

NDSCC's aim: To provide social outings for those who enjoy getting out in their cars.

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The Oily Rag

January - February 2015

NEXT RUN DATES:

- 1. March 15th Chris & Sharon Tilyard
- 2. April 19th Stan & Jenny Vallance

We meet on the 3rd Sunday of each month at Centennial Lakes, Caboolture (opp tennis courts) at 8.30am for a 9.00 departure unless otherwise advised.

Our Northern Districts Social Car

Club exists for the pleasure of getting together with great people that have the similar interests.

So please, try to make the effort to come along on these runs.

Our members go to a lot of effort to organize our events.

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January 18th, 2015 Club run.

Dee and Graeme organized this run for the first one of the new year and decided to make it a short run to Glasshouse Mountains Lookout owing to the heat.

We all met at the usual meeting place but at a later time and proceeded out to the highway and then onto Steve Irwin Way where on reaching Landsborough we turned left and travelled down the other side of the railway line to the turn off at Beerwah. On reaching the Lookout we commandeered a double gazebo where we all had a good chinwag, meeting and lunch. Dee drew the raffle and also the poker run.

Geoff was having a bit of trouble with his Falcon getting a bit warm.







NORTHERN DISTRICTS SOCIAL CAR CLUB

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 18th JANUARY 2015.

AT GLASSHOUSE MOUNTAINS LOOKOUT.

PRESENT: As per attendance book

APOLOGIES: Elaine Gallacher, Yvonne & Greg, Jayne & Matt, Bob Pritchard

VISITORS: Nil

Our Vice-President Graeme Douglas opened the meeting at 11:00 AM, and

welcomed all members and visitors.

TREASURERS REPORT:

Submitted by Julie Walters. (see attachment)

Brief summary:- Balance brought forward. \$5,900.73.

Income- \$260.00

Expenditure \$1,684

Balance in Account .. \$4.476.33

<u>Moved:</u> Julie Walters, <u>Seconded:</u> A.Gallacher: that Treasurers Report be accepted - Carried SECRETARY'S REPORT.

Minutes of last meeting - Published in "The Oily Rag".

Moved:- Alex Gallacher that minutes be confirmed, Seconded Chris Tillyard - Carried.

Outgoing Correspondence:- Nil

<u>Incoming correspondence</u>:- Letter of thanks from Prostate Cancer Foundation for our donation.

Moved: Alex Gallacher, Seconded Sandy Provis that the Secretary's report be accepted - carried.

MATTERS ARISING:-.

Xmas Party. All members agreed that it was an excellent night out, and that a formal minute of thanks be placed on record to Cameron & Lisa Dent for the use of their premises and the effort they put into ensuring the event was a success. Carried unanimously.

GENERAL BUSINESS

Club Runs

We still need volunteers to run our monthly runs January. Graeme & Denise have offered to organize this run. Volunteers were requsted and the following members have agreed to organize the following runs:-

FEBRUARY.. Julie & Ron Walters

MARCH.. Chris & Sharon Tilltard

APRIL.. Stan & Jenny Vallance

MAY.. Alex & Elaine Gallacher.

Many thanks to the above members for offering their services. It certainly helps our enjoyment of the runs when others organize them and take us to different destinations.

Club Shirts

We still have a number of the club shirts available and it was decided to offer them to members in attendance at the bargain price of \$10.00 each. All sold within minutes!

Insurance:

The vexed question of Public Liability Insurance was raised, and the Secretary reported that his investigation had revealed that if:-

- (a) The Club had any assets.
- (b) The Club leased or rented premises
- (c) The Club owned any rentable property

Then Public Liability Insurance was essential to protect the office bearers and members from financial claims on themselves or their property.

It was also pointed out that entry onto certain Local or State government reserves (eg end of run BBQ's etc) also required production of a Public Liability Insurance Certificate – or entry would be denied.

It was also pointed out that by Law, were are obliged to state on our membership forms, and inform prospective members, that we do not carry Public Liability Insurance.

As we do have some assets (Club shelters, barbeque) it was generally agreed that to protect our committee members, and by inference ordinary members, we should take out a minimum Public Liability Insurance Policy, and the Secretary would investigate premium costs – believed to be in the \$500 - \$600 per annum range. All members to be advised of this outcome via email from Secretary.

RAFFLE RESULTS:-

1st Prize Chris Tillyard

2nd Prize Sandy Provis

Poker Run Prize (Pair of Jacks) Sandy Provis!!

There being no further business, meeting was closed at 11:45AM

Alex Gallacher... Hon Sec

February 15th Run

Well here we go again, another Sunday, another run, same old faces.....But wait, what's this? New faces – new cars, people I haven't seen before! What a revelation! A great turn up for our little club run and barbeque. Maybe it's the sausages?

Anyway, off we went on a very circuitous route through Rothwell and Kippa-ring, following the water all the way along the Esplanade. I have to say it was a lot easier following the water than trying to follow Ron Walters – he'd give Mark Webber a run for his money!

See, I didn't know where we were going, and without a navigator, it was easier to follow someone than try to decipher the very detailed directions provided by Julie – but, boy, did I pick the wrong guy to follow!! Must not have been my lucky day (is it ever?), because after I lost Ronnie at one change of traffic lights, the next car I picked (no names, to protect the guilty) took me and a few others on a very scenic drive through our morning tea destination at Pelican Park. Seems I wasn't the only one who didn't know where they were going.

Arriving – finally - at the morning tea stop, we picked up our President – no that doesn't sound right, Bob wasn't on the ground. On arriving we were joined by our President Bob and others who had decided to meet us there. Perhaps they too had experienced the drama of following Ron Walters on a previous run and decided "discretion is the better part of valour". Whatever the reason, our numbers were swelled even further by their attendance and it was good to see.

After a very pleasant chin wag and a cuppa, it was time to round up the wagons and head northwards to our final destination. With a slight degree of trepidation I found myself behind Ron again, but decided to make the best of it and gritted my teeth, setting my jaw into that kind of steely resolve reserved for heroes of the silver screen.

To give you a small snippet of the complexity of the instructions, below is a small sample of the route from around the Suttons Beach area:

"past Humbybong School, second Xt at roundabout, next roundabout 2nd xt into Redcliffe Pde, L Baker St, R Sutton St, roundabout 3rd xt Humpybong St. Through Scarborough 2nd exit Landsborough Ave, right Fortune St becomes 2nd Ave, left Reef Point Espl,2nd xt to Thurecht Pde, left Oyster Pt......and so on.

So you can see it was similar to a rally drivers pace notes "left 300 bend 50, dip 300" only I was trying to follow the pacemaker through the traffic!

Luckily, when we got to Klinger Rd I had some idea where we were, and relaxed a bit and enjoyed the drive......until we got to Bay Rd lights....then it was on again – right here, left there, watch the turn, right, left, left, right. It was like having "she who must be obeyed" in the passenger seat with ESP!

But I digress – it was a really interesting drive and a departure from our normal long excursions into the hinterland. And speaking personally (despite the tongue-in-cheek comments above) I thoroughly enjoyed it!

After a relaxing drive down Bribie Island road we arrived at the Ponderosa de Walters, where table s and chairs were set up, and we all settled down for another drink while Ron attended to

the barbequing of the snags. Denise managed to arrive full of good cheer and raffle tickets, and we enjoyed a sumptuous lunch accompanied by some very nice salads prepared by our host.

As a special treat Julie had also made a plate load of pikelets with lashings of jam and cream – very decadent.

All in all a great run, a great feed, a great turnout, and excellent company to share it with. Many thanks to Julie and Ron for the effort they put in to organize this very popular run. Alex.











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Holding a banana peel over a bruise (for 10 to 30 minutes), will remove it's color!

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Use the bottom portion of an empty 2 liter pop botle to make flavored ice for your punch bowl.

It will look like a flower!

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Do not use chemicals to kill ants. Instead, get a spray bottle, fill it with water and salt (25%), shake well, spray... boom, dead!

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Smile a While

A fleeing Taliban terrorist, desperate for water, was plodding through the Afghan desert when he saw something far off in the distance.

Hoping to find water, he hurried toward the mirage, only to find a ver frail little old Newfie man standing at a small makeshift display rack - selling ties.

The Taliban terrorist asked, "Do you have water?"

The Newfie replied, "I have no water. Would you like to buy a tie? They are only \$5."

The Taliban shouted hysterically, "Idiot Infidel! I do not need such an over-priced western adornment - I spit on your ties. I need water!" "Sorry, I have none - just ties - pure silk - and only \$5."

"Pahh! A curse on your ties, I should wrap one around your scrawny little neck and choke the life out of you but . . . I must conserve my energy and find water!"

"Okay," said the little old Newfie, "It does not matter that you do not want to buy a tie from me or that you hate me, threaten my life and call me infidel. I will show you that I am bigger than any of that. If you continue over that hill to the east for about two miles, you will find a restaurant. It has the finest food and all the ice-cold water you need. Go In Peace."

Cursing him again, the desperate Taliban staggered away over the hill.

Several hours later he crawled back, almost dead, and gasped . . . "They won't let me in without a tie!"

Only the Irish have Jokes Like These

Into a Belfast pub comes Paddy Murphy, looking like he'd just been run over by a train.

His arm is in a sling, his nose is broken, His face is cut and bruised and he's walking with a limp

"What happened to you?" asks Sean, the bartender.

" Jamie O'Conner and me had a fight," says Paddy.

"That little shit, O'Conner," says Sean, "He couldn't do that to you, he must have had something in his hand."

"That he did," says Paddy, "a shovel is what he had, And a terrible lickin' he gave me with it."

"Well," says Sean, "you should have defended yourself, Didn't you have something in your hand?"

That I did," said Paddy.

"Mrs. O'Conner's breast, and a thing of Beauty it was, but useless in a fight."

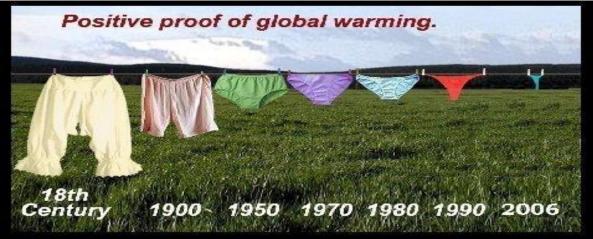
AND THE BEST FOR LAST

A drunk staggers into a Catholic Church, enters a confessional booth, sits down, but says nothing.

The Priest coughs a few times to get his attention but the drunk continues to sit there.

Finally, the Priest pounds three times on the wall.

The drunk mumbles, "ain't no use knockin, there's no paper on this side either!"





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8/03/2015 ANNUAL BEENLEIGH SWAP

Show Ring, Beenleigh Showground, James Street Beenleigh 6am until noon

Gates open 4am for sites, entry off James St. Public access from 6am.. ALL parking off Milne St.

Public \$3 Adults...Pensioners and kids \$1



26th April Kenilworth Hotel Car Show – assemble 8am











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Please refer to the site below to see if there are any events you like.

For full list go to www.pinky.com.au

Club sanctioned runs per month. If you know of any more please let me know. If you are going to any of these you must carry this list with you, just in case you are pulled over.

Every Friday night	Old Petrie town
1 st Saturday	Yatala Drive- In. Show n Shine
1 st & 3rd Friday	Harry's Diner, Newmarket Rd, Newmarket. 5.30pm till 9pm.
Every Friday	Munch Inn, Cnr Beaudesert Rd & Elizabeth St, Acacia Ridge.
1 st Saturday	Westfield, North Lakes 5:30pm
Last Saturday	Cancelled

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