

The *Dily* Rag

Sept. Oct. Nov. Dec

2023

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NEXT RUN DATES:

1. Jan run – Dee and Graeme
2. Feb – Bob Pritchard
3. March – Alex Gallagher
4. April – Jeff and Cath
5. May – Jen & Stan (Combined CHACC/NDSCC)

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.

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MEETING AND AGM HELD AT TOORBUL WATERFRONT 17th Sep 2023

GENERAL MEETING

Commencing at 11.08am and was presided over by President Bob Pritchard.

ATTENDEES: As per attendance book.

APOLOGIES: Robert and Karen Wruck, Rod and Vanessa, Kim, John, Carol, Hank and Gail.

RESIGNATIONS: Nil resignations.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Bob thanked everyone for attending. He encouraged new members to put their hand up for committee positions and to organise club runs to new locations.

SECRETARY'S REPORT - Nil to report – no outgoing – incoming affiliation renewal.

TREASURER'S REPORT: (as at 30th August 2023)

The treasurers report was read out by the treasurer – note that all records of income and expenditure can be viewed at any time – not printed in our newsletter in case of hacking.

Moved to be accepted by Jeff – seconded by Denise Douglas– accepted by all members.

NEW MEMBERS: - no new members.

General Meeting was now held for commencement of AGM

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Commenced at: 11.20am

The meeting was now handed over to Alex Gallacher to chair the meeting as all positions are now declared vacant..

ATTENDEES: As per attendance book.

CHAIRS REPORT:

The AGM minutes from last year were handed out to members. Have all members read the minutes – Moved minutes by accepted by Julie –seconded by Jenny – all read and carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Northern Districts Social Car Club Inc

Expenditure and stock taken from the books kept by the Treasurer Jeff Treva for the year 1st July, 2022 to 30th June, 2023.

“The association keeps financial records in a way which properly records the association’s income and expenditure and dealings with its assets and liabilities”.

The treasurers report was read out by the treasurer – note that all records of income and expenditure can be viewed at any time – not printed in our newsletter in case of hacking.
 Moved to be accepted by Jeff – seconded by Denise Douglas– accepted by all members.

SECRETARY’S REPORT: Steve thanked everyone for all their efforts this year.

Alec declared all officer bearer positions were declared vacant.

The following positions were elected by members.

Role	Name	Nominated by:	Seconded	Accept
President	Rob Wruck	Stephen Lindridge	Bob Pritchard	Yes
Vice President	Graeme Douglas	Jenny Vallance	Ann Lindridge	Yes
Secretary	Stephen Lindridge	Denise Douglas	Alex Gallagher	Yes
Treasurer	Jeff Trevan	Stephen Lindridge	Cathie Trevan	Yes
Social Director	Jenny Vallance	Alex Gallagher	Steve Roseneder	Yes
Social Assist	Denise Douglas	Ann Lindridge	Jeff Trevan	Yes
Photographer	Ann Lindridge	Frank Tenney	Stephen Lindridge	Yes
Dating Officers	Bob Pritchard +Ron Walters +Kim Bowers +Jeff Trevan	Denise Douglas	John Larkin	Yes All
Magazine Ed	Dee Douglas	Jeff Trevan	Stephen	Yes
Assist Ed	Alec Gallacher	Stan Vallance	Kim Bowers	Yes
Webpage	John Prichard	Frank Tenney	Stan Vallance	Yes

It is noted that although we have an official photographer, we strongly encourage all members to take pics and send through to denisedouglas001@outlook.com to download to newsletter.

AGM: General Business: No general business to discuss at this time.

The meeting was **closed at 11.20am**

CONTINUATION OF GENERAL MEETING: at 11.45

UPCOMING RUNS

October _____	Long weekend away - Gayndah
November _____	Xmas Party
December _____	NO RUN
January _____	Dee and Graeme
February _____	Bob Pritchard
March _____	Alex Gallagher
April _____	Jeff and Cath
May _____	Stan and Jen (combined run with CHACC)
June _____	Denise and John Larkin
July _____	Stephen and Ann
August _____	Presidents Run (Robert and Karen Wruck)
September _____	AGM – Toorbul

General Business: Graeme took this opportunity to thank all outgoing office bearers for their dedication to this club and for their contribution to making it the club it is today.

Thanks to the new members who have been elected in committee positions and a big thanks from all members.

After no further general business meeting closed at 11.50am

RUN REPORT – Sunday 15th October 2023

Thanks Kim

So here we are again, another month closer to the end of yet another year. I am writing this report, well I don't know why I am writing this report as I wrote the last one too... Maybe it is becoming a habit.... One I should charge for hahaha.

We did the usual thing and met at Centenary Lakes at the usual time for the usual departure... Except we departed half hour late because we were all talking. Well we had a really good turn out and lots to discuss about different things. The woman talk about the weather and work and the boys just talk about cars.

When we did head off I was near the back of the line and the first car was about a kilometer in front of me. We headed for the open road up towards Wamuran but then made a right turn and through some nice paddocks and trees that I hadn't known were there... I love roads I haven't been on ☺

We eventually came out onto Beerburrum Rd and headed to Glasshouse Mountains Lookout, but we didn't go there. Instead we turned to the right and up the road a wee bit was Bankfoot House located opposite the Cobb and Co horse drawn carriages and is connected to each other in that passengers would stay in the farmhouse while their horses or Cobb & Co horses would stay on the other side of the road. Bankfoot House is 3 generations old and used to be about 100 acres large but is now only

2 acres and owned by the council after the last generation, Clementine and her husband died there and the last person in the family Jack Ferris died there earlier this century in 2002. He was 101 years old. (see pics in this issue)

The property is worth a look, and they provided tea, coffee and refreshments. A big happy birthday to Jenny and a big thanks to Carol for bringing the yummy cake, and to the staff who told the history of the house and did the tour through it telling us bits of information along the way.

We spent a lot of time here, but eventually had to go to our lunch date which was just down the road at the Glass House Mountains Tavern. The drive was horrendous, it took all of 10 minutes, in this heat too but we made it and all filed into the air conditioning. It was a great little pub and the food was very good. Best calamari I have ever had and they made my Lemon, Lime and bitters perfectly.

A big thanks to the organisers of this run....

WEEKEND AWAY – October 20th, 21st, 22nd October

I'm writing my own report on the weekend away as sadly I had no other takers to do it, so here goes.

We all met at the Lakes on Friday 20th Oct – I have to say at this point – I absolutely love these weekends away – it is usually the same people each year and I hope you enjoy the runs as much as we do. (Stephen and Ann we hope to see you two come along next year)

We all headed off about 10ish and headed to Kilkivan our first stop for lunch – the drive there was lovely and we pretty much all kept up with each other.

After a lovely lunch we headed off to our weekend stay – the Colonial Motor Inn in Gayndah. Again, a lovely drive through the countryside. In case you did not know Gayndah is the oldest town in Queensland and has a very interesting history.

After arriving we were all a bit tired, so we unpacked our things (some of us had a nanna nap) and then we had all the usual cheeses, and biccies and of course quite a few alcoholic beverages. Most of us were in bed by 9pm to get ready for the really long drive the next day.

Saturday: After a lovely breaky we all headed off to the Bundaberg Rum Factory. It was good that we all got away by 9am as it is a big driving day today.

We stopped to have morning tea at a lovely little place called Biggenden and we got a coffee, had a look through a lovely little shop there and then continued our journey to Bundaberg.

We arrived in Bundaberg for our 12.30 tour of the Distillery.

I must say that I absolutely hate rum – it is really one of the spirits that I just cannot drink – I think the rest of our group though love it.

We started off doing the rum museum tour and then through the actual distillery. This was so interesting – we got to walk through the Molasses room- it was huge – the smell was absolutely incredible – I think we all walked through contemplating if we wanted to throw ourselves in the huge vat (there are worse ways to go) – alas – common sense prevailed and we continued to do the rest of the tour. Very interesting indeed.

Our guide explained how the Molasses is made from sugar cane and again very interesting.

At the end of the tour, we were each allowed to have two tastings from the top shelf of the Bundaberg rum products. Yum..... Graeme was in 7th heaven – he got four drinks as I don't drink rum.

Anyway, once we had a walk around the shop (and spending a fair bit of money on rum and rum products) we left to head off to the Ginger Beer factory. (some members decided to head back to the Motor inn at this stage). As I was not sampling any products I was the driver for both Graeme and Frank – we all got to know each other a bit better on the drive).

For the rest of us – we did not do a tour here but did stock up on ginger beer and even some ginger beer flavoured chips (yum).

Once we were all back at the Motor Inn – it was time to freshen up before we headed off to the local pub for a fantastic meal, a few more drinkies and then back to the Motor inn with full tummies – some of us stayed up a bit later than others again with cheeses and biccies and probably some of the rum bought at the distillery.

Sunday sadly it was time to go home – after a nice breaky and a goodbye to everyone – we all headed home – some stayed and looked around the town – some headed straight home.

Thanks again to all of you for coming – this was Robert and Karen's first weekend away so we hope to see you both again on the next weekend away.

Again, you lot really are a great bunch of people and I hope we all get to do these weekends away for many more years.

Dee and Graeme

RUN REPORT – Sunday 19TH November

Submitted by Jen and Alex – I have combined the two run reports.

Arriving at centenary Lakes (alex actually arrived early) - members arrived in a vast collection of lovely vehicles. Rod and Vanessa again demonstrated their vast array of vehicles – Rod in a red Ferrari, and Vanessa in a magnificent Thunderbird. Rob and Lorraine gave their Fairlane a run, still looks great, with Jeff in the Jaguar XJS rounded out the exotics. The ever-reliable Stan and Jen in their trusty Holden, Rob and Karen in their well-preserved Holden Ute. After the usual chit-chat we all headed out.

We wound our way through the western back blocks. Couldn't believe it when we all got stopped at traffic lights on Williams Road. We then all headed off ending up in Beachmere. We had morning tea beachside and had the raffle. Won by Rod, Alex, and Cathy.

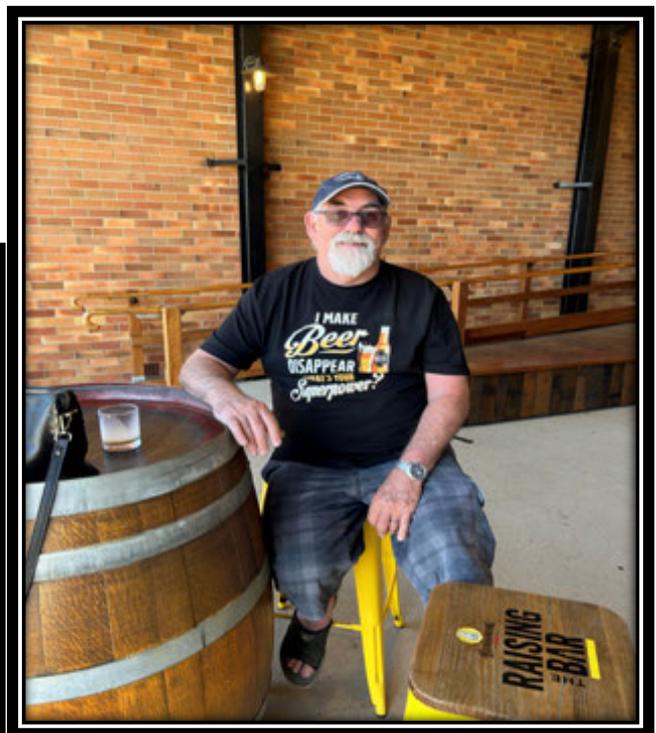
We arrived at the Lakeside raceway and were led to a building around the back where we could sit on a balcony and the park official gave us chairs to sit on. An Enduro race was going on at the track and it was fun sitting back to watch. Some very interesting driving and overtaking techniques!

The manager of the track came over to see us all, gave us some stickers and spoke to us about plans for the track next year. Top marks to Robert and Karen for such a great day. Bobby won the lucky number prize.











Boy Jeff really likes his Rum – hard to get home that size though!

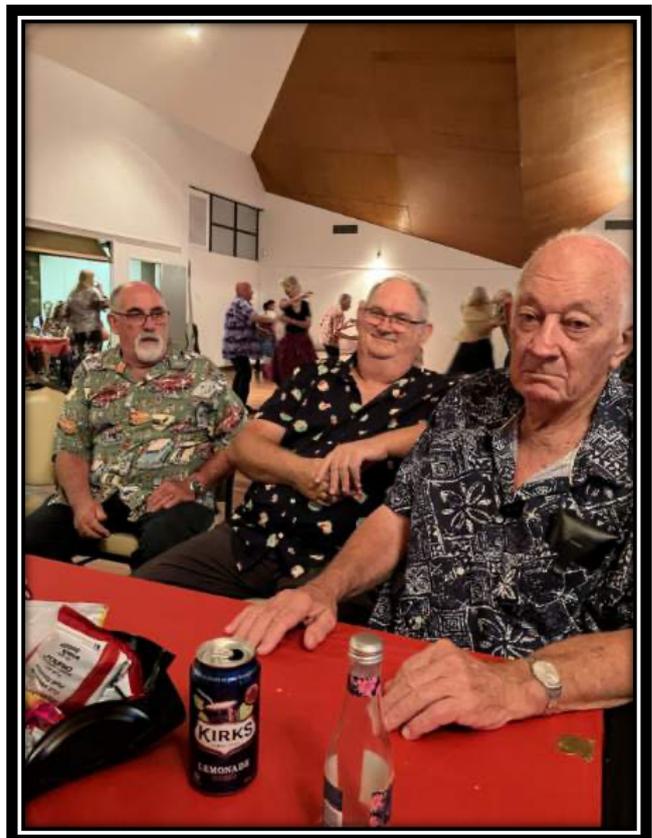


Happy Birthday Jen



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