Getting your car Bash ready



Here is a list to get you started on your new Bash Car!

Your Variety Bash car must be a minimum 25 years old (pre 1994). It can be any type of vehicle, the only rule is that it's a 2WD. This is not an exhaustive list, as all cars are different we strongly recommend you speak to our mechanical workshops crew to get your car Bash ready – even before you purchase a car! Call Neil on 0409 510 294 or Tim on 0407 381 556. Like any other car you will also need it to be registered, insured and have a road worthy certificate as checked by your mechanic.

Decals

- □ Variety Bash windscreen decal supplied by Variety
- □ Major sponsor stickers supplied by Variety
- □ Front and rear windscreen decals so other cars can identify you on the radio not supplied by Variety
- □ Door panels supplied by Variety

Interior

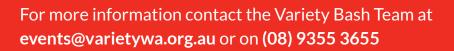
- □ Front and rear seatbelts
- □ Fire extinguisher fitted in accessible position
- \Box UHF Radio hardwired so it can be used when car is off
- □ Luggage barrier required for station wagons
- \Box Roll bar is not recommended, but if fitted it must be padded

Exterior

- □ High brake light installed for better visibility in dust
- Rear revolving light & 55w globe (non LED recommended.
 \$150 incl GST Hella Part #1719)
- □ Rear and front tow hitch remove tow balls from hitch and keep in boot
- □ Mud flaps front and rear
- Roof rack or box recommended for additional carrying capacity

For the following modifications we recommend you speak to our mechanical workshops crew for guidance:

- Exhaust secure additional strengthening of exhaust system
- □ Engine tie downs to secure engine to car
- □ Tail shaft loop if or when your tail shaft snaps this stops it from falling off
- □ Sump guard, transmission guard and fuel tank guard large heavy metal plates to protect undercarriage of car
- □ Reinforced shock absorber mounts for strengthening where the shock absorbers hit the car
- □ Fuel tank must have capacity to carry fuel for a 500km range





BEFORE



AFTER

HOT TIP

Our mechanical workshops crew recommend a VR Commodore and ED Falcon are some of the easiest and cheapest cars to get Bash ready.



Purchase from any local autoparts supplier (Autobahn, Supercheap Auto etc)



"Make sure your parts are for your car model!"

CAR SPECIFIC LIST - Required

□ Wheel nuts & studs

- Engine oil
- □ Transmission oil
- □ Fan belts
- □ Fuel pump
- 🗌 Uni joints
- □ Front/rear wheel bearings
- □ Spare fuses and globes
- \Box Shock absorber rubbers
- □ Radiator & heater hoses & clamp
- □ Wheel brace
- □ 2 spare tyres
- □ AUX wiring diagram
- □ Suspension bushes
- 🗌 Carby Kit
- Fuel filter
- \Box U-bolts for your suspension

Harder to find, vehicle specific parts

Highly recommended

- (Check with specific vehicle manufacture for supplier recommendation or contact Rare Spares, wreckers etc)
- □ Real axles with bearings (spare)
- □ Water pump
- □ Spare starter motor
- □ Electronic ignition components (if applicable)

Recommended

- □ Disc pads
- □ Inner tube
- □ Electrical terminals & wire
- □ Air compressor/tyre pump
- □ Spark plugs, points, distributor cap, plugs & leads
- □ Shade cloth/fly wire

GENERIC LIST - Required

- 🗌 First aid kit
- □ Water spray bottle
- □ Puncture repair kit
- Grass hook (long hook to pull grass from under car)
- 🗌 Brake fluid
- □ Silastic
- □ 100 miles tape
- □ Snatch strap
- □ 10ltr water container
- \Box 2 rated bow shackles
- 🗌 Tool kit
- □ Jerry cans of fuel cannot be stored in passenger compartment, must be tied down
- $\hfill\square$ Jack and wheel chocks

HOT TIP

Check places like 'Steel Bumper Buy & Sell' on Facebook for second hand parts or discuss with our mechanical workshop crew.





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