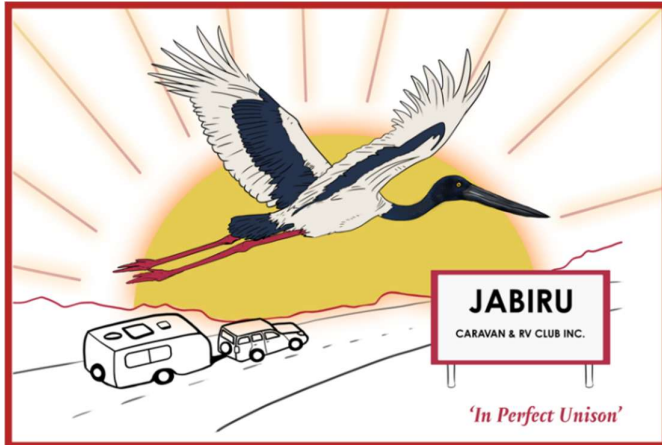


'STORK TALK'

May 2025

The Official Monthly Newsletter of the
JABIRU CARAVAN & RV CLUB INC.



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Tyalgum Showgrounds

14th to 18th May

Our May rally is to be held at Tyalgum Showgrounds. Tyalgum's campground is nestled in a picturesque setting, praised for its spacious sites, spotless amenities, and tranquil vibe. The camp is popular for its natural beauty, with a refreshing creek nearby that offers a delightful spot to cool off.

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

We had a wonderful birthday rally at Toogoolawah Showgrounds. It was an impressive turnout of members, and everyone appeared to enjoy themselves.

Jeanette, accompanied by her well-behaved Border Collie Bessie, joined us for the first time. Jeanette participated in all the activities and appreciated the card and board games, as did Michael and Jenny, who attended their second rally with their delightful pets, Chloe and Millie.

Barry and Dell, without a van for this rally, stayed at a local hotel and joined us each day. It was a pleasure to induct them into the Club at our birthday dinner. I am confident they will be invaluable members.

Thank you once again to Hazel and her assistants for organizing fun activities and to all members for participating. Peter assisted Jeanette with some issues concerning her van; thank you, Peter, for a job well done.

We are fundraising for the Cancer Council at our next rally at Tyalgum with a morning tea (early lunch) for only \$10 per person. Cancer has impacted many of us and our families, so your support is greatly needed.

It is also our Annual General Meeting (AGM), which I anticipate will be brief as most positions have nominations. Thank you to all volunteers who have committed to helping our Club grow in the coming year.

I look forward to seeing you all at Tyalgum, one of my favourite towns. The platypus in the creek are an added bonus, along with Flutterbies, a dog-friendly coffee shop with delicious food.

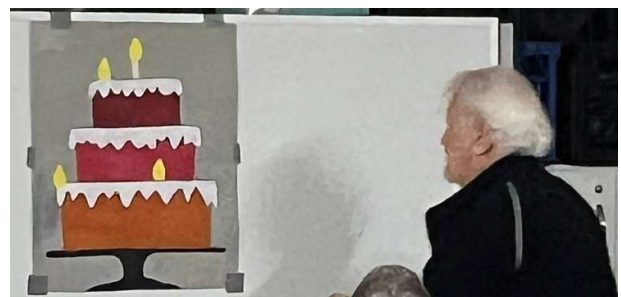
Cheers Fay



Peter & Marcia P celebrate 50 Rallies



New blood – Barry & Dell



APRIL RALLY ROUNDUP (by the Editor)

What a turnout for our Birthday Rally.....I was a bit late to the party (not literally) as I didn't arrive until Friday for this Rally. I missed Shirley and Joan....and by all accounts a great lunch at the Toogoolawah Pub. We had some more newbies at the Rally which is great to see....and so good to see so many of the members there too.

Yet again the weather wasn't super kind to us....with rain every day. As usual we overcame the elements and still had a great time.

Our birthday dinner was excellent (apple crumble was to die for)...thank you to the team at the Toogoolawah Showgrounds. The cake was awesome (homemade by Hazel.....just kidding.....Hazel put it all together and did the decorations). Hazel also put together a special game for us to play.....stick the candle on the cake. A good bit of fun.....luckily no blindfolds or spinning required.....an HSE nightmare right there!



We played Bingo.....my favourite.....and Jeanette.....talk about lucky! It's great to see our visitors on the podium.

That's about it for the round up....see you at Tyalgum.



Our resident hairdresser was in town....thank goodness because it's been months since I had a haircut.

I'm not sure if Judy is getting pointers or if she's eyeing up the jar of biscuits!



ACTIVITY COORDINATOR'S REPORT

Great turnout for Toogoolawah and to see our new visitors. Lovely to see Shirley and Joan for morning tea then off to Toogoolawah Pub for lunch. Our afternoon of Finska was a lot of fun and the winner was Toni.

Friday was Bingo night and saw some very lucky winners – Michael, Judy, Marcia, Jeanette, Sir Bob and Barry 3.



Saturday night was our 11th Birthday catered dinner. The game was a variation on Pin the Tail on the Donkey – no blindfolding to avoid any injuries. It was to pin the candle on the

cake.....finding the special spot on the cake. Closest to the 'pin' was Barry S & Ann with Dell and Marcia very close runners up.

The next Rally at Tyalgum is going to be pretty busy with our Biggest Morning Tea fundraising event - \$10 per person, all funds donated to the Cancer Council. We are hoping to raise \$500 so will also have a raffle – more info to be sent separately regarding how to donate.

Saturday is our General Meeting followed by the AGM after which we will have a sausage sizzle for lunch.

We can have above ground fires so maybe consider a camp oven dinner on Saturday night for yourselves and games as usual afterwards.

If you are arriving on Wednesday or Thursday, there's always Fay's most favourite café, Flutterbies to visit and there are also some interesting shops to be discovered in Markette Lane (through the café). There is the Tyalgum lookout (drive north on Limpin Rd) with sweeping views of Woollumbin & Mt Warning. Plus, there's Buck's Farm on the way to Chillingham.

Hope to see you all there.

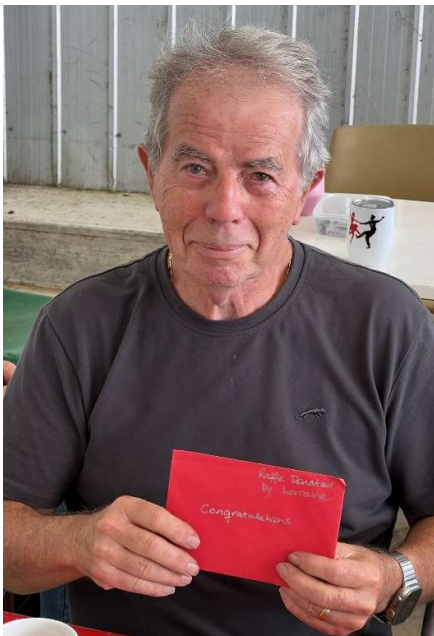
Cheers Hazel



APRIL CELEBRATIONS



Happy Birthday to Melody L, Dell S, Hazel C & Helen S, and visitors Jenny & Michael



Aivars won the Raffle



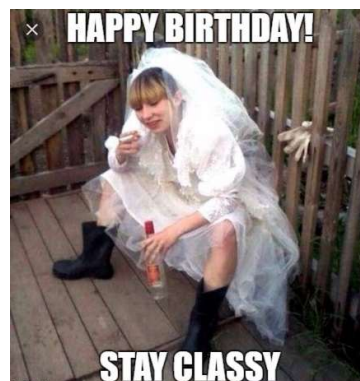
Gary & Joan T won the Lucky Van Prize

FUTURE RALLIES 2025

JUNE:	9th to 15th	- Crows Nest Country Music Festival (Second Week Monday to Sunday)
JULY:	17th to 22nd	- Maleny Showgrounds
AUGUST:	13th to 18th	- Nimbin Showgrounds
SEPTEMBER:	18th to 22nd	- Dayboro Showgrounds
OCTOBER:	15th to 20th	- Goomeri Caravan & Bush Camp
NOVEMBER:	12th to 17th	- Kalbar Showgrounds

MAY BIRTHDAYS

Bob W	18th May
Joan A	20th May



MAY WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Sue & Lawrie L	20th May
Wayne W & Hazel C	25th May

RAFFLE PRIZE ROSTER 2025

MAY:	Keith A
JUNE:	Sue & Lawrie L
JULY:	Chris & Toni C
AUGUST:	Denis & Carolyn H
SEPTEMBER:	Rob & Helen S
OCTOBER:	Barry & Dell S



AT SOME POINT BEER WAS INVOLVED



DON'T FORGET TO DO YOUR PRE-DEPARTURE CHECKS!

RSVP - RALLY MASTER

Please RSVP to Peter P by **10 May** on his mobile: 0415 407 266 to confirm you will be attending the Rally.

[Note: because we have to organise activities, catered meals, etc. it is important to let Peter know ahead of time that you will be attending the Rally.]

Don't forget, bring along extra long water hoses & power leads just in case they are required – and make sure your power leads are 15amp.



FROM THE TREASURER

LEOD FIGURES for April Rally:

Camp Fees: \$1,575

Other: \$2,811

JABIRU CARAVAN AND RV CLUB INC.

BY-LAWS



21. PETS

The Jabiru Caravan and RV Club Inc. welcomes quiet and obedient pets.

Being a pet friendly Club, we must abide by Council Laws and Health and Safety Regulation and venue rules. Pets are NOT allowed at breakfast, lunch and dinner venues. Outside morning tea and happy hour gatherings are acceptable. Exception for assistance dogs.

Dogs must always be on a hand held leash and owners are to pick up all droppings immediately.

CARE & CONCERN

If you know of any member who may be unwell or needs a cheer up or a chat, just phone or message Melody on 0421 251 328 or email the Secretary at jabirucaravanrvclub@gmail.com



TYALGUM DIGGERS CAMPGROUND - 14th to 19th May

Carraboi Terrace, Tyalgum, NSW - 157km from the Brisbane CBD

Powered Sites \$40 Couples, \$35 Singles

LONG LEADS & HOSES MAY BE REQUIRED!!!

Pets allowed MUST be on Lead at ALL Times.

Dump Point Onsite - Fires Permitted in ABOVE GROUND Pits

WEDNESDAY

Greeting by your Rally Master, Peter P. Set up in designated position and relax.

- 4.00pm Happy Hour
- 6.00pm BYO Dinner
- 7.00pm Board games and cards (always open to new games)
- Later Port and talk

THURSDAY

- TBD Walk and talk
- 10.00am Morning Tea
- 4.00pm Happy Hour
- 6.00pm BYO Dinner
- 7.00pm Board games and cards
- Later Port and talk

FRIDAY

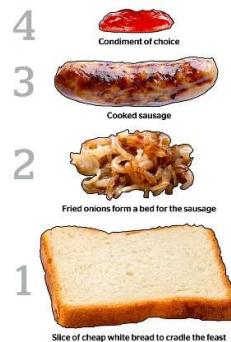
- TBD Walk and talk
- 11.00am BIGGEST MORNING TEA - \$10.00 per head
- 4.00pm Happy Hour
- 6.00pm BYO Dinner
- 7.00pm Board games and cards
- Later Port and talk



SATURDAY

- 6.30am Walk and talk
- 10.00am Morning Tea
- 11.00am General Meeting/AGM
- 12 Noon AGM Sausage Sizzle (free for members)
- 4.00pm Happy Hour
- 6.00pm BYO Camp Oven Dinner
- 7.00pm Board games and cards
- Later Port and talk

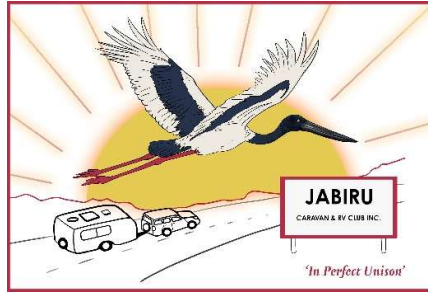
How to construct the perfect sausage sizzle sandwich



SUNDAY

- 6.30am Walk and talk
- 8.30am Visit the treasurer to pay your account and purchase your raffle tickets.
- 9.00am Morning Tea, birthdays, anniversaries, raffle draw, lucky van prize etc.
- 11.00am For those staying a drive to Chillingham for Lunch

FOR THOSE LEAVING US ON SUNDAY, HAVE A SAFE TRIP HOME



JABIRU CARAVAN & RV CLUB INC

NOMINATIONS FOR ALL POSITIONS FOR THE 2025-2026 COMMITTEE

<u>EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE POSITIONS</u>	<u>MEMBER NOMINATED FOR POSITION</u>	<u>NOMINATED BY</u>	<u>SECONDED BY</u>
PRESIDENT	Marcia P	Hazel C	Kay G
VICE PRESIDENT	Robert W	Robert S	Helen S
TREASURER	Hazel C	Wayne W	Marcia P
SECRETARY	Fay S	Helen S	Hazel C
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VENUE COORDINATOR	Wayne W	Hazel C	Kay G
<u>NON COMMITTEE POSITIONS</u>			
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ASSISTANT SECRETARY	Helen S	Hazel C	Wayne W
CARE & CONCERN	Melody L	Fay S	Aivars D
CCQ DELEGATES (2 required)	Carolyn H	Sandra W	Robert S
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