



**JANUARY 2017**

### **Upcoming Club Events**

#### **Mid-Week Run 1<sup>st</sup> February Luncheon Run**

The first Wednesday run of the year will be a drive up Mt Tambourine for a BYO morning tea before heading down again towards Calypso Bay at Jacobs Well for lunch at Harrigans Irish Tavern. For additional info contact David Willmott on 55932524 or 0408455249

Date: 1<sup>st</sup> February 2017

Meet at: Biscoff Pioneer Park, Nerang

Time: Meet at 9.00 am for 9.30 am departure

#### **Breakfast Run 12<sup>th</sup> February 2017**

Our first Sunday event of the year will be a breakfast run through the Gold Coast hinterland to the Heritage Winery at Mt Tamborine. The cost will be \$15 per head for a full breakfast. Please pay at the January meeting. For bookings please contact Ron Gaudion on 5594 5205.

Date 12<sup>th</sup> February 2017

Meet at: Arthur Earle Park

Time: 8.00 am for 8.15am Departure



### **Next Meeting**

The next meeting will be held on Monday 30th January 2017 at the Hinterland Hotel, 53 Station Street Nerang starting at 7.00pm. All members and Guests are welcome.





**December Luncheon Run to Cabarita Beach**



## 2016 – That Was the Year That Was

2016 was a very successful year for our Register with many events and good fun had by those who participated. With a strong committee for 2017 we look forward to another great year.

The year began with a Wednesday run in February to the Shearers Arms Tavern at Ormeau organised by Terry and Di Cooper and Sandy Smith. It is always an excellent nosh at the Tavern and included a run through the Gold Coast hinterland which made for a great day out. This event was followed by our regular February breakfast run organised again by Ron Gaudion. This year it was held at the Binnanburra Lodge and a great breakfast was had by all, including members coming from the Brisbane Register. Nearing Binnanburra most of us went past the turn-off and ended up in a camping area which temporarily caused some confusion, but we all eventually arrived at our destination. In March the Wednesday event was organised by David Willmott and took us to the Brunswick Heads Pub via Murwillumbah, Uki, Kyogle, Clarrie Hall Dam and Burrungbar. It was a great drive and the meals at the pub did not disappoint. This was followed on the Sunday run by lunch at the Eatons Hill Tavern.

In March we changed our monthly meeting venue to the Hinterland Hotel in Nerang due to changes in the Jaguar dealership arrangements on the Gold Coast. At the time of printing we do not have any further information on returning to the Gold Coast Jaguar dealership for our meetings.

The National Rally was held in April on the Sunshine Coast and a small group of members attended the events which occurred over three days in Caloundra. Because of this major event the only run held by our Register was a run to the Tweed Heads and Coolangatta Golf Club organised by Terry and Di Cooper and Sandy Smith. This is an excellent venue for lunch with as much as you can eat for a very reasonable cost. The Mothers' Day luncheon was held at the Hope Island Golf Club in May, organised by Ron Gaudion. This is always a popular event and all the ladies received a beautiful flower for the day. In June we had two visits to the area west of Brisbane. Firstly, we had a luncheon at Glamorgan Vale organised by David and Ruth Willmott. This was a great drive starting at Nerang and passing through Canungra and Beaudesert to the Wyalong Dam for morning tea. We then travelled on to Boonah and Peaks Crossing, Rosewood and Marburg before arriving at the pub at Glamorgan Vale. This was followed later in the month by a trip to the Harrisville Hotel via Boonah, Lake Moogerah, and Kalbar organised the Kup-Ferroths, Harrisville has some interesting historical buildings and some members took the opportunity to tour the village after lunch.

Christmas in July was combined with the Gold Coast Register's 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner this year. The venue was the Arundel Hills Country Club and an excellent function was organised by the Howletts, Ron Gaudion and Chris Miers. The lunch was well attended and a highlight was the awarding of life membership to Ray and Gwen Howlett. Derek McConnell arranged for us to visit Bond University in August and he took us on a very interesting tour of the Gold Coast visiting areas we do not usually see on our drives prior to arriving at the University. The visit included a guided tour of indigenous artwork and a visit to the School of Architecture.

At the end of August the three day Chairman's Challenge was held with a trip to Warwick. Our Chairman Terry Cooper organised a great event with visits to the Rodeo Heritage Centre, lunch at Clifton's O'Shanley's pub, a visit to the Pringle Cottage Museum and a return home via the Leslie Lake Dam. The Spring Affair organised by Derek McConnell in September was held at the Hilltop Art Gallery on Mt. Tambourine and gave members the opportunity to view a variety of good artworks. Also in September was a run to Lennox Head Hotel organised by David Willmott. The two October events were a drive to the Windaroo Tavern for lunch, and a visit to the Ross Evans Garden Centre, also for lunch. Both these events were organised by Terry, Di and Sandy. In November David Willmott arranged a trip to Flutterbies at Tyalgum, and this was followed later in the month by a luncheon run through the Numinbah Valley to the Ilnam Estate Winery at Carool organised by Arthur Kontalis.

Our last events for 2016 were a masquerade Christmas party at the Mercure Resort at Palm Meadows and a Wednesday run down the coast of northern NSW to Cabarita Beach. The Christmas party was organised by Gwen Howlett, Chris Miers and Debby Duncan and was as well organised and enjoyable as ever.

During the evening past-president Tony Herald presented lifetime membership to Bryan and Helen White and a Badge of Merit to Robin Kup-Ferroth as well as other awards to members who contributed throughout the year. It was an excellent evening with lots of fun and prizes were given out for the most inventive masks as well as raffle prizes that were donated by some of our members.

A big thank you to all those committee members and other helpers that contributed to such a good year for our Register.

**MONTHLY MEETING**  
**JAGUAR DRIVERS' CLUB OF QUEENSLAND INC. GOLD COAST REGISTER**  
**HELD AT HINTERLAND HOTEL NERANG QLD. – 30<sup>th</sup> November 2016**

The meeting was opened at 7.05 pm by the Chairman Terry Cooper who welcomed all members and guests.

**Apologies:** Kurt & Ingrid Lindner, Tom & Irene Ross, Lorraine & Dick Kennedy, Ken & Lorraine Laws, Debbie & Steve Duncan, Joan Gracie, Bryan & Helen White, Robin & Junita Kup-Ferroth and Caroline Colsten.

**Minutes of the Previous Meeting** held on 31<sup>st</sup> October were accepted as printed.

*Moved:* Ray Howlett    *Seconded:* Lyn Evers    Business Arising: Nil

**Correspondence In:** Jaguar Insurance Policy, Name badges.

Emails Brisbane - re: unfilled office positions,

“ re: JDCQ AGM.

“ re: Kurt & Ingrid Lindner

“ re: Tom & Irene Ross

**Correspondence Out:** Nil

**Treasurers Report: J.D.C.Q Gold Coast Reconciliation as at November 2016.**

General Account

Balance as at October 2016		\$4,358.25
Add deposits:		
Social functions-	\$2705.00	
Interest-	0.45	\$2705.45
Subtotal		\$7063.70
Less withdrawals:		
Meeting room-	\$50.00	
Lucky door -	\$24.50	
Social functions -	\$919.00	\$993.50
Total		\$6070.20

Web Savings Account

Balance at October 2016	\$9691.24	
Add interest-	12.75	\$9703.99

*Moved:* Gwen Howlett    *Seconded:* Marilyn Porter

**Past Events:** Sunday run organised by Arthur detailed and timing exceptional and precise.

**Future Events:** Mid-week run 7<sup>th</sup> December 2016 with David Wilmott to Cabarita Beach bowls club for lunch. Meet at Schusters Park, Hawthorn Street Tallebudgera, this is the 3 year Anniversary of the Mid-weeks run. 1<sup>st</sup> February 2017 Breakfast run with Ron Gaudion to Heritage Winery, Mt Tamborine, \$15 per head pay at January meeting please.

**Editor:** David Willmont suggested the club compliment the Editor- Robin on the quality and job well done, agreed by all present.

**Librarian:** – Ray Hodges Goodwood meetings, new Magazine Classic Jaguar now available for members use. Ray then conducted his last Quiz for 2016.

The Chairman thanked Ray for his attendance and time travelling from Brisbane regularly all year.

**General Business:** The Chairman Terry Cooper gave his annual report for the year and thanked the outgoing committee for their efforts.

Lucky Door Prizes: Hamper won by Chris Miers, Library book won by Stuart Dawson

**Meeting Closed** at 7.58 pm

**John Porter**  
Secretary

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE JAGUAR DRIVER'S CLUB OF QUEENSLAND INC.  
GOLD COAST REGISTRAR HELD AT THE HINTERLAND HOTEL 53 STATION STREET  
NERANG 30/11/2016.**

The meeting was opened at 8.00 pm and was chaired by life member Mr Ron Gaudion who declared all positions vacant.

**Apologies:** as per General Meeting.

**Minutes of previous AGM** were agreed as taken as read by all members present as printed in the November Torque magazine. *Moved:* Ray Howlett *Seconded:* Derek McConnell.

**Treasurers Report:**

Web savings a/c	\$9703.99
General a/c	\$7063.70
Less Social Events deposited	(\$2705.45)
Balance at 30/11/2016	\$14062.24

*Moved:* West Evers *Seconded* Chris Miers

**2017 Committee:** The following nominations were received and accepted:-

Chairman-	Terry Cooper
V/Chairman-	David Willmont
Secretary-	John Porter
Treasurer-	Di Cooper
Editor-	Robin Kup-Ferroth
PR & Library -	Ron Gaudion

Committee:	Ray Howlett	Debbie Duncan
	Chris Miers	Caroline Mercer
	Arthur Kontalis	Caroline Coulston
	Sandy Smith	

Meeting closed at 8.30pm and supper was provided.

**John Porter** (Secretary)

**Gold Coast Register - Calendar of Events 2017 (To be Updated)**

Month	Date	Event
Feb. 2017	Wed 1st	Lunch at Harrigans Irish Pub
	Sun 12th	Breakfast Run

**2017 Gold Coast Committee**

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# You're Invited

to join a small convoy of classic car enthusiasts  
on a visit to the GOSFORD CLASSIC CAR MUSEUM

**The invitation is extended to members of four clubs,**

Jaguar Drivers Club of Queensland

Summerland Sports and Classic Car Club, Lismore

Cadillac La Salle Club of Australia (Gold Coast)

\*Pony Car Club of Australia (Gold Coast)



**It will be a 3 to 4 day affair, from Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2017.**

The arrangements will be for a casual drive down the coast,  
with no package deals or pre-payments required.

The agenda would go something like this:-

**Wednesday, March 22** 9.30am – Meet at the Chindera BP/ McDonalds  
Service Centre for a 10.00am departure. Travel to Pt Macquarie.

**Wednesday Evening** – Pre-arrange your own choice of accommodation,  
with the possibility of a meeting and/or group dinner with the local  
Pt Macquarie Antique and Classic Car Club.

**Thursday, March 23** 9.30am – Assemble at BP Gateway Service Centre  
at the Pacific Highway turnoff to Pt Macquarie  
for departure at 10.00am for the run down to Gosford.

**Thursday Evening** – Again, pre-arrange your own choice of accommodation.

**Friday, March 24** 10.00am – Meet up at the Gosford Classic Car Museum  
located at 3-13 Stockyard Place, West Gosford. ([gosfordclassiccarmuseum.com.au](http://gosfordclassiccarmuseum.com.au))  
Take whatever time you need to do justice to the amazing car collection.

We will probably arrange for a group lunch at the Museum.

**Friday afternoon** – Flexible arrangements,  
for you to further explore the surrounding area OR to commence your journey home.  
For those members intending to attend the Jaguar National Rally, there will be time to travel  
to Port Stephens and book in for the welcome dinner on Friday night.

Expressions of Interest would be appreciated as soon as possible please,  
providing your email address and contact phone number.

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