



# The Oily Rag

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#### UPCOMING EVENTS

**January 16<sup>th</sup>** – Sponsored by Kelly and Troy Batchelor. A nice scenic run ending up at Kenilworth Pub – this will be a lunch run with costs involved.

Lunch cost is: \$17.95 per person

**Please let Kelly and Troy know that you are attending asap so that they can give numbers for catering.**

Ph: 3408 6928 / 0420 974 635

**February run:** Sponsored by Donna and Rob Ashcroft. Info to follow.

Australia day at Caboolture Historical Village. January 26<sup>th</sup>.

**BRAIN TEASER** - A seven letter word -

If you remove one letter from it - it remains the same.

If you remove two letters from it - it remains the same.

If you remove three letters from it – it remains the same.

If you remove all the letters from it – it remains the same.

WHAT IS IT –See back page.

#### **NDSCC's Aim**

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

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Some photos of our Lakeside run below.



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**Minutes of Meeting held on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> November 2010.**

Meeting commenced at : 10.40am.

**Apologies:** John Pritchard, Nicole O'Keane, Bob Pritchard, Robert and Michelle Dix, Keith & Marilyn, Rob & Lorraine Coolings, Craig & Julie Bloomfield, Vince & Pat Vogler.

The meeting commenced with president Ron Byrnes welcoming all members and visitors.

Ron thanks Sherrie and Craig for organizing today's run.

**Treasurers report:**

<b>Balance B/F:</b>	<b>\$1999.10</b>
<b>income</b>	<b>\$ 108.20</b>
<b>Total:</b>	<b><u>\$ 2107.30</u></b>

**Expenditure**

<b>S/ sizzle</b>	<b>\$41.85</b>
<b>Bal at bank:</b>	<b><u>\$ 2065..45</u></b>



Ron Byrnes moved that the treasurers report be accepted – seconded by Kaz Thompson – carried.



### **Secretary's report:**

Denise welcomed everyone and the only incoming correspondence was from Caboolture Historical village outlining all of their events for 2011. The first is to be held on Wed. 26th January for Australia day celebrations. If any members are interested in putting a group of us together for this day, please let me know as we will need to organize everyone for this day.

We have done these at the Historical village before but it can be a long hot day as you cannot leave until about 2.30 – 3 ish. So please let me know if you are interested in exhibiting your car at this event. Please see newsletter for more information.

Denise moved that her report be accepted – seconded by Elaine – carried.

### **General Business**

Ron wanted to discuss with members about changing our membership numbers.

Alec stated that when we formed the club we wanted only a small club with limited numbers up to around 60 members. We wanted to keep a small friendly club where there were no “clicky” groups or people sitting alone and not participating.

However because many people are bringing friends on runs and these friends and family members are wishing to join up – Alec suggested that we increase our membership numbers to an unlimited number of members. Because of our limited membership we have a limited amount of funds. Our affiliation fees will increase from around \$50 to \$75.00 but all members agreed that we could certainly handle the extra \$25.00.

Elaine agreed that if members joined and did not come on every run, we have their membership fees and this will enable our “potty” to grow and be used for participating members on runs. Eg: subsidizing lunch or paying entrance fees etc.

Alec put forward a motion to increase our membership numbers but also to be able to change our limit at a later date if warranted. The motion was seconded by Ron Byrnes and the members voted unanimously for increase in membership numbers – motion carried.

### **Bylaw #4 will now read:**

**Membership is open to all individuals and their families who profess to aspire to the objectives and aims of the club. Membership may be limited by vote of the members at a regular meeting, if it is deemed to be in the best interests of the club.**

ie: We are removing the current limit of 60, but leaving in the option to limit numbers if necessary. New members must attend at least two runs per year – including one meeting run.

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Ron asked for anyone interested in being the representative for the QHMC (Queensland Historic Motoring Council). After discussion, Elaine nominated Alec to be our representative – this motion was seconded by Chris Tilyard – motion was carried.

In the event that Alec is not able to attend a meeting Dense and Julie will attend. All members were in favour.

In view of this vote the following memberships were accepted:

Trent and Lisa Eversham - Robert and Cheryl McWilliam

Both membership applications were accepted. Welcome to our new members.

Ron informed members that Rob Dix is unwell and that we have forwarded a card to him on behalf of the club in the hope that he gets well soon.

Towards the end of the meeting we had to organize runs for the upcoming year.

They are as follows:

**Jan 16<sup>th</sup> – BYO – Kelly & Troy (Kenilworth pub) (Meeting)**

**Feb 20<sup>th</sup> – S/Sizzle – Donna & Robert**

**Mar 20<sup>th</sup> – S/Bord – Chris & Sharon (Meeting)**

**April 17<sup>th</sup> – BYO – Kaz & Richard**

**May 15<sup>th</sup> – S/Sizzle – Alec & Elaine (Meeting)**

**June 19<sup>th</sup> – S/Bord – Graeme & Denise**

**June 12,13,14<sup>th</sup> – QHMC rally Toowoomba – more info to come.**

**July 17<sup>th</sup> – Xmas in July (more info to come) – (Meeting)**

**Aug 21<sup>st</sup> – BYO – Presidents Run**

**Sept 18<sup>th</sup> – S/Bord – AGM – location to be advised.**

After no further business the meeting closed at 11.15am

**Raffle** amount raised: \$102.60 (wow) great work all.

**Winners** of the questionnaire were: Richard and Kaz

Second Place – Marita and Geoff.

**Raffle** prize was won by: Richard & Kelly Byrnes.

Trophies were won by: Jake Sheather for breaking down before we even got to Petrie.

The best car went to the owner of the Thunderbird.- and with the last trophy going for grabs – Denise grabbed it because she could

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A great morning at Petrie Markets for members attending the November run.  
  
We continued on from the markets to Lakeside Internal raceway.

**February Run:**  
**Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> – Sausage Sizzle**  
**Gold Coin Donation please – and enjoy!!!**  
**Sponsored by: Donna & Robert Ashcroft**  
  
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To Alex and Elaine – Congratulations on the birth of a new grand-daughter born on 7<sup>th</sup> December.

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**Heres the solution to all the controversy over full-body scanners at the airport.**

Have a booth that you can step into that will not xray you, but will detonate any explosive device you may have on your body.It would be a win-win for everyone, and there would be none of the crap about racial profiling and this method would eliminate a long and expensive trial.Justice would be quick and swift. This so simple that is brilliant. I can see it now.You're in the airport terminal and you hear a muffled explosion.

Shortly thereafter an announcement comes over the PA – “Attention stand by passengers – we now have a seat available on flight 4665....

Paging maintenance – shop vac needed in booth number 4...

Sure sounds like a win-win to me.

**Run to Lakeside Raceway (submitted by Donna Ashcroft)**

Well here goes.

We all met at Centennial Lakes and after some organization from Sherrie and Craig who had it all set up under a tent, with the opportunity for a long chat and some late arrivals including myself, we were given our rally sheets and trivia sheet regarding Lakeside.

We headed from the park through the back blocks of Caboolture to our morning tea destination of the Old Petrie Village & Markets, into open spaces I never knew existed, it was a beautiful scenic drive. Along the way we pulled over to make sure that our friends in a VW beetle were ok - unfortunately the beetle stopped and was unable to be restarted, but its occupants continued on the run. It turned out later that it was a small part that caused the problem, I believe at cost of \$3.00.

We reached the Historical Village to be guided to our designated spot. Here we parked the cars and had a short walk through the markets to find an array of goodies and interesting objects whilst being entertained by music. We only had about 30 minutes to look around before we gathered together for the bi-annual meeting and morning tea. It was an exceptional gathering and I believe we had over 40 people attend. Sherrie and Craig should be congratulated for a well organized run.

Once the meeting concluded we then proceeded to Lakeside via some more back roads. We reached Lakeside Raceway to find some Porches racing around the track. We followed the road around and through the tunnel which runs under the race track. It had a very interesting sign at the entrance saying "no trailers through tunnel" then directly underneath this "one has already tried and got stuck" there wasn't much room especially with the size of our Hudson.

We gathered together in our designated area, and set up our tent. This was interesting as we forgot the tent pegs to hold it down in the wind, so some imaginative ideas emerged and we tied the tent to esky's, watermelon's and pegged screwdrivers into the ground to hold it down.

Once this was organized we headed to the main café building and we were addressed by Keith Lewis, who gave us an introduction to Lakeside and explained that we were invited to take a run around the track but that safety was of paramount importance to taking part. Unfortunately unless your vehicle was fitted with seat belts you were unable to take part. Of course this didn't deter many - besides they would have lapped the Hudson 10 times to our one lap.

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I think there was a statement about taking things easy, but I really don't think our guys were taking much notice as they zoomed past the tower. It was great to see our vehicles out there and talking to other people from the track they thought it was great to see them having a run around, bringing back memories from a past gone era.

After we were flagged back in we preceded back to the café for Lunch and what a burger and a half we indulged in. It was enormous along with sausages and a complimentary bottle of water; I think some indulged in something a little stronger. We congregated together on the verandah of the café and then once we finished eating

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### **DEES DRIBBLE**

A body temperature of over 42 degrees is fatal.

The skin of baby mice is so transparent that you can see the milk flowing into them as they suckle.

48 teaspoons make up one cup

Your body makes a new lining for your stomach every three days.

Cows, rice fields and garbage dumps are the largest producers of Methane gas.

The statuette on Rolls Royce's is called the Spirit of Ecstasy.

In ancient times, parsley wreaths were used to ward off drunkenness.

Sherrie and Craig marked the trivia sheets and we had three winners all with 100% , so it was decided that all our names go into a hat and drawn for the issue of our prizes. The winners were, Maria & Richard. I was lucky enough to score the writing of the run for the magazine.

I also believe that the raffle was a huge success in raising well over a \$102.00 for the club - the raffle prize was a model BMW donated by Craig & Sherrie.

I believe that everyone enjoyed the run immensely and credit given to Sherrie and Craig for a well planned event well done guys.

A Boeing 747 plane holds about 216,846 litres of fuel.

The garfish has green bones.

Hair grows slowest at night.

The skeleton of a 70kg body weights 13kg

A woman's arthritic pains will almost always disappear when she becomes pregnant

Cold water weighs less than hot

The top cork producing countries in the world are Spain, Portugal and Algeria.

If all the gold suspended in the world's seawater were mined, each person on Earth would receive about 4kg.

When born, the white whale is black.

The bird that lays the largest egg in relation to its own size is the Kiwi.

Blueberry juice boosts memory

The elephant is the only animal with four knees

Every human spends about half an hour as a single cell.

Argentines eat more meat than any other nation in the world

The only part of the human anatomy that has no blood supply is the cornea.

Penguins have an organ above their eyes that changes seawater to fresh water.

Coffee drinkers have more sex than non-coffee drinkers – they also enjoy it more! **Start drinking that coffee everyone!!!!!!!!!!!!!!**



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**Submitted by Alex Gallagher**

A little boy goes to his dad and asks, 'What is Politics?'

Dad says, 'Well son, let me try to explain it this way:  
I am the head of the family, so call me The Prime Minister.  
Your mother is the administrator of the money, so we call her the Government.  
We are here to take care of your needs, so we will call you the People.  
The nanny, we will consider her the Working Class.  
And your baby brother, we will call him the Future.  
Now think about that and see if it makes sense.'  
So the little boy goes off to bed thinking about what Dad has said.  
Later that night, he hears his baby brother crying, so he gets up to check on him.  
He finds that the baby has severely soiled his nappy.  
So the little boy goes to his parent's room and finds his mother asleep.  
Not wanting to wake her, he goes to the nanny's room. Finding the door locked, he peeks in  
the keyhole and sees his father in bed with the nanny..  
He gives up and goes back to bed.  
The next morning, the little boy say's to his father, 'Dad, I think I understand the concept of  
politics now. '  
The father says, 'Good, son, tell me in your own words what you think politics is all  
about.' .....

The little boy replies, 'The Prime Minister is screwing the Working Class while the  
Government is sound asleep. The People are being ignored and  
the Future is in deep shit.'

**Submitted by Denise Douglas**

A congregation are enjoying their Sunday service when all of a sudden the devil raises up in the  
middle of the church. All the congregation run screaming from the church in abject terror.

Only one old man remains sitting in the front pew.

"Are you not afraid of me?" asks the devil – the old man replies - NOPE

"I can make you burn forever in the pits of hell" – states the devil – "now are you afraid of me" – the  
old man replies – NOPE

"I can cause you more anguish than you could ever imagine for more than 40 lifetimes" says the  
devil – "NOW are you afraid" – NOPE says the old man

“Why aren’t you afraid of me” asks the devil

“Cuz I’ve been married to your sister for the last 48 years”

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**\*\*\*!!!! IMPORTANT NOTE: Have been notified by Kaz and Richard that they are now unable to host the April rally – could they please swap with anyone else?? Please advise if you are able to swap!!!!**

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## **2011 Dates**

**22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> January:** WARWICK Vintage and Veteran Vehicle club – Allora Heritage weekend

**26<sup>th</sup> January** – Caboolture Historical village

**28<sup>th</sup> January** – BVRC Australia day rally – Ormiston School – 7.30am free breakfast. Please email: [r-m-egglesfield@digisurf.net.au](mailto:r-m-egglesfield@digisurf.net.au)

**20<sup>th</sup> March** – Historical Motorcycle club of Qld – Sunshine Coast – Contact Bob for more info on: 0434 822 418

**27<sup>th</sup> March** - Ormiston Swap – Conducted by BVRC. Sites \$4 and \$2 per person. Contact Scott for further information on: 07 3823 1793 or [www.baysideclub.org.au](http://www.baysideclub.org.au)

**\*\* CONGRATULATIONS TO BOB AND IRENE PRITCHARD – HAPPY 40th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY FOR THE 9<sup>th</sup> JANUARY \*\***

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