

JAGUAR

TOWNSVILLE



REGISTER



JULY 2004

MEETING – 7 JULY 2004

PRESENT:

Allen Collins; Bill Honniball; Michael Fitz Gerald; Kevin Fitz Gerald; Joe Pannia; Fiona & Peter; Peter Carlson; Dick McInnes

APOLOGIES:

Craig Sholz

MINUTES:

The minutes of the previous meeting held on 7 July 2004, having previously distributed, were taken as read and were confirmed.

Peter Carlson/Allen Collins

BUSINESS ARISING:

Bill has now formally resigned his position as Secretary. Peter nominated (seconded by Allen) Richard to the position and after Richard's acceptance was duly appointed. Peter moved for a vote of thanks to Bill for his work supporting the club over the years since the club's inception. Bill has held many of the positions within the club but most notably as the secretary keeping minutes and producing this newsletter. Bills' farewell will be the wine and cheese afternoon held on 29th August.

Richard's former position as treasurer is now vacant until another member is willing to take on the position. Fiona expressed an interest but this will have to wait until she becomes a full member. Richard will continue with the books until such time a new treasurer is appointed.

The 24th and 25th of this month is the club's run to Ravenswood. Bill had a phone call suggesting we book early to avoid disappointment. The Railway Hotel where we stayed last year is closed for renovations for the next couple of months and is therefore unavailable. As a result Kevin has tentatively booked five rooms at the Imperial Hotel. If there is a general consensus then the hotel will provide a barbecue for dinner on Saturday night. Otherwise dinner will be a la carte. Departure is from the Stuart Pub, Stuart Drive at 2:00pm (NB Peter C - not 2:30pm but 2:00pm). Lunch on Sunday is at the Mingela Pub (on the way home) for anybody interested and is usually free with the purchase of an alcoholic beverage. Please forward your intention to attend to Kevin as soon as possible.

Bill noted that the upcoming swap meet (which clashes with the Ravenswood run) usually held at the Civic Theatre each year is being held this year at Bluewater with the possibility of an overnight stay.

CORRESPONDENCE:

INWARDS:

Queensland Government Regional Budget Statement

Harvey Events Business Card – Mr Robert Heaton Mob: 0429 879 491

Precision technic (Auto instrument repairs) – Mr Paul Schmidt ph: 07 4775 5324

Lions Swap Meet 14 August 2004 Townsville Showgrounds from 6:00am

OUTWARDS:

Westpac Bank re: new account request. A new account has been opened with Westpac for convenience purposes since Bill's departure. Westpac require a letter from the club stating its desire to open a new account which also includes a certified copy of the JDCQ's certificate of incorporation. The existing account held with the university credit union will be closed.

Peter Carlson/Michael Fitz Gerald

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Richard reported that the balance at 30 June 2004 stood at \$471.40 with nil outstanding cheques.

Richard Dixon/Peter Carlson

GENERAL BUSINESS:

The All British Day held at the Cathedral School was reported as being a successful day. There were nineteen Jaguars represented which apparently was one off the record. This



failure to equal the record was attributed to Joe's non attendance due to a flat battery. Kevin thought there was a bigger crowd this year although there was some dissent among the rabble in attendance. Peter noted that there were not as many bikes this year however this was more than made up for by the attendance of Bill's beautifully restored Morris Zed utility. Peter also noted that letters of appreciation should be sent out *tout de*

suite to the school, radio station 4ttt, ABC etc. and other clubs in attendance. Richard reported that the two extremely heavy ABD signs have been returned to their rightful owner Bill and suggested that they be discarded and replaced by better, lighter & easier to handle signs that don't need a forklift and a semi to move them. Also reported was that the duration of ABD next year should be shortened by one hour from 10:00am to 3:00pm instead of 4:00pm. All agreed.



Bill reported that he was approached by Mr Robert Heaton of Harvey Events to discuss whether the jag Club in conjunction with other car clubs is interested in a run from Townsville to somewhere out west (Richmond?). It would run along similar lines to the London to Brighton run held in the United Kingdom. A letter will be sent to Harvey Events expressing our interest.

Everybody was pleased to learn that Craig is on the mend albeit slowly and is now able to sign for his credit card purchases without Virginia's help. Great stuff Craig but bad luck Virginia!!

Peter & Bill reported that unless the club's outings are not advertised properly in the JDCQ's magazine we are not insured. This was in response to a request from the JDCQ for an update of our events. Kevin will look after this.

Richard reported that due to the transfer of power (oops sorry – office) from Bill to Richard there is a lot of correspondence that dates back to when BILL WAS A LITTLE BOY. The question was asked “Is this stuff required to be kept?” Happily the answer was “No it isn't” and as a result, Richard will be discarding anything predating the turn of the century ie the year 2000 with the exception of the newsletters. These will be scanned and converted into digital PDF files and made available on CD for anybody to request a copy to view.



JULY 2004 NEWSLETTER

COVER PHOTO

Last month's All British Day is this month's topic and this and other photos shown in this month's newsletter illustrate what those who didn't attend missed out on.



BILL'S BALONEY & PETER'S PANORAMA

Sadly with the retirement from the Townsville register of both Bill and Peter there will be a serious lack of padding (no disrespect intended lads) for this and future issues of the newsletter. For our future amusement Craig will hopefully be able to pen a word or two (or even more if he's better) and carry on with Craig's Corner. We can't wait for the next Daimler instalment.

FOR SALE / WANTED:

For Sale: None this month.

Wanted: New club treasurer;
Newsletter Items.

If you wish to advertise anything at no cost from your business to your dirty washing please advise anyone on the contact list below to be included in next months newsletter.

LIBRARY

Most members will be aware of the usually prohibitive cost of Jaguar related books. As recorded in a previous newsletter and if there is enough interest, the club intends setting



up a catalogue of books of interest owned by club members. The catalogue will include book and owner contact details. Responsibility, borrowing arrangements and any other conditions eg postage & insurance will be entirely between the book owner and the borrower. If you have any books of interest you are willing to share with other club members please email your booklist and any other comments to Richard at rg.dixon@bigpond.com. Of course, don't

forget that the JDCQ already has an extensive range of books for you to borrow. Please refer to the JDCQ magazine for more information.

NEWSLETTER BY EMAIL?

Would you like to receive your newsletter by email? Following is a list of members email addresses currently on the books.

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Unless you let us know otherwise, people with emails will receive the next and future newsletters via email instead of through their letterbox. Emailed newsletters will be sent in Adobe PDF format. This will hopefully help reduce administration and maybe even save a few trees. If you want to be either included or excluded or change your details, please email Richard at rg.dixon@bigpond.com. Note: those not on the list or wish to be excluded will still receive their newsletters by snail mail.



COMING EVENTS:

Sunday 11 July	Sunday run departing McDonald's carpark, Stockland, 4:30pm
Sat. 24/Sun. 25	Ravenswood run departing Stuart pub, Stuart Drive Wulguru 2:00pm
Wed. 4 August	Meeting, Shelley's Diner, Norgate Ingham Road, 7:30pm
Sun. 29 August	Wine and Cheese afternoon, 3 Malkara Street, Mundingburra

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