



May 2021 NEWSLETTER

Next Month's Rally - Marburg Showgrounds
Wednesday 16th June - Tuesday 23rd June
Queen Street, Marburg QLD 4346 Ph. 0458003262







Marburg Showgrounds is situated just off the Warrego Highway approximately 15 minutes from Ipswich and one hour from Brisbane. It has been earning a good reputation among caravanners and motor homers. The show society has just spent about \$100,000 upgrading facilities. Marburg is famous for the historic building, Woodlands of Marburg, built in the late 1800s, the annual Black Snake Creek Festival and weekly old-time dances in the local hall.

Directions: 1 hr 14 min (94 km)

- Get onto Hornibrook Esplanade/State Route 27
- Follow signs for M1 and merge onto M1
- Continue on M1. Take Airport Link, M5 and M2 to Warrego Hwy/A2
- Continue onto M2/National Highway 15
- Take the M2/Warrego Hwy exit towards Esk/Toowoomba
- Continue on Warrego Hwy/A2 to Marburg
- Turn left onto Edmond St
- Turn left onto Queen St and destination is on the left

These directions are for planning purposes only. You may find that construction projects, traffic, weather or other events may cause conditions to differ from the map results, and you should plan your route

You must obey all signs or notices regarding your route.

Places To Visit -

- Imbibis Craft Gin Distillery
- Black Museum
- Soul Nook Collective
- Special Branch Collective
- Scotland Yard Antiques





Birthdays for June



Helen Hunter Ted Wynne

Gayle McHutchison Barbara Rowlingson

Eric Byng Dave Broadley

Many Happy Returns!



Anniversaries for June



Debbie & David Smith Yvonne & Noel Weeks
Ann & Derek Lowis

Congratulations!

June Rally Activity

Organisers Dave & Andrea Hellewell

"Disk Bowls"



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Activity Report Kingaroy

The activity "Swing Your Balls" consisted of players placing a pair of pantihose containing a tennis ball over their heads and then knocking down a number of water bottles half filled with water.

The rules included placing hands behind your back, no stopping the ball from swinging by resting it on the ground, no kicking the bottles over with the feet & No argument with the umpires rules.

There were many varied approaches to the knocking over the bottles with the secretary Rick being disqualified in both of his rounds for using his feet instead of his ball.

Some ladies were great swingers of the hips in their attempts to keep the ball swinging. Whilst the guys adopted the more direct approach of nodding the head to get the bottles to drop.

The video of the whole event will be placed on YouTube as an advert for the PCCI. Just Joking.

The final was made up of Helen Hunter, John Hunter and Keith Volkmer. At the end the fairer sex prevailed once again.

It was a great event for the participants and the audience. We are all sure this one will be played again in the future.

Neil Wagstaff

Roving Report Kingaroy

Ten vans arrived on Thursday, 2 on Friday and 1 on Saturday. We also had day visits from Keith & Beverley and Trevor & Yvonne. Fabulous to see them all. We are also missing our old timers, absent with various illnesses and operations. Please get well soon - we miss you all.

Thursday was settle in day with a few roaming the town of Kingaroy trying to find their bearings.

Friday saw many of us go our own ways - some for drives, some to haunt the plentiful supply of 2nd hand shops. The RSL was the place to dine with courtesy buses running frequently. We had 2 winners from our club for the RSL Raffles. With the quieter dining area provided to us it was nice to be able to chat and actually hear each other talk.

On Saturday a group of members visited the Lavender Farm and enjoyed a morning tea in the onsite cafe while others enjoyed each others company back at camp. The Activity was a ton of fun & laughs, new members Derek & Ann were welcomed in by Rick, May birthdays were celebrated for Bep Spee, Debbie Smith & Yvonne Ryan & our Anniversary couple Dave & Andy were celebrating 55 yrs. The raffle was drawn by new member Derek which produced a win for Les & Bernie. John & Helen and Neil & Glenda provided us with 2 firepits to ward off the nip in the air.

Sunday saw 1 couple leaving while the rest of us mass exited on Monday. New members Derek & Ann staying on until Tuesday.

Yvonne Weeks

Vice Presidents Report

Congratulations to our Rally Coordinator, Helen Hunter for another great camp choice. Kingaroy is a favourite of Noel's and mine so we are familiar with the Showgrounds and love it here.

Noel & I will be taking a break for a few months. We decided to sell our Villa and have been fortunate to purchase a block back on the Peninsular at Newport Stockland Development but as the build will be about 6 months off our new home will be our van. We may make August Rally but if not you will see us in September.

Enjoy your next few rallies and you will see us soon. Look after yourselves and stay healthy and safe.

Cheers

Yvonne Weeks

Constitution & By-Laws

Members are reminded of the following PCCI By-Law 36 Code of Conduct.

Code of Conduct 36. Whilst the association encourages recreational interaction, members are requested to consider a common sense and socially acceptable behaviour particularly but not limited to:-

- Noise levels;
- Alcohol consumption;
- Smoking;
- Abusive language; and
- General Conduct

Members are reminded that the club does not tolerate conduct or comments which may cause distress to your fellow members. If necessary refer to By-law 42 Grievances.



Rally Coordinators Report

We had glorious weather at Kingaroy showgrounds.



The two fires pits were well received as the temperature dropped with members gathering around them as the sun set.

Our next Rally is at Marburg Showgrounds. Fire pits allowed off the ground.

Please let me know asap if you are attending or not attending via email or mob 0421 222 346 not via a friend.

See you there.

Helen Hunter

Secretary Report

Thanks to all those who helped me with my new awning Amazing effort To those who didn't then you can help with the annex next month.

Club expenditure for the rally in excess of \$3,000. Pretty good for a small club don't you think.

Rick Roeder

Treasurers Report



What another great weekend at Kingaroy. We were low in numbers but our spirits were high, the days were warm and the nights were chilly.

Our finances for this year to date are travelling very close to our budget so we are right on track with our club funds. The raffle for the rally was supported again by all of our members. Thank you to Rick and Helen for stepping up and donating the prize at the last minute in the absence of our rostered raffle member.

Barbara Richardson

.....Note from your Editor

All the old club newsletters going back to the first in October 2005 have now been published onto the website.



If you have any photos / gossip from Rallies or articles that you wish to have published, please email them to me at jhgnhunter@outlook.com

Cheers John H

RAFFLE ROSTER

June -Gary & Wendy

July -Keith & Beverley

Rob & Di August -

ACTIVITIES ROSTER & REPORTER

June -Dave & Andy

July -Xmas in July BYO

Paul & Vicki August -

Refund of up to \$20 + tickets

If you are unable to attend your nominated rally, please get in touch with the next member on any of these two lists. Should you be unable to find a replacement from please contact these lists. our Vice **President Yvonne**

Medical

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State & National Rallies

The 2021 Queensland State Rally will be held at the Pittsworth Showground, Thursday 16 to Wednesday 22 September (7 nights).

Information on the Pittsworth State Rally will be provided in due course.

The 18th National Caravan Clubs Rally 2022 is to be held at the Riverlands Field Days Site, Barmera SA, 28th March 2022 to 6th April 2022 (10 nights).

This is an opportunity to see the Riverland Region of South Australia, meet interesting people from interstate and mingle with like-minded people in a festival of caravanning, sightseeing, relaxation, and entertainment. Do not miss the opportunity to come to South Australia.

Registrations are now being taken. Go to the web site below for more details.

Non-Refundable Admin Fee with Registration of \$50.00.

Register online at: https://www.18thnationalcaravanrally.org.au/welcome.php

John H

Editor

REMINDERS

Members are expected to wear their Club Shirts at "Official" Club gatherings and any other designated Club Activities, gatherings or functions as stated by the Committee.

Only the officially sanctioned shirt is acceptable as stated by the Committee.

Saturday is official Club rally day (Club shirt day)

Members are reminded that the PCCI Constitution and By-Laws can be located on the club website under the Members Only - Club Documents section.

EMERGENCY DETAILS - MEDICAL

To seek urgent help, continual quick short blasts of a whistle or car horn (3 seconds on/off).

Upon hearing this members are requested to proceed in an orderly manner to the site of the whistle or car horn bringing with them mobile phone, fire extinguisher, water bucket, fire blanket, torch and first aid kit where available.

It has recommended that members have a Emergency booklet, which is available from most chemist, displayed in your RV to assist Ambulance staff etc. in case of an emergency. This information should include any Medical Conditions, medications & ICE contact/s.

This information can also be stored in your smart phone for those times you are out & about.

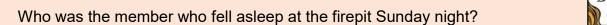
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Men's Shirts	\$32
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Jackets	\$45
Sleeveless Shirts	\$25
Caps	\$18



Club Stickers	\$5
Flags	\$17
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Kingaroy Gossip Line





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- Who were competing to have the hottest, highest flames, best coals in their fires?

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Lady walkers celebrating



<u> 2021</u>

June



Marburg Showgrounds

July



Pomona Showgrounds

August



Imbil Retreat Caravan Pk

September



Canungra Showgrounds

October



Samford Showgrounds

November



Dicky Beach Caravan Park

2022

February



Coolum Caravan Park

March



Mullumbimby Showgrounds

April



Kalbar Showgrounds

May



Stanthorpe Showgrounds







Maybe not a good shortcut



No shortage of advice for Rick & his awning



Lavender Farm



Members enjoying the Lavender Scones



Lavender Scones



Uninvited guest





Swing your balls activity



The final



Activity Winner Helen H with John 2nd & Keith 3rd





Happy birthday Yvonne



Happy anniversary Andy & Dave



Raffle winners Bernie & Les





Welcome to new members Ann & Derek



Bjelke Petersen Dam



Vintage car club



Sunsets on our Kingaroy Rally



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