

NDSCC aims to provide social outings for those who enjoy getting out in their cars.

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# The Oily Rag

July - August 2020

#### UPCOMING RUN DATES

1. September 20th: AGM at Toorbul

2. October 18th: TBA

3. November 15th: TBA

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

# **Our Northern Districts**

Social Car Club exists
for the pleasure of
getting together with
great people that have
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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Please send requests, queries or comments regarding The Oily Rag to the editors.

#### **NOTICES**

## **COVID-19 pandemic**

As of 31<sup>st</sup> August gatherings in public spaces have been limited to 10 people in Brisbane, Cherbourg, Ipswich, Gold Coast, Goondiwindi, Lockyer Valley, Logan, Moreton Bay, Redland City, Scenic Rim, Somerset, South Burnett, Southern Downs, Toowoomba, and Western Downs.

Please check your emails for updates about whether or not club runs are cancelled.



To those having a birthday, anniversary, etc. we hope you have a marvellous day!







To those who are feeling under the weather, we wish you a speedy recovery

### **FOND MEMORIES**

**2016 Eagle Rock Cafe:** 20/11/16

Photos by Jayne Pritchard









# MINUTES FOR GENERAL MEETING: July, 2020

<u>CALL TO ORDER</u>: A general meeting of NDSCC was held on Sunday, 19/07/2020 at Wivenhoe Dam. It began at 10:30am and was presided over by President Bob Pritchard.

**ATTENDEES**: As per attendance book.

**APOLOGIES**: As per attendance book.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Bob greeted everyone and thanked everyone for coming.

**TREASURER'S REPORT**: Submitted by Julie Walters and moved to be accepted by Julie, seconded by Jenny and passed.

**SECRETARY'S REPORT:** Minutes from the previous meeting were moved, seconded and passed. Nothing else from the secretary's report.

**SOCIAL DIRECTOR'S REPORT**: Due to the current COVID-19 business it has been decided that the October Long Weekend will NOT go ahead this year. It's a shame but we will make it a good one next year.

#### **GENERAL BUSINESS:**

Welcome to our new members!

- Keith & Anne Davies with a 1985 Nissan
- Trent & Lisa Eversham with 3 classic Holdens
- Chris Fiorini brings his 1988 Merc
- Stephen & Annalyn own a 1967 Valiant!
- Dean Jones (not the cricketer!) brings a 1982 Chev
- Richard & Jane Maas with their 1980 Troopcarrier
- Garry Connell

Members are reminded that the "members" email is to be used appropriately. Heidi will send an email with the correct addresses for future reference.

The meeting was closed at 10:45am.

# **JULY RUN:** Wivenhoe Dam, 19/07/20

Organised by Karen and Robert Wruck, written by Julie Walters, photos by Bob Pritchard

It's great to be out and about again for our first run since the start of all the madness. As you can guess, I won the lucky draw and had to do this report.

We met at the meeting place in Caboolture with a fairly good roll up for the time, but still the same old ones. The weather was lovely and not so cold, especially in the sun. We headed off via the back way onto King street heading to Kilcoy. Ron and I took a wrong turn but realised our mistake and turned around but Alex was following and kept going, and turned up about half an hour later.

We all stopped for morning tea and our first meeting since March at the Aston park just as you come into Kilcoy and met up with more members. After a good chinwag we decided to head off towards Wivenhoe Dam. Heidi and Alex left us here to attend to family affairs.

We had to make a pit stop at Harlem and lost site of the rest of the members but it was a nice drive through Esk.

Lots and lots of bikes on the road taking advantage of the bit extra freedom and glad to be out for a ride.

The drive seemed to take forever but we finally got there and it was packed. Out with the good old Subway for lunch and a cuppa. Nobody wanted to go home.

We finally left heading to the gateway but WE missed the first turnoff to the airport, then we missed the next one to the Northern Suburbs and ended up going through Mount Gravatt before finally getting on the M1 heading for home.











# **AUGUST RUN:** Pirate Park, 16/08/20

Organised by Bob Pritchard, written by Matt Sinagra, photos by Jayne Pritchard

Emerging from our covid cave, it was the first chance for a sunshine filled albeit moderately windy day out and about. The day started off at the regular starting point, Centenary Lakes, where there was a great turnout and everyone was able to enjoy a prerun chinwag.

When the clock struck 9:00am it was time to go! Fifteen minutes later everybody was in their car heading to our sole destination for this run, Pirate Park on Bribie Island. The drive to Bribie was relaxing with the sun shining and surprisingly not a lot of traffic over to the island.

When we arrived I was blown away... by the wind, but it didn't take too long for the wind to settle down. It was a beautiful location overlooking the water and the glasshouse mountains. Despite the cold weather there were a few brave people swimming nearby. The water was crystal clear so you can hardly blame them!

As soon I began to peel the glad wrap off my sandwich, I as well as other members heard the sweet chimes of an ice-cream truck in the not-so-far distance.

Soon we swarmed the truck to get our sweet treats, some of us having our dessert before even touching out lunch. This just goes to show that it's never too cold for an ice cream!

Once we had sufficiently stretched our jaws and caught up with everyone, it was time to head home.

Thanks to our president for organising another excellent club run!



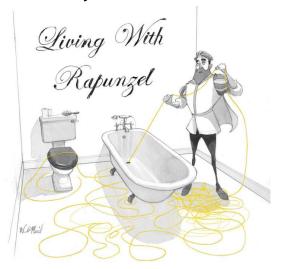








# JUST FOR LAUGHS: From the mind of Will McPhail

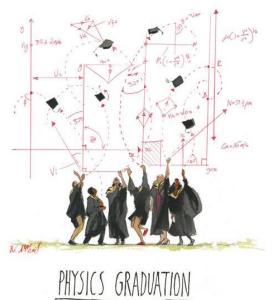




"Your dad and I are getting a divorce."









PANNING FOR SENSE

#### **CLASSIFIEDS**

For anyone looking to get married or renew their vows, please contact Denise to make arrangements.





Contact John at The Tech Room for NDSCC member discounts!