



NORTHERN JAGUAR MAGAZINE



HERVEYS RANGE TEA ROOMS TRIP
Sunday 24th July 2011

AUGUST 2011- EDITION

CALENDAR OF EVENTS*

February 2011	
Wednesday 2	Meeting
Sunday 27	Rollingstone Pub Lunch
March 2011	
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Sunday 20	Sausage Sizzle Willows Markets
Sunday 27	Lunch at Mingela
April 2011	
Wednesday 6	Meeting
Friday 15	School Holidays start(& resume Wed 27 Apr)
Sunday 17	Balgol Run for Fish & Chips
Friday 22 to Mon 25	Easter- Jaguar National Canberra
Tuesday 26	Anzac Day Holiday
Wednesday 27	School resumes
May 2011	
Wednesday 4	Meeting
Sunday 22	Sausage Sizzle Willows Markets
Fri/Sat/Sun 27, 28 & 29	Overnight Tableland
June 2011	
Wednesday 1	Meeting
Saturday 18	BBQ Soiree (location to be advised)
Sunday 19	All British Day (confirmed)
Friday 24	School Holidays start (& resume Mon 11 July)
July 2011	
Wednesday 6	Meeting
Monday 11	School resumes
Sunday 17	Sausage Sizzle Willows Markets
Sat23/Sun 24	Overnight Daintree Cabins
August 2011	
Wednesday 3	Meeting
Sat 27/Sun 28	Overnight Bowen
September 2011	
Sat 3/Sun 4	Ingham Air & Car Show
Wednesday 7	Meeting
Friday 16	School Holidays start (& resumes Mon 3 Oct)
Sunday 18	Sausage Sizzle Willows Markets
Sunday 25	BBQ/ Run with Mini & Marque Clubs
October 2011	
Monday 3	School resumes
Wednesday 5	Meeting
Sat 22/Sun 23	Overnight Ravenswood Cabins
November 2011	
Wednesday 2	Meeting
Sat 26/Sun 27	CHRISTMAS dinner, Recovery Breakfast & AGM at Hinchinbrook Marine Cove Resort, Dungeness

CLUB MEETINGS

1st Wednesday of each month except January & December (no meeting) held at BP CLUDEN, Racecourse Road, 7:30pm

NOTES:

Sunday Runs

These runs are now only held in Townsville if there is sufficient interest. If you are interested, or driving through, give one of the committee members a call to discuss.

Emails

If you have an email address and can receive newsletters or if you change your email address please let the editor know as emails save time and money.

*Note all events are subject to change – for confirmation refer to newsletter closer to event date!

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SOCIAL EVENTS

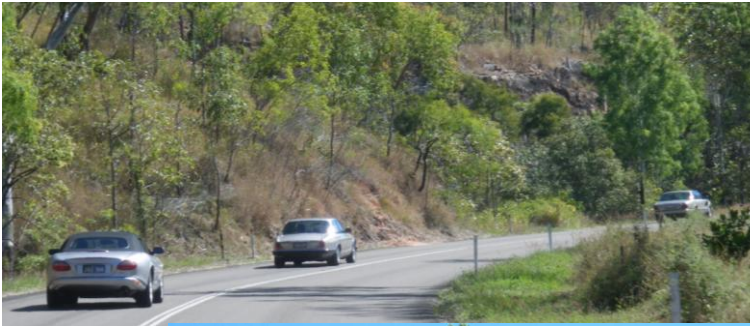
HERVEYS RANGE TEA ROOMS TRIP

Sunday 24th July 2011



Members met at the Rupertswood Store on Herveys Range Road around 1pm *(and without mentioning names, only one car needed a late note).*

An excellent turnout with ten cars participating and travelling to the Tea Rooms where everyone settled in for some afternoon tea/lunch/brunch/.



HERVEYS RANGE TEA ROOMS TRIP (Continued)

During the afternoon we were surprised by the arrival of the Townsville "Hot Rod" Car Club with some very colourful cars and V8 power plants.



After some lovely food and a great get together we left the Tea Rooms around 4pm for a leisurely drive back down the range. All in all it was a very enjoyable afternoon and the weather was beautiful.



Did you spot the cat in the trees Page 4???

On the Road Again with Reg & Jan.

We left home heading to Darwin on Friday morning and stayed first night with Aunt Ellen at Julia Creek. That night we went out to tea at The Top Pub with a dozen of the Fels Clan, a good night. We next headed to Mt Isa to spend a couple of nights with Frank & Glenys Munis. On arrival spent the afternoon checking out their cars and Frank's workshop.



They have two XJ6 S2 cars "Lily and Scarlet". Scarlet is due for some engine work but apart from that, looks spectacular. They also have the Brock Holden and XJS all in excellent presentation. The E Type is in storage. As you can imagine Frank is running out of room; and when we arrived there was much shifting of cars. That night we were taken to the Irish Club and had a guided tour of the place, most impressed.



Sunday Frank drove us all around Isa. At this point I would like to mention that I haven't been to Isa or the route to Darwin since 1957; so much has changed!!! For lunch Frank and Glenys took us out to their favourite place Moondarra Lakes and we agreed with their choice, it certainly eases the districts isolation. What a beautiful area.

Thanks again
Frank & Glenys for a wonderful stay.



Monday morning we were on the road again heading to Camooweal and The Barkley Highway Roadhouse where we took on some extra fuel and had lunch. Fuel was expensive as was expected. The road from Isa to Camooweal was excellent and good to Three Ways. We cruised comfortably on 120kms and made 23 miles to the gallon.

In new terms 12.3 L. to the 100kms.

Stayed that night at Tennant Creek and arranged for a courtesy bus to pick us up and drive to the Memorial Club for dinner. Nice club and good meal.

On Tuesday we set off for Katherine, back pass the 3 Ways, Banka Banka, Renner Springs and refuelled at Dunmarra and had lunch. Each day we would find a good place to have lunch and Dunmurra was one of them. With our own food and thermos we enjoyed sitting outside for a while before travelling on. After lunch we travelled on through Elliott which is an Aboriginal Town, Mataranka then on to Katherine.

Wednesday was a short run into Darwin. Thanks to our GPS we found our Motel in the suburb of Parap. We caught up with our friends who live in Townsville but spend 6 months of the year in Darwin. Saw the beautiful sunsets, parks, went to lots of markets had picnics overlooking the sea. We thoroughly enjoyed ourselves and hope to go back one day!!!!

Everywhere we travelled people would comment on the Jaguar in fact at one shopping Centre a young lady blew kisses at us and said what a lovely car.

It is such a comfortable car to travel in that we found we arrived too early at our booked destinations so on the way home we went pass Katherine and stayed that night in the fun town of Daly Waters. Here we had a great night and all the staff at the Hotel are back packers from Ireland which made for some interesting conversations.



On the Road Again with Reg & Jan. (Continued)



Next day we headed to Mt Isa, which is a long way but with good roads we were able to cover the distance in good time. The road is extremely busy with caravans/cars, motor homes and huge Road Trains. Coming into Julia Creek we passed a Motor home with the windows missing on one side. Later we caught up with the owners who were extremely shaken as a Road Train had side swiped their Van and the train just kept going.

From Cloncurry to Richmond we had to slow right down as the road is so bad. There are road works in progress. Let's hope that section can be fixed soon.

A bit of trivia: Mt Isa to Cloncurry achieved 24mpg. Cloncurry to Julia Creek 25 mpg. helped along with a tail wind; not bad for a V12.

To sum up the roads: Townsville to Charters Towers, good.
Richmond to Cloncurry. "B" awful
Cloncurry to Mt Isa, good
Mt Isa to Darwin Very good.

Reg & Jan

COMING EVENTS

BOWEN TRIP 27 & 28TH August

We will meet at the Alligator Creek Roadhouse at 10.00am Saturday 27th Then drive to Ayr and have lunch in the park near the BIG SNAKE. We should arrive in Bowen around 3.00pm For those who would like to see the sights we could drive up to the Lookout. Later we can all meet down on the beach for Sundowner. Dinner that night will be in the Cove Restaurant which is a short walk from the Motel

On Sunday there are the Markets followed by Lunch/brunch down on the New Foreshore with the Proserpine Restorers Club. They will meet us there at 10.00am. Please bring lunch for Saturday and BBQ gear for Sunday. We already have 12 members attending so if you would like to join us please ring Jan or Reg 47213636 and we will endeavour to find you a bed!!!!

Whitsunday Sands Resort



COMING EVENTS (Continued)

Ingham Wings and Wheels Air Show 3rd & 4th September

SAUSAGE SIZZLE 18th September

Please come along and help make it another successful day. Be there by 6.30am to help set up as we start selling by 7.00am. This is our last fund raiser for the year.

BBQ & Run with Mini & Marque Clubs – Sunday 25th September

Overnight at Ravenswood Cabins 22nd / 23rd October

(To be discussed at next meeting on 7th Sept re incorporating a run to the Burdekin Dam)

Christmas Function 26/27th November



This year we have booked the lovely Hinchinbrook Marine Cove Resort, Dungeness [Lucinda] for our Christmas Dinner, with breakfast on Sunday, followed by our AGM.

We hope to have a boat trip on the Saturday Afternoon. The Resort offers a variety of accommodation consisting of Motel Rooms, Bungalows, Town Houses and Waterfront Units. It surrounds a public boat ramp with jetties and pontoons along the banks for the fisherman. Also available on site are two resort pools, numerous BBQ areas, and children's playground, restaurant, café and conference facility which has been booked for our members for the weekend.

Hinchinbrook Marine Cove Resort, Dungeness [Lucinda] Accommodation details:

<u>Motel Rooms</u>	<u>Bungalows</u>	<u>Townhouses [sleeps 3-4]</u>	<u>Waterfront Units [sleeps 3-4]</u>
\$103.50 per room per night. Overlook the pristine waters of the channel. The rooms have outdoor balcony areas and are surrounded with gardens and are situated near the resort pool and BBQ area.	\$126.00 per room per night Small [sleeps 1-2] 1 Queen Bed, Medium [sleeps 3-4] 1 Queen Bed + 2 Single Beds, Large [sleeps 4-5] 1 Queen Bed + 1 Single bed + 1 set Single Bunks	\$157.50 per room per night. Two story fully self contained air-conditioned townhouses overlooking landscape gardens, resort pool and BBQ area.	\$126.00 per room per night Ground level and upstairs units located on the banks of the channel.
Fully Air-conditioned 1 Queen Bed + 1 single	Fully Air- conditioned	Fully Air- conditioned Upstairs: Main room 1 Queen bed + 1 Single with balcony	All units are one bedroom with the following bedding options: 1 Queen: 1 Queen + 1 single: 2 Queen: 1 Queen + 2 single.
Tea, coffee, toast making facilities, cutlery, crockery, microwave, mini bar fridge	Kitchen with stove, microwave, fridge, cooking utensils and equipment.	Downstairs: Dining/Living area with television. Full kitchen with stove, dishwasher, microwave, fridge, and cooking utensils	Meals are with stove, microwave, fridge, cooking utensils and equipment.
Television	Television	Laundry and separate toilet.	Bathroom with shower, toilet, hair dryer

As you can see we have a number of accommodation options so we ask you to let us know as soon as possible the type of accommodation you would like. Let Reg or Jan know on 47 213636 and we will make the booking.

This will be a great opportunity for us to get together for our last Jaguar Jaunt for the year. We are hoping our new members who live some distance away will make this trip so that we can get to meet one another and put a name to a face. Also we would love to check out their Jags



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DON'T FORGET

Let Reg or Jan know on 47 213636 and they will make the booking



REMINDER



"MEMBERSHIP FEES"



This is just a brief note to remind you that our membership fees are due.

The new club year started on 1-July-11.

A Renewal/Application form was sent out with the July Newsletter.

Would all existing members please fill out a renewal form and update any changed information, and also please give a form to any prospective new members.



GET WELL SOON

We wish our member Bill Moore all the best for a speedy recovery after his recent operation, and hope to see Bill back on the road again soon in his lovely Jag.

CLASSIFIEDS

These classifieds are free to advertise and items don't have to be Jaguar related. Ring or email Marcia Hogan on PH: 47886342 Email: mhogan12@bigpond.net.au to have your items inserted in next month's issue.



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Minutes of Last Meeting

JAGUAR CAR CLUB OF NORTH QUEENSLAND



MINUTES OF GENERAL MEETING HELD WEDNESDAY 03 August 2011

At BP Cluden Roadhouse.
Chairperson: Reg Fels

The meeting opened at 7.30: pm.
Minutes Recorder: Craig Scholz

Members present:

Reg, Jan, Craig, Ray, Fred, Joe, Peter, Bill, Sue, Steve, Judy, Marcia

Apologies:

Keith Metcalfe & Ted Hogan

MINUTES

Endorsement of the Minutes of Previous Club Meeting:

The minutes of the previous meeting (6th July 2011) were endorsed as a true/correct record.

Accepted. 1. Jan, 2. Peter Carried.

Business Arising:

Letters of appreciation to go to supporters of the All British Day- (Dave Ashton to action)

CORRESPONDENCE

Inwards Correspondence:

1. Letter from TCC re "Strengthening & Conditioning"
2. Entry Form from Marque Club for Competition
3. Letter from Gary Re assessment of "Asset Insure Car Insurance"
4. Email from Daryl Waller re prospective new member from the Tablelands.

Outwards Correspondence:

Nil Correspondence accepted, 1. Marcia, 2. Peter. (Carried.)

TREASURER'S REPORT

The Treasurer reported the club's current total finances were \$4824.60 (from previous \$3581.73) made up of the following account balances:-

- Cheque Account \$2735.74 (from previous \$2081.42)
- Investment Account \$2088.86 (from previous \$1300.31)
- Cash Float \$200.00

Report approved: 1. Joe, 2. Peter. (Carried)

GENERAL BUSINESS

1. Loss of Club banner, as per previous Minutes the Club banner is still missing, stolen from the Cathedral School on All British Day. The Club will need to replace it.
2. Jan described the itinerary for the Bowen trip 27&28th August, further details to go in newsletter
3. Craig suggested that it is an opportune time to consider reducing the Club Membership Fees in view of our strong financial position. Members voted to leave as is at present and to review for next financial year
4. Reg to organise Club badges.
5. Reg welcomed our new members Steve & Sue Keating who own a 1997 XJ6 (X300)

CLUB EVENTS

1. Jan thanked everyone for going to the Hervey Range Tea Rooms Cafe trip on Sunday 24th July. Ten cars participated and it was very successful.
2. The next Sauseage Sizzle (last for the year) at the Willows is on 18th September.
3. Bowen Weekend 27&28th August with the Proserpine Restorers Club joining us on the Sunday.
4. Craig suggested that a car pool be instituted for long distance trips.

Meeting closed at 8.30pm

**BE HAPPY, KEEP SAFE
AND ENJOY YOUR JAG'S**

