

September 2016

From The Editor

Welcome to the Jayco Jaybirds SA club newsletter.

Many thanks this month to Sue for her report on this month's rally and Phil for the accompanying photos.

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7th - 9th October Mount Compass:

85568600 Heysen Blvd.

As daylight savings will have started we will be back to BBQS with a shared salad for most rallies during the summer.



4th - 6th November Berri Riverside:

85823723 Riverview Drive.



December 2-4th Wirrina: *Please note this revised venue.*

85983125 Paradise

Drive. I have had contact with the park and they are putting together a Xmas menu for us. More info later.

Booking into a Rally

If you wish to participate in any rallies, you will need to :

- Advise Anne by email or telephone of your intention to participate **four weeks** before the rally date.

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- ALSO, should you wish to arrive earlier or depart later than the dates booked by the club, you will need to communicate **DIRECTLY** with the caravan park concerned to discuss your dates of arrival and departure. Could you please also let Anne know that you have done so?

Stony Creek Caravan Park Wilmington

Jayco Jaybirds: Stony Creek Rally, 2nd to 4th September, 2016

Welcome to the “Wilmington White Wabbit Wport. (Title By John)

By the heading you can tell we had an absolutely awesome time at Stony Creek. I came all prepared to go Tad poling, but unfortunately there were none.... I think you were very lucky last year Judy.



Everyone commented on how green everything was, the green paddocks, the green hills, the Green Ginger Wine, very nice around the camp fire.

The Caravan Park was very full this year with our nine vans and all these little A Vans, which just kept multiplying every morning. It seemed there were more there than the night before.

Friday morning at “half past” we decided to all mount up and go four wheel driving. What a great time, we went along a track called the “Bridle Track” and the views from the top of the hills were spectacular. Over the hills and on to Port Germain for a look at the longest jetty. I say a look because it was blowing a gale, so we took what shelter there was and enjoyed some very nice hot chips and even better hot Do-Nuts, then off back to Stony Creek.

It wasn't too much longer when our newest members, Sid and Lesley

arrived. They fitted in like long time members. Saturday saw some of us heading to Alligator Gorge to do some bush walking. Once again there were incredible views of the hills and the Gorge.



We arrived back to find the girls who had stayed back had made up a table in one of the camp kitchens for our shared roast dinner, with a beautiful centre piece made up of wattle, black boys, wood and lights. It looked fantastic, thanks girls for putting in such an effort to make the table look so good. Our shared roast was magnificent, with Pauline insisting we all be assembled with our food for 6:30pm "or else". We were certainly all there and the food was lovely and hot and everyone enjoyed it immensely. Karen and Emma were awesome with the dessert again, you two girls make amazing deserts.

John entertained us with his Magic Show, performing different tricks to last time. You are very talented John, none of us can work out how you do them. The rest of the night was again spent around the camp fire, with lots of stories and lots of laughs.

Unfortunately Noel and I had to head off on Sunday morning, along with Sid and Lesley, while all the others stayed on for at least an extra night. Because I am writing this I won't mention the White Rabbit Dance.

Once again, thank you for such a great trip, sooo looking forward to the next one. My final note:- Morning, Sorry !!!!

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Upcoming Rallies - 2016

- October 7th - 9th** Mount Compass
November 4th - 6th Berri
December 2nd - 4th Wirrina Cove Holiday Park

Upcoming Rallies - 2017

- January** Lunch instead of a rally
February 3rd - 5th Milang
March 3rd - 5th Wallaroo
April 7th - 9th Laura
May 5th - 7th McLaren Vale
June 2nd - 4th Tanunda
July Lunch instead of a rally
August 4th - 6th Mount Barker
September 1st - 3rd Barmera
October 6th - 8th Middleton
November 3rd - 5th Port Vincent
December TBA

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