



NORTHERN JAGUAR MAGAZINE



GIRU/WOODSTOCK RUN

Sun 22nd February 2015

MARCH 2015 - EDITION

PROPOSED CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2015*

CLUB MEETINGS: Time: 7.30PM on 1st Wednesday of each month except January and December (no meeting)

Place: Comfort Inn Robert Towns Motel, 261 Stanley St, City, Townsville Qld 4810

*Note these events are only suggestions at this stage until discussed at our meetings.

<u>FEBRUARY 2015</u> Wednesday 4th Sunday 22nd	<u>Meeting</u> at Comfort Inn Robert Towns Motel, 261 Stanley St, City, Townsville Qld Drive via Woodstock to Giru Hotel for lunch.
<u>MARCH</u> Wednesday 4th Sunday 22nd Fri/Sat/Sun 27,28,29th	<u>Meeting</u> at Comfort Inn Robert Towns Motel, 261 Stanley St, City, Townsville Qld Sausage Sizzle Willows Markets Overnight Tablelands (Yungaburra Markets Sat Morning)
<u>APRIL</u> Wednesday 1st Easter 3rd to 6th Sun 19th	<u>Meeting</u> at Comfort Inn Robert Towns Motel, 261 Stanley St, City, Townsville Qld Easter Holidays Lunch at Forrest Beach (Early run this month because of Easter & Anzac Day 25th)
<u>MAY</u> Wednesday 6th Sunday 24th Sat/Sun 30th/31st	<u>Meeting</u> at Comfort Inn Robert Towns Motel, 261 Stanley St, City, Townsville Qld Sausage Sizzle Willows Markets Overnight Airlie Beach
<u>JUNE</u> Wednesday 3rd Saturday 13th Sunday 14th	<u>Meeting</u> at Comfort Inn Robert Towns Motel, 261 Stanley St, City, Townsville Qld International Meet & Greet (Location TBA) All British Day at Cathedral School (confirmed)
<u>JULY</u> Wednesday 1st Sunday 12th Sunday 26th	<u>Meeting</u> at Comfort Inn Robert Towns Motel, 261 Stanley St, City, Townsville Qld Sausage Sizzle Willows Markets Run to Balgal Beach (maybe changed due to run in Oct to Balgal Beach)
<u>AUGUST</u> Wednesday 5th Fri/Sat/Sun 28/29/30th	<u>Meeting</u> at Comfort Inn Robert Towns Motel, 261 Stanley St, City, Townsville Qld Trip to Undara National Park (lava tubes)
<u>SEPTEMBER</u> Wednesday 2nd Sunday 13th Sun 27th	<u>Meeting</u> at Comfort Inn Robert Towns Motel, 261 Stanley St, City, Townsville Qld Sausage Sizzle Willows Markets Drive to Charters Towers for lunch
<u>OCTOBER</u> Wednesday 7th Sun 25th	<u>Meeting</u> at Comfort Inn Robert Towns Motel, 261 Stanley St, City, Townsville Qld Drive to Balgal Beach with T'vle Historic & Vintage Car Club & Mini Club
<u>NOVEMBER</u> Wednesday 4th Saturday 21st Sunday 22nd	<u>Meeting</u> at Comfort Inn Robert Towns Motel, 261 Stanley St, City, Townsville Qld Christmas Dinner (To be decided, maybe Lucinda or Kurramine Beach?) Recovery Breakfast/AGM (To be decided, maybe Lucinda or Kurramine Beach?)

NOTES:

Emails: If you have an email address and can receive newsletters or if you change your email address please advise the Editor as emails save time and money.

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.

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SOCIAL EVENTS

WOODSTOCK/GIRU RUN

Sun 22nd February 2015

Attended by Reg & Jan, Linda & David, Judy & Kelth, Margie & Laurie, Julie & Ray, Rita & Ian, Sue & Steve and the Lads Jim, Peter, Richard & Alan.

It was great to see 18 Fellow Jaguar Club members with their shiny vehicles congregate at the Stuart Hotel on Sunday 22nd February for the run to the township of Giru via Woodstock.

Although not a long drive the Woodstock Giru Road meanders through some very picturesque farmland and waterways.

On our arrival at the Giru International Hotel, photos were taken and then it was off to the bar for a refreshment or two.

The Hotel was buzzing with conversation and laughter and to our delight a welcoming banner was displayed in the Jaguar Clubs honour.



It was a humid day and the hotel provided large fans that kept the air circulating. I noticed there wasn't much chatter as the steak sandwiches were being devoured by all.

Entertainment was non-stop with a very persuasive gentleman selling continuous raffles. Lucky Richard won a shopping trolley which he has kindly donated to the club. (thank you)

Unfortunately the birdwatching didn't eventuate due to the heavens opening up and damping any enthusiasm there may have been (maybe next time)

Hence we all made our merry way home safe and sound.

Cheers Sue K



SOCIAL EVENTS

AUSTRALIA DAY RUN

Mon 26th January 2015

A few members joined the drive along the Strand, and Pallarenda Rd and then out to the Hogan's place at Bluewater to Celebrate Australia Day 2015.

It was yet another one of our stinking hot days, so everyone just tried to keep up with their refreshments and make the most of the day.

We all enjoyed a little of each other's lunch etc and sat around the pool listening to some Aussie music and then we all adjourned to the lounge area inside for the comfort of some airconditioning.

Some members indulged in a game of the Hogan's indoor golf, while also having a bit of a chit-chat etc, and then it was time to pack up and hit the bitumen to home again.

Unfortunately my usual duties of taking photos went astray on the day as I was consumed with my other hostess duties and forgot all about my camera. Anyway Ted & I did have fun dressing up our front verandah area for the Aust Day theme and we certainly christened it the day before with a few whiskey's.

Cheers for now
Marcia Hogan



COMING EVENTS

Fri/Sat/Sun 27,28,29th March 2015

Overnight Tablelands (Yungaburra Markets Sat Morning)

The Curtain Fig Motel in Yungaburra has been booked for two nights 27 March & 28 March - they have 6 standard rooms with queen size beds (\$105) per night and a spa bungalow (\$120) per night - there is off street parking, swimming pool and BBQ facilities which may lend itself to a pool party!!!

Please contact Sue Keating our Social Secretary on Mob: 0407 166 338 or Email: sakes38@gmail.com

FRIDAY: Meet 10.30am at Yabulu Roadhouse

Lunch at Cardwell; buy or bring your own. Pre-dinner drinks at Curtain Fig Tree Motel then Nicks for Dinner.

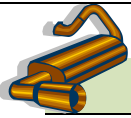
SATURDAY: Breakfast then Markets

After Markets a discoveries walk along Petersons Creek with Wendy & David.

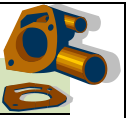
Drinks around pool at 4.30 then BBQ Dinner (please bring own food and drinks).

SUNDAY: Breakfast then drive to Gwen & Bruce Bradford's home at Chilverton for morning tea. On the way home some might like to check out "Feast of the Senses" at Edith Street in Innisfail, as this event runs all day.

To finish off the weekend how about an ice-cream at Frosty Mango.



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1979 XJ6 Series 3 (4.2 ltr)

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\$7,500



Prior to our purchase of this Jag in late 2012, it was previously stripped back and completely re-sprayed along with installation of a reconditioned motor. The hood linings and seats were also redone. Since we purchased the car we have also carried out the following restoration work:

1. Floor wells & boot, cleaned, treated & painted with POR15 & new padding & carpet installed.
2. Bonnet removed, cleaned, re-painted underneath & re-insulated.
3. Wheels removed & bell housings and wells cleaned and painted & all wheel nuts replaced & new battery.
4. Replaced fan belts, airconditioner belt & drive belt. Radiator removed, cleaned & repainted by Natrad & radiator shroud & fan cleaned and repainted and all refitted.
5. Full Hose Kit (10-12 hoses) purchased and installed.
6. Front suspension coils and shockies replaced.
7. Fitted new top and bottom ball joints.
8. Power rack removed and refitted with new bushes.
9. Fitted new rubbers & swar bar links, tie rod ends and rear cotton reel bush.
10. Fitted new doughnut rubbers to front suspension unit & new locknuts.
11. Fitted atmospheric coolant tank.
12. Removed rear suspension radius arms & drive belt covers, prepped & refitted bells & new radius arms, bushes/rubbers.
13. Fitted all new fuel hoses to fuel rail/injector delivery units and refitted new air flow meter.
14. Air conditioner unit removed and reconditioned, refitted along with TX valve and hoses.
15. Fitted new fuel sender units to both tanks.
16. Fitted tail shaft pinion seal to diff.
17. Replaced 2 exhaust flange gas rings.
18. Removed old radio/tape player and installed new Pioneer CD/Tuner with remote & fitted new wood steering wheel.
19. Tappet cover removed and cleaned and new gaskets and seals installed.
20. Fitted new exhaust rubbers and olives.
21. Fitted new power steering rack, washers & bushes installed and wheel alignment done.
22. Fitted new front brake caliper kit, pistons and hoses.
23. Rear brake pads replaced and bearings checked.
24. Replaced front headlights and installed new wheel arch mouldings & front passenger engine mount.



Our selling price for this vehicle is far far less than the restoration costs and our reason for selling is that we have too many vehicles.

The vehicle comes with Qld Personalised Plates JAG679 (appropriately a 6 cyl 79 model) and a Roadworthy Certificate.

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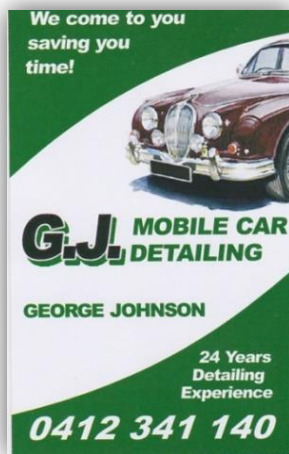
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