



# The Oily Rag

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## NDSCC's Aim

To bring like minded people together for social outings in their vehicles

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## DEADLINE for next *Oily Rag*

If members could please get information for the next edition to me by 23rd April. Due to John & I moving, I will need to get it out before the end of the month, otherwise I'm not sure when I will be able to compile it.

## Next NDSCC Run - 19th April 2009

The next NDSCC club run is to be held on Sunday 19th April.

Members will gather at Centenary Lakes by 8.30am for a 9.00am departure.

Our destination will be the Virgin Blue Flight Simulator at the airport. A big thanks must go to Peter Draige for his assistance in making this destination a possibility.

Morning tea (with coffee or tea) will be provided upon our arrival at the Virgin Blue building.

Due to the low number of members we have in the club, we may be able to have a 'test fly' in one of these amazing machines, but we will just have to wait and see - *no promises!*

Once we have finished at Virgin Blue, we will travel

to the observation area of the north/south runway for our meeting and lunch. Lunch will not be provided so please BYO.

If you have any questions or would like to meet us along the way, please contact Ron or Brenda on 5497 8858 or [ronyb@tech9.com.au](mailto:ronyb@tech9.com.au) to make arrangements.

## Report on Run to Woodford Hotel - 15th March 2009

### Mt Mee Lookout then onto Woodford Hotel

A great day and good turnout for our March run to Woodford. I picked up a couple of friends on the way to meet other members at Centenary Lakes.

We all received our run sheets for the day and proceeded to head off as per instructions, except for a few that don't know the difference between East and West.

It was a wonderful drive the way we went to Mt. Mee lookout. I love to

drive those mountain roads and tight corners following a Pontiac Perisian and a Ford Mustang, with an MGB keeping up with the rest of the club behind. Old Holden's never boil, they just run better. Haha Ron!

The view from the Mt. Mee lookout was fantastic, to see Moreton Bay and the Glass House Mountains.

After our meeting we all took off to Woodford to see Elvis Parsley sing us some Elvis songs. Some of the ladies enjoyed a dance with

Elvis Parsley while he sang. After that we all went to the Woodford Pub for lunch and a cold amber ale.

All had a wonderful lunch and Denise turned up just in time to sell some raffle tickets for the club. Of course yours truly won 1st prize and also a prize for the oldest car for the day.

We all had a brilliant day out, thanks to Rich and Kaz.

**Bob Pritchard**

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## Minutes of Meeting Held on 15th March 2009 - Mt Mee Lookout

Meeting opened by President Peter Hobart, who welcomed all, including our visitors, and members on their first run – Tom Vandenberg and Chris & Sharon Tilyard.

### PRESENT:

Peter Hobart, Lynn Burgess, Ron Walters, Julie Walters, Ron Byrnes, Brenda Byrnes, Marilyn Downie, Keith Downie, Geoff Norris, Marita Holst, Kaz Thomson, Richard Thomson, Craig Bloomfield, Julie Bloomfield, Sharon Tilyard, Chris Tilyard, Bob Pritchard, Tom Vandenberg, Pat Vogler, Vince Vogler.

### APOLOGIES:

Alex & Elaine Gallacher, John Pritchard, Nicole O'Keane

### VISITORS:

Lyndall Singleton, Sharon Heighway, Robert Cooling, Les Cooling, Leisa Dent, Cameron Dent, Rex Wyeth

### TREASURERS REPORT:

Submitted by Julie Walters. Brief summary:- Previous balance in account \$540.45. Expenditure (Caboolture Screen printers) \$363.00, Income Membership fees (T Vandenberg and T & N Dowsad) \$65.00

Moved: Julie Walters, Seconded: Peter Hobart, that the Treasurers Report be accepted – *Carried*

### SECRETARY'S REPORT:

Minutes of last meeting –

Moved: Ron Byrnes, Seconded: Geoff Norris that minutes be accepted. *Carried.*

### INCOMING CORRESPONDENCE:

New Membership Application received from Tony and Nadine Dowsad. Moved: Craig Bloomfield, Seconded: Ron Walters, that membership be approved. *Carried.*

### APRIL CLUB RUN:

April run to Virgin Blue simulator at the airport. Meet at Virgin Blue at

9:30 am, morning tea will be provided. Lunch is BYO afterwards at airport viewing area.

### MATTERS ARISING:

Members discussed the options of changing the constitution, or just working with the by-laws. Rex Wyeth suggested it may be easier to change the constitution now, rather than wait until we get bigger. It was Moved by Ron Byrnes and Seconded by Keith Downie that we go with Proposition 1 (We can give a copy to all members of the separate by-laws, and we do not need to change the Constitution, but if anyone wanted to challenge the by-law we would be obliged to abide by the constitution. However, as we are only a small club, it is unlikely anyone would do that, or know enough about the "Model Rules" constitution to realise that our by-laws could be challenged). *Carried.*

### GENERAL BUSINESS:

Number of members was raised again, and it was moved by Julie Walters and seconded by Rich Thomson that we raise the membership limit to 50 members. *Carried.*

A vote of thanks is to be recorded to Kaz and Richard Thomson for organising today's run, as well as organising the accommodation for the overnight stay.

*Club Raffle:* It was confirmed that we purchase the Esky, and that tickets would be sold @ \$3.00 each or 2 for \$5.00. Members will be given books.

*Upcoming runs:* May and June are covered. May is proposed as another overnighter, and June possibly the "Presidents Run" although we may need to look at the dates for the QCC Rally at Bribie so we do not clash.

Prize winners for Trivia contest with the highest score were Lyndall, Leisa, Cameron and Sharon. The 'Booby Prize' went to Vince and Pat

Vogler. Because he had the oldest car, Bob Pritchard was nominated to do the write up for the run today.

A vote of thanks was also recorded for Julie and Craig Bloomfield.

Geoff Norris moved we have a gold coin donation for the runs where we have not organised a raffle. This was seconded by Julie Walters. *Carried.*

Geoff Norris also passed around a flyer for the Kenilworth Cheese Factory.

After no further business, the meeting closed at 10:52 am with thanks to all attendees.

**Alex Gallacher – Hon Sec.**

### ***True Stories from Carnation Milk 65 years ago .....***

A little old lady from Wisconsin had worked in and around her family dairy farm since she was old enough to walk, with hours of hard work and little compensation.

When canned Carnation Milk became available in grocery stores in approximately the 1940's, she read an advertisement offering \$5,000 for the best slogan.

The producers wanted a rhyme beginning with 'Carnation Milk is best of all'.... She thought to herself, I know all about milk and dairy farms. I can do this!

She sent in her entry and several weeks later, a black limo pulled up in front of her house. A man got out and said, 'Carnation LOVED your entry so much, we are here to award you \$2,000 - even though we will not be able to use it!'

*\*\* Please see the next page for the advertisement the little old lady sent in....*

## Treasurer's Report as at 15th March 2009

### General:

As at the 15th March we have 39 members.

### STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

Balance brought forward \$540.45

### Income

T Vandenberg \$25.00 (not banked)

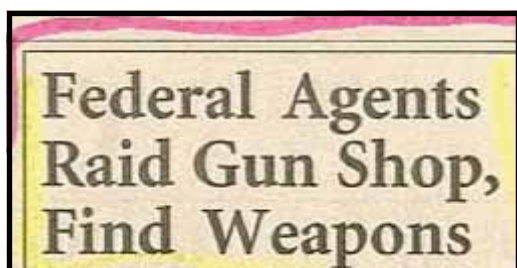
New membership - T & N Nowasad \$40.00 (not banked)

### Expenditure

Caboolture screen printers \$363.00 (not presented)

**Balance \$540.45**

*Julie Walters*



### *Change of Career*

A gynaecologist had become fed up with malpractice insurance and health insurance paperwork and was burned out. Hoping to try another career where skilful hands would be beneficial he decided to become a mechanic. He went to the local technical college, signed up for evening classes, attended diligently, and learned all he could.

When the time for the practical exam approached, the gynaecologist, who had prepared carefully for weeks, completed the exam with tremendous skill. When the results came back, he was surprised to find that he had obtained a score of 150%.

Fearing an error, he called the instructor saying, "I don't want to appear ungrateful for such an outstanding result, but I wonder if there is an error in the grade?" The instructor said, "During the exam, you took the engine apart perfectly, which was worth 50% of the total mark. You put the engine back together again perfectly, which is also worth 50% of the mark."

After a pause, the instructor added, "I gave you an extra 50% because you did it all through the exhaust pipe, which I've never seen done in my entire career!"





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## Some photos from Gympie weekend - 14th and 15th February



Check out a video of Irene firing Ron's 357 Magnum at Gympie Pistol Club here <http://ndsc.com/photos/>

## Swap Meets & Show 'n' Shine Events

### 5th April

**11th Annual Gold Coast Super Swap Meet and Show 'n' Shine, Carrara Sports Complex, Nerang -Broadbeach Road, Carrara,** Proudly brought to you by the Automobile Restorer's Assoc. Gold Coast Inc. Sites \$5, entry \$3 per person, trade sites \$15 & \$20 for prime sites, For information on trade sites, please contact Garry on (07) 5591 7336. Gates open 6am Sunday, setup from 12 noon Saturday. Camping on site, food & refreshments available Sunday, veteran & vintage cars & parts, antiques, collectables, bric a brac, model cars & books. 75 years of the Aussie ute, show n shine open to all cars, lots of trophies to be won, open to vintage, classics, hot rods, street machines to modern. Rock n roll dancers. Display only \$5 per car, judging \$10. For further details please contact Tricia on 0402 093 679, Terry on 0413 875 737 or general enquiries email [aussieacer@hotmail.com](mailto:aussieacer@hotmail.com)

### 5th April

**Northern Districts Rodders Brisbane inc. Annual Swap Meet/Show & Shine, Redcliffe Showgrounds, Recreation Street, Redcliffe** Gates open at 5am for swappers and 6am for public. Entry is \$6 for swappers and \$2 for lookers. There will be entertainment, trophies, refreshments, off street parking available, hot rods, customs, veteran, street machines and bikes. For further information, please contact Richard 0403 823 270.

### 26th April

**Cleveland Auto Spectacular, Cleveland Showgrounds** Car show and swap meet, cars for judging must pre enter, many categories. Show cars on display by 9am. Presentation of trophies 1pm. For further details, please see the website: [www.clevelandautospectacular.com.au](http://www.clevelandautospectacular.com.au) or phone (07) 3829 2222.

### 16th & 17th May

**40th Anniversary Motorkana 2009.** Organised by the Sunshine Coast Antique Car Club. *This event will be run concurrently with the National Motoring Heritage Day.* The Event has been designed as a fun weekend, especially for families and is affordable with some costs being subsidised. Visits will be made to a strawberry farm and the world famous Buderim Ginger Factory. Saturday night will be a family affair at Nambour Showground with a Spit Roast, a Bush Band and dancing to suit. For more information or to enter, please contact Trevor Shields on (07) 3408 2364 or PO Box 362 Nambour 4560.

### 17th May

**Classic Speedway Association of QLD Inc 4th Annual Car and Bike Show and Swap, Greenbank Sport and Recreation Grounds, 720/768 Middle Road, Greenbank** All types of speedway, vintage, classic, modern, including bikes, sidecars, classic vintage, hot rod, customised, modern road registered vehicles, in fact all types of motoring. Club and trade displays welcome. Trophies & prizes awarded on the day, over 35 trophy categories. Gates open 6am for swap, entry/site fee \$10 per car, car show entrants in grounds by 8am, judging at 10am, trophies and award presentation 11.30am, public admission adults \$3 children under 16 free. Please no dogs or overnight parking, For further information, please contact Frank on 0407 035 412 or email [tony@classicspeedway.com](mailto:tony@classicspeedway.com)

### 31st May

**The New Brisbane Swap (formally known as the Banyo Swap) now at the Capalaba State College, School Rd. Capalaba.** Gates open at 6.00 am. Admission \$3.00, Site \$3.00, Off Street Parking available \$3.00. No

dogs allowed. All sites to be vacated by 2.00pm. For further information, please contact swap Co-ordinators Frank Wegrzyniak on 0412 076 846 or Cyril Conwell on 0428 971 434.

### 7th June

**Caboolture Regional Car Club Committee Annual Swap Meet and Show & Shine, AFL grounds, Barr Oval, Beerburrum Rd, Caboolture** Gates open 5am for site holders, 6am for general public. Catering available on grounds. \$5 per site for swap (driver and passenger), \$3 for lookers, \$5 car show entry (driver and passenger). Proceeds from the show support local charities. For further information, please contact Rod on (07) 3889 4561 or Cathy on (07) 5495 3312.

### 28th June

**RACQ MotorFest, Eagle Farm Racecourse, Ascot.** 10am – 3pm. Mark this date in your calendar now or you might miss out on being part of Brisbane's largest showcase of vintage, veteran, classic and special interest vehicles. Display spaces are limited so be quick to register. Registrations will be taken between 2 March – 29 May. For more information, please visit [www.racq.com/motorfest](http://www.racq.com/motorfest) or phone Renae Harris-Hughes on (07) 3872 8696 or Albert Budworth on (07) 3361 2424. You can also email: [events@racq.com.au](mailto:events@racq.com.au)

### 5th July

**Cars, Rods, Rides and Trucks, Logan PCYC grounds off Wembley Rd behind the Logan Entertainment Centre at Logan.** Logan City's premier Car and Truck Show and all round Family Fun Day. Sponsored by Logan PCYC, Cruizin Magazine and Toys, Toys, Toys. Cars, Rods, Rides, Bikes and Trucks on show. Lots of Trophies and Trade Stands. Free entry to all display vehicles and only \$5 per

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adult general entry with kids 18 and under FREE. FREE Jumping Castle, Giant Worm, Animal Nursery and Pony Rides! Food and drinks will be available. FREE music and dancing - something for everyone. Set up starts at 6.30am and the main Show is from 9am till 2pm. For further information, please call Michele on (07) 3442 1714 or Ian on (07) 3442 1700, or email: [projects@loganpcyc.org.au](mailto:projects@loganpcyc.org.au)

### 9th August

**Just Rock Ipswich - 16th Annual "Back to 63" Rock 'n' Roll and Car Show 'n' Shine, North Ipswich Park, Pine Street, North-East end of the Town Bridge, Ipswich, Brisbane UBD map 213 G 13**

All classic cars and hot rods are welcome and need to be in place by 9am. A cruise to the event is leaving from BP Archerfield Truckstop, Boundary Rd, Rocklea (Details available from the website). Popular band "Guitars & Cadillacs" will play throughout the day. Swap meet, memorabilia and other stalls unique to the Rock 'n' Roll era are planned. Entertainment is planned for the kids and a floor for your dancing pleasure. Vendors can incorporate new or used Rock 'n' Roll clothing, retro and other associated items. Over 40 trophies on offer including some unusual and fun categories, also a special trophy for best-represented club. For further information, please contact Allan on (07) 3818 1189 (ah) or email [backto63@jri.com.au](mailto:backto63@jri.com.au). Entry forms can be downloaded from the web at [www.jri.com.au/events.htm](http://www.jri.com.au/events.htm)

### 30th August

**4th "Motoring Jamboree"**, Youth Ave Nambour. Organised by the Sunshine Coast Police Citizens Youth Club in conjunction with the Sunshine Coast Drag Racing Club. Our aim is to provide an avenue for motoring enthusiasts to promote their particular interests to a broad range of people while also providing a much needed entertainment event for the youth and general public of Nambour and the Sunshine Coast region. **FREE ENTRY for display vehicles.** Gold Coin donation for general public. Make it a club outing and have a fun day out! Enter your pride and joy into the "Motoring Jamboree" and be in the running for one of the great trophies that will be on offer. For further information, please email:

[martyhunt@suncoastpcyc.org](mailto:martyhunt@suncoastpcyc.org), phone: (07) 54 412 915, or Sunshine Coast Police Citizens Youth Club PO Box 693 Nambour Qld 4560 (*Note: If rained out, the rescheduled event will be held on Sunday the 13th of September*)

### 31st October and 1st November

**Gold Coast Autorama 2009.** More details will be posted on the web site <http://www.geocities.com/autorama09> as soon as they are available or phone Peter on 0413 379 410 or Mark on (07) 5533 7107, email: [autorama09@yahoo.com.au](mailto:autorama09@yahoo.com.au)

### All Ford Day at Kedron TBA.

**CALLING ALL  
NDSCC MEMBERS!!**

**PLEASE CONTRIBUTE  
TO THE OILY RAG...**

As you may have noticed, the last couple of *Oily Rags* have been a bit 'light on' for information.

If you have anything - a joke, an interesting story/article, information or photos - you would like to share with your fellow members, then please send it though to me so I can include it in future editions.

Any items can be forwarded to me at:

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