

May 2022 Newsletter

REMINDER

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Joy (Treasurer)

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE MAY 2022

After the close of the Gloucester rally I wrote to Mid Coast Council complaining about the state of the park, including the damage caused by the tree branch falling on the solar panels of Tony and Maria's van, but have not received a response at the time of writing. Greg Cavanagh also contacted the Council and he has received the following;

" The council officer I spoke with was well aware of complaints about the condition of the park and the attitude of management. He advised that the lease of the park is up for tender and the current lease holder has been told not to bother applying. He hoped to see new management make improvements.

Council is conscious of the financial contribution that Grey Nomads make to the economy of the nation and the trickledown effect for small communities.

Councils officer hoped we would return some time in the future and have a better experience at the park."

Well done Greg !!!!

Because we had 10 vans or over, the club put on a sausage sizzle lunch for the attendees. Thanks to Colin, Bob, Mick and Robin for their help at the bar-b-que, Judi and Greg for cleaning the tables in the park and Liane for the chocolates for desert and helping Joy cut up the onions.

Thanks Liz and Bob for organising an excellent rally. I look forward to seeing you at Shoalhaven Heads or a future rally.

Until then...carry on caravanning

Neville Henderson OAM JP

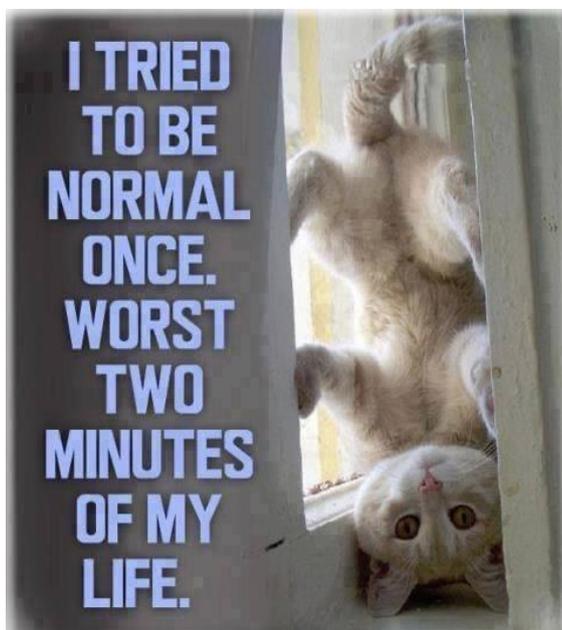


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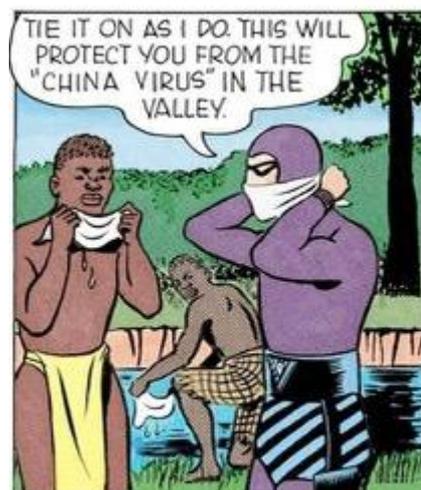
SHOALHAVEN June 1 - 8	Holiday Haven Shoalhaven Heads 49 McIntosh Street, SHOALHAVEN HEADS 2535 Tel: 4429 5409	Col & Vinnie Every	\$45pn for 2 adults less Seniors Card or Big 4 \$30pn Singles no disc	Pets allowed separate area Mention with Jayco Club of NSW Sites not reserved, will put together
SAWTELL July 20- 27	Big 4 Sawtell Caravan Pk 5 Lyons Road, SAWTELL Tel: 6648 4485 Sally	Joy & Neville	\$45pn	No pets Under Jayco name 10 Reserved Quote Group Booking No. 120960 when booking
DUBBO AUG 17 - 24	NRMA Dubbo Holiday Park Cnr Whylandra & Alfred St. DUBBO Tel: 1800 824820	Host Required	\$37.80pn disc.	10 Sites reserved Zoo Japanese Gardens Pet friendly
POTATO POINT Sept 14 - 16 (3 NIGHTS)	Beachcomber Caravan Park Blackfellows Beach Road, POTATO POINT 2525 Tel: 4473 5312	Robyn & Dorothy	\$47 powered Site. Less for non Powered Site Dep. Needed.	Reserved 8 Powered Sites. Only have 8 powered, plenty of unpowered 6 amp for fridge, lights, No dump point (it is at Moruya) bring own water make your own Pizza, can buy Pizza dough from them. Great fun
NELLIGEN Sept 17 - 21 (4 NIGHTS)	Nelligen Big4 Caravan Park 970 Kings Highway, NELLIGEN 2536 Tel: 4478 1076	Robyn & Dorothy	\$41 Less Big 4	Pet friendly

Reminder: As soon as you book a Rally, please let the Host know

Also, Sawtell Park is filling up for that time, so if you are going you may need to book as soon as you can. Unfortunately, this park is not pet friendly



See, the Phantom knew...



Would you believe, this comic was published in 1957?!

GLOUCESTER RALLY REPORT



Attendance:

Ray Gardiner, Mick and Lyn Robinson, Dorothy and Robin Wells, Liz and Bob Beesley, Colin and Vinnie Every, Helen and Paul Anderson, Neville and Joy Henderson, Tony and Maria Battaglia, Winnie and Pete Lowe, Greg and Judi Cavanagh, Jim and Rhonda Mosley, Terry and Lorraine Bain, David and Liane Dijan and Pat and Peter Rohwer.

It was great to see the sunshine most days as clearly Gloucester had received plenty of rain before our arrival. We all settled in well and there was plenty of chatter and goodies at all our gatherings.

We had a lunch outing on Friday at the Gloucester Bowling Club (within walking distance)



The attendees enjoying a delicious meal

The township was also within walking distance and most people took a stroll to the shops, the second-hand bookshop or along the Gloucester River.

The story of interest on Saturday afternoon was a wind event which saw branches from the trees around us fall and hit one of our vans and a car. Unfortunately, the solar panel on Tony and Maria's van was damaged. Mick and Lyn's ute was hit by a large branch but fortunately, did not sustain any visible damage.

On Sunday it rained heavily all afternoon and it was the only occasion when we could not meet for afternoon tea or drinks.

Those who have visited Gloucester Caravan Park previously will remember the 'Pump House' where we could meet but unfortunately the riverbank next to the Pump House had subsided in the heavy rain and the hall was out of use.

On Monday we met at the park nearby where there were public BBQs and a sheltered picnic area and we had a lovely lunch (paid for by the club). The sausages from the local butcher were very good and we had plenty of helpers on hand to prepare the venue, cook lunch and clean up afterwards.



The Cooking

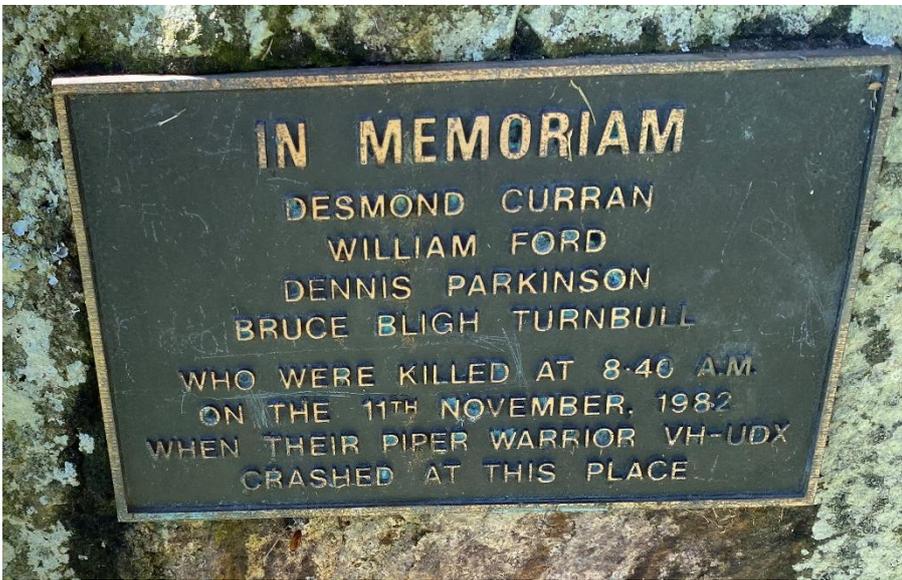


The Serving and Eating

Following lunch some of our members revisited their childhood.



Fortunately, there were no injuries.



A further point of interest found during the lunch was this plaque adjacent to the BBQ area. Bruce Bligh Turnbull was the father of our former Prime Minister. Remember this for future trivia nights.

Many thanks to all who attended. We had a very enjoyable rally.

Welfare

There have been no welfare issues during the month of May. Hopefully we all remain safe and well.

For issues concerning the welfare of members and their families please contact:

Wynette Lowe by phone

Happy Birthday wishes to our young members



June	Robin Wells (1 st); Dean Ritossa (6 th); Helen Anderson (8 th); Chris Bailey (10 th);
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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.

Greg Cavanagh
Newsletter Editor

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Treasurer - Joy Henderson

Rally Co-Ordinator - Joy Henderson

Newsletter Editor - Greg Cavanagh

Web Master - Lorraine Barrett

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Association Delegates - Robert Beesley, Colin Every

Welfare Officer - Wynette Lowe

Club Merchandise

The following endorsed merchandise is available through Lorraine or Terry Bain either by phone on 0427 622 700 or via email

Monte Carlo Shirts (white or blue) Biz Cool (Summer National State Rally)

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