs.

Qld Road Registered Vehicles require : 'Extension to their 3rd compulsory third party insurance certificate' (This is the insurance part of the vehicle Qld Transport rego) which can be obtained from the vehicle's 3rd party insurer.

Club Level Hillclimb : Driver Safety Requirements

Non Synthetic Clothing extending to neck / ankles & wrists.

Non-synthetic shoes.

Personal Crash Helmet complying with current Australian Safety Standards.

It is a good idea for anyone new to the hillclimb to take part in one of the 'Come and Try' days held a couple of times a year.

Come and Try - these are usually held during the morning and followed by a Test and Tune for current competitors.

(Morning) Come & Try requirements -:

*MGCCQ Membership is not required

*A Level 1 (CAMS) licence is the minimum that is required for the morning come & Try event. This can be bought on the day @ \$25 (additional to entry fee).

(Note : Racers or AASA licence is NOT acceptable)

*You must register first to participate. This can be done via return email to Gary Goulding or phone call on number below.

*A 'Third Party extension' is not required in order to participate in the Come & Try morning.

Regarding the vehicle requirements, any clean safe vehicle will be fine. There is a safety check done for the morning (nothing too strict, we like to keep it simple). You must supply your own good condition helmet.

**ENVISAGED PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES at a COME & TRY
EVENT**

SATURDAY : *Mount Cotton Hillclimb Circuit*

- *Entry payment & Licence issue (7am - 8am)*
- *Scrutineering (7am-8.30am)*
Vehicle / Helmet & Clothing check (remove all unsecured items from inside vehicle & luggage area)
- *Participants (drivers) Briefing (8.00am - 8.15am)*
Welcome & Introduction of CAMS officials
- *Walk Track (8.15am -8.45am)*
(With Experienced drivers)
- *2 or 3 Convoy Observation Runs (8.45am - 9.45am)*
(4 cars on track at a time) - Participant's vehicle may be driven by experienced driver at slow speed with participant as passenger for some of these runs.
- *Participants Individual Runs (9.45am -11.40am)*
(1 car on track at a time)
Experienced driver as passenger is optional,
- *Completion of runs & close of event (11.40am Sharp)*