



JAGUAR DRIVERS' CLUB OF QUEENSLAND WIDE BAY BURNETT REGISTER NEWSLETTER NO. 22 - NOVEMBER 2025

INTRODUCTION

As of the 16th November 2025, after being elected at our Annual General Meeting, I am now once again your Editor of the Wide Bay Burnett Register. I was Editor of this Register from August 2012 for 12 months and once again from July 2018 for 3 years. It was certainly a strange choice back then and still remains the same today. I am certainly no car whiz and my knowledge of Model Types, Engine Types, Wheel Types and ages of Jaguars is limited at times, but I do have to admit that over the years I have improved. My motto is, that if in doubt, ask Bob! I would like to take this opportunity to thank Robert and Toni Pearce for the great job that they have done as our Editors for the last 4 years – where did that time go! I would also like to wish Robert all the best for his new role as Secretary for the JDCQ.



MARK 8 BELONGING TO ROBERT AND TONI PEARCE – BEAUTIFUL CAR

It was a very drizzly and overcast morning when Bob and I left Bundaberg to drive the short distance to Woodgate for the WBB Register's Annual General Meeting and the Planning of our 2026 Schedule of Events. Sadly, we were unable to arrive in style in our very beautiful XJS, due to a slight problem with the Windscreen Wipers, so we had to slum it in the Genesis. I always love the drive to Woodgate with its glorious beach and stunning views – such a tranquil and peaceful place to visit. As always it is great to see all the smiling faces of

our friends and to experience once again the sight of those very beautiful Jaguars as they all drive into the carpark at Theodolite Creek. There was actually a great attendance for our Annual General Meeting – usually members run a mile when they hear the word AGM. There was a lot of discussion undertaken re our Annual General Meeting, General Meeting and our Event Planning and of course there were some great ideas for our outings next year. The winner of the Raffle was Robert Pearce and Bob won the Scratchie – Bob was all excited when he thought he'd won a prize, but that excitement was very short-lived – no prize at all! Lunch was held at the Woodgate Bowls Club and was enjoyed by all. The service was good and the meal was delicious.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2026 – ELECTED COMMITTEE

Chairman:	Arthur Bock
Secretary:	Sandy Hillyard
Treasurer:	Robert Pearce
Social Secretary:	Bob McLean
Editor & Facebook Editor:	Gaylene McLean



Arthur Bock, Bob McLean, Sandy Hillyard, Gaylene McLean and Robert Pearce





I would now like to take this opportunity to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year – a little early I hear you say – but Bob and I will be away on holidays in Tasmania for 6 weeks. I am going home for Christmas and am very excited to spend Christmas Day with my sister Ann and to experience all the beautiful tourist attractions of Tasmania once again.

'Keep up the Revs'

Gaylene McLean