

Brisbane Regional Register News



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Welcome to *Cat Chat!*, the 1st edition

'But we already have a great magazine!'

And, indeed, we do. *Cat Chat!* Is simply an adjunct to the magazine, and designed to be a diary reminder of upcoming events for the Brisbane Register.

Cat Chat! will arrive in your email once a month, bringing you quickly up to date with what's been happening, and what is coming up.

For those members who are not online, the magazine will continue to fulfill its role, but just not quite as frequently as this newsletter.

We hope you really enjoy catching up with *Cat Chat!*

Date claimers



15 August 2017, 7.30 pm: Brisbane Register General Meeting, Yeronga Services Club. Guest Speaker—Raymond Eaton. Discover what the links are between air-seals, NSAS and the UN. As the meeting is at the Yeronga Services Club, why not dine at the venue with other members and enjoy some pre-meeting chatter too. Address found on the last page.



27th August—Peaks Crossing info next page



17th September JDCQ Display Day as part of the All British Day



Wed 23rd August E & F Register morning drive in the country and a country café breakfast—Returning 10-11am. More Info phone Tony Nelson 0421 646 945



24 September St Helena Cruise (see details on next page).



20-22 October Kingaroy and Bunya drive and walk (see early details on next page, more information to follow).



26th November -Brisbane Register Christmas Party - more details on following page.



Date to be confirmed Brisbane City Jaguar Landrover - New showroom meeting. Watch this space!!!

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Committee Members needed!

If you would like to volunteer please reply to Joy Cooper

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Upcoming events



Kingaroy/Bunya Drive/walk—Still early days and no need to commit as yet but if you need more information please contact Ruth and Phil.

Three-day drive and walk – Kingaroy and the Bunya Mountains

20- 22 October

Mark it in your diary!

This is advance notice of a three-day drive ,staying two nights at the Burke and Wills Motel in Kingaroy, which planned for the 20 to 22 October.

Full details will be published later closer to the time.

There will be an all-inclusive price, yet to be calculated, of about \$360 per person, which will include accommodation, breakfasts, lunches and dinner, a visit to the local Kingaroy Observatory, plus many other attractions. We also plan a hike in the Bunya Mountains, but hopefully we can arrange an alternative, such as a horse and cart ride, for those not wishing to walk.



St Helena -
To book and pay, do one of the following.
Either:

W: visit [Brisbane Cruises' website](#)

P: 3630 2666

E: info@brisbanecruises.com.au

Please also RSVP Ruth and Phil so we have some idea of who is coming.

Cruise to St Helena Island

24 September

Come and explore St Helena , Queensland's first penal settlement, which is only 6 km south-east of the mouth of the Brisbane River.

A tour guide will take you back in time with a gentle 2 km walk as we visit the 100-year old ruins of the gaol. The cruise includes lunch and morning and afternoon tea and costs \$65.

The tour departs from Newstead House at 9 am and returns at 4 pm. Although members of the Jag Club will be on-board, we will not have sole use of the boat.

Step 1: book your spot through the website or phone

Step 2: RSVP to Phil and Ruth



Christmas Party to be organised by Lloyd and Lorraine Anderson. Contact details on front page.

Brisbane Regional Register Christmas Party

26 November

Reserve this date in your diary. This year we are trying a new Venue—Ipswich Turf Club—Cooney Avenue, off Brisbane Road Bundamba. Off street parking near the Venue.

Welcome drink and canapés followed by main course and desert. Price will be calculated in the near future.



All British Day

17th September

Once again the JDCQ annual Display Day is being held in conjunction with the All British Day at St Joseph's College, Tennyson on 17th September.

JDCQ has been allocated the same spacious area as last year, plenty of room for at least 70 Jaguars. There is catering on site and a huge display of British makes to enjoy throughout the day. There is no JDCQ judging, just a relaxed day amongst good friends and great cars. Come along and help make the JDCQ display one you will remember. See the next Jaguar Driver for further details. Contact is Tony Herald, email president@jagqld.org.au



For more information contact Tony Herald on the mentioned email address





Peaks Crossing contact Tony Nelson eandftyperegister@gmail.com

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27th August

With the generosity of Brisbane Register Club members Neil and Jenny Summerson and the support of the Fassifern Valley Rotary Club, any members wishing to make a late registration for A day in the Country, Sunday 27th August multi marque charity event should email Tony Nelson at eandftyperegister@gmail.com and see if Tony can find a display space for you. At the time of writing a record 56 Jaguars including another record 17 E-types and one lonely F-type so far are registered, so you will not be alone.

Arrangements are well advanced and they have so many people who have joined with them and contributed their talents in so many ways to ensure the success of the day. This also ensures the Fassifern Valley Rotary Club receives all the money raised on the day to continue their work in the local community. Neil and Tony also are grateful to the Brisbane Register Committee who have again kindly donated towards the mobile toilets for the convenience of all attending on the day.

New UK headquarters for the Jaguar Land Rover Classic



Classic Works is the newly opened home for the pride of Coventry.

JLR celebrates the opening of Classic Works, with its brand new headquarters at the groups spiritual home town of Coventry.

The £7 million purpose-built facility brings sales, servicing and restoration operations under one roof for the first time and includes showroom space plus 54 workshop bays for servicing and restoring all Jaguar and Land Rover models.

It also houses the 500-strong JLR classic vehicle collection. The workshop is organised into strip-down remanufacturing and assembly zones for the Jaguar E-type Reborn programmes, including an engine shop, and houses the XKSS line. More than 80 specialists are employed.

Repair and maintenance is available for Jaguars from XK120 via XJ220 to XK8 and Land Rovers from Series cars to Freelander.

Cars re-built and sold by Jaguar Classic will be road-tested by 1988 Jaguar Le Mans winner Andy Wallace before being presented to clients. As the official opening coincides with the anniversary of the Jaguar D-type 1-2-3 at Le Mans, Jaguar began its tributes with three winners: C-type, D-type, and XJR-9, all from the Heritage Trust collection at Gaydon.

For your information when you are next in the UK: guided tours of Classic Works are available for £49. Spaces can be reserved online, via the [website](#).

Don't forget ! Brisbane Regional Register meeting at Yeronga Services Club - 391 Fairfield Rd, Yeronga. 7.30 15th March

Please send your ideas and contributions to this newsletter to phil.ruthb@gmail.com

