

**August 2023**

### **Upcoming Club Events**

#### **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> September**

The Wednesday event for September will be a lunch at the HarbourVue Tavern, 941 Harbour Village Parade Coomera. Please advise Brian and Diana Hogan at the August meeting or on 56613919 if attending.

Date: 6<sup>th</sup> September

Meet at: Arthur Earle Park, Nerang

Time: 10.15am for 10.30am Departure

#### **Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> September**

JDCQ Annual Display Day. Please bring your BYO morning tea and lunch. See details on page 6.

#### **Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September**

The Sunday event will be this year's Spring Affair to be held at the Old Church Restaurant, corner of Curtis and Long Roads Mt. Tamborine. Please refer to page 3 for full details. Payment is required into the club account shown on page 7 by the 4<sup>th</sup> September please.

Date: 24<sup>th</sup> September

Meet at the venue

Time: 11.30 am for 12.00pm.



**Christmas in July Lunch at Palmer Colonial Golf Club**

### **Next Meeting**

The next monthly meeting will be held on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> August at the Ashmore Rotary Community Centre, 133 Currumburra Road, Ashmore starting at 7.00pm. All members and guests are welcome.





Mini Golf at Parkwood





## **ANNUAL SPRING AFFAIR**

**To be held on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September  
at The Old Church, cnr. Curtis and  
Long Roads, Mt. Tamborine.**

**Meet up with your club friends for a  
delightful meal in a country setting.**

**Time 11.30am for 12 noon**

**Please advise attendance and  
pay into the club account by**

**4<sup>th</sup> September – Cost \$60 per Head**

**Please advise any dietary requirements.**

**For more information contact  
Marilyn Porter on 0419 706680,  
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**GENERAL MEETING**  
**JAGUAR DRIVERS CLUB OF QUEENSLAND INC. GOLD COAST REGISTER**  
**HELD AT THE ASHMORE ROTARY COMMUNITY CENTRE, ASHMORE**  
**31<sup>st</sup> July 2023**

The meeting was opened at 7.14pm (too much gossiping going on) by the Chairwoman, Di Cooper, who warmly welcomed all members. Ray Hodges, the Queensland Librarian, was also warmly welcomed back.

**Apologies:**

Steve Duncan, Gwen Howlett, Arthur & Caroline Kontalis, Gary & Jane Mikkelsen, John & Marilyn Porter, Tom & Irene Ross, John Willmott, Ruth Willmott.

**Minutes of Previous Meeting:**

There was no meeting in June, and the Minutes of the May 2023 meeting were approved, with no amendment or comment.

**Treasurer's Report:**

The balance of the Business Account is \$1,936.38, with the Bonus Account having a balance of \$4,249.43, giving us a total balance of \$6,185.81.....for the moment, as the Gatton trip will change the figures shortly.

***Approved by R Howlett; Seconded by M-A Anderson.***

**Correspondence:**

A couple of Qld Jaguar magazines, and notification of three new members during the month. Outgoing correspondence was welcome emails to the three new members.

***Approved by J Kup-Ferroth; Seconded by C Miers.***

**Past Events:**

The Coffs Harbour weekend was given a positive review, despite the three flat tyres, and Covid and Flu running rampant through the attendees (remind me not to go next year!). Our mid-week run to Robina Pavilion was enjoyed by everyone – great food, great attendance and now another annual favourite. Thanks to Tom & Irene Ross for organising this great event. Our annual “Christmas in July” was yet again a fabulous day, with high attendance, fantastic raffle prizes, amazing decorations, great food and a lovely outlook. Huge thanks to Junita (and Robin) for all their hard work in putting this together, along with Chris for the great array of raffle prizes.

**Future Events:**

*“Mid-Week Lunch” (2 August '23)* – A round of Mini-Golf (optional) and Lunch at the Club at Parkwood Village (details in July magazine).

*“Chairwoman's Weekend” (25-27 August '23)* – details in July magazine. Payment must be made by Monday, 21 August to secure booking.

*“Mid-Week Lunch” (6 Sept '23)* – meet at 10.15am for 10.30am departure from Arthur Earle Park for lunch at the HarbourVue Tavern, Level 1, 941 Harbour Village Parade, Upper Coomera. Please contact Brian & Diana Hogan for further details and to reserve your spot for this event.

*“Spring Affair” (24 Sept '23)* – details in July magazine. Payment must be made by 4 September.

**Cars and Parts:**

Nothing to report

**Library/PR:**

Ray Hodges had a series of Classic Jaguar magazines for any members to take. A new book “History of the Great British Car” by Andrew White is now available for hire. Three new books coming in soon – “Secrets of Barn Finder Hunter”, “Strictly No Admittance” (E-Type), and “The Jaguar XK120 in Competition”. The book on the Jaguar XK-140 has been gifted to the Cub, and is also available for hire. Contact Ray if you would like to reserve any or all of these new Library additions. Ray very kindly quizzed us on this final book on the XK120, and Ron Gaudion had a very distinct advantage with the answers!

**Editor:**

Nothing to report.

**General Business:**

A defibrillator and First Aid kit has been bought by Queensland for each Register (other than Sunshine Coast, whose area is too extensive to sensibly cover), and these will be held by the Chairwoman who will for the time being take these to every function in the future. A volunteer is requested (and will be gratefully received) to hold these items and bring them to each event. It is hoped that, at next month's meeting, a representative of Queensland Ambulance may attend to show us how to use this equipment. Also, just a courteous reminder for all members to pay their membership fees to the Queensland Club, and not the Gold Coast Register, so that their renewal is quickly established. An email will be going out shortly to gently remind those members who have not renewed their membership as, by the end of August, they may need to re-join the Club and thus incur unnecessary costs.

**Special Event Prizes:**

Three bottles of Red Wine, two Jaguar Keyrings, and a box of Chocolates were on offer (thank you to the Danks, Andersons, Ron Gaudion and the Hogans for their most appreciated donations. Winners were Chris Miers, Di Cooper, Brian Hogan, Helen Baker and Andrew Danks. (As I won a prize at the Christmas in July lunch, now is not the time to complain!)

**Supper:**

Once more, a great effort from Diana for organising the supper this month, with fabulous support from Chris, Cheryl, Mary-Ann and Ruth (in absentia). Again, your generosity, ladies, knows no bounds, and our hips thank you!

Meeting closed at 8.09 pm

**Debbie Duncan**  
Secretary

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**Gold Coast Calendar of Events 2023**

Month	Date	Event
August	Mon 28 <sup>th</sup>	Monthly Meeting
September	Wed 6 <sup>th</sup>	Mid-Week Run
	Sun 24 <sup>th</sup>	Annual Spring Affair
	Mon 25 <sup>th</sup>	Monthly Meeting
October	Wed 4 <sup>th</sup>	Mid-Week Run
	Sun 15 <sup>th</sup>	Picnic Run
	Mon 30 <sup>th</sup>	Monthly Meeting
November	Wed 1 <sup>st</sup>	Mid-Week Run
	Sun 12 <sup>th</sup>	Lunch Run
	Mon 27 <sup>th</sup>	Monthly Meeting/AGM
December	Sun 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Christmas Lunch
	Wed 6 <sup>th</sup>	Mid-Week 10 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Run

## The Inaugural Mini Golf Competition

A small group of members met at the Parkwood Mini Golf range for a fun day to see who was the best (mini) golfer. The day was fine and sunny except for a cool breeze. Warren, Junita and myself teed off on the first hole and without any previous practice generally made a mess of it. It was very frustrating to hit the ball and find it rolled back to where you started from again! I think I took about seven or eight shots to attain the first hole. We were then followed by Debbie, Steve, Diana and Brian and they seemed to get the hang of it fairly easily. Last to tee off was Chris, Helen and Janine who did well – they must have watched us. The course was nine holes and was dubbed the “Rock Course” because it was built around granite boulders. If you did not send the ball down the right path, it was likely to strike a boulder and bounce off in any direction. Junita learned this quickly I think because she got the first hole-in-one when the ball hit the bank, bounced off a boulder and straight into the hole. It did not get any easier as there were twist and turns at each hole with uneven banks and “roundabouts”, and in addition there were dry (concrete) water courses the size of a children’s wading pool. However we all improved as time went on and there were some more holes-in-one by each team. Half way through the course we were assailed by a group of teenagers who had mistaken our hole for the start of the next course and Warren had to sort that out with their teacher. Another hiccup was a trio of ladies who decided they could not wait in line to get onto our course and decided to work from the ninth tee backwards! After a fun morning we repaired to the outdoor tables for lunch which had been minded by Di who had not participated, and we were then joined by Ray and Gwen and Andrew and Cheryl who had not come for the golf. As for prizes, Junita having sunk the first hole-in-one was deemed the winner of a Jaguar cup and saucer. I got the wooden spoon (an oven Mit). We all had a great day thanks to Debbie and Steve.

Robin K



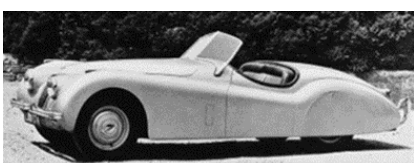
### All British Day



The “All British Day” and JDCQ Display Day will be held as before at St. Joseph’s Sports Ground Tennyson on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> September. This year will mark 75 Years of the XK Engine and the XK120 Sports Car and it is planned to have a display of XK120 to XK150 cars as well as the C Type, D Type and XKSS.

Gates open at 7.30am and the cost for display cars is \$20.

Bring a chair and table for a BYO morning tea and lunch.

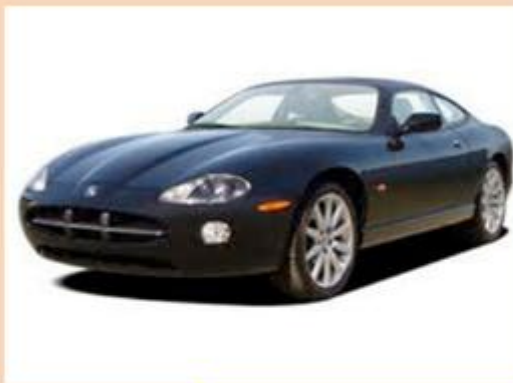


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**Club Account (For Payment):**

**Bank of Queensland  
BSB 124 -001    A/C No. 10224513**

**For information on JDCQ Registers, refer to the JDCQ Website or Facebook.**

**Note**

**As a courtesy, members are requested to advise the organiser of an event ASAP if:**

- 1. They are planning to attend an event but have not provided previous notice of this; or**
- 2. They are not able to attend the event when previously advised they will be attending.**

**Members are also requested to make any booking through the organiser and not through the venue.**

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