

Peninsula Caravan Club Inc.

MAY 2023 NEWSLETTER



Dayboro Showgrounds

14-20 June, 2023

3512 Mount Mee Road, Dayboro 4521

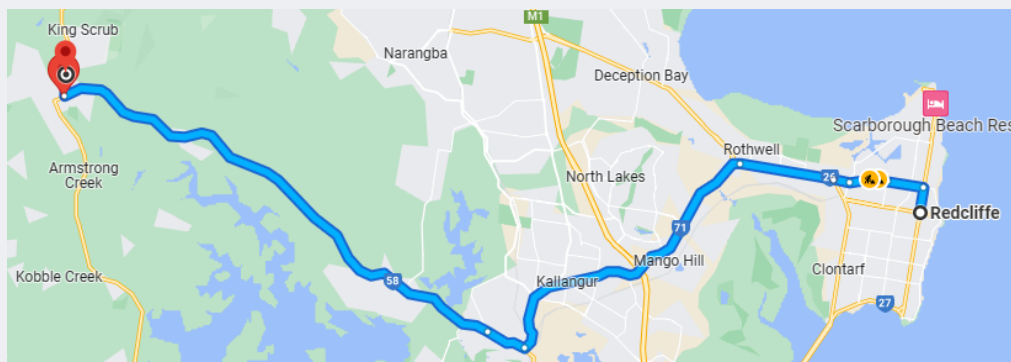
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Location and History:

Dayboro is a rural town and locality in the Moreton Bay Region. Dayboro is approximately 40 kms from Redcliffe and 46kms from Brisbane. Dayboro is big on character with an array of quirky cafes, antiques, craft and gift shops and historical buildings. To the north of Dayboro lies the D'Aguiar Range and the mountain township of Mount Mee. Other nearby towns include Petrie and Samford. The land surrounding the town supports avocado and pineapple plantations, as well as dairy cattle.

Directions:

From Redcliffe travel west along Anzac Avenue. Travel through Rothwell, Mango Hill and onwards towards Petrie. Then turn right onto Dayboro Rd. At Dayboro you pass over Terror's Creek and then turn right onto Mt Mee Road.



Continue along until you see signs of the Dayboro Showgrounds on the left.

There is plenty to do in the Dayboro region including eateries, wineries, coffee shops, old country Pub, restaurants, ice cream shop, gift and retail shops, art gallery and antique shops

- **Hay Cottage Arts and Craft**, 29 Williams Street, quality hand made art and craft at very reasonable prices. Originally built in 1869 it is the oldest surviving privately constructed residence in the Pine Rivers area, it is open each day.
- **Dayboro Art Gallery** showcases and sells pieces commissioned by local artists, corner Williams St and Mt Mee Road. Open 10-3pm each day.
- **The Old Storehouse Café and Deli**, 30 Williams Street, Breakfast & Lunch till 2pm, Wednesday to Sunday offering pantry provisions, deli goods, handcrafted homewares, local produce and home-made goods.
- **The Dayboro Drop (Bites and Brew) Restaurant** 1 Heathwood Street, Wed-Sun 11.30-2.30pm or 5.00-9.00pm and takeaway.
- **Treasure Tribe**, 10 Williams Street, Gifts & Home Decor featuring a stunning range of locally AUS made homewares and unique gifts, e.g. insulated wine cups, tumblers or stubbie coolers.
- **Smith and Barton Studio Workshop** using traditional methods upcycling preloved bespoke pieces and handmade leather goods all made on site.
- **The Churn Room**, 38 Williams Street is a creative hub in the old Dayboro Butter Factory where you can browse and buy collections from local artisans. (Wed-Sun 9-3pm)
- **Dayboro Shed Antiques**, 358 Mt Samson Road, Armstrong Creek, just 4kms south of Dayboro (Sat-Sun 10-2pm) traditional antique furniture, china, glass, pottery, blokey stuff and rural gear.
- **Ocean View Estates, Winery and Restaurant**, 2557 Mount Mee Road, Ocean View (11.5 kms drive). Sample wine at the cellar door or enjoy a coffee or meal in the Restaurant, maybe grab some cheeses, antipasto and a bottle of wine and find somewhere to picnic on their stunning 150 acre property.
- **The Gantry is in the D'Aguiar National Park** - a drive 24km north of Dayboro via Mount Mee Road (tourist route number 29) and Sellin Road to the park's entrance. Continue 920m to The Gantry. The road to The Gantry is suitable for conventional (2WD) vehicles. Pack a picnic or cook-up a barbecue and enjoy a relaxed lunch in the spacious, grassy picnic area. If you're feeling energetic, **the 30 minute, 1km circuit, Piccabeen Walk** starts and finishes opposite the picnic area. The trail has some interesting facts about the logging industry. Follow the trail and boardwalk through a mix of eucalypt and subtropical rainforest featuring piccabeen palm groves and enormous, silver-coloured Sydney blue gums. You might also catch a glimpse of some King Parrots.



Our walker's view from Yellow Pinch Lookout towards Mt Barney

President's Report



We had a great rally at Bigriggen. We had thirteen vans there by Saturday and we enjoyed fantastic weather with clear skies all day. That did result in some chilly mornings but shorts weather (for some) by midday. Great use was made of the camp fires on each night. The campground was impressive with generous sites and a bush camping feel. The grounds were very large with a nice walk along the Logan River, which was adjacent. There was plenty of wildlife with a good variety of birds and couple of night time visitors to the campfire. The only down side was the walk to the amenities.

Quite a number went for a short drive Saturday morning to Yellow Pinch Reserve in Mt Barney National Park. From there some of us walked to Yellow Pinch lookout. It was quite steep in parts and five completed the trip to the lookout for a magnificent clear view of Mt Barney, the top of which was about 1000 metres above the lookout. There was also a clear view to Mt Lindsay in one direction and Mt Maroon behind some trees in the other direction. From there we went to The Shed for some coffee, scones and other delights.

A big thank you to Bill, Jan, Darryl and Barbara for the activities and to Rick and Helen for the raffle.

We will be having a General Meeting at Dayboro, so if you have something to raise then let John or one of the committee members know.

Hope to see you all at Dayboro.

Cheers
Les

Treasurer's Report



Thanks to Rick and Helen for organising this month's raffle which raised \$59.00.

I don't need to tell you who won the raffle AGAIN. I think we should hide Rod's wallet next time.

Regards
Ann



Refreshments at The Shed (Rathlogan Olive Grove Café) were welcomed by the hardy trekkers



2023

June
Dayboro
Show-
grounds



July
Boonah
Show-
grounds



August
Toogoolawah
Showgrounds



September
Toowoomba
Showgrounds



October
Kilcoy
Showgrounds



November
Mudjimba
Caravan
Park



December
Christmas Luncheon

denotes
Dog
Friendly



Secretary's Report



We had 13 RV's attend our May rally at Biggigen who reported \$6,577 being injected into the local economy.

A General Meeting will be conducted at the June Rally at the Dayboro Showgrounds on Saturday 17th May at 3:30pm.

The meeting is to allow members to vote on a number of motions and to also provide the membership a platform to raise any issues with the committee.

The agenda and supporting documentation for this meeting will be sent to all members on or prior to the 4 June 2023. Please contact the committee with any questions prior to the meeting if you wish.

Members are reminded that the Committee is always available to answer your question.

Cheers
John

Constitution & By-Laws

Members are reminded of the following PCCI By-Laws 8 and 47

8. The official Club Name Badge must be worn at club rallies on the official rally days of Saturday and at State and National Rallies and any other official events as required. [For club uniform application, rules 7 and 47 refer.]



47. Members are expected to wear their Club Shirts at all 'official' club gatherings and any other designated club activities/gatherings or functions as stated by the Committee.

Only the officially sanctioned shirt is acceptable. Rules 7 and 8 also apply.



One of many clear running streams of the Logan River.
This one under the causeway near Mt Barney

Ladies of the PCCI

Recently some of the PCCI ladies met up for morning tea at the Mon Komo at Redcliffe and a great time was had by all.

It was decided that we would like to arrange a gathering on the first Tuesday of each month and would like to invite all interested club ladies.

(Please note that this is not an official club event)

Our next gathering will be lunch and is planned for Tuesday 6 June at the Redcliffe RSL at 11:30am.



The following gathering will be on Tuesday 4 July for morning tea at the Boardwalk Café at Northlakes at 10 am.

If you are interested please contact Gayle on 0417 690 041 or email Gayle at: gaylemchutchison@gmail.com so booking numbers can be confirmed.

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Birthdays for June

Best wishes to
Helen H, Ted, Gayle, Barbara Ro, Nicole, Eric and Dave B



Anniversaries for June

Happy Anniversary to Debbie & Dave, Rhonda & Ian, Nicole & Peter,
Ann & Derek and Yvonne & Noel

Raffle Roster



For June - Rob and Diane

For July - Tony and Josie (Boonah)

For August - Michael and Carol (Toogoolawah)

Activity Roster and Reporters

June Organisers: Dave & Doreen and Dave and Andy
Activity: Frog Racing (no animal will be harmed in the making of this game)

July Gary & Wendy and Ian & Rhonda (Boonah)

August: Rob & Diane and Bob & Kay (Toogoolawah)

Friday night - Hot Pot Dinner



Our Hot Pot dinner was a resounding success. All the tried and noted cooks from the vans near and far had gathered at the tables for the night. There were delicious soups, curries, meat and chicken casseroles and desserts on offer. The warming meals were appreciated as the cool night air crept in. **Many thanks to everyone for supplying such a wonderful spread for us all to enjoy.**



Saturday's Excursion to Yellow Pinch Lookout near Mt Barney



Some of the enthusiastic 'walkers' gathered in the carpark before attempting the 2.1km out and back trail to the Lookout



The early stages of the climb over and around small rocks and up some rough sawn steps seemed do-able at first. But onwards, forever uphill, it did take its toll on some.

As the trail ascended, numerous walkers decided it was in their best interests and safety to return back down to the carpark

Five intrepid climbers made it to the top of Yellow Pinch Lookout, with Mt Barney in the back ground. Well done!





There can never be too many Happy Hour afternoons and evenings

Thanks to the fire makers who kept us toasty and warm. Also to the providers of nibbles and treats



The hotter the better for these lovely ladies



Just chillin' before
the awards and
raffle

What was so
funny Les?



This little 'visitor' knew where his next feed was
coming from

A little accident before the afternoon
activity began. (Just had to step over the string
Rod) Guess the fall was worth the excellent
nursing care afterwards



Bigriggen Activity - Bean Bag Toss (aka Corn Hole)

Thanks to all the members who participated in the game. This was something new for Jan and myself. It was an enjoyable afternoon, the sun was shining some people had there 'eye in' after a few throws.

There were some repeat challenges due to teams having an equal score. In the end, the team of Bernie and Ian came out on top and claimed the much sought after prizes.

I would like to thank Daryl and Barbara who stepped in to help run the game as Noel and Yvonne were unable to attend due to illness



Tony trying his hand at getting the chalk bags in the hole



Congratulations to activity winners **Bernie and Ian** with Jan and Bill and Barbara and Darryl the activity organisers

Happy Hour Awards



Barbara and Darryl
present Birthday girl,
Cathy with a lovely gift.

Absent birthday girls were:
Debbie and Rhonda.

Now what's going on here?
Was it a costume malfunction?

We congratulate **Andy and Dave** on their
Wedding Anniversary
Beautiful!



Congratulations to
Gayle and Rod
on their umpteenth
raffle win.

Can I see the strain of it all
showing on Rod's face?
(We still love you both)

Thank to you to Helen
and Rick for the prize,
beautifully wrapped



Gossip Line



- Which pyromaniac held his own smoking ceremony?
- Who could work for National Geographic, their knowledge of the local mountains, ranges and rivers, flora and fauna is amazing?
- Who took the scenic 20km route back to Biggigen from The Shed?
- Who else got lost on their scenic drive - again?
- Which couple both had 50c unisex showers! To save money or?
- How many enjoyed Devonshire Tea at The Shed and ate all of the scones?
- How many missed out on scones on Saturday afternoon after the hungry walkers ate their fill?
- How many enjoyed a bush walk up the 'track' and who had to come back because it proved too difficult?
- Who chose to just enjoy the scenery?
- Who has the best clean-skin scotch, rum or limoncello??
- Which lady was surprised to find a baby possum in her lap on the first night, who got the biggest fright?
- Who should be banned from buying raffle tickets?
- How many supported the local ice cream makers?
- Who fell over just to get special attention from our local aromatherapist?
- Which 'hot' ladies enjoyed the heat full on?

Medical Information

Dayboro Medical Centre (weekdays)
7 McKenzie St, Dayboro. Phone: 07 3425 1427

Caboolture Hospital
McKean Street, Ph: 07 5433 8888

Club Shirts

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

Saturday is official Club rally day (Club shirt day)

Reminder

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

MEMBERS MEDICAL INFORMATION

It has been recommended that members have a Personal Medical Record and details displayed in your RV to assist Ambulance staff etc. in case of an emergency.

This information should include any medical conditions, medications and In Case of Emergency (I.C.E.) contact/s.

This information can also be stored in your smart phone for access at any time or any place.

To access the Medical Information section on your smart phone, navigate to your Contacts List and locate **Your** name then **Select** it. This may need to be done through **Settings** on some phones.

Your details will now be displayed select **Edit** to start updating then scroll down until you locate **Edit Medical ID** (iPhone) or **Medical Info** (Android) or like then **Select**.

Now complete any appropriate sections e.g., Medical Conditions, Medical Notes (Medications), Blood Type & ICE (In Case of Emergency) contact/s. You will also need to scroll down to Emergency Access (iPhone) & select **Show When Locked**. then select **Done** or like to save.

This information can then be accessed if required by selecting **Emergency** from your Passcode screen. No passcode is required.

Cheers
John



EMERGENCY ACTION

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.

For the Emergency Help Line—Dial 000



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 robdi19@hotmail.com



Cheers Diane

CLUB SHOP

Men's Shirts	\$35		Club Stickers	\$5
Women's Shirts	\$35		Flags	\$17
Jackets	\$47.50		Van Flag Holders	\$5
Sleeveless Shirts	\$25		Towbar Hitch Handles	\$10
Caps	\$18		Tent Peg Pullers	\$5

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