

# STORK TALK

JULY 2018

***"In Perfect  
Unison"***



**Standown Park** is a quiet, peaceful and safe place to stay. What a wonderful weekend we had with dancing, lots of laughing and overall fun. Weather was excellent although rather cold at night.



We have our donated brick on their memorial wall.

Rod & Pam are owners of this beautiful place, which has been set up to provide comfort and peace for service men and women veterans and for all who choose to stay for a time of relaxation.

Rod & Pam have also created, in 2006, an initiative called **Push to the Bush** which takes the Spirit of Anzac Day to school children in remote and rural areas. Together with many veterans they travel out west to talk to the children, set up a mini museum and join in the town's Anzac Day activities.

Everyone is welcome to tag along on their annual trips to keep the Spirit of Anzac alive. If you are interested in joining them please call Pam or Rod on 07 5486 5144 for more information.

## ***PRESIDENT'S REPORT -***



### **STANDOWN PARK**

What a great Rally 15 vans attending. Unfortunately some of our members called in sick & could not make it. Every night we enjoyed a beautiful fire the Standown Park people provided for us

Thursday we went for a tag along trip to Inskip Point & Rainbow Beach where we all had a nice lunch at a side walk café & this is where I lost my crown as the ice cream king, Lorraine Taylor is now the ice cream Queen of the Club. Earlier Sarah & Albert handed out their quiz papers to be answered by Friday Night

Friday morning after morning tea we were off to the Berry Farm to enjoy their many delights Strawberries & ice cream/ waffles etc to name a few for what we called Lunch, then later around the fire the quiz papers were marked, a big thank you to Sarah & Albert for their efforts in organizing the quizzes.

Saturday became a bit of do your own thing day, some went for drives others stayed at camp & relaxed.

Saturday night was the climax of the whole weekend with huge fires burning to keep us warm while Prue / Pam / Rod & their team prepared a Super Delicious camp oven Stew & Damper main course followed with apple crumble custard & ice cream. The Highlight of the weekend was the entertainment provided by Clarence & Janet, the entertainment inspired many of our members to take to the dance floor & show their dancing talent. The night was absolutely fabulous.

Our next Rally is the Christmas in July Rally at Lowood 2<sup>nd</sup> Weekend in July.

Hope to see you all there.

*Russell*

### **THE JABIRU COMMITTEE**

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#### **ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO THE**

**SECRETARY: - Juliet Raymond**

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**LED FOR STANDOWN PARK IS  
\$ 4318.00**

# RAFFLE WINNERS

## **Raffle Prize :**

DASH CAM & BOTTLE OF RED WINE  
Donated by Arlene.  
HAZEL CREWE & WAYNE WOOTTON



## **Van Prize :**

Van No. 74  
GRACE & STEVE COSTELLO



# CELEBRATIONS

## **BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS**

Happy Birthday to Sepp, Bonnie, Anne & Bill



## **ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS**

Congratulations to Juliette & Bill



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## JULY BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES



**Marclain Lawless 4<sup>th</sup>**

**Grace Costello 7<sup>th</sup>**

**John McIntosh 19<sup>th</sup>**

**Barry Massingham 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**Karen Pitkin 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**Suzie Crane 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**Les & Karen Pitkin 25<sup>th</sup>**

### RAFFLE PRIZE ROSTER

**PRIZE IS TO BE BETWEEN \$25 & \$30.**

If it is your turn to provide the Raffle prize & you cannot attend that Rally then you have two options:

1. Swap your turn with another couple, or
2. Send in the prize with another member attending the Rally.

**THE JULY ROSTER IS: - BRIAN & LYNDELL MANTHEY**

**August – Russell McCowan & Sylvia Mitchell**

**September – Ian & Cosette Aland**

**October – Bill & Sue Clark**

**November – Dennis & Bonnie Williams**

**December – Bob & Jeannette Richardson**

**January 2019 – Gary & Joan Taylor**

**February – Aivars & Rhonda Dreimanis**

**March – John & Anne McIntosh**

### **OUR CARE PERSON**

**Sylvia Mitchell**

**Mobile 0418 816 707**

**Email: [russellandsylvia@claremontresort.net.au](mailto:russellandsylvia@claremontresort.net.au)**

**Just let Sylvia know if you know of any of our members who are unwell so we may offer our best wishes or support.**

**BEST WISHES TO ALL OUR MEMBERS THAT ARE NOT FEELING THE BEST OR HAVING OPERATIONS – A QUICK RECOVERY TO ALL**



## MEMBERS PROFILE

### GARY TAYLOR



Where were you born? **WHANGAREI NZ**

Where did you go to school?

**PRIMARY – WHALL VALLEY NZ  
HIGH SCHOOL - WHANGAREI BOYS  
HIGH**

What is your favourite Colour? **RED**

What is your favourite Sport?

**AFL & MOTOR RACING**

What is your favourite song?

**NUTBUSH CITY LIMITS**

What is your favourite food? **FISH -  
SNAPPER**

What is your favourite Cartoon Character?

**SPEEDY GONZALES**

One thing you can't live without? **WATER**

What do you most hate? **DRIVERS WHO  
DO NOT INDICATE AT ALL.**

One word that describes  
you? **'RETIRED'**

Naughtiest thing you did at school?

**RAMMING SPUDS UP THE EXHAUST  
PIPES OF TEACHERS CARS.**

Your Motto-

**"DO THINGS WHEN YOU THINK OF  
THEM – THERE ARE ONLY 2 TIMES –  
NOW AND ITS TOO LATE."**

## FUTURE RALLY DATES

- **AUGUST- KILKIVAN BUSH CAMP 15<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup>**
- **SEPTEMBER- KANDANGA BOWLS CLUB 12<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup>**
- **OCTOBER- KALBAR 17<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> Followed by THE STATE RALLY BUNDABERG**
- **NOVEMBER- MALENY SHOWGROUNDS 14<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup>**
- **DECEMBER- KILCOY SHOWGROUNDS 5<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup>**
- **JANUARY 2019- ALLAWAH SCOUTS CAMP 16<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup>**
- **FEBRUARY 2019 - MULLUMBIMBY SHOWGROUND 13<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup>**

Our intrepid travellers in China recently –

Lyndell & Brian with Ian & Cosette - hope you enjoyed your trip.



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## JABIRU NOTICEBOARD

**41ST CARAVAN CLUBS STATE RALLY - 22nd—27th October 2018.**

**Bundaberg Recreational Precinct 7 Kendall Road Bundaberg**

**COORDINATORS NEEDED-** Please come to help us to make this an exciting rally.

We need more coordinators please as in the following:

☐ Breakfast /sausage sizzle

☐ Craft displays ☐ Crazy whist ☐ Demos ☐ Entertainment ☐ exhibitors ☐ Line dancing ☐

Trivia night ☐ Morning walk

Please contact the Secretary if you can help: Elaine Sutherland Ph: 07 3314 0560 /

Mob: 0419 715 482 Email: [ejsutherland49@gmail.com](mailto:ejsutherland49@gmail.com)

**REGISTRATION SHEET available online.**

Thanks to the CCQ Delegate Dennis.

### **State Rally Stall.**

We are conducting a stall at the state rally in Bundaberg. Donations would be greatly appreciated. The things that seem to sell the best are home made jams and pickles and sweets. If anyone has SMALL jars or produce for this it would be great.

If they can make these items it would be even better.

Please remember that it all has to be transported so the more compact the better.

If any of our members do woodwork maybe something along that line would be well received as well. Craft can be slow but things that are a wee bit different can be a winner. NEW unwanted gifts could also be sold. Suggestions are always welcome.

Please ring me if you can help in any way. Cheers, Fay (0429662490)

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**HI MEMBERS.** Does anyone know a registered electrician, who could "tag and test" our electrical leads? We need them tagged for State Rally and some caravan parks.

Please let me know. Juliet.

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### **IN-BETWEEN RALLY OUTINGS**

#### **Suggestions**

1. Ipswich Queens Park- Zoo & Japanese Gardens- to be investigated by the nominator & feedback to the Club - Possibly in Spring.
2. Swim at Southbank- to be investigated by the nominator & feedback to the Club - during summer months.
3. Morning Movie & Lunch- to be investigated by the nominator & feedback to the Club.
4. Picnic with Lunch from Yatala Pies- Les Pitkin to Investigate & feedback to the Club.

Please keep the ideas coming but please if you suggest an outing you are the organiser.



# STANDOWN PARK RALLY

Thursday some drove to Inskip Point and then back to Rainbow Beach for lunch.



Ice cream competition - has Russell been toppled?



Friday we went to Cooloola Berries for lunch - waffles or pancakes with lots of berries & ice cream or a cheese platter.



Saturday night we enjoyed camp oven dinners cooked by the fire, sweets and then entertainment by one of the veterans as well as dancing. A great night was enjoyed immensely by all.





## Dinner and later dancing



## Doing the Standown Dance – very complicated.



"IN PERFECT UNISON"

July 2018



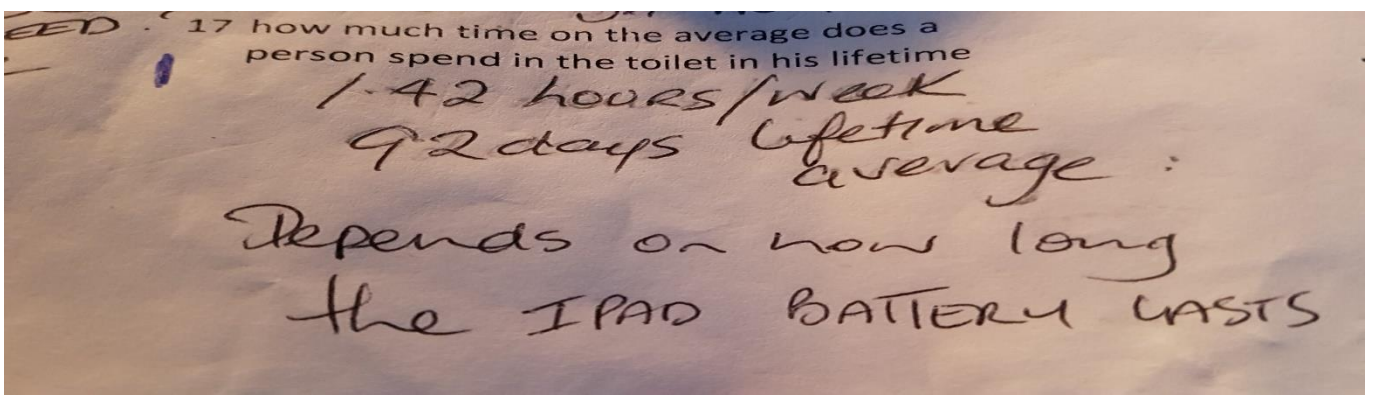
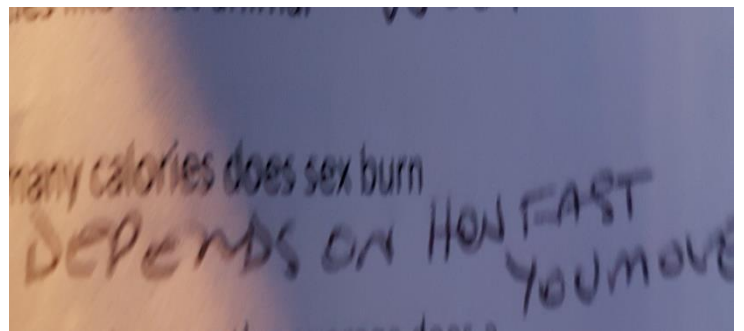


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Winners of the quizzes that Sarah and Albert gave us : Wayne & Hazel overall winners.

Runners up : Barry & Margaret Chesterfield and Anne & John McIntosh.

Some of the funny answers to a couple of questions -





## LOWOOD SHOWGROUNDS 12<sup>TH</sup> - 15<sup>TH</sup> JULY

### STATION STREET LOWOOD

Exit off the Warrego Hwy onto the Brisbane Valley Hwy at Blacksoil  
Travel 22km through Fernvale turning left onto Forest Hill Fernvale Rd  
Travel 8km to where the road changes to Railway Rd.  
Turn right into Station Street, then turn right into Showground after Pub.



## Christmas in July



Site Fees \$15.00/night powered site - Please bring extra water hoses.

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> - Arrive and set-up. Check in with our Rally Master Steve Costello.

4.00pm - Happy Hour Meet Greet followed by a short rundown of the activities by Russell McCowan & Sarah Pauly.

6.00pm - Dinner bring your own meal. Webers will be available to cook on.  
Later- "Port & Talk" for the night owls.

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> - 8.00am - Walkers - all are welcome to join.

9.00am - Fitness class with Hazel.

10.00am - Morning Tea.

11.00am - Scenic drive to Fernvale Bakery Café (to buy lunch) then onto Wivenhoe Dam (to eat lunch). Bring along flask (tea, coffee or soup)  
Option to visit local winery after lunch.

4.00pm - Happy Hour

6.00pm - All out for a Pub Meal at the Hotel next to the Showground  
Later "Port & Talk".

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> - 8.00am - Walkers - all are welcome to join.

9.00am - Morning Tea.

10.00am - Drive to Coolana Olive Farm for tour & talk, followed by Morning tea supplied at \$6.60 per head. (Tea or coffee & cake)

12.00noon - Drive to Jensen's Swamp for picnic lunch.

4.00pm - Happy Hour & games.

6.00pm - Dinner catered by the Lowood Show Society

**Remember to Dress to the Theme Christmas in July.**

**Dinner Choice: - Roast Pork or Beef & Veges plus dessert - "\$18 per head"**

**If anyone has any special Dietary Requirement please let Russell know prior to the rally**  
Later "Port & Talk".

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> - 8.15 am - 8.45am. - Our usual migration to settle our week-end accounts. Don't forget to purchase your raffle tickets.

9.00 am Morning Tea Roundup of the Rally.

The Jabiru activities are pleasure based & not compulsory - attendance is Your choice.



HOWEVER FUN IS COMPULSORY

TRAVEL SAFELY!!!!!!!

NEXT RALLY IS AUGUST- KILKIVAN☺

