

**Jayco Club of
New South
Wales**

P.O. Box 4503, Lake
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May 2016 Newsletter

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS

Annual subscriptions become payable by May 31 2016.

Subscriptions of \$30 in cash or cheque will be accepted at the Wangi Wangi Rally and at any time payment will be accepted by direct deposit to the following bank account.

Jayco Club of NSW Inc.

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Please ensure that you put your name in the appropriate area of the transaction so we know who has sent us the funds.

LIZ (treasurer)

Wendy's Wanderings

WHERE WE'VE BEEN

**Oberon Rally – 20th April – 27th April
2016**

Attendees: Tom & Chris Lee (with granddaughter Caitlin) Harry & Gea Waalkens, Terry & Lorraine Bain, Joy & Neville Henderson, Ian & Chris Bailey, Helen & David Phillips, Ernie & Carline Ross and Tony & Maria Battaglia with their guests, Matthew, Fiona, Emma Joshua & Charlotte Battaglia.

Most members arrived by Wednesday with the Baileys arriving on Friday. The caravan park was in full autumn bloom with all the trees losing their leaves making it very picturesque. Unfortunately due to the lack of rain, the mushrooms were a non-event this year, but we were told that the water garden at the Mayfield Gardens were not to be missed.

During the day some went to explore the area, but quite a few of us were just happy to sit and chase the sun. Friday evening we all made our way to the Royal Hotel for dinner. We were not disappointed with our meals. Everyone's portions were huge but delicious. Chris's Lamb Shanks were to die for. And the children's portions were more like adult portions. No one went hungry that night! Saturday we saw Chris. Tom and granddaughter Caitlin as well as Matt and his family leave to make their way down the mountain and back to their homes. The four children were a delight and kept themselves amused. The girls made lovely bouquet of flowers from the dried leaves while Josh played on his scooter with the other boys in the park.

Sunday we farewelled Neville & Joy as they also made their way home to other commitments. The weather was very cool and there definitely was a hint of winter in the air. Happy hour most afternoons had to be abandoned by 5.30 as it was just too cold to sit outside.

Talk about team work. For our excursion on Sunday, Ernie suggested a route for us to follow while Gea was on the phone booking a table for lunch at the local pub. We made our way to Tarana where we found a small market which was surprisingly good. Plenty of local produce on sale and believe the coffee was extremely good, but the queue was way too long. A pup also followed us

around with a stick in his mouth. He just wanted someone to throw it so he could fetch it. Lunch at the pub was also delicious and it was good to be indoors away from the chilling wind. We were also lucky enough to have a room all to ourselves.

Monday saw the start of members leave the park to make their way home or just moving on to another destination. The last of the members would be leave by Wednesday. Another great week at a great location. The park managers, Sally and Rob, could not do enough for us.

Wendy's Wanderings

WHERE WE'RE GOING

Hello to all members,

Wangi Wangi is our next Rally with Hosts Helen & Bob Purcell, our club has not been to this location for quite a few years and I hope that we get a good roll up of members attending. Also for the June long weekend we will be at North Haven Holiday Park this is a new location a few more kilometres but well worth the trip, the park has had a renovation and the camp kitchen is one of the best I have seen ideal for our club sponsored dinner, your host for this rally Maria & Tony Battaglia.

Below are the next 3 rallies,

<p>May 18th – 25th Wangi Wangi</p> 	<p>Wangi Point Lakeside Holiday Park Watkins Road Wangi Wangi PH: 4975 1889</p>	<p>Bob & Helen Purcell hrpurcell@bigpond.com</p>	<p>\$190 for 7 nights \$35 per night</p>
<p>June Long Weekend 8th – 15th North Haven</p> 	<p>North Haven Holiday Park The Parade North Haven PH: 6559 9193</p>	<p>Jayco Club Committee BBQ Dinner Provided by Club Saturday Night maria.battaglia@bigpond.com</p>	<p>\$227 for 7 nights \$36 per night</p>
<p>July 13th – 20th Bombah Point – Myall Shores</p> 	<p>Myall Shores Holiday Park Bombah Point Road Bombah Point PH: 4997 4457 info@myallshores.com.au</p>	<p>John & Tricia Spencer john.spencer007@bigpond.com This is an NRMA Park therefore members of the NRMA will receive a further 10% discount on arrival</p>	<p>\$186 for 7 nights \$31 per night</p>

Tag-a-long North:

20 th August Saturday	Mylestom	North Beach Holiday Park Beach Parade Mylestom PH: 66554250	Full Facilities Camp Kitchen	\$36 pn \$36 deposit by 30th May
21 st Sunday	Mylestom			

Tag-a-long South

4/10/16 Tuesday	Cooma	Cooma Snowy Mountain Tourist Pk 286 Sharp St Cooma PH: 64521828	Full Facilities	\$33 pn	\$33 deposit required by end of May
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Foster Rally 10th-17th August, if you have not already booked for this rally please do asap, I have arranged an extension for sites to be guaranteed to the end of May.

Travel safe, enjoy your caravan and I hope to see you at one of our club rallies

Wendy

COME TO MYALL LAKES

Tricia and I are hosting a rally at Myall Shores Holiday Park 13 – 20 July 2016 and we encourage all members to come and experience this park for the first time. It is set in bushland on the shores of Myall Lakes and is very attractive. Most of the sites are divided by shrubs.

Access to the park is along Bombah Point Road, turning right at Bulahdelah – a comfortable day's run. There is about 12 kms of gravel road which is not bad and is maintained by NPWS. This is the preferred access towing a caravan. There is another fully sealed access from Teagardens along Mungo Brash Road but there is a ferry crossing into the park and the water level determines whether a van could get onto the ferry.

We did a reconnaissance visit in February and the park was recovering from floods over the Christmas period. We envisage a luncheon visit to Teagardens during the rally.

The Club has not been to this newly acquired NRMA park before, so let's make this a success.

John Spencer

FORSTER

At the August rally at Forster we have the opportunity to have a lunch time cruise on either the Saturday or Sunday. The cruise is at 1130am. It is a 2.5 hour cruise around Wallis Lake past Green Point, a pelican rookery, Coomba Park, past a French Chateaux, the entrance to the Coolongolook and Wallamba Rivers. We provide a freshly prepared 2 course lunch \$55 adult \$50 seniors groups of 20 or more \$45.

Can I please have an indication of anyone who is attending the rally and would be interested in the cruise. I will find out further details if there is enough interest.

Regards

Neville

LAKE CONJOLA

All members anticipating going to the rally at Lake Conjola on 12th to 19th October, at the end of the south tag along please book your site by the 1st of May. Sites will only be held until then. Please confirm with us when you have booked. There are many activities in and around the area from fishing and walking trails to a great pie shop and coffee shops nearby in Milton.

Christine and Tom Lee

Christinejlee6@gmail.com

Thanks

Chris

2017 State Rally -

The 2017 State Rally will be held at Clarendon which is between the historic towns of Richmond and Windsor. The Adventure Caravan Club, who are hosting next year's rally, are very keen to fill the 150 sites and to welcome other club members to join them. The theme for the Saturday night dinner will be 'Early Settlers'.

All sites will have power and water. No deposits are required but payments may be made in two instalments.

A large number of people have already registered their interest in attending next year's state rally. A spot will be kept for

these people until 1st September. Please ensure that these members send their registration forms in prior to this date.

The Association would like to extend an invitation to members of clubs who have never attended a state rally before. I'm sure that you will enjoy the experience.

A registration form is at the rear of the newsletter.



Did you know we are open 6 days

Our trading hours are:

Monday – Friday: 8.30am – 5pm

Saturday: 8.30 am – 5 pm



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

Maria's Murmurings – May

Information Session was held at Oberon and it was a quick one as both our Treasurer and Rally Co-ordinator are on overseas trips.

The new club Lanyards have been received and thanks go to Neville for organising the funding from Jayco Newcastle and Jayco Sydney and also thanks to Terry & Lorraine in getting the artwork finalised with the embroiderer. Members will receive their lanyard at their next rally and will also need to be financial to 2017.

The next rally is at Wangi being hosted by the Purcell's and if not booked, do so soon. The North Haven rally is on the June long weekend and a club funded meal will be provided at this one. Please advise maria.battaglia@bigpond.com of your attendance for catering purposes. Neville has also looked into a luncheon cruise at the Forster rally at the senior's rate of \$50 per person.

No further discussion. Happy hour commenced.



Happy birthday to our May babies

Bob Purcell (1st); Brenda O'Brien (4th); Rosemary Hanger (9th); Harry Waalkens (12th); Christine Lee (18th); Neville Henderson (19th); Geoff Berry (24th); Richard Sutherland (27th)

New Members: No new members this month.

<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	\$26.00
Poly Fleece Jackets Navy	\$32.00
Magnetic Name Tags	\$10.00
Add your name	\$5.00

REPLACEMENT WINDOWS

Last year I replaced all the windows in my house with those expensive, double-pane, energy-efficient kind.

Today, I got a call from the contractor who installed them. He complained that the work had been completed a year ago and I still hadn't paid for them.

Helloooo...? Just because I'm blonde doesn't mean that I am automatically stupid. So, I told him just what his fast-talking sales guy told me last year... that these windows would pay for themselves in a year.

Hellooooo? It's been a year, so they're paid for, I told him. There was only silence at the other end of the line, so I finally hung up. He never called back. I bet he felt like an idiot.

Murphy, a furniture dealer from Dublin, decided to expand the line of furniture in his store, so he decided to go to Paris to see what he could find.

After arriving in Paris, he visited with some manufacturers and selected a line that he thought would sell well back home. To celebrate the new acquisition, he decided to visit a small bistro and have a glass of wine. As he sat enjoying his wine, he noticed that the small place was quite crowded, and that the other chair at his table was the only vacant seat in the house...

Before long, a very beautiful young Parisian girl came to his table, asked him something in French (which Murphy could not understand), so he motioned to the vacant chair and invited her to sit down.

He tried to speak to her in English, but she did not speak his language. After a couple of minutes of trying to communicate with her, he took a napkin and drew a picture of a wine glass and showed it to her. She nodded, so he

ordered a glass of wine for her.

After sitting together at the table for a while, he took another napkin, and drew a picture of a plate with food on it, and she nodded. They left the bistro and found a quiet cafe that featured a small group playing romantic music...

They ordered dinner, after which he took another napkin and drew a picture of a couple dancing. She nodded, and they got up to dance. They danced until the cafe closed and the band was packing up.

Back at their table, the young lady took a napkin and drew a picture of a four-poster bed on it.

...and to this day, Murphy has no idea how she figured out he was in the furniture business!!

Cool message by a wife

Dear Mother-in-law,

"Don't teach me how to handle my children, I'm living with one of yours & he needs a lot of improvement"

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2017 State Rally

3rd to 5th March 2017

Hawkesbury Showground, Racecourse Rd Clarendon
(Between Windsor & Richmond)

Hosted by Adventure Caravan Club Inc

Full Name of Member (1)

Full Name of Member (2)
Extra adult (3)

Names of Accompanying Children

Email or Postal Address

Phone numbers

Name of Club

Expected arrival date at venue

Expected departure date from venue

Rally Fee (includes 3 nights' site fees) = \$165.00

Minus \$35 (single person) OR plus \$35 extra adult = \$

Additional Days @ \$25 per night = \$

Optional deposit paid = \$

Balance

**To be paid by Friday
6th January 2017**

\$

Payments should be made by cheque payable to the NSW Association of Caravan Clubs & posted to:
Secretary

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47 Emily Street MOUNT DRUITT NSW 2770
OR (preferably)*

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