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July 2012 Newsletter

MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS:

MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS ARE NOW OVERDUE. *Memberships for 2012/2013 are now due. Thank you to all the members who have already paid their membership. It is very convenient for the club to accept membership paid directly into our bank account, however I have received two direct payments of \$30 with no identifying information to allow me to credit against the members. Two members have made a direct deposit into the Jayco account but not identified who they are. Please check your deposit details.*

The Jayco Club of NSW bank account details are as follows;

BSB 032 686

Account number 146093

If you have not renewed your membership as yet, we value your membership and hope that we will receive your renewal by the end of the month

Liz Beesley

Treasurer

NOTE: *Members who joined after the start of this calendar year are financial until 2013.*

Wendy's Wanderings

WHERE WE'VE BEEN

One Mile Beach –

8th – 11th June

Attendance:

Maria & Tony Battaglia; Kevin & Carol Blakelock; Bob & Liz Beesley; Robyn & Wayne Hamilton; Col & Sue Bradshaw; Lorraine & Terry Bain; Ian & Chris Bailey; Ern and Carline Ross; Dorothy & Robin Wells; Paul & Helen Anderson; Mike & Wendy Fletcher' Col & Vinnie Every; Mick & Lyn Robinson; Neville & Joy Henderson
Day visitors: Ron & Bridie Scanes, Bill & Robyn Gleeson, Bob & Helen Purcell
Vans started arriving on Wednesday 6th June on a day with occasional showers (usually just as someone was unhitching their rig) Thursday saw the bulk of our member vans arrive and by Friday all had arrived. Morning and afternoon

teas were spent outdoors as much as possible, with the hall being a welcomed retreat in the wet weather. Overall the weather was kind with some spectacular days as well as some more overcast, windy and rainy days.

On the Wednesday night we all ate in our vans however on the Friday, Saturday and Sunday night most members ate together in the hall. On Friday night we sang Happy Birthday to Helen Anderson plus entertainment by "Bowen & Clare"

On Saturday morning a group went off to the Soldier's Point Bowling Club for the Bush Poets Breakfast. There weren't as many people as last time we went but we all thoroughly enjoyed the performance of the two artists and breakfast wasn't too bad either.

In the afternoon the committee had a meeting at 2pm, followed by a meeting of the members at

3:30pm. Ron and Bridie had to get home but Helen & Bob stayed for dinner. We had BBQ sausages and onion in rolls (put on by the club) and then a wide selection of desserts and fruit provided by each van. The entertainment in the afternoon was a couple called "Frozen" and in the evening a group of three young boys called "Brothers Three" entertained us. They were great musicians with good appetites as they helped us finish off some of the sausages and had some dessert. The left over sausages were taken by some of the members and on Sunday night many had curried sausages for dinner.



On Sunday morning some of the members went on the ferry to Tea Gardens where they had an enjoyable lunch and were nearly back to Nelson's Bay when the rain returned but it did not dampen their enjoyment of the day. Others enjoyed the afternoon listening to a band called 'Ruckas' and most of us stayed on and had dinner together. There was another show on from 7pm to 10pm but we drifted back to our vans during the night as there was quite a lot of noise from noisy children and badly behaved adults.

Monday saw more occasional showers and again the hall provided a good area for tea and conversation. 20 members went off to the Anna Bay Tavern for a very enjoyable dinner, with some die-hards rushing back to see some show called 'The Voice'

Tuesday morning was a hive of activity as many vans departed for home or further travel. The power was cut to the van park for a few hours so the Bains, Beesleys and Bradshaws went to the Wests Leagues Club for a cup of coffee and some other liquid refreshments and then all back to our vans for dinner. On Wednesday there was only the Wells and Beesleys left. We said a very fond farewell to Paul and Helen and wished them safe travel for the remainder of the year. They are catching up with other travellers in Darwin in August.

Robin and Dorothy and Liz and Bob enjoyed a long morning tea together in the sunshine. On Thursday the Wells left to spend a week in the Hunter Valley and on Friday the Beesleys left to take their van to Jayco Newcastle for a service.



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I Had to Go For Physical"

During my physical examination, my doctor asked me about my physical activity level.

I described a typical day this way:

"Well, yesterday afternoon, I took a five hour walk, about 7km, through some pretty rough terrain.

I waded along the edge of a lake.

I pushed my way through brambles.

I got sand in my shoes and my eyes.

I avoided standing on a snake.

I climbed several rocky hills.

I took a few 'leaks' behind some big trees.

The mental stress of it all left me shattered.

At the end of it all I drank eight beers".Inspired by the story, the doctor said, "You must be one hell of an outdoors man!"

"No," I replied, "I'm just a awful golfer".

Wendy's Wanderings

Hello to all Members,

**CHRISTMAS PARTY BATEAU BAY 24TH
NOVEMBER 2012**

**IF YOU KNOW THAT YOU WILL BE ATTENDING
THE CHRISTMAS PARTY THIS YEAR PLEASE
SHOW YOUR SUPPORT AND BOOK NOW
12 SITES REMAINING WITH BOOKINGS
CLOSING 31ST JULY.**

The Management of the Blue Lagoon Caravan Park has asked that final bookings be made ASAP for this rally. This park gets very busy during this time of year and additional sites may not be available so please book now. Your committee has decided to have professional catering for this years Christmas Party, this way everyone can just sit back and relax and let the professionals look after us.

If you have made a booking and have not paid your deposit please do so now.

Bateau Bay is a great location. Should the weather be warm there is a pool which looks inviting, and the ocean is close by. Even those of you who live on the Central Coast or Lake Macquarie area, instead of making a day visit, consider bringing your caravan and stay a few nights. It will be worth the trip and after lunch instead of heading off home, you can join the rest of the group for happy hour and relaxing time.

Christmas Party Rally 2012

Date: 21st – 28th November 2012

Location: Blue Lagoon Beach Resort

Address: 10 Bateau Bay Rd, Bateau Bay

PH: 4332 1447 or PH: 1800 680 036

info@bluelagoonbeachresort.com.au

Closing Dates for our next 3 Rallies

Hallidays Point: 4th July – Christmas in July Rally

Location: 517 Blackhead Road Hallidays Point

Ph: 65592967

Tariff: \$34 per night – stay 7 pay 6

Email: rallies@jaycoclubnsw.com

Host: Club Committee

Karuah: 8th – 15th August **HOST REQUIRED
FOR THIS RALLY.**

Location: Big4 Karuah Jetty Caravan Park

Address: 83 Holdom Road Karuah

PH: 1800 005552

Tariff: \$20 per night, no further discount applies

Closing Date: 31st July

At BIG4 Karuah Jetty you get the best of both worlds; quiet bush land setting right on the water, yet you're only a short 600 meter stroll to local attractions including local shops, restaurants, RSL Club, Bowls, Tennis, Doctor, Chemist, Post Office, Bakery, Town Golf course and Churches. The park has all modern amenities such as showers, laundry,

washing machines, dryers, shop, volleyball, tennis court and boat ramp.

Norah Head: 12th – 19th September

Location: Norah Head Holiday Park

Address: Victoria Street, Norah Head

Ph: 4396 3935

Tariff: \$34 per night no further discount applies.

Closing Date for bookings: 20th August

Hosts: Ron & Bridie Scanes

ronscanes@optusnet.com.au Once you have booked into the park please email Ron & Bridie of your attendance to this Rally.

Information for members regarding the Griffith Easter Rally and follow on to the Man from Snowy River Festival Corryong Victoria. The 10 sites reserved for the Griffith Easter Rally have been booked so I have reserved another 4 sites. If you wish to attend please let me know ASAP.

Note: You do not need to book for the Man from Snowy River Festival at this stage just Griffith.

Griffith: 28th March to 2nd April

Location: Griffith Tourist Park

Address: 919 Willandra Avenue Griffith

Ph: 6964 2144

Tariff: \$30 per night (Approx.)

Closing Date for bookings: NOW

Host: Terry & Lorraine Bain

terry.bain@bigpond.com

We then plan to make our way down to Corryong Victoria for the Man from Snowy Mountain River Bush Festival. Both of these locations will be included in next years Rally Schedule. Below is a little information about both events.

Travel safe, enjoy your caravans and I hope to see you at one of our Rallies.

Regards Wendy rallies@jaycoclubnsw.com

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A DRY RUN IS WORTH THE EFFORT!

We are hosting a “distant” rally at Casino from Wednesday 26 September to Wednesday 3 October 2012 (over the October long weekend) and as we had not been away for a couple of months and needed to get the tyres round again, we decided to travel to Casino, road test a tag-along there and back and check out the Casino RV Village Resort. We left home on Tuesday 5 June just in front of the bad weather which preceded the June long weekend.

We managed to stay in front of the rain and wind and spent the first night at Quirindi in a quaint caravan park which boasts the biggest toilet booths I have seen and the best showers in Australia (as described by another itinerant caravanner). Our tag-along plan is Sydney – Casino via the New England and Bruxner Highways, returning via Grafton, Nana Glen, Coffs Harbour and the Pacific Highway home. Day 2 was spent travelling from Quirindi to Glen Innes where we stayed at the Top Tourist Fossicker Caravan Park – a nice enough park which is only a 3 minute walk from the RSL Club, so we checked the Club out for dinner. While the Club is a bit “how’s yer father” the meal was indeed very nice – well

worth a second visit. Day 3 was Glen Innes to Casino, a relatively short drive of 218 clicks. However, about 50 kms was very winding road crossing the Great Dividing Range so the trip took about 3.5 hours.

We arrived at the on 7 June and I met the Corporate Manager of the Resort with the news that the Resort Board had signed an agreement with the State Association to give individual members a 15% discount (maximum \$50 per stay) and we were the first to flash our badge and get the discount.

The Resort is beautifully laid out on part of the airport. It has cabins for hire and homes to buy – all of which look fantastic. It has large drive thru sites with the sites separated by a 6' high hedge – a perfect wind break – which we opted for given the weather moving up the coast. There are the usual lawn sites, ensuite sites and another group of reverse-in sites separated by hedge though smaller than the drive thru sites. Club rallies are usually held in the “mini rally” area which is a large grassed area. The Resort also boasts a terrific bar-b-que area (where happy hour is held every day), craft rooms, mens' shed, library, disc bowls courts, solar heated swimming pool and a drive thru dump site! It is well laid out with wide sealed roads and big turning circles. The grounds are immaculate as are the amenity blocks.

Casino is a busy town, the beef capital of Australia, - the golden arches is open 24 hours! The RSM Club has a courtesy bus from the Village Wed – Sat which we thought we would utilise during our rally. Unlike a lot of country towns, we didn't spot many empty shops.

Our week at the Casino RV Village was very useful in exploring the activities available – craft, happy hour, etc. – and the regional attractions. The Nimbin Markets are on the 5th Sunday of the month (we will be there 5th Sunday of September) and a tourist trip of 90kms to Lismore, Nimbin, Uki & Murwillumbah definitely seems worthwhile. We also visited the Museum of Interesting Things at Nymboida on the way home – worth the visit. We are currently expecting 5 vans to make the trip and hope others will be interested.

John & Tricia Spencer

October Rally 24th – 31st

Shellharbour Beachside Tourist Park

1 John Street.Shellharbour

Hosts Mike and Lesley Stevenson

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stevomike@hotmail.com

Shellharbour Beachside Tourist Park would have to be one of our favourite caravan parks anywhere in Australia. Its location is superb, being situated on an area that is surrounded on three sides by the sea. It has a rocky foreshore on the north side with a walking trail leading from there around the east side and onto the beach on the southern side. The park is dog friendly. The area allocated to us is the best area of the park, being on the north- east corner. It is very protected from the south and the south- west, the two directions from where inclement weather can sometimes come. There is a limited number of waterfront sites that have views

looking north across a rocky foreshore and the Ocean Baths. These sites command a \$9.00 per night premium on the stated price of \$34 per night on the programme, but in our opinion, worth the extra. If there is enough in attendance, the park will supply, for us, a marquee.

It is only a 30 minute drive south along the Princes Highway to Kiama, well worth a look. The temple complex 15 minutes north is also worth a look. There are a number of local food outlets for those who wish to refrain from cooking occasionally.

We will be having a dinner outing at The Shellharbour Workers Club on the Saturday Night. The club will supply bus transport for us on the night. I just need to nominate a pickup time to the club on the Saturday morning. There is a continuously running, club supplied, bus service available to take us home after dinner, or later, for those who wish to stay on. Meals are paid for when ordering and are then delivered to your table. The club has a menu on their website on

www.shellys.com.au.

If you use a GPS to locate the caravan park, ignore the last instruction, which will have you going through the baths car park and the chicanes, which are difficult to negotiate. Yes, we have been caught. Instead, when heading down the main village road towards the sea, as shown in the photo in the programme, take either of the two roads to the right and then the next left which will bring you to the beginning of John Street and the park entrance.

Hoping to see you there

Mike and Lesley Stevenson

PS We can be located at the park on Site 6T.

A little girl asks her mum, 'Mum, can I take the dog for a walk around the block?'

Her mum replies 'No, because she is on heat.'

'What does that mean?' asked the child.

'Go and ask your father. I think he's in the garage.'

The little girl goes out to the garage and says, 'Dad, can I take Lulu for a walk around the block? I asked Mum, but she said the dog was on the heat, and to come ask you.'
He took a rag, soaked it in petrol, and scrubbed the dog's backside with it to disguise the scent, and said 'Ok, you can go now, but keep Lulu on the leash and only go one time around the block..'

The little girl left and returned a few minutes later with no dog on the leash..

Surprised, Dad asked, 'Where's Lulu?'

You'll love this!!!!!!!).....

The little girl said, 'She ran out of petrol about halfway round the block, so another dog is pushing her home.'



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Maria's Murmurings July 2012

Special General Meeting

As you are all aware, the Committee is calling for a General Meeting at our July Rally on the 14th July. All documentation was sent out on 19th July to allow for the required notice of the meeting. If you have not received the relevant documents, please let me know to enable me to forward them to you.

Congratulations to the July Birthdays – enjoy your day

Mike Fletcher (1st); Helen Purcell (3rd); Graeme Kingsmill (13th); Arthur Butler (9th); John Lee (18th); Sandra Clark (23rd); Lyne Robinson (25th); Lesley Stevenson (29th); Judy Smith (31st)

Information Session held at One Mile Beach Caravan Park on Saturday 9th June, 2012

The purpose of the information session: These were introduced for the sole purpose of passing information to the members by the committee. The committee meets prior to the information session, relevant and pertinent information is then passed on to the members. It is also an opportunity for members to voice their concerns. The aim is

Attendees: Tony & Maria Battaglia, Col & Sue Bradshaw, Col & Vinnie Every, Terry & Lorraine Bain, Bridie & Ron Scanes, Mike & Wendy Fletcher, Paul & Helen Anderson, Neville & Joy Henderson, Kevin & Carol Blakelock, Liz & Bob Beesley, Ernie & Carline Ross, Robin & Dorothy Wells, Mick & Lyn Robinson, Ian & Chris Bailey, Bob & Helen Purcell, Bill & Robyn Gleeson, Wayne & Robyn Hamilton.

As usual Ron opened the session and welcomed everyone to the rally and the information session. Ron explained the importance of these sessions as it gives all members and committee a forum to discuss any issues.

Ron then called on his committee to report from the meeting held this afternoon.

Secretary:

Maria reported that the Club has been invoiced by the State Association for the Affiliation fee of \$85 and insurance fees of \$3.75 per member van. This needs to be paid by 30th June, 2012. Roughly worked out that we will have 60 members at \$3.75 each totaling \$225.00 plus \$85 total \$310.00. Maria is to liaise with Liz to organize the payment thereof.

No new members this month

Ray's Outdoors sponsorship will be pulling their \$25 monthly sponsorship as from 30/6/2012. Lake Haven store only found out recently that this amount was coming from their \$300 yearly budget and simply they could not afford the sponsorship. They

advised that I re-apply to their head office in Brisbane via the internet. Maria has an action to apply to Ray's Head Office to continue their support. Ron will also approach the Newcastle store.

The Committee has also agreed to a resolution to have the Constitution changed that will allow members who have not renewed their membership after the 30th June to rejoin. They will only be required to pay the subscription fee and the joining fee will not be applied in these circumstances. There is a condition that the member must still have a Jayco RV to rejoin. There will be a General Meeting at the July Rally. The full script of the Special Resolution will sent to the Membership on the 21st June which will allow the 21days notice.

It was also discussed and agreed to that any members who fail to pay their subscriptions by 31st July will automatically fall off the register and will cease to be member. On receipt of the annual subscription, all membership privileges will be reinstated.

Treasurer – Liz reported that the current balance in the working account \$925.36. We paid \$80 for the sausages and bread rolls and have collected \$304 on membership fees. A cheque for \$200 will be sent to Central Coast BBQ Spit Roasts as deposit for the Christmas Rally.

Rally report - Hallidays Point for Christmas in July is our next rally. Wendy has organised the menu and arranged for members to be picked up by bus starting from 5.30. The meal is the same as last year's meal but has increased to \$20 per head.

All committee members have agreed that the Christmas Party at Bateau Bay be professionally catered for and have approved BBQ Spit Roast Caterers. Wendy has contacted Bateau Bay and was assured that it was ok with them for us to use outside caterers for our function, but the kitchen only has a microwave no oven but checked with the caterers and they can work around this.

Newsletter Editor. Newsletter is rolling along nicely. There is no info forthcoming on free Camp site, therefore it will go in abeyance until information comes through.

Web Report: Helen reported that she is working on the recipe folder. Helen asked that if recipes are copied from a publication, you will need to include the name of the publication due to Copyright laws. However, if the recipe comes from a friend or family, there is no need.

Welfare Officer – Bridie reported that Don is waiting on chemo to start. She will send Wendy & Joe a video card on the birth of their latest grandchild and will also send a video card to Sandra Clark.

At this stage, Ron handed proceedings over to the members.

Only Neville Henderson asked is there was any news on the 2014 State Rally at Wyong.

No news at this stage. We'll ask John for a report at the next rally.

No other points were raised.
Meeting closed at 3.40pm

Cassino Village RV Resort – discount to members.

The NSW Association of Caravan Clubs have negotiated a 15% discount to any member club of the Association or any member of a member club who is travelling separately and wishes to stay at the Resort. This means you can benefit from the discount and all you need to do is to show your current membership card issued by the NSW Association. Those who are visiting Casino over the October long weekend, can take benefit of this discount.

Sean is the pastor of a Church of England parish on the Northern Ireland / Southern Ireland border and Patrick is the priest in the Roman Catholic Church across the road..

One day they are seen together, erecting a sign into the ground, which says:

**TA END IS NEAR!
TURN YERSELF AROUND NOW
AFOR IT IS TOO LATE!**

As a car speeds past them, the driver leans out his window and yells, "Leave people alone, you Oirish religious nutters! We don't need your lectures." From the next curve they hear screeching tyres and a big splash.

Shaking his head, Rev. Patrick says "Dat's da terd one dis mornin'."

"Yaa," Pastor Sean agrees, then asks, "Do ya tink maybe da sign should just say, 'Bridge Out?'"

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CAMP SPOTS:

Found this link and thought it would be great to put in the next newsletter for the free camp sites. Wendy

http://www.lets-getaway.com/review_listings.htm

From Robin & Dorothy Wells

I'd like to mention a few free camping sites we've stayed in. While they're all listed in Camps 5 (see references), other club members might find it useful to know someone has actually stayed there and thought them to be quite good.

1. Broke, NSW (203) – a very pleasant and popular spot just outside the town of Broke, beside a river with toilets. Several Hunter Valley wineries are located nearby. The most direct route from Cessnock to Broke is not a good road and best avoided. I suggest Wollombi to Broke or turning south from Singleton.
2. Dululu, QLD (437) - a nice quiet spot, 70km south-west of Rockhampton, close to the Leichardt Highway & within walking distance of a quaint pub. Power (\$5/n) & showers (\$5/n) but no water connection to caravans.
3. Calliope, QLD (106) – located on the northern & southern sides of the Calliope River, 7km north of the town of Calliope on the Bruce Highway. Very popular. While you're allowed to stay for 48 hours some people look as if they've been there for weeks. The river is popular with fishermen and (according to the signs) crocodiles.
4. Theodore, QLD (580) – a popular spot at the southern end of the town's main street. Toilets & showers are available. Not sure if caravan tanks can be filled. The pub, owned and run by the community is about 200m away.

We drove past the Gunnedah Showground, on our way out of town, and thought it looked like a nice spot with power, toilets & showers available for a fee much like Cessnock. It was -3 in Gunnedah but got to 23 during the day.

While we were in Moree, we took a trip to Lightning Ridge which was very interesting as I was last there 40 years ago so there were a few changes including a much better road. The thermal pools in Moree (Gwydir River Van Park) were very relaxing. We're now at Kirra Beach and the sun is out with 25 degrees so we can't ask for more. We're off to Bagara on Wednesday for a week. Then it will be time to start heading south again as we need to be home by early August.

Best Wishes
Robin

To The Editor

This is truly a sad day for Mudgee, a pretty town that I have visited many times in the past. In the last few years my local NSW Club has held three rallies in Mudgee, one held in the showground and two at caravan parks, but unfortunately I will not be back. Why? Not because I don't like your town or the wonderful people I have met there, not because I have bad memories, because I have nothing but good memories of Mudgee, but because your Council has placed restrictions on my visit that I cannot accept.

Some people like caravan parks, some do not, and whether to stay in a park should be their decision. It's called "freedom of choice". If this caravan park owner, and the caravan industry, has their way then we will have no choice but to stay at their parks, paying top prices, staying for minimum periods (when it suits them), arriving and leaving when they tell us to, and paying for facilities we do not want, to help them prop up a business that they created. Realistically what's next? Will the motel owners say we cannot stay at budget hotel accommodation, if there is motel within 1 kilometre? This may seem unrealistic but you can draw the parallel if someone prefers to stay in a single room above a hotel because it's within their budget, they like the atmosphere and you can walk downstairs to the bar. Should the hotel be forced to close their rooms and send everyone to the five star motel down the road or should they be required to provide air conditioning, mini bar, tea making facilities and charge prices higher than the motel to discourage people from staying?

It's all about supply and demand. If park owners provided minimum standard low cost accommodation (like showgrounds, and most of us only want an empty paddock with a tap and dump point) then we will utilise and pay for it. But why should I, and many thousands of others, pay for power (I carry 360 amp hours with me) shower and toilet (I carry my own which in many cases is in better condition and cleaner than some parks) camp kitchen (I have an oven and stove and much prefer to cook in a camp oven over a brazier, which the majority of parks will not let you use)? What happens when the caravan

park is full and there is no alternate free or low cost accommodation, or we only want to stay overnight and they have a five day minimum (this happened to me recently when travelling the Great Ocean Road, we wanted to stay in Apollo Bay for a couple of days and where told we must book a five day minimum at \$65 per night) What about people with pets? Will we reach the ludicrous situation where we need to ask the caravan parks when they can fit us in before we book our holidays? You lose your freedom to move around if you have to pre-book accommodation. There will always be a need for caravan parks, there will always be people who will not stay anywhere else, and there will always be people who will not stay in parks and there will always be people like myself who will stay in caravan parks or National Parks or Showgrounds or free camps depending on my mood, the location and my financial situation at that time. I get very, very annoyed when a commercial venture tries to take away my freedom of choice to prop up their vested interest because they provide the level of service above that which people want, or they selected the wrong location.

Council and local businesses need to be reminded how much we contribute to their economy (and this will include the payment to caravan parks) and more importantly what they can expect to lose if they stop providing facilities that we want. We visit towns because we want to go there NOT because someone tells us we have to. If you want us to stay in your caravan parks, then give us what we want "don't try to sell us a Rolls Royce when all we need is a push bike" but still have the Rolls Royce option available for those who want it.

I apologise to the people and other businesses in Mudgee for sidetracking your town, but I still have a freedom of choice and I choose to visit towns who want my custom and provide me with the level of service that I want, not the towns whose Councils want to force me to prop up selected businesses because they provide a level of service over and above that which I, and many thousands of others, require.

Frank Smalley

Secretary

National Association of Caravan Clubs Ltd.

Members should note that the above prices include the garment, embroidered logo and GST. Mail charges may only apply if you wish the garment prior to your attending a rally. Garments will be ordered the month prior to your attending a rally. This will alleviate the need for committee members to carry garments for long period of time.

RECIPE OF THE MONTH / **Spinach, Onion & Feta Quiche** (thanks Maria BATTAGLIA)

What you'll need:

- 1 medium onion, diced
- 180 grams fresh baby spinach
- 2 large eggs
- Half a cup of flour
- 1/2 tsp baking powder
- One and 1/3 cups of non-fat milk
- Half a cup of feta cheese
- 1/4 tsp salt
- 1/4 tsp cayenne pepper (optional)

Directions:

1. Preheat oven to 200 degrees Celsius and lightly grease a small baking dish.
2. Cook the diced onion in a frying pan on medium heat until soft and translucent. Add in the spinach and cook until it shrinks. Set both aside to cool for a few minutes.
3. Mix together the eggs, flour, baking powder and salt in a large bowl. Add the milk, then stir in the spinach and onion mixture.
4. Pour into the prepared baking dish and top with fetta.
5. Bake for 25 minutes or until the outside edge is golden brown and the centre is set.

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Add your name	\$5.00

Note: Monte Carl Shirts are a generous fit.