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NEXT MEETING – Sunday, October 19th , 2025

Meeting Held 21st September 2025

This was a General Meeting and an Annual General Meeting

Members: Attended 74 Apologies 7 and 0 Visitors

Raffle Winners

1st prize \$50.00 Susan Edwards

2nd prize \$30.00 Pat Rohwer

3rd prize \$20.00 Mike Collins

Winners of \$10.00 Gift Cards supplied by **The Doylo**

Barbara Schulz and Robyn Rogers

Birthdays for October



Sherwood Christine	2-Oct	Byrce John	2-Oct
Olesen Carole	12-Oct	McLoughlin Tom	14-Oct
Ranse Cecily	14-Oct		
Holmes Lorraine	15-Oct		
Cornwell Joan	21-Oct		
Treacy Janis	22-Oct		
Rohwer Pat	30-Oct		
McLoughlin Chris	30-Oct		

Club Shirts

It is so great to see so many members in their club shirts.

If you require a club shirt, please see Bev Insull

Congratulations 10 years membership

Adrian and Barbara Schultz



100 Club

Those who would like to be part of the "100 Club" can purchase their chance /chances at the October & November Meetings plus Christmas Lunch. Cost \$5.00.

The prize is a caravan service provided by All About Caravan Repairs.



Doylo Club Meetings

Just a reminder

The Doylo Club policy is for no outside food or drinks to be brought onto the premises.

We thank all members for respecting this request.

Also from next month the **Vouchers** donated by the Doylo will **expire 60 days** after issue instead of expiring before the next meeting.

Easy Campfire Damper Bread



Ingredients

- 2 cups plain flour, plus extra as needed (Can use self-raising if you prefer.)
- 1 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 3 teaspoons baking powder (Omit if using self-raising)
- 2 teaspoons sugar
- 2 tablespoons butter
- 1 1/4 cups milk
- 3/4 cup honey, jam or Nutella, cream, to serve (or whatever you like)

Instructions

1. Combine the flour, salt, baking powder and sugar in a large bowl. Add the butter and use your fingertips to rub it into the flour until it is all incorporated – it should resemble breadcrumbs.
2. Gradually add the milk and knead to combine, adding just enough to make a dough that isn't too sticky and that can be easily kneaded. If it's too sticky or wet, it will drop off the sticks when it is being cooked. Add a little extra flour if this is the case. Knead in the bowl for about 10 minutes, or until soft and elastic.
3. Divide the damper into six portions, form into balls and shape into ovals around the top of six long, thick sticks. Cook the bread over the fire for about 10–15 minutes, turning the bread regularly, until golden brown on all sides. When the bread is cooked, it will sound hollow when tapped. Wait for 5 minutes, then remove from the stick and fill with your favourite filling. Makes 6 small breads. Can also be baked in a camp oven over hot coals.



Free Camping Rollingstone Hotel

Free camping at Rollingstone Hotel Bruce Hwy north of Townsville Qld. All that is ask is that you come in for a drink and/or a feed.

There is a large grassed area out the back of the pub that can be used for camping and for caravans and motorhomes there is a large car park.

Toilets and showers available. Blue bus has been converted into a stage for Saturday night entertainers

Pets are permitted in the camping/parking area.

Diane Barnes



Two months Away Fran Lindsay

Just a little about our wandering trip in the sunshine Coast.



Our first stop was Darlington Beach then on to the Gold Coast to house sit for the kids for 2 weeks.



We then went to Dicky Beach to catch up with our forever friends. Then on to Redridge to catch up with my niece for couple of days as they had just moved from the Gold Coast to a property with plenty of room for camping.



Next stop Rocky Point to meet up with friends from Moama. We then went with them to Calliope for a few days.

Next to Mingo Crossing. Then Appletree and Childers for the festival. Another week with my niece at Redridge then onto Marybough Showground, Doon Villa, Gumtrees lodge Gunalda, Glastonbury Creek and beautiful camp Eumundi, Diddillibah (Sunshine Coast) Gold Coast ,Sawtell, Armidale to catch up with Chrissy.



Lots of great little places we haven't spent any time at before. Great 2 months.

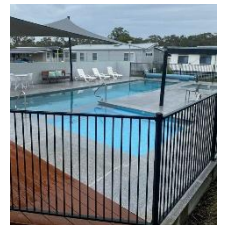


Harrington



Robert and I went away for a week with Deb and Barry to Harrington.

I thought I had booked van park near beach but I had booked the Big 4, the first one you come to coming into Harrington. What a nice mistake.



The park is spotless, lovely pool and heated spa, large undercover veranda, good size kitchen with 2 double ovens, gas hot plates and even a dishwasher. All sites have large slabs.

Close by is golf club tavern and pub, a large Richie's IGA nice bakery coffee shops. There isn't a lot to do but places you can drive to fish, area to play disc bowls or other games.

We had a nice week just sitting around, and going for coffee and we think we will go back again. It's only 21/2 hours up the road. Janis, Robert, Deb, Barry



Curtis Farm Trip



We were lucky to be able to spend the last four days of the week with a dozen of our members and David and Meg on their farm near Goulburn. What a beautiful place, rolling hills appears to go on for ever without another house in sight. Out of the wind the days were beautifully warm, evening around the fire, a choice inside or outside there was more wood than we could possibly burn.

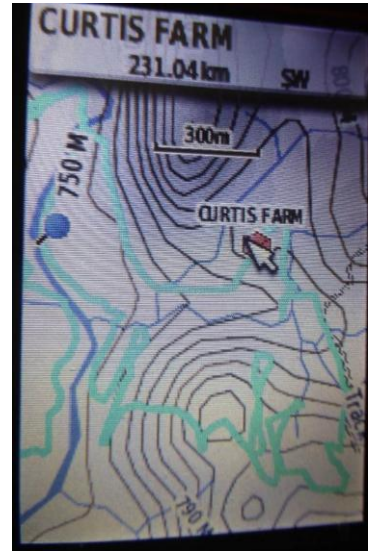
We were lucky to have David and Meg's son in law Steve also there. Steve said if you really want to see the farm hop into the vehicle, but you will have to hold on real tight.

He wasn't joking. Up and down the hill sometimes sideways, through creeks and gullies. You can follow the track on the map. Beside the domestic cattle, sheep and horses there was plenty of wildlife. We saw a herd of deer and kangaroos. If you want to get up early there are pigs and wombats around.



If David and Meg are game enough to invite us again, my name will be on the top of the list.

Thanks again Mike



Our Winners and Runners up for disc bowls **Presented at the September Meeting**



5th Wheeler for Sale

Graham Gosper's friend (0416288395) Greg (0423412021) is selling this caravan. Please contact if interested.





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		Tuggerah Lakes Caravanners TRIP SHEETS 2025		
DATES	DESTINATION	MEMBERS ATTENDING	CONTACT	PARK
5 – 19 Oct	Trip to Eastern Victoria	Brennan S, Fraser T/A, Leotta A/L, Strachan N/K 4	Andy & Lynne Leotta 0432 334 775 0427 988 037	Various van parks Take a photo with your phone Information on table for details
30 Oct – 6 Nov	Melbourne Cup Berry Showground	Barnes/Gosper S/G, Brennan S, Cok W/A, Collins M/L, Cornwell J, Dawson K/R, Dew A/C, Field L, Kennedy/Cousins M/D, Kirk W/B, Knight J/C, Latham B/D, Lee-Sing S/W, Lindsay A/F, Merrett/Wright J/P, Moore/Dick T/M, Newall G/M, O'Brien B/D, Rush W/L, Treacy/Wenning J/R, Wilcox/Richardson G/J, Wilkinson C / Spinks J, Thompson S/L (visitors) 23	CLUB ORGANISED	Berry Showground PLEASE NOTE BOOKINGS ARE OPEN shoalhaven.bookable.net.au Or phone showground 0427 605 200
14 th December	Christmas lunch at the Doylo	Collins M/L, Cornwell J, Curtis D/M, Davidson P, Delaney M/N, Insull B, Jeffs K/S, Kane C, Lee-Sing W/S, Maranik A/D, Rogers R/R, Rohwer P/P, Ryan R/J, Schultz A/B, Sherwood R/C, Strachan N/K, Thomas R, Treacy J/ Wenning R 31 people	CLUB ORGANISED	More information at the October Meeting

		Tuggerah Lakes Caravanners TRIP SHEETS 2026		
5 – 15 Feb 2026	Lakeside Forster	Brennan S, Cornwell J, Edwards/Williamson S/G, Insull B, Kane P/C, Kirk W/B, Lee-Sing W/S, Rogers R/R, Ryan R/J, Strachan N/K 10	Coral & Peter Kane	Lakeside Forster Big 4 02 6555 5511
3-10 Mar 2026	Bonny Hills Ingenia	Collins M/L, Cornwell J, Lee-Sing W/S, Kirk W/B, Insull B, Merrett J/ Wright P, Moore/Dick T/M, Shoobert , Treacy/Wenning J/R, 9	CLUB ORGANISED	Bonny Hills Ingenia 02 6585 5655 TLC Booking No. 74115
28th Apr – 5th May 2026	Harrington Big 4	Treacy J/ Wenning R, Latham B/D	Janis Treacy 0411 288 815	Harrington Big 4 Colonial Holiday Park 1800 931 822
Last week Sept to Mid October	Proposed Darling River Run	Barnes D,	Diane Barnes 0427 032 918	Walgett to Wentworth Approx. 14 days