

# Tuggerah Lakes Caravanners Inc.



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## **NEXT MEETING - Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2023**

Guest speakers Mark and Mitch from All About Caravan Repairs



### **Meeting Held 17<sup>th</sup> September 2023**

**This was a General Meeting followed by the Annual General Meeting**

58 Members attended

Raffle Winners	Fay Evernden	\$50.00
	Margaret Dick	\$30.00
	Robyn Rogers	\$20.00

Winners of Gift Cards donated by **Creightons**

Lorraine Laney	\$30.00
Helen Brill	\$20.00

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

Des Cousins and Des Cooper

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### **Committee for 2023-2024**

#### **Congratulations to our 4 new Committee Members**

President	Des Cooper
<i>Vice President</i>	<i>Joan Cornwell</i>
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<i>Treasurer</i>	<i>Robyn Nutter</i>
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## Birthdays for October

Byrce John	2-Oct	Sherwood Christine	2-Oct
Miles Christopher	10-Oct	Olesen Carole	12-Oct
McLoughlin Tom	14-Oct	Holmes Lorraine	15-Oct
		Cornwell Joan	21-Oct
		Treacy Janis	22-Oct
		Rohwer Pat	30-Oct
		McLoughlin Chris	30-Oct
		Williams Karen	31-Oct

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### A Very Unusual Recipe Seafood Cocktail Sauce

This recipe has full cream VANILLA ICE CREAM as a basis.

150g Ice Cream (full fat is best) which is just starting to soften.

2 ½ tablespoons tomato sauce

1 ½ tablespoons Worcestershire sauce

½ tablespoon lemon juice

½ teaspoon cayenne pepper (cayenne is very variable in strength, taste test required before adding any extra.)

Pinch of salt.

Mix in a small bowl or jug, can use an electric stick mixer though not essential.

Mix close to time to use, make sure you keep it cold.

Ask Des Cooper what he thinks of it! He tried it a couple of weeks ago.

*Leonie Collins*



Hi Members

Monday morning after our meeting I received a phone call from Richard Laney informing me that there was a memorial plaque on a park bench in memory of Cheryl Ducker. Today I went and had a look at where it was (Cnr Highview & Liamera Avenue, San Remo) at the water outlet.



I contacted Bluey and he advised me that he thought that Cheryl's daughter Corinne organized it as she lives in the area.

If you are in the area, please make time to go and have a look.

Fay Thomas  
Secretary



The outlook from where the plaque is situated.

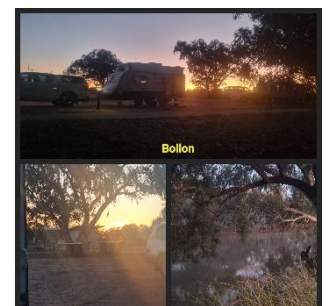
### Jimmy and Gaienne Trip

Jimmy and I have really enjoyed the second part of our trip and I have included the places we stayed and some of the things we enjoyed.  
Gaienne



Places we stayed:

- \* Chinchilla Weir campground. - Power available but need to get in early or be lucky. Donation made at Info centre, toilets, camp kitchen like facility
- \* Neil Turner Weir - Mitchell. Donation camp, fires allowed free wood at truss place out of town.
- \* Evening Star Tourist Park - Out of town very rustic but a great camp with a bar, camp fires, damper, pizza night.
- \* Channel Country Tourist Park and spas, Quilpie - very nice but would stay out of town on river next time.
- \* Eromanga Rest Area- showers and toilets.





- \* Explorers CP, Thargomindah - Large drive through sites, great facilities and camp kitchen.
- \* Yowah Rest Area- donation hot showers and clean facilities.
- \* Cunnamulla CP - very helpful, nice facilities large sites, entertainment
- \* Wallam Creek Bollon- Toilet at groundnut toilet and showers in town 200m of park at bottom
- \* Thallon campground - electricity available, toilets and showers.
- \* Gwydir CP Moree
- \* Glen Riddle Reserve Barraba



#### Things we enjoyed:



- \* Kogan small town out of Chinchilla - great history.
- \* Roma - sculpture display of the winners
- \* Mitchell heated Artesian baths and small museum
- \* Charleville offers so much and we ran out of time but did do WW 2 Tag along which was amazing, Bilby experience, Date Farm, Cosmos Centre (need to come back to do star gazing here or our CP), museum, silo art.
- \* Quilpie did the small information centre and museum, rail and mini aircraft museum.
- Baldy Top Lookout and river walk.
- \* Eromanga has the most amazing

Natural Museum and would highly recommend.

- \* Thargomindah - Self guided tours of old jail, hydro power plant and hospital. River and town walks.
- \* Yowah - The Bluff lookout, Artesian Pools and opal shops
- \* Cunnamulla - Artesian Time tunnel, Warrego walk, painted water tower All Aboard presentation (Was amazing) Artesian Pools due to open in Dec.
- \* Bollon - Information and museum
- \* Thallon - sculptures and Silo Art







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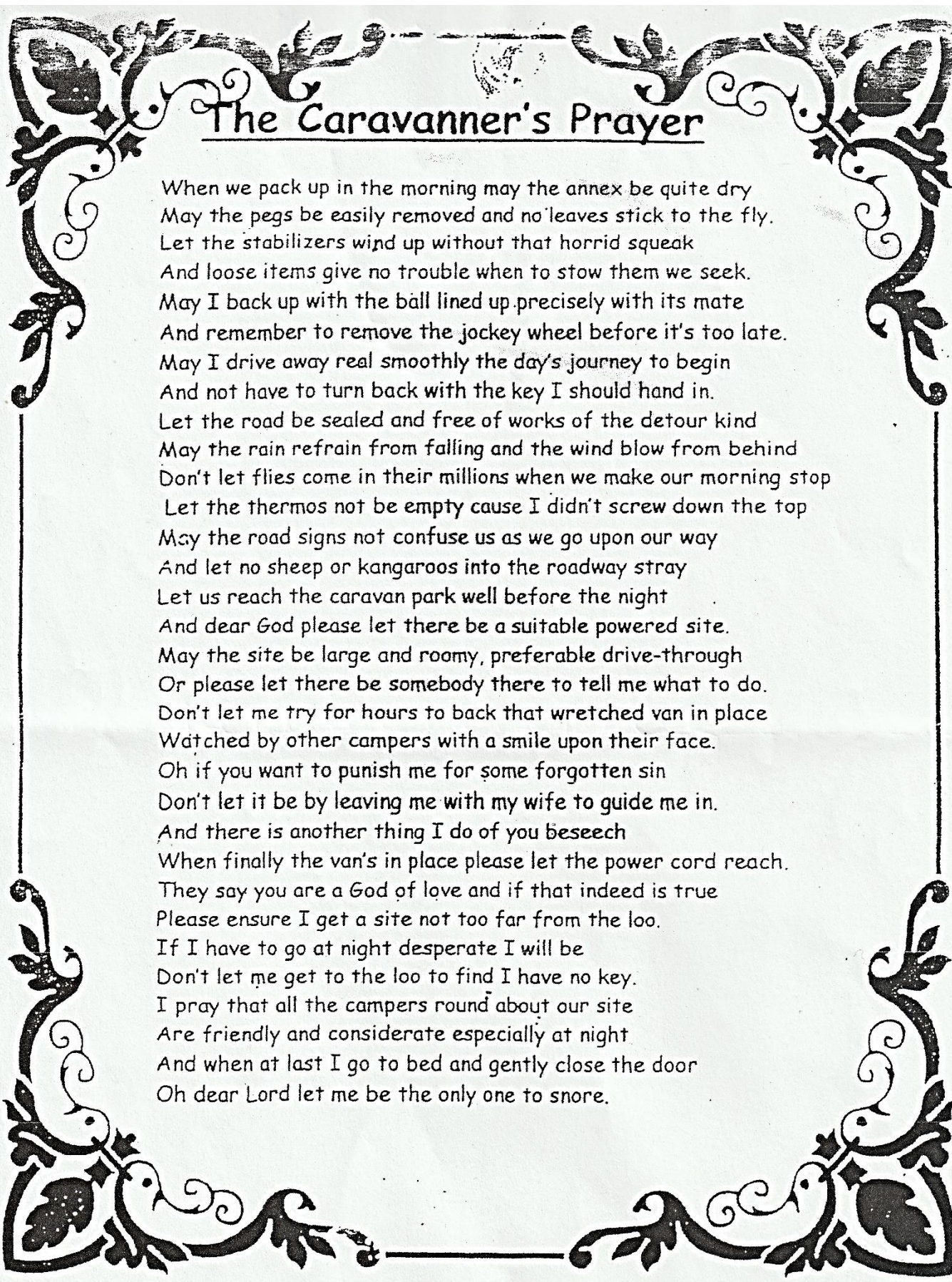


  
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## The Caravanner's Prayer

When we pack up in the morning may the annex be quite dry  
May the pegs be easily removed and no leaves stick to the fly.  
Let the stabilizers wind up without that horrid squeak  
And loose items give no trouble when to stow them we seek.  
May I back up with the ball lined up precisely with its mate  
And remember to remove the jockey wheel before it's too late.  
May I drive away real smoothly the day's journey to begin  
And not have to turn back with the key I should hand in.  
Let the road be sealed and free of works of the detour kind  
May the rain refrain from falling and the wind blow from behind  
Don't let flies come in their millions when we make our morning stop  
Let the thermos not be empty cause I didn't screw down the top  
May the road signs not confuse us as we go upon our way  
And let no sheep or kangaroos into the roadway stray  
Let us reach the caravan park well before the night  
And dear God please let there be a suitable powered site.  
May the site be large and roomy, preferable drive-through  
Or please let there be somebody there to tell me what to do.  
Don't let me try for hours to back that wretched van in place  
Watched by other campers with a smile upon their face.  
Oh if you want to punish me for some forgotten sin  
Don't let it be by leaving me with my wife to guide me in.  
And there is another thing I do of you beseech  
When finally the van's in place please let the power cord reach.  
They say you are a God of love and if that indeed is true  
Please ensure I get a site not too far from the loo.  
If I have to go at night desperate I will be  
Don't let me get to the loo to find I have no key.  
I pray that all the campers round about our site  
Are friendly and considerate especially at night  
And when at last I go to bed and gently close the door  
Oh dear Lord let me be the only one to snore.





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		<b><i>Tuggerah Lakes Caravanners TRIP SHEETS 2023</i></b>		
<b>DATES</b>	<b>DESTINATION</b>	<b>MEMBERS ATTENDING</b>	<b>CONTACT</b>	<b>PARK</b>
<b>29 Sept – 2 Oct 2023</b>	<b>NSW State Rally</b>	Davidson/Whitehead P/Y, <b>1</b>	Peter Davidson 0417 053 756	<b>Hawkesbury Showground</b>
<b>2 – 9 Nov 2023</b>	<b>Darlington Beach Caravan Park Arrawarra</b>	Barnes D/Gosper G, Barnes P/S, Collins M/L, Cooper D, Cornwell J, Cousins/Kennedy D/M, Curtis M/D, Dick/Moore M/T, Field L, Holmes J/L, Howard B/A, Insull B, Kane P/C, Latham B/D, Lee-Sing S/W, Lindsay F/A, Merrett/Wright J/P, Newell G/M, Nutter/Pryde R/F, O'Brien D/B, Oakes J, Olesen P/C, Palmer/Evernden I/F, Rogers R/R, Rohwer P/P, Sherwood R/C, Smyth J/H, Steele K/L, Thomas F/R, Treacy/Wenning J/R, Wilcox/Richardson G/J <b>31 + visitors Val Wall/Ron Campbell, &amp; Russell (with Len Field)</b>	<b>CLUB ORGANISED</b>	<b>Darlington Beach 6640 7444</b>
<b>12 – 26 Nov 2023</b>	<b>Narrabeen Leisure Trip</b>	Bickley/Baird C/C, Bryce/Tanner J/H, Davidson P/Y, Dew A/C, Fraser A/T, Leotta A/L, Maranik D/A, Newell G/M, Rohwer P/P, Wells J/J <b>10</b>	John Bryce 0424 963 954 or Helen Tanner 0468 637 711	<b>Big 4 Lakeside</b>
<b>22 – 30 Nov 2023</b>	<b>Belmont Lakeside</b>	Barnes D, Edwards/Williamson S/G, Fraser T/A, Howard B/A, Laney R/L, Leotta A/L, Wall/Campbell V/R <b>7</b>	Susan Edwards 0414 452 317	<b>Belmont Lakeside 4945 4750</b>