

Jayco Club of New South Wales



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January 2021 Newsletter

RALLY CO-ORDINATOR

Feb 3 - 10 JUNEE	June Tourist Park 2 Sunnyside Rd, JUNEE 2663 Tel: 6924 1316 Jodi	Tony & Maria maria.battaglia@bigpond.com	\$30pn less 10% if more than 2 nights	Top Park Member Chocolate & Liquorice, Ginger Factory- YUMMMMM Ray Warren Statue Markets 1 st Sunday of Month
March 10 – 17 BUDGEWOI	Weemala St., BUDGEWOI AGM Tel: 4390 9019 Gail	Committee hendosnj@bigpond.net.au	\$246 for 7 nights. Discount if we get 20 vans	Morning Tea and dinner Supplied on Saturday Book A.S.A.P. If you haven't already done so. Let me know it attending for catering (depending on Covid)
April 21 - 28 GILGANDRA	Gilgandra Caravan Park 53 Newell Highway, GILGANDRA 2827 Tel: 6847 2423 Peter	Paul & Helen pand2008@bigpond.net.au	\$180 7 nights	Cooee Heritage Centre Gilgandra Show on the weekend
May 19 - 26 NULKABA	Wine Country Tourist Park 3 O'Connors Rd NULKABA 2325 Tel: 4990 5819 Karyn	Shaun & Lorraine lorraine-barrett@hotmail.com	\$30pn	Call and confirm site if you had a deposit held over from last year

Reminder

Please let the Rally Host know if you will be attending any Rally

BATHURST NEW YEAR RALLY

Attendance: Lyn and Mick Robinson, Vinnie and Col Every, Helen and Paul Anderson, Wyn and Peter Lowe and Joy and Neville Henderson.

The Robinsons arrived on the Tuesday with the other vans arriving on the Wednesday. Unfortunately, four vans had to pull out because of sickness, motor vehicle problems and a couple in lockdown.

After catching up on the Christmas gossip we were invited to have a look at the Lowe's new motorhome which was less than a week old. It is very nice.

Afternoon tea was held as usual followed by happy hour and then we all adjourned to our vans for the evening.

Thursday dawned with a clear blue sky and everyone was left to their own devices. Some went to the best fruit shop in Bathurst, others went for a trip to Orange and some just “chilled out” in the sun after morning tea. At afternoon tea plans were made for our New Years Eve Dinner and as the weather was fine and the camp kitchen was small we decided to have dinner “under the stars”. The theme was Hawaiian and everyone dressed up and decorated the tables, even though the wind came up and threatened to blow us away. The main course was BYO with each van supplying a dessert to share. We had mouth watering trifle, apple pie, Hawaiian pineapple and a couple of scrumptious slices. No-one went hungry and a lot of laughter was heard around the table. We all agreed that we scrubbed up well in our tropical gear.

Unfortunately, Lyn and Mick had to return home on the Saturday so we farewelled them before morning tea. Most people explored the retail areas of Bathurst including the great fruit shop (they had the best cherries) and a lot of fruit and local produce returned to Sydney.

The park manager came around on Tuesday evening and thanked us for staying at the park and gave us a bag of “goodies” including a bottle of various local products and a Bathurst mask. We all agreed that this was a great rally and would recommend that a New Year’s Rally should be part of our yearly plans.

Wednesday came around too soon and we packed up and headed off to our various homes in Greater Sydney Region. We are looking forward to catching up at a future rally.

Joy and Neville Henderson

SECRETARY’S REPORT JANUARY 2021

Hello members and happy new year to you all. Welcome to my first report for 2021.

Our first rally for the year was our “HAWAIIN” New Year’s Eve rally at Bathurst. Everyone in attendance participated in an evening meal together, tables dressed, Hawaiian food along with club members dressed and some sharing of the “long board” beer and a lot of good laughter. Our ladies had worked very hard behind the scenes and we all enjoyed the beautiful desserts and slices at the end of our meal.

What a great start to 2021. WELL DONE JOY.

NATIONAL RALLY.

18th National Caravan Clubs Rally 2022, Riverland Events Centre, Barmera. South Australia. 28th March to 6th April, 2022 (10 nights).

We only have 14 more months to go for this wonderful and exciting event. If you have not registered, there is still sites available if you wish to attend, in their latest newsletter the National committee has approved the payment of \$5.00 per van rebate (to our Club) for those who attend and pay all fees. The more we have attending this event, the larger the club rebate will be. Rebate payment will be made to our Club by 30th April, 2022.

CRAFTERS. CARING CARAVANNERS.

Margaret Shilton, craft for charities Co-Ordinator is asking all National Rally attendees to make any craft things (home-made with love in preference to store purchased) suitable for the homeless, sufferers of domestic violence (babies, children, youth, women & men) Items suitable would be quilts, blankets, care bears, beanies, gloves, poncho’s, socks, hats etc. **MEN** you do not have to be exempt – little wooden toys or other items that could put a smile on a child’s face would also be appreciated.

(ref) www.18thnationalcaranrally.org.au

LET’S SEE WHAT JAYCO NSW CAN DO TO HELP OTHERS IN NEED.

MOTORWAY CHARGES.

On behalf of all our caravan owners in our club I would like to thank Neville Henderson for his ongoing pursuit of fairness of the toll charges on our NSW motorways. As a result of his and others pressure a rebate scheme for NSW vanners was put in place. Unfortunately the Government has not seen fit to extend the same rebate to Motorhomes. Neville has informed us that he will keep up the pressure on behalf of our motorhome members.

With Covid still very fresh in our minds I hope everyone is well and we can still get out and around with our vans. Remember the mask and the social distancing rules when sitting around under the trees.

Safe vanning all.
Helen.

A Hawaiian Themed New Year's Eve at the Bathurst Rally.

Our members don't scrub up too bad





Welfare

For issues concerning welfare of members and their families please contact **Wynette Lowe**
'Thinking of You' Cards sent to Lorraine Barrett & David Dijan.



Happy Birthday wishes to our young members

**Feb
2021**

Sue Bradshaw (2nd). Tony Battaglia (8th).

JOKES OF THE MONTH

The Bathtub Test

During a visit to my doctor, I asked him, "How do determine whether or not an older person should be put in an old age home?"

"Well", he said, "we fill up a bathtub, then we offer a teaspoon, a teacup and a bucket to the person and ask them to empty the bathtub"

"Oh, I understand", I said. "A normal person would use the bucket because it is bigger than the spoon or the teacup".

"No" he said "A normal person would pull the plug. Do you want the bed near the window?"

Sent in by Joy Henderson

It could only happen in Oz!!!

Queensland

The owner of a golf course on the Gold Coast was confused about paying an invoice, so he decided to ask his secretary for some mathematical help.

He called her into his office and said

"You graduated from the University of Queensland and I need some help. If I was to give you \$20,000, minus 14%, how much would you take off?"

The secretary thought a moment, and then replied, "Everything but my earrings. "

New South Wales

A senior citizen drove his brand new Holden Senator out of the dealership.

Taking off down the road, he pushed it to 120 kph, enjoying the power of the car.

"Amazing," he thought as he flew down the F3, pushing the pedal even more.

Looking in his rear view mirror, he saw a highway patrol car, blue lights flashing and siren blaring.

He floored it to 140 kph, then 180kph, then suddenly he thought, "What am I doing? I'm too old for this!" and pulled over to await the copper's arrival.

Pulling in behind him, the copper got out of his vehicle and walked up to the car.

He looked at his watch, then said, "Sir, my shift ends in 30 minutes.

Today is Friday.

If you can give me a new reason for speeding - a reason I've never before heard - I'll let you go.."

The old gentleman paused then said, "Thirty three years ago, my wife ran off with a policeman; I thought you were bringing her back."

"Have a good day, Sir," replied the copper.

Tasmania

A senior citizen in Tasmania was overheard saying, "When the end of the world comes, I hope to be here."

When asked why, he replied,

"I'd rather be in Tasmania 'cause everything happens in Tasmania 20 years later than in the rest of the world."

Northern Territory

The young man from NT came running into the store and said to his mate,

"Johnno, somebody just stole your Ute from the parking lot!"

Johnno replied, "Did ya see who it was?"

The young man answered, "I couldn't tell, but I got the licence number."

Western Australia

A WA highway patrol pulled over a car on the main road. The copper asked,
"Got any ID?"
The driver replied, "about what?"

Victoria

The copper pulled up next to the guy unloading garbage out of his Ute into the ditch.
The copper asked,
"Why are you dumping garbage in the ditch? Don't you see that sign right over your head."
"Yep," he replied.
"That's why I'm dumpin' it here, 'cause it says:
'Fine For Dumping Garbage.'"

Sent in by Paul & Helen Anderson

2020 Committee Members:

President -	Neville Henderson
Vice President -	Colin Every
Secretary -	Helen Anderson
Treasurer -	Joy Henderson
Assistant Secretary -	Paul Anderson
Rally Co-Ordinator -	Joy Henderson
Newsletter Editor -	Peter Lowe
Web Master -	Lorraine Barrett
Committee Members -	Mick Robinson, Ian Bailey, Robert Beesley, Shaun Bowers
Association Delegates -	Tricia Spencer, Robert Beesley, Peter Lowe
Welfare Officer -	Wynette Lowe

Note

Committee Members & Members could you please forward your reports & anything else you would like to have in the Club Newsletter by the 20th of each month.

Peter Lowe
Newsletter Editor

Club Merchandise

The following endorsed merchandise is available through Lorraine Bain.

Monte Carlo Shirts (white/navy) Biz Cool (Summer National State Rally)

Ladies 8-24 Men's S-5XL	\$38.50
Poly Fleece Jackets Navy	\$38.50
Add your name	\$ 5.00
Magnetic Name Tags	\$10.00

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