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What's Been Happening



St Valentine's Day Run Susan and Lindsay Price

Once again, Susan and Lindsay generously opened their home to members for a Morning Tea prior to the run. The tables were beautifully decorated to a St Valentine's Day theme. There were roses, hearts and chocolate everywhere as one would expect for that day. Almost everyone had at least a touch of red in what

they were wearing.



Even JJ got into the Valentine's Day spirit.



Love was in the air!





It was a lovely morning for everyone















Of course, there were raffles.







Ken can't believe his ticket didn't win the bottle of wine.







The raffles over and the cleaning up done, Lindsay blew his ship's whistle which we have come to learn means we need to pay attention. We were ready to set off for lunch.



After a very pleasant drive through the hinterland towards Woodford, via Neurum we arrived at Wongaroo Winery in Mt Archer where we were warmly welcomed but led into the air conditioned tasting and dining room.

Here we spent a very pleasant few hours learning about wine tasting,



tasting the wines on offer, hearing bush poetry and, of course, eating a delicious lunch.

Thank you, Susan and Lindsay for a great day.



Combined Club Breakfast 24th February Stu and Wendy Gross

The January Breakfast was a Jag Run to which MGCCSC were invited but this was a MG Car club Run to which Jag Club members were invited.

A social event, the run was short. After meeting at Pioneer Park in Landsborough we proceeded by the most direct route to Sandbar Café in Caloundra.



This is a venue we have used before and it is great. Not only do they have an excellent ordering system which means it is easy for everyone to pay only for what they order, and a great view over Bulcock Beach but the food is always good as it was on our run.







We had 2 Mark 2 Jaguars, two SUV (but for one of them, their other car is a Mark 2) and a motorbike. An interesting assortment.





Welcome!

Up to now we have been very remiss in not welcoming new members to our club in Cat's Tales since I took over but that has changed in 2019.

We hope to see you on many runs, having fun in your Jags.

In January Petra and Lou Delfos

In February Nigel & Beverley Sutherland, Graham Lees & Jill Healey and Garry & Jennifer Cant

What's Coming Up?

17 March	Sun	St Patrick's Day	Joe & Marg Day
14 April	Sun	Mt Mee & Woodford Pub Run	Joe & Marg Day
15 May	Wed	Midweek Run	
20 June	Thu	Midweek Run	Stu & Wendy
26/27 Jul	Fri/Sat	30 th Anniversary weekend away at	Kingaroy.
21 Aug	Wed	AGM Combined with run to Kenilworth	Lindsay & Susan
14 or 15 Sep	Sat/Sun	Saturday or Sunday.	
20 Oct	Sun	Mooloolaba River Cruise	Lindsay & Susan Price
17 Nov	Sun	ТВА	Wendy & Stu Gross
30 Nov	Sat	Christmas Party	
01 Dec	Sun		

Asbestos Declaration

Importation of used or second-hand motor vehicles into Australia

https://www.grace.com.au/app/uploads/2017/06/Asbestos-Declaration-Part-I-Vehicle-Importation-Australia.pdf

Update on Use of SIVS Registered Vehicles

The Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR) has recently clarified the way in which it interprets the rules in relation to SIVS registered vehicles, also known as club registration. The Queensland Historic Motoring Council (QHMC) which represents the affiliated car clubs to Government lobbied TMR to change the existing SIVS rules to a scheme similar to the "Impromptu Events" one used in WA. This "Impromptu Events" scheme allows individual members to initiate a run in their SIVS vehicle at short notice.

TMR has now agreed to us having "Impromptu Events" here in Qld.

OHMC Bulletin 2018-1 which can be viewed or downloaded from "Latest News" on the JDCQ website explains it in more detail.

In order to take advantage of these changes, JDCQ has upgraded its website and added an additional calendar for "Impromptu Events" so that any financial club member can log into the website and add their own impromptu or single vehicle event. The instructions for entering an impromptu event follow.

The committee draws member's attention to the final two paragraphs in the QHMC bulletin pointing out remaining limitations on use and that the relaxation of rules is a privilege which should not be abused. Events can only be entered by financial club members and have to be entered prior to the start of the journey. The committee will be regularly monitoring the impromptu calendar to ensure the guidelines are being followed.

Instructions

Log into the JDCQ website with your user name and password. Then;

- 1. Hover your mouse pointer over the "CALENDAR" tab in the top menu line, a drop-down box opens click on "IMPROMPTU CALENDAR"
- 2. Another page will open with an events calendar, hover your mouse pointer on the required date and a small "+" box will appear in the square for the selected date click on "+"
- 3. This opens another window, under the open tab "Common", enter a title in the "Title" block.
- 4. Click on down arrow in Events Calendar and select "IMPROMPTU"
- 5. Leave "Access Level" as "Public" and "State" as published
- 6. Go down to description block and enter short event description i.e. "Run for Lunch"
- 7. Go down to "Location" and enter destination i.e. "Sandgate"
- 8. Now click on "Calendar" tab next to "Common"
- 9. Check that "Start date" is correct and enter start time
- 10. Go to "End date" and change if event is more than one day, then set end time or click on "No specific end time" box

11. Leave "Repeat type" boxes with "No Repeat" highlighted in green
12. Click on "Save & Close" wait until software confirms event is saved
13. As a check you can go back to the Impromptu Events calendar to confirm that your event is being displayed