
**Jayco Club of
New South Wales**

P.O. Box 4503, Lake Haven 2263



August 2015 Newsletter

MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS:

MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS ARE NOW OVERDUE.

Memberships for 2015/2016 are now overdue. 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 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 remind you that as per Club's constitution you cease to be a member at the end of August. However if you wish to remain a member and own a Jayco recreational vehicle then your membership may be renewed without the use of a new application fee.

Liz Beesley

Treasurer

NOTE: *Members who joined after the start of this calendar year are financial until 2016.*

Wendy's Wanderings

WHERE WE'VE BEEN

July Rally Report – Happy Hallidays Holiday Park

Thanks to Gea & Harry, Bob & Helen. Ernie & Carline, Terry & Lorraine, Ron & Bridie, Tony & Maria for attending this rally.

This was a small rally compared to rallies we've had at this park in years gone by, but none the less, those who attended had a great time. The days were warm and we became sun chasers but the nights were cold and this is where the park room along with the heater was well received. Three couples arrived on Tuesday another on Wednesday and the final two on Thursday. As the weather was sunny and warm on Thursday we thought that a BBQ lunch would be better than a night one. Ken Black also visited us on this day and we all had a good catch up.

Friday the weather turned. It became very cold and windy and spots of rain did fall down from the sky. This is when the room was fully utilised. After our morning tea, the small group went their different ways to shop and explore the surrounding area. Friday evening we made our way to the local bowling club for dinner and protection

from the inclement weather. The meal was delicious and Bridie was fortunate to win a couple of meat trays.

Saturday was a day for exploring. Tony & Maria had to explore the highway homewards after a much too short stay. The remainder took in Forster and other parts of the area including the Caravan Show at Nahiack.

Sunday more exploring and those who missed the show on Saturday went Sunday. Advice was offered to others at the show re best vans to look at. One member even offer a position at the Jayco area. Sunday night saw us back at Bowling Club for their roast special. A lucky member snatched the members draw of over \$1700. Only about 10 members present.

The days faded into each other until we had to leave. Another very enjoyable weekend with good friends.

AN IMPORTANT NOTICE:

Recently we were travelling on the M7 and M2 both directions as we were on our way to One Mile (Port Stephens) with our caravan, our E-WAY did not indicate that we had been charged the toll. This happened a couple of other times and a few weeks later as we were on the M5 we called in and they gave us a new tag.

As both our cars are registered we thought that our account would be charged for the non registered trips.

3 Weeks after we had replaced the tag we received 2 Toll Notices and after checking the rego number discovered that it referred to our caravan. The point here is that when there is no tag detected a photo of the rear of the vehicle is taken and processed and if not noted on your account it is referred to the police and notices are sent out.

To relieve this situation you can advise your tag supplier of the rego of your caravan this will not happen again.

Carol Best

FOR SALE:

Jayco Caravan Sterling Outback 25.78.2 Travelled 15400 Kms slide out. Full ensuite, washing machine. Large auto fridge & micro, 4 burner cook top (one elec element) & oven & range hood. Carousel in corner cupboard plus slide out pantry. Also has 21in LCD TV, Ibis air, bi fold table in dinette & leather lounge with foot rests. Heaps of storage inside & out. 2x 82ltre water tanks, 2x 9kg gas bottles, 2x 120 solar panels, external shower, eels. All in perfect working order. \$62,990 Phone John O'Brien on mob 0409984260

Explanation of the Greek Bailout.

It is a slow day in a little Greek Village. The rain is beating down and the streets are deserted.

Times are tough, everybody is in debt, and everybody lives on credit.

On this particular day a rich German tourist is driving through the village, stops at the local hotel and lays a €100 note on the desk, telling the hotel owner he wants to inspect the rooms upstairs in order to pick one to spend the night.

The owner gives him some keys and, as soon as the visitor has walked upstairs, the hotelier grabs the €100 note and runs next door to pay his debt to the butcher.

The butcher takes the €100 note and runs down the street to repay his debt to the pig farmer.

The pig farmer takes the €100 note and heads off to pay his bill at the supplier of feed and fuel.

The guy at the Farmers' Co-op takes the €100 note and runs to pay his drinks bill at the taverna.

The publican slips the money along to the local prostitute drinking at the bar, who has also been facing hard times and has had to offer him "services" on credit.

The hooker then rushes to the hotel and pays off her room bill to the hotel owner with the €100 note.

The hotel proprietor then places the €100 note back on the counter so the rich traveller will not suspect anything.

At that moment the traveller comes down the stairs, picks up the €100 note, states that the rooms are not satisfactory, pockets the money, and leaves town.

No one produced anything.

No one earned anything.

However, the whole village is now out of debt and looking to the future with a lot more optimism.

And that is how the bailout package works!

Wendy's Wanderings

WHERE WE'RE GOING

Hello to all members,

Not much this month, note the closing dates for the next few rallies, see note re Gunning for all attending members.

<p>August 19th – 25th Hawks Nest</p> 	<p>Jimmy's Beach Coorilla St Hawks Nest PH: 49970466</p> <p>jimmysbeach@nchp.com.au</p>	<p>Neville & Joy Henderson</p> <p>rc@greaterwestscouts.com.au</p>	<p>\$33per night</p> <p>\$208 for 7 nights</p>
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Don't forget the rally at Jimmy's Beach Coorilla Street Hawkes Nest will be held in August from 19th to 25th Jimmy's Beach Caravan Park is only a 2-minute walk from the sheltered sands of the beach with crystal clear water. If you are a keen surfer (**what in August!!!!**) Bennett's Beach is only a 15-minute walk away.

The park is also within walking distance of the town, which I understand has a great bakery. We will also visit at least one of the eating establishments in the area.

We have reserved 15 sites, which are guaranteed until 12th August. PH: 4997 0466 or via the parks web site jimmysbeach@nchp.com.au to make your booking.

Come and join us for a relaxed time, whether for a week or just the weekend. Please advise us when you have booked rc@greaterwestscouts.com.au or 0418464296 Joy and Neville Henderson (Rally Hosts)

<p>September 11th – 12th Gunning</p>  <p>Fireworks Festival Gunning</p>	<p>Endevour Park Gunning Showground</p>	<p>Wendy & Joe Agius</p> <p>j.wagius@bigpond.com</p>	<p>Approx. \$20 per caravan for the 2 nights.</p>
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NOTE: access to the showground has been arranged for any member who wishes to go in Thursday, we have been given the same area as last year with the same rules, i.e. no parking on the grassed area around the showground, keep roadways clear at all times, and we can still take our seats on the grassed area as per last year.

It is not too late to book in for this great weekend at Gunning for the Fireworks Spectacular, on the Saturday there will be markets, a country fair, food stalls selling burgers, pizzas, hot chips etc, rides and more, email me if you wish to attend. Bring your winter woollies as the nights will be chilly sitting out under the stars watching the fireworks. We leave the showground on Sunday to start our Tag-a-long making our way to the National Rally at Nagambie.

<p>October Nagambie 9th – 11th</p>  <p>Jayco National Caravan Rally</p>	<p>Nagambie Lakes Leisure Park Loddings Lane, Nagambie PH: 1800155919 info@nagambielakespark.com.au</p>	<p>Jayco National Rally</p> <p>Sponsored by Jayco Melbourne</p> <p>j.wagius@bigpond.com</p>	<p>Tariff is approx. \$35 per night a 10% discount will apply.</p>
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NOTE: If you have not already contacted the park to pay your deposit of \$35 for the National Rally please do so immediately. Also your registration form has to be faxed/emailed to Jayco before 13/7/15. Closed in shoes are required if you will be attending the Factory Tour.

<p>October/November</p> <p>Shellharbour</p> <p>28th Oct to 4th Nov</p>  <p>Melbourne Cup</p>	<p>Shellharbour Beachside Tourist Park 1 John Street Shellharbour Phone: 02 4295 1123 info@shellharbourtouristpark.com.au</p>	<p>Wendy & Joe Agius</p> <p>j.wagius@bigpond.com</p>	<p>Approx. \$210 for 7 nights \$32 per night</p>
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Early reminder for our Melbourne Cup Rally at Shellharbour bookings are now being taken for this rally, we will be celebrating all the activities of the day at the Shelly Workers Club. Travel Safe enjoy your caravan and I hope to see you at on of our club rallies soon
Regards Wendy

A crusty old Marine Sergeant Major found himself at a gala event hosted by a local liberal arts college. There was no shortage of extremely young idealistic ladies in attendance, one of whom approached the Sergeant Major for conversation.

"Excuse me, Sergeant Major, but you seem to be a very serious man. Is something bothering you?"

"Negative, ma'am. Just serious by nature."

The young lady looked at his awards and decorations and said, "It looks like you have seen a lot of action."

"Yes, ma'am, a lot of action."

The young lady, tiring of trying to start up a conversation, said, "You know you should lighten up. Relax and enjoy yourself."

The Sergeant Major just stared at her in his serious manner.

Finally the young lady said, "You know, I hope you don't take this the wrong way, but when is the last time you had sex?"

"1955, ma'am."

"Well, there you are. No wonder you're so serious. You really need to chill out! I mean, no sex since 1955!"

She took his hand and led him to a private room where she proceeded to relax" him several times.

Afterwards, panting for breath, she leaned against his bare chest and said, Wow, you sure didn't forget much since 1955."

The Sergeant Major said, after glancing at his watch, "I hope not - it's only 2130 now."

(Gotta love military time)



Did you know we are open 7 days

Our trading hours are:

Monday – Friday: 8.30am – 5pm

Saturday: 9am – 4pm

Sunday: 10am – 3pm



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Present Club Membership Card for discount. Not valid with any other discount or promotion.**

An Irishman, a Mexican and a blonde guy were doing construction work on scaffolding on the 20th floor of a building.

They were eating lunch when the Irishman said, “Corned beef and cabbage! If I get corned beef and cabbage one more time for lunch, I'm going to jump off this building.”

The Mexican opened his lunch box and exclaimed, “Burritos again! If I get burritos one more time I'm going to jump off, too.”

The blonde guy opened his lunch and said, “Bologna again! If I get a bologna sandwich one more time, I'm jumping, too.”

The next day, the Irishman opened his lunch box, saw corned beef and cabbage, and jumped to his death.

The Mexican opened his lunch, saw a burrito, and jumped, too.

The blonde guy opened his lunch, saw the bologna and jumped to his death as well.

At the funeral, the Irishman's wife was weeping. She said, “If I'd known how really tired he was of corned beef and cabbage, I never would have given it to him again!”

The Mexican's wife also wept and said, “I could have given him tacos or enchiladas! I didn't realise he hated burritos so much.”

Everyone turned and stared at the blonde guy's wife. The blonde guy's wife said, “Don't look at me. He made his own lunch.”

Maria's Murmurings August 2015

Very quiet this month from Maria's Murmurings.

2015 Tag-a-Long –

Getting close now. All systems are a go!!

It has been suggested that instead of going into Geelong Showground on the day of the 7th Oct, that we travel into Nagambie making it a total of 486kms for that day and thus arriving in Nagambie on October 7th. However, if you do not want to travel for such a long period, you can go into Geelong Showground on the 7th and then come into Nagambie on the 8th as per the schedule. Up to you. Which ever way you go, you will need to let Nagambie know which date you are arriving.

August Birthday wishes to:

Bridie Scanes (6th); Erin Batchelor (15th); Ethel Brennan (16th); Michael Robinson (20th); Michelle Batchelor (23rd); Lorraine Gardner (30th);

New members: None for this month.

On a lighter note:

The Caravaner's Prayer

When we pack up in the morning may the annex be quite dry;
May the pegs be easily removed and no leaves stick to the fly;
Let the staberlizers wind up without that horrid squeak and loose items give no trouble when to stow them we seek;
May I back up with the ball lined up precisely with its mate and remember to remove the jockey wheel before it is too late;
May I drive away real smoothly the day's journey to begin and not have to turn back with the key I should hand in;
Let the road be sealed and free of works of the detour kind;
May the rain refrain from falling and that the wind blow from behind;
Don't let flies come in their millions when we make our morning stop;
Let the thermos not be empty cause I didn't screw down the top;
May the road signs not confuse us as we go upon our way and let no sheep or kangaroos into the road way stray;
Let us reach the caravan park well before night and dear God please let there be a suitable powered site;
May the site be large and roomy, preferably drive through or please let there be somebody there to tell me what to do;
Don't let me try for hours to back that wretched van in place watched by other campers with a smile upon their face;
Oh if you want to punish me for some forgotten sin, don't let it be by leaving me with my wife to guide me in;
And there is another thing I do of you beseech when finally the van is in place, please let the power cord reach.
They say you are a God of love and if that indeed is true please ensure I get a site not too far from the loo. If I have to go out at night desperate I will be don't let me get to the loo to find I have no key.
I pray that all the campers round about our site are friendly and considerate especially at night and when at last I go to bed and gently close the door, oh dear Lord let me be not the only one to snore!

<i>Club Merchandise</i>	
The following endorsed merchandise is available through Lorraine Bain either by phone on 0427 622 007 or via email at terry.bain@bigpond.com	
Monte Carlo Shirts (White /Navy) Biz Cool (Summer National/State Rally) – Ladies 8-24; Men’s S – 5XL	\$25.00
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Poly Fleece Jackets Navy	\$27.00
Magnetic Name Tags	\$10.00
Add your name	\$5.00

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