
PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE OCTOBER 2023

Hi everyone.

We have just returned from a very enjoyable rally in Canberra where there were 5 vans in attendance and thanks to Dorothy and Robin Wells for an enjoyable time.

As Christmas is fast approaching, we look forward to our Christmas rally at Norah Heads. This year is also the 20th Anniversary of our club, and we will celebrate this special occasion at our Christmas Lunch on Friday 24 November 2023. If you know of any previous members who would like to join us at Christmas lunch, please advise the Rally Co-ordinator of their intention to attend.

2025 looks like a busy year with not only the National Rally at the AREC Mudgee (being run by the NSW Association) and it is also the 50th anniversary of Jayco. I have written to Gerry Ryan to see if he is planning any celebration similar to 40th anniversary. So far I haven't received an answer. I will keep you informed.

Until then.... carry on caravanning.

Neville



The shoe you either love or hate .

RALLY REPORT CANBERRS 11th to 17th OCTOBER 2023



Attendees: Neville & Joy Henderson, Bob & Liz Beesley, Alan & Janice St. Vincent, David, Lian & Nala Dijan, Robin & Dorothy Wells.

Everyone arrived on Wednesday 11/10 to bright sunny weather. Canberra Park opened in 2017 and there are 64 powered sites, a large number of which are drive through. The facilities are all well maintained. However, there is no shade as the trees are still quite young. We experienced one strong storm & the rest of the week was dry though the wind had us making good use of the well kitted out and large Camp Kitchen for Morning/Afternoon Teas & Happy Hours. We also enjoyed several meals in the Camp Kitchen. The group visited the National Arboretum for lunch while enjoying a great view over the Arboretum and across Lake Burley Griffin. Everyone was very impressed with the Arboretum's large Bonsai Collection. On Saturday we walked to the Farmers Market at EPIC, directly opposite Canberra Park, to check out the produce. A few people couldn't resist the temptation to try the very tasty Sausage Rolls on offer while others opted to sample a great range of pastries. Unfortunately, dogs are not allowed in the Camp Kitchen nor at the Farmers Market. Liane kindly introduced the group to Mega-Dominoes. Who says we're not a competitive group? Thanks Liane.

The Wells and Beesley's departed the rally on Monday 16/10 with the rest of the group heading off on Wed 18/10.

Robin & Dorothy



The camp kitchen was well used by the group.



Inside the Arboretum with the centrepiece representing the growth rings of a tree



Look but do not touch!



The impressive roof structure of the Arboretum

RALLIES

NORAH HEAD Nov 22 - 29	Norah Head Caravan Park, Victoria Street, NORAH HEAD 1800 241 342	Committee	Christmas Rally / 20th Anniversary BYO Lunch, our Club supply desserts and breakfast Saturday morning <i>Bring your van & table decorations</i> Your toddler photo for competition Raffle Pet friendly
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The Jayco Club of NSW Inc.



**Invites Members
to Celebrate Christmas
at**

**Norah Head Caravan Park
Victoria Street
NORAH HEAD**

on Friday 24th November 2023

BYO Lunch will be at 12.30pm

Desserts supplied by our Club

BYO all drinks, plates, utensils and condiments

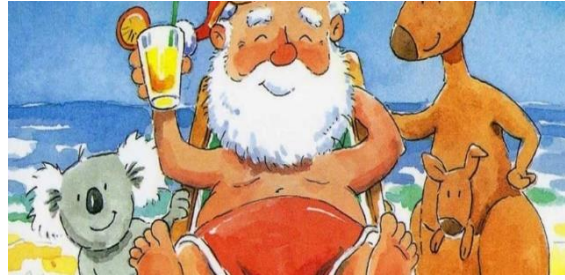
Cost: Raffle tickets only

Raffle: Each van to bring something for the Raffle

Club Raffles will be drawn after Lunch

*******RSVP: Joy Henderson by 10th November to *******

If you are coming on **Friday Only you also need to RSVP (state that you are a day visitor please)**



REMINDERS

Christmas Rally: - This year is the Club's **20th Anniversary**. We intend celebrating it with a cake along with our Christmas Rally at Lunch on the **Friday 24th**.

If you know any past members that might be interested please let them know and advise me if they intend to come, they will be BYO lunch, dessert supplied.

Competition: We will be having a **Toddler/Baby Competition** at the Christmas Rally. Please put your name on the back of the photo and give to me before the Friday so I can assemble.

Raffle: - The usual **raffle** will be held, please supply a prize and bring along on the day or give to me on arrival.

Also something small for Christmas Hamper (e.g. chocs, biscuits, tinned stuff)

2024: A draft 2024 Rally and Tag-a-Long will be drawn up by the Rally for discussion.

Welfare

There have been no welfare issues this month.

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

Wynette Lowe

Happy Birthday wishes to our young members.



November	Ray Gardner (2nd); Ernie Ross (7th); Bob Beesley (21st); Greg Cavanagh (26th); Peter Rohwer (28th); Carline Ross (30th)
December	David Dijan (3rd); Liane Dijan (17th); Chris Peterson (19th); Tricia Spencer (21st); Colin Every (26th); Lorraine Barrett (28th)

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

2022/2023 Committee Members:

President - Neville Henderson

Vice President - Robert Beesley

Secretary - Liane Dijan

Treasurer - Joy Henderson

Rally Co-Ordinator - Joy Henderson

Newsletter Editor - Greg Cavanagh

Web Master - Lorraine Barrett

Committee Members - Mick Robinson, Ian Bailey, Robert Beesley, Shaun Bowers, Greg Cavanagh and Paul Anderson

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)

Ladies 8-24 Men's S-5XL

Poly Fleece Jackets Navy

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