

# "STORK TALK"

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## JABIRU CARAVAN & RV CLUB INC.



**"In Perfect Unison"**

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## **WELCOME TO “STORK TALK”**

### **July 2021 – Rally Venue Warwick**

Our next rally is to be held at the Warwick Showgrounds 18 Kingsford St. Warwick. Just in time for their Jumpers and Jazz Festival. There are all amenities and fires are permitted so bring your firewood.

### **WARWICK EMERGENCY CONTACTS**

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## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

I hope you all enjoyed Rocky Creek Scout Camp, what a great venue for a rally and great weather as well. All arrived Wednesday and Thursday and enjoyed our visit to Bankfoot House on Friday and the guided tour of the house and grounds by the wonderful and knowledgeable guides. Many times I heard members say "my grandmother had this or mum used that"; it just shows how young Australia and our country Queensland is. We all enjoyed our Peachester Pies and then back to camp for the Cultural Heritage Tour of the grounds and creek area with Scout Master Rob (Dingo) Cullen. An amazing tour where we learnt so much about the First Nations people of the area and how they lived in that part of the world. How they made canoe's out of the trees and didn't damage the trees so they still grew. Sharpening axes and spears

in the creek area, the marks where the Cobb and Co Coach crossed the creek and so it went on and on. He made everything fun and interesting. Saturday, we had a visit from Mike Clayton, from Clayton's Towing, and I know this was enjoyed by all. (see him featured on Channel 7 mate, Towies). He feels a lot of car- van accidents seem to be due to low ball weight on the tow hitch and expressed how important ball weight is. He also debunked a myth about insurance companies coming and weighing a caravan wreck before payout. He just sends photos to them so they can pay out the claim. One thing we all took away from his talk was that we all need to remember how important ball weight is on the caravan. Don't forget to book in for the State Rally at Pittsworth, where we can celebrate as a club, all the activities of the area including the Carnival of Flowers.

It is with much regret that we have received a resignation from Don Hastie and Glenys Walters. We had not even had our first meeting of the new management committee and he has resigned. We will miss the music playing to get us all to our activities, the many quizzes he devised and will miss Glenys as our Treas- urer, as she was just learning the ropes. We now need volunteers for the Treasurer and Vice-President positions. I would be extremely grateful if someone will volunteer, especially for the Treasurers position, as there are three positions required for an Incorporated club to operate, President, Secretary and Treas- urer and we urgently need to have someone volunteer as Treasurer. Please give me a call if you would like to discuss these positions.

Fay will have all the news for Warwick and the Jumpers and Jazz Festival and Denis and I will see you all in July at Warwick. Check out the programme, that was emailed to you by Lyndell, to get a feel for the festival.

Cheers, Carolyn

## June Rally Round Up



Mt Tibrogargan



Cooking Relaxing by the Fire



Bankfoot House - Mary Grigor Centre for morning tea



Cobb & Co era



Music while we eat at Peachester Cafe





Nature & indigenous walk around Rocky Creek Camp ground



## ACTIVITY CO-ORDINATORS REPORT

As the Jumpers & Jazz Festival is on in Warwick it makes my job a bit easier this month. There is a lot on in Warwick and surrounding towns. As there are many activities, which some maybe not appeal to everyone, a lot of time has been made available for you to see and do as much as you wish.

We have been given a space in a large shed at the show ground, to use for activities etc, but there will be no tables and chairs. If anyone can bring an extra table it would be very much appreciated. Aboveground fires are allowed so suitable firepits would be appreciated as well and also of course, please bring firewood.

It has come to my attention that the Killarney Bonfire night is ticketed this year, so please go online to purchase your tickets. Concession tickets are \$15 per head. I just googled Killarney Bonfire Night 2021, it has a link to the site to purchase tickets, very user friendly website.

Don't forget your winter woollies. Looking forward to seeing you there,

Cheers,

Fay

## FUTURE RALLY VENUES 2020 - 2021

July, 2021	Warwick Showgrounds for Jumpers & Jazz Festival	14 <sup>th</sup> to 18 <sup>th</sup>
August, 2021	Tyalgum Showground NSW	18 <sup>th</sup> to 22 <sup>nd</sup>
September, 2021	Allorah Showgrounds - <b>Second Weekend</b> Then onto State Rally Pittsworth	8 <sup>th</sup> to 12 <sup>th</sup> 16 <sup>th</sup> to 22 <sup>nd</sup>
October, 2021	Boonah Showground	13 <sup>th</sup> to 17 <sup>th</sup>
November, 2021	Woodford Showground	17 <sup>th</sup> to 21 <sup>st</sup>
December, 2021	Murwillumbah Showground - <b>Second Weekend</b>	8 <sup>th</sup> to 12 <sup>th</sup>



### FROM THE RALLY MASTER

Warwick has been experiencing some rather cold weather and stiff breezes. Make sure you bring along lots of winter woollies, beanies, coats and wood for our fires.

I will look forward to seeing you when you arrive at the show grounds.

Remember at ongoing rallies please phone me if you need to arrive before the revised committee time, of 1.00 pm. My phone number is 0417731902 as shown on the front page of our newsletter.

Thanks and Cheers,

Brian

### LEOD FIGURES

JUNE - LANDSBOROUGH \$2,716

ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO  
THE SECRETARY

by email to

[jabirucaravanrvclub@gmail.com](mailto:jabirucaravanrvclub@gmail.com)

### RAFFLE ROSTER

JULY, 2021	PETER & MARCIA
AUGUST, 2021	ALBERT & SARAH
SEPTEMBER, 2021	CES & PAULINE
OCTOBER, 2021	BRIAN & LYNDELL
NOVEMBER, 2021	ANNE
DECEMBER, 2021	BARRY & FAY

Raffle prizes to be between \$25 & \$30

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## CELEBRATIONS



Happy Birthday to Kevan, Moira & Peter



Happy Anniversary Kevan & Suzie  
and they also won the Lucky Van  
Prize



Lucky Raffle winners John & Karen

### JULY BIRTHDAYS



Suzie 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Karen 25<sup>th</sup>

### JULY ANNIVERSARIES



No Anniversaries to  
celebrate this month

## WARWICK RALLY - 15<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> JULY, 2021

Warwick Showgrounds, Kingsfordsmith, Street, Warwick. Camp Fees \$25.00 per night, power and water, with dump point on site. As usual bring longer power leads, water and drain hose, just in case.

Furry Friends allowed on leads at all times. Above ground fires pits allowed, don't forget to bring plenty of wood!

### **WEDNESDAY: GREETING BY RALLY MASTER BRIAN - Set up in designated position and relax**

- 4.00 pm Happy Hour
- 6.00 pm BBQ will be lit for BYO dinner, for those wishing to use it.
- 7.00 pm Games and cards. Start the jigsaw puzzle. Port & Talk by the aboveground campfire. BYO wood.

### **THURSDAY:**

- 7.00 am Walk and Talk
- 10.00 am Morning Tea and then leisure time to visit the many activities around Warwick
- 4.00 pm Happy Hour
- 6.00 pm BBQ lit for BYO dinner,
- 7.00 pm Games and cards. Port, schnapes, mulled wine or coffee and talk by the fire to keep us warm.

### **FRIDAY:**

- 7.00 am Walk and Talk
- 10.00 am Morning Tea
- 10.30 am Lots to do at your leisure in Warwick for Jumpers and Jazz Festival.
- 4.00 pm Happy Hour
- 6.00 pm Dinner at Warwick RSL Club followed by Port and Talk by camp fire.

### **SATURDAY**

- 7.00 am Walk and Talk
- 10.00 am Morning tea
- 10.30 am Discover what's on in town for the Jumpers and Jazz Festival.
- 3.30 pm Tag-A-Long to Killarney for the Monster Bonfire Night.
- Later Port and Talk by camp fire

### **SUNDAY**

- 8.15 am Visit the Treasurer to pay your account and purchase your raffle tickets by 8.45 am
- 9.00 am Morning Tea, Suggestion Box, Birthdays, Anniversaries, Lucky Van and Raffle drawn.

Farewell and safe trip to those leaving for home. For those staying, the Grand Automobile Display should be worth a visit.



As a lot of the of COVID 19 restrictions have lifted we must still remember to continue with social distancing. We know some people like to give a welcome hug to friends when arriving at the rally, please do not be offended if the recipient of your hug, wishes to keep their distance.

During morning tea or playing games please try to social distance as much as possible by keeping an arms length from the person next to you. The club has hand sanitiser and wipes available for use over the weekend, please feel free to use these items as often as you wish.. If you would like to bring your own to use, you are most welcome to do so.

In view of the recent restrictions it may be advisable to carry a mask with you, in case one is required.

*Jabiru activities are pleasure based and NOT compulsory  
Participation is optional - however FUN is mandatory.*

#### NOTICE TO MEMBERS

Any members planning on being away for two or more rallies, could you please request a "Leave of Absence" to the Secretary by email [jabirucaravanclub@gmail.com](mailto:jabirucaravanclub@gmail.com) or text message before you leave.