



JAGUAR DRIVERS' CLUB OF QUEENSLAND WIDE BAY BURNETT REGISTER NEWSLETTER

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A busy few months have been had by all. Christmas has been and gone, we had a bit of a flood in Gympie and Maryborough, Peter Carlson had 644mm in 24hrs at Miva with some cattle missing, Dianne had a bit of trouble getting back to The Bay dodging flooded roads, but thankfully everyone is safe and well. We missed the bulk of the rain with only 182mm here in Monkland.

WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING?

Our November run was our planning meeting to Woodgate where we had our morning tea at Walker's Point. Plans for the year ahead were discussed and made and our AGM was held. A new committee was elected. We then went on to a nice lunch at the Bowls Club where we are always made feel welcome. Another great day out.

Our Christmas Run was to the Carriers Arms in Maryborough. Some out of town members stayed the night but others came in for dinner as they live locally. Toni and I travelled up in the little Mazda as Percy our Mk1 had dirty spark plugs and did not want to run at all...

Our Secret Santa was really good again this year as were the raffle prizes. A big thanks to Sandy and Josie for once again organizing this for us, it is as always greatly appreciated.

Dinner was really good, as was the company. The quizzes kept us all guessing!

The next day most members met up again for Breakfast/Brunch/morning tea at Arkarra gardens and then home from there. A wonderful weekend spent with friendly, lovely Jag people.



Dawn, Brian and Bob enjoying the night at our Christmas Party



New members Robert and Beryl-Ann who own a nice XJ-40

PRESIDENTS AWARDS

Every year at our Christmas Party, Arthur gives out the Presidents awards to those members who have excelled during the past year.

This year Sandy Hillyard was named Volunteer of the year, as Sandy sells our raffles, arranges prizes and is now stepping into the role of Secretary.

Bill Buckley was given a Club Dedication Award for his many years of service to our register. Lee accepted the award on his behalf as Bill was still in Hospital. It was taken to him and presented the next day where there were a few tears.

Peter Carlson was given his 40th year membership badge.

Paul and Josie were awarded Badges of Merit by our register for their life long service and dedication to the club. (ED note: In this writers view I think we need to push for life membership for them both)

Congratulations to everyone it is well deserved and appreciated!



Above: Lee accepting the award on behalf of Bill, and the next day being presented to Bill himself.



Peter Carlson accepting his 40th year badge



Sandy is our Volunteer of the year!



Above: Paul and Josie Mittelheuser with Arthur



Above: Our 2022 Committee, from left Sandy, Robert M, Robert P, Toni and Arthur.



Bob and Gaylene's Fab XJ-S



Bevin and Sandy's lovely Sovereign

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We met for our first run of 2022 at the park at Bauple. A short meeting was held and the usual raffles were run. Dianne was the lucky first prize raffle winner this time, with Peter winning the scratchie prize. The Bauple Museum was open so interested members enjoyed some time browsing through historical items and articles. Lunch was held at The Hide-Away Hotel, Tiaro – unfortunately it was quite disappointing – but there was definitely plenty of time to catch up and chat!



Peter Carlson's magnificent E-Type



Our lucky raffle winners-
Dianne and Peter



Above: Josie and Peter at Bauple Museum



Jaguars in the sunshine!!



Arthur, Dennis Cahill (our special guest with his lovely XJR 575) and Bevin at the Museum.