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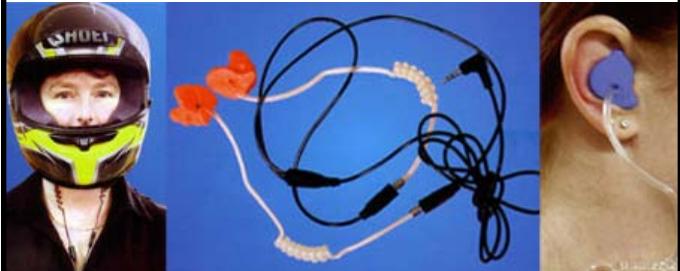
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Hi All



### Sick and Injured:

Don Freene is recovering from a broken femur after a tiny mishap with the corner of a tent. I think he's embarrassed that it didn't happen while he was riding. Expect he'll be off his bike for a couple of more months - and he'd only just got it back after a lengthy stay in bike-hospital.

**Frank Robinson** health took a turn for the worse during his trip to Albany. He and Jo went back to Ceduna and, after medical staff had stabilised him, Frank was flown to RAH. Happy to report he is well on the mend and back home.

Had a report of a number of 'offs' during the AGM journey and can only hope none were too serious and all are well on the way to recovery.

### Condolences:

to John Mikutta whose wife, Jenny, passed away recently.

### maximoto closes its doors

The following is an excerpt from a letter I received from Henrik:

Hi Wendy,

It is with regret that I have to let you know we've shut down. Please cancel all future ads and send us an invoice for the outstanding amount.

Also, I wanted to thank you and the Ulysses Club and its members for their support through the years. All the best.

Kind Regards,  
Henrik Storm

Garry and I are just two of the many happy customers that will be disappointed with this news. I wish Henrik all the best for whatever he does in the future.

### Life Membership

News flash from the AGM in Albany that Neville Gray has been awarded Life Membership of the Ulysses Club. Congratulations, Neville.

### Jo Dearnley Medal

was awarded to the Torrens Valley Branch for raising over \$10,000 (the highest for 2009) for UCARF, during the Mouth to the Mountains Ride on the way to Penrith AGM last year.

Garry and I are the proud great-grandparents of a beautiful boy, Tyron Richard Linke, born at 2.02 am on 20-02-2010. This should be an interesting birth date and time for all the 'numbers' people.

Re page 20: I got married in 1960 - glad I didn't read THAT book.

Wendy



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and check out the latest news on branch happenings

## **Barossa Group**



Barossa rides leave The Old Steam Train (opposite the BP Station at Nuriootpa) at 10 o'clock on the 1st Sunday of the month



### **Rides Captain**

Andrew Mill  
Phone: 08 7220 2266  
Mobile: 0412 312 243

### **Wednesday Rides Captain**

Mick Sandley  
8251 2435

## **Wednesday Rides**

**All runs will leave at 10.30 am**

- |               |                                   |
|---------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1st Wednesday | Feathers Hotel Car Park, Burnside |
| 2nd Wednesday | Feathers Hotel Car Park, Burnside |
| 3rd Wednesday | Victoria Hotel, Top o'Taps        |
| 4th Wednesday | Victoria Hotel, Top o'Taps        |
| 5th Wednesday | Feathers Hotel Car Park, Burnside |

**Bring or buy your own lunch**

For details, ring Mick Sandley on 8251 2435 or 0407 817 362.

## **SA & Broken Hill Branches' & Riding Groups**

### **Boss Cockies**

#### **Broken Hill Branch**

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Treasurer	Mick Travena	0419 827 194

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Rides Captain	Mick Corfield	8186 6697

0434 256 848

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Secretary	Jill Gilmore	87252529
Rides Captain	Trevor Blackall	87254184

#### **Mallee Branch**

President	Rob Todd	85837131
		0428 251 968
Secretary	Carol Beswick	85872232
Treasurer	Trevor (Salty) Brine	8595 1627
Rides Coordinator	Tony Bowes	8586 6052

#### **Southern Flinders Riding Group**

Co-ordinator	Glen (Solly) & Treena Solomon	8633 0385
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#### **Torrens Valley Branch**

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Secretary	Christine Clothier	8644 2264
Treasurer	Perry Zimmerman	8644 0951

#### **Northern Yorke Peninsula (Wednesday Riders)**

Leader	Clive Ford	8821 1598
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#### **Yorke Peninsula Riding Group**

Co-ordinator	Rod Lind	8837 7260
		0418 527 977

## From the Pres

Well, I hope everyone that went to Albany, had a good time and had a safe trip. How you couldn't have a good time at an AGM, I don't know, 'cause the ones I've been to in the past have all been a blast.



It's good to see some new members coming along to the branch meetings and out on the rides. You will find the Ulysses Club to be filled with a great bunch of folk all out to enjoy themselves and make all new members feel most welcome.

We only had one (Chrissie) of our 2 new Quartermasters at the February Branch Meeting, as Vanessa was busy packing to go to Albany. Chrissie had a pretty quiet time in the Quartermaster's Store before the meeting began, however, after the meeting, she was run off her feet as people came to buy lots of stuff. ('Thanks' to Bundi for helping out).

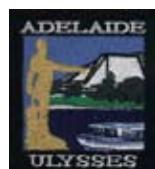
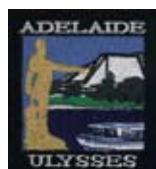
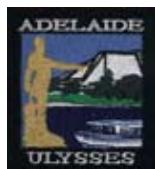
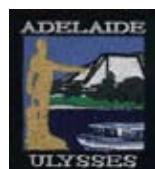
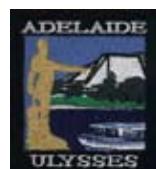
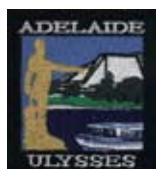
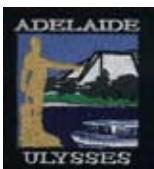
Planning is going well for the 2011 Odyssey - we now have the venue sorted, and looks like it will be a great spot; it's close to the centre of town and has lots of room for shady, on-site camping.

Once again, I would like to thank very much the volunteers who give their time and expertise to the various committees and sub-committees of the Adelaide Branch. Your help and ideas are invaluable and are what makes this a great branch.

So that's enough from me. Remember: get out, participate in what's on offer and, most of all, enjoy.

Life's too straight without the twisties.

**Andrew Mill**  
President  
Adelaide Branch



## ADELAIDE BRANCH RIDE CALENDAR

DATE	TIME	LEADER	EVENT	DESTINATION	FROM
4-Apr	9.30am	Andrew Mill	Wabbit Wun	Milang	McDonald's 303 Magill Road, Trinity Gardens
11-Apr	9am	Andrew Mill	Bill's Sponsored Ride	Mannum	Bills M/Cycles 368 Main North Road, Blair Athol
18-Apr	9.30am	Andrew Mill	Day Ride	Meningie	Civic Park Main North East Road Modbury
25-Apr		Andrew Mill	NO RIDE	Anzac Long W/end	
2-May	9am	Andrew Mill	GC Motorcycles	TBA	GC Motorcycles 122 Main North Road Prospect
9-May	9.30am	Andrew Mill	Mothers' Day Ride	TBA	Top of Taps
16-May	9.30am	Andrew Mill	Day Ride	Victor Harbour	Civic Park Main North East Road Modbury
23-May	9.30am	Andrew Mill	Captains' Ride	TBA	McDonald's 303 Magill Road, Trinity Gardens
30-May	9.30am	Andrew Mill	Day Ride	Burra	Civic Park Main North East Road Modbury
6-June			NO RIDE	Queen's B/Day Long W/end	
13-June	9.30am	Andrew Mill	Day Ride	Strathalbyn	Top of Taps
20-June	8.00am	Andrew Mill	DieHards' Breakfast	TBA	Civic Park Main North East Road Modbury

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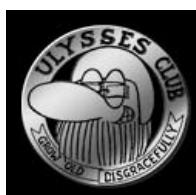
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## **DO NOT PHONE HOTEL**

Friday, 9th April, 2010



7.00 pm

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Friday, 14th May, 2010



7.00 pm

Modbury Plaza Hotel  
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bookings close Wednesday 12th May

Friday, 11th June, 2010



7.00 pm

Sussex Hotel  
68 Walkerville Tce  
Walkerville

bookings close Wednesday 9th June

**Friday, 12th February:** At new venue, The Windmill Hotel, Ulyssians and partners were pleased with the meal, price and atmosphere, so I am sure we will be there again. Lynn Whipp (pictured below with husband, Andy) was surprised with a slice of cake and candle, presented by Jeannie, to celebrate her birthday on the night. What a choir there was to sing Happy Birthday to her - you had to be there to hear it- but Lynn loved it!



**Friday, 12th March:** Good to see such a happy group chatting and dining at the Sussex Hotel. We spared a thought of those absent because they chose the AGM, and hoped they are having a great time. Good to see Bob and Athalie fit and well, and young Mr Francis from Waikerie with Doug and Val. Dominic is very pleased with his new bike - well done! Oh, and I hear Mick has a new one too, which is very comfortable - just keep riding. Wayne was looking well after his emergency stay in hospital (keep well). He and Janetta looked a treat! All in all, it was a great night.



Never mind the lady in red! Get a load of these ladies in black!  
Jeannie Brenton, Geraldine Murray and Athalie Knights



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Balance to be paid on the day.

**Booking & enquiries:** Mick Sandley 8251 2435 H 0407 817362 Mob  
Andy Whipp 83373088 H 0407600652 Mob



### The Nashies' Tri Branch Quiz and Games Night is on again by popular demand.

Theme is **Christmas in July**  
2 Chief Street, Hindmarsh  
(Adelaide Branch meeting venue)



**Date: Friday 23rd July 2010**  
7.30 pm  
**Cost: \$6 per person.**  
Pre paid, for seating arrangements  
**Bookings essential**

We will be hosting an 80 question trivia quiz, after a break following the first 40, we will be playing the games  
You can win prizes on the Swinging Balloon game. A Dollar will buy you 3 darts burst the balloon to win a prize  
Slide a Dollar coin to win a bottle of booze  
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**ph 82817727 mob 0423108464**



## Sunday round-up - photos by Bundi

**7th February - Walkerville:** 24 of us were at Civic Park in glorious sunshine including a certain someone on her new orange Kawasaki Z 1000. We set off to Chain of Ponds, through Cudlee Creek, up to Lobethal, Inverbrackie and Nairne. We then went to Mt. Barker, Echunga via Old Mt. Barker Road, then on to Meadows for morning tea. We then went towards Clarendon before turning towards Blewitt Springs then on to the McLaren Vale Road and up Ackland Hill Road to the cross roads, turned and went to Willunga then headed for Aldinga. We followed the coast through Aldinga and Silver Sands where there was a large number of people parked on the beach enjoying the cooler weather there. Then we made our way back to the Main South Road and heading south, we went over the Myponga Dam to Carackalinga and on to Normanville for lunch.



**21st February - Goolwa:** In fabulous conditions, there were 19 of us at Civic Park along with a few model T Fords which set off through Chain of Ponds, along Tippet Road to Cudlee Creek, up Fox Creek Road to Lenswood and along Swamp Road. Very scenic through here at this time of the year, as the apples are growing in the orchards. We made our way to River Road via Verdun, on to Echunga and in to Meadows for morning tea. We were met here by another 2 who were both on ex police BMWs. We all set off along Bull Creek Road to Ashbourne, turned to Strath, then to Milang and followed the lake to Clayton. Next it was to Currency Creek and on to Goolwa for lunch. It seems quite a few had a bit of a shock on the second half of the ride when they looked in their mirrors and saw a white BMW behind them and had to have a double take to make sure they didn't have red and blue lights on them. It was also good to see Ray out and about. He is making a good recovery and met us at the bakery in Goolwa.



**14th February - Angaston:** Well there were around 23 bikes at Macca's in fabulous sunshine with a couple of new members out for a first time ride. We set off to Norton Summit, on to Uraidla where we turned to Basket Range, and then on to Lenswood. We turned down Fox Creek Road towards Cudlee Creek, then to Gumeracha and on to Birdwood for morning tea. At the end of Fox Creek, a certain nice looking Busa fell off its side stand and made rather a mess of the body work. From Birdwood we went to Mt Torrens, Tungkillo, where we all rode slowly past the policeman with the radar, and on to Palmer, then Mannum where we turned to Cambrai and on to Sedan. From Sedan it was up Sedan Hill to Keynton and to Angaston for lunch. No sign of the forecast showers - just great sunshine all day.



## Sunday round-up - photos by Bundi



**14th March - Meadows:** Well, we had a good turnout of around 26 bikes at Macca's in overcast but fine conditions. Jim and Julie came along on their Busa which, as you know had an unfortunate accident a couple of rides ago while being parked on an incline. I wondered if Jim had fitted a spirit level to the Busa. We set off to Montacute Road following it to Ashton after avoiding the Kamikaze cyclists coming the other way, then we made our way to Piccadilly and then along Spring Gully Road past the Woodhouse Scout Camp. Then we turned left and back up to Greenhill Road which we followed to Beaumonts Road to Verdun, where we turned left to Balhannah for morning tea. After being well fed and watered, we were off along Junction Road to Littlehampton, on to Nairne, where we turned along Mt. Barker Summit Road, along Mt. Barker Springs Road and on to Bald Hills Road. We then made our way to Wistow, Woodchester and Strath. Next, we went on to the Ashbourne Road, up Bull Creek Road almost to Meadows, before turning off to Macclesfield. We headed towards Echunga and turned along Whites Road to Kondaparinga Road and on to the Meadows Bakery for lunch.



KEVIN SPELLACY (the other Trevor Edwards) and Johnny Mikutta

### 21st March - Williamstown

There were around 28 of us at Top of Taps in fabulous sunshine. We set off and made our way to Acklands Hill Road, through to Mylor and along River Road towards Hahndorf, where we turned along Ambleside Road, making our way to Swamp Road. The ride, so far was great. Then about a third of the way along Swamp Road, we came to some roadworks - nothing bad, just a little bit of gravel. Then it was off along Fox Creek Road, where some had to avoid the dozen or so ducks grazing on the side of the road, and on to Cudlee Creek for morning tea. From here we went via a back road to the caravan park and back up Gorge Road to Tippet Road and to Chain of Ponds. We followed the main road through Inglewood, along Range Road North and then through Snake Gully. From there we went to Gawler, Kalbeeba and in to Cockatoo Valley. We then went past the nudist colony, on our way to Lyndoch, where we headed towards Williamstown and almost made it before turning back towards Cockatoo Valley. We then turned along Yettie Road past the Whispering Wall Reservoir and into Williamstown for lunch where we were met by Bernie, who had been gallivanting around the countryside on dirt roads.



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**He said, I said.....**

He said to me..... Why don't women blink during foreplay?

I said to him .... They don't have time

He said to me... Why is it difficult to find men who are sensitive, caring and Good- looking?

I said to him... They already have boyfriends..

He said...What do you call a woman who knows where her husband is every night? I said... A widow.

He said to me . . . . Shall we try swapping positions tonight?

I said ... That's a good idea - you stand by the stove & sink while I sit on the sofa and do nothing but watch TV



### Injured NSW rider in RAH

John Eaves (member from NSW) was on the way from Sydney to Albany with friends when he came off near Peterborough. The bike was a write off, but he was not, thankfully.

He was flown by the Flying Doctor from Peterborough to the RAH where he had skin grafts and fracture repairs to arms, hands and hips after an 8 day stay.

Piper visited him in the RAH until he left for his trip with Chris. Piper had contacted Ray Murray to see if he could visit him and possibly take him to the airport to re-join his party in Perth.

Ray visited him in the RAH on Sunday and took him to the airport on Tuesday



morning. He was very grateful to us and the MRA as they had a visitor (Maurice) on Sunday too.

Qantas was great in helping John aboard his flight to Perth and offered every assistance to him.

He went on his way very sore and sorry, but, thankfully, a survivor from a nasty accident. (He thought he swerved to avoid a roo and was unconscious for 30 minutes after the collision.)

It was great to help a fellow Ulyssian in his hours of need. I'm sure we all wish him well...the spirit of fellowship in the club certainly came through on this occasion.

**Ray Murray**

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## Ten Question with Ulysses Member Brenton Lewis

- Q1. How long have you been a Ulysses member?  
A1. Just over 2 years
- Q2. What influenced you to join?  
A2. An old friend and my interest in Motorbikes.
- Q3. What motor bike are you currently riding?  
A3. ZF Yamaha R1. 2007. (below)
- Q4. How many bikes have you owned over the years?  
A4. Six.
- Q5. Name some of the bikes you have owned?  
A5. Yamaha YZ80B: YZ80G: Kawasaki KX80: Yamaha RD250LC: Yamaha TTR250: Kawasaki ZX600
- Q6. What will be your next bike?  
A6. Yet to be decided, there are too many good bikes to choose from.
- Q7. What is, or was you favorite bike?  
A7. Ducati 1098S.
- Q8. If money was no object and you could have any bike in the world, what would it be?  
A8. Dodge Tomahawk (below)
- Q9. What do you enjoy about the Ulysses Club?  
A9. To meet weekly on Wednesdays and go riding with friendly people who really enjoy motorbikes.
- Q10. Do you have any nick name? Come on I know you do!!  
A10. No I don't have any nick name.



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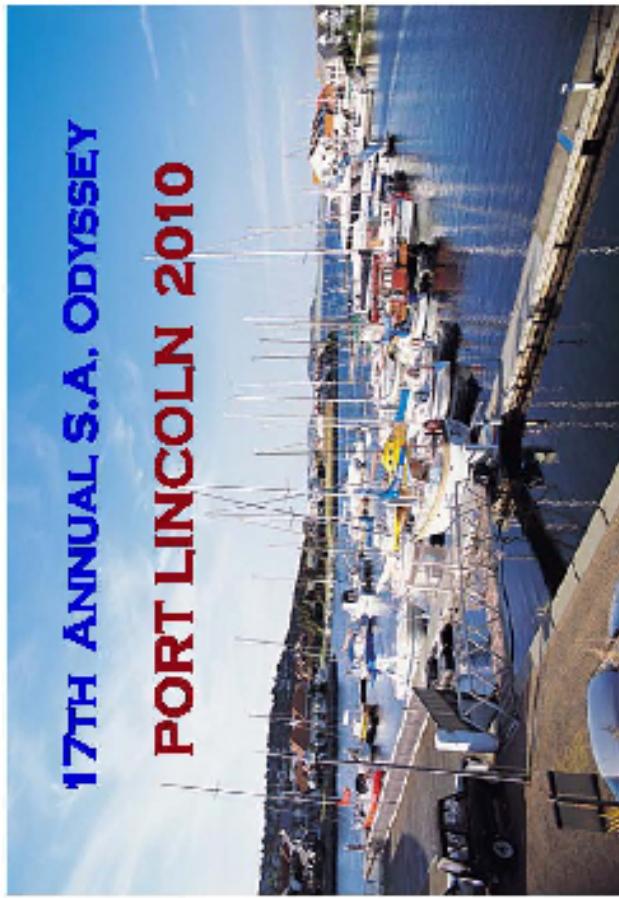
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- BBQ Meet & mingle at upstairs or downstairs bars.

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- Breakfast served downstairs kitchen
- 9.30 am - Long Ride
- Street Parade through City
- Ride to coffin Bay, lunch at Yacht Club, tour Coffin Bay National Park and surrounding districts. 150ks. Leader Bill Crettenden
- Dinner - 6.00 pm - 9.00 pm in Marquee
- Dinner in restaurant upstairs (100 guests) 6.00 pm - 9.30pm, then move to marquee on oval for live music, lucky prizes and lots of fun

### Sunday

- Breakfast
- 9.00 am Ride Briefing
- Local ride: Marina, fish factories, Winter Hill Lookout, North Shore Estate, wharf & silos. 1-2 hours. Leader Herman Pruis
- Dinner in marquee: Surf & Turf. This will be a great value meal with lots of donated seafood to be 'finished off' tonight. Oysters, prawns, mussels, tuna & kingfish - the works.
- Local musicians for background music and lots of fun.
- (We might have a crayfish to raffle)

- Monday
- Breakfast & I saying 'good-bye'. Safe riding home. Hope you enjoyed your stay as much as we did presenting this 17th SA Odyssey.

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## Whyalla South Australia

*Where the outback meets the sea*

The poster (opposite) is for the Long Track meeting my partner Geoff Brown and I are promoting at Whyalla on 24th April the day before Anzac Day.

This is the same type of racing that used to be at the old half mile speedway at Port Pirie, classes for all modern bikes as well as classic bikes with riders over 50 on the old bikes from the good old days. Check out the poster,

The Sundowner Cabin & Tourist Park Whyalla has come on board as a supporter and is offering discount accommodation for riders, supporters, etc. Just mention you are a member of the Ulysses.

The cabin park is situated right next door to the track and all the cabins are less than 12 months old and well fitted out.

The cabin park can be contacted on 08 86451535 fax 08 86 459324.

Regards  
Neil Burston  
0408 315 703.

### Some tips to avoid a shark attack:

#### 1. Don't swim in the sea

More than 99% of all shark attacks happen in large water masses, also known as oceans. The way to establish if you're in an ocean is to taste the water. It should taste salty.

#### 2. Swim with fat people

Always make sure there are fat people already in the water before you enter. Chances are you will be able to swim faster than they can and save yourself.

#### 3. Don't go in the water without a knife

That's to stab the nearest swimmer when you see a shark. As soon as he/she bleeds profusely, swim as fast as you can to the shore and claim you tried your best to save him/her. You might end up getting award for bravery.

#### 4. Listen intently

All sharks have a 'theme song' - if you hear the following, swim for your life: da-dam, da-dam, da-dam. If it sounds like this: dadam, dadam, dadam, you're already gone.

#### 5. Don't panic

Stay calm when a shark bites you. It's over, you're gone and it doesn't help you to try to survive. The people on the shore will appreciate it, they don't want to hear your mad yelling and screaming. It's not nice.

### Central Odyssey (South Australia)

The first SA Central Odyssey was organised by Helena Cole, from Adelaide Branch and Robert Sinkinson (of Port Lincoln), in Port Lincoln in 1994. It was the beginning of an annual event that has grown in popularity to the point where numbers need to be limited in some years.

Always held on the long weekend in October, the event has been going 16 years, with the 17th Odyssey at Port Lincoln this year, and the 18th Odyssey to be held in Port Pirie (*The Friendly City*) by the Adelaide Branch, with support from the Southern Flinders Ride Group.

1994	Adelaide/Robert Sinkinson (Port Lincoln)
1995	086 Group (Whyalla)
1996	Adelaide (Clare Valley)
1997	Broken Hill (Broken Hill)
1998	086 Group (Nut Bush Retreat Port Augusta)
1999	Eyre Peninsula (Port Lincoln)
2000	Limestone Coast (Mount Gambier)
2001	Adelaide (Barmera)
2002	Adelaide (Port Augusta)
2003	Eyre Peninsula (Port Lincoln)
2004	Coober Pedy (supported by Adelaide Branch)
2005	Adelaide (Pendleton Farm)
2006	Limestone Coast (Naracoorte)
2007	Torrens Valley (Burra)
2008	Fleurieu (Victor Harbor)
2009	Mallee (Barmera)
2010	Eyre Peninsula (Port Lincoln)

Planning is well under way for 2011 with a venue organised with lots of on site camping.

We have tremendous support 'at the coal face' from Glen and Trina Solomon (who travel to Adelaide from Port Pirie for meetings) and are an invaluable resource.

Your enthusiastic committee for 'The Friendly Odyssey' is:

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Treasurer	Adrian Horan
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'When retiring to the bedroom, prepare yourself for bed as promptly as possible. Whilst feminine hygiene is of the utmost importance, your tired husband does not want to queue for the bathroom, as he would have to do for his train. But remember to look your best when going to bed. Try to achieve a look that is welcoming, without being obvious. If you need to apply face-cream or wear hair-rollers, wait until he is asleep, as this can be shocking to a man last thing at night. When it comes to the possibility of intimate relations with your husband, it is important to remember your marriage vows and, in particular, your commitment to obey him.

If he feels that he needs to sleep immediately, then so be it. In all things, be led by your husband's wishes; do not pressure him in any way to stimulate intimacy. Should your husband suggest congress, then agree humbly, all the while being mindful that a man's satisfaction is

more important than a woman's. When he reaches his moment of fulfilment, a small moan from yourself is encouraging to him and quite sufficient to indicate any enjoyment that may have had.

Should your husband suggest any of the more unusual practices, be obedient and uncomplaining, but register any reluctance by remaining silent. It is likely that your husband will then fall promptly asleep, so adjust your clothing, freshen up and apply your night-time face and hair care products.

You may then set the alarm so that you can arise shortly before him in the morning. This will enable you to have his morning cup of tea ready when he awakes.'



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# A brief history of the Adelaide Branch

The Ulysses Club is a social club formed in 1983 from an idea put forward by Stephen Dearnley (No 1). The Ulysses is a social club for mature people over the age of 50 with a common interest in motorcycles. Persons of 40 years and over may join as junior members, (someone has to help the "more mature members" off their bikes).

The Ulysses Club which originated in Sydney, NSW, was a little over three years old when the Adelaide Branch came into existence. At that time total Australia-wide membership was approximately 750, with only about 20 living in the Adelaide area. The popularity of the Club was growing and mature motorcyclists from all walks of life were showing increased interest, and seeking information as to how they could become members.

## Who was responsible for forming Adelaide Branch?

Peter Reynolds, who was the National Secretary at that time, visited Adelaide and contacted each of the existing Adelaide members to arrange an inaugural meeting at the Victoria Hotel, O'Halloran Hill. On the afternoon of the 28th December, 1986, a group of twelve met in the dining room of the Hotel and the decision was taken to form an Adelaide Branch. Having come to that decision, it was then necessary to appoint someone to conduct the affairs of the Branch. No volunteers came forward, so after some discussion, Neville Rodert offered to act as Secretary and Lyall Zilm agreed to preside over the Branch. It was further agreed that bi-monthly meetings would be held at the Road Safety Centre, Oaklands Park, on the first Thursday of every second month. These facilities were kindly offered by our member, Les Jackson, who was the Chief Road Safety Officer at the Centre.

## When was the first meeting held?

The first meeting was held on the 5th February, 1987, at 7.30 pm, and was attended by 22 members and friends. A calendar of monthly runs was drawn up and these were generally well attended. The Branch was off to a good start and everyone was full of enthusiasm. Membership steadily increased over the next twelve months and the first Annual General Meeting of the Branch was held on the 23rd December, 1987. Lyall Zilm was elected the President and Ray Mullen the Secretary/Treasurer. Due to a period of absence, it was necessary for Lyall to resign his position and a new election was subsequently held on the 4th February, 1988, at which Bryce Morley was duly elected to the position of President, a position he held until 1997, when Des Blackwell was elected as President.

## Where did we have meetings?

Regular meetings were then held on a monthly basis on the first Thursday of the month at the Prince Albert Hotel, Wright Street, Adelaide, at 7.30 pm. Meetings continued to be held at this venue into the 1990s. However, as the number of members attending these meetings was growing rapidly, it became necessary to find larger and more suitable accommodation. It was subsequently decided that we meet at the Earl of Leicester Hotel, Parkside. This proved to be an ideal location for a while. Once again our membership outgrew the Hotel's capacity, and we moved to the Terminus Club at Richmond. Meeting used to sometimes see in excess of 300 members. This reduced once the Torrens Valley

and Fleurieu Branches were formed. After meeting for a few years at the West Adelaide Football clubrooms at Richmond, they decided to start charging us more than we could afford, so, we moved to another free venue.

## Meetings Today

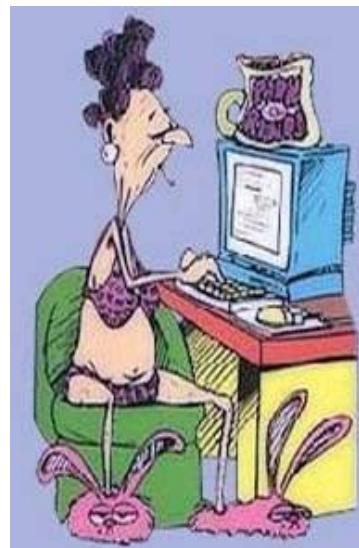
Today our meetings are held at the European Catering Reception Pty. Ltd, 2B Chief St, Hindmarsh. Many members meet early in the club's dining room for dinner or a drink together before the meeting begins at 8.00 pm.

## What happens at meetings?

At varying intervals throughout the year we have speakers who talk on topics of interest to members - the committee welcomes nominations for topics and speakers.

- We have a buy sell or swap table
- Adelaide Gear Shop - most club gear is available for sale, including some articles which are Adelaide stock only, eg name badges, grandkids' T-Shirts.
- Membership - You can get your grey peril and join the club - see the Membership Secretary.
- Raffle - lots of prizes at each meeting.

Join us and take a look, introduce yourself and have a chat to some members.



### MY LIVING WILL

Last night, one of my best friends and I were sitting in my living room and I said to her, I never want to live in a vegetative state, dependent on some machine and fluids from a bottle. If that ever happens, just pull the plug.

She got up, unplugged the computer, and threw out my wine.

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## SOUTHERN FLINDERS ULYSSES RIDE GROUP

### Sunday 7th February - Meet the Torrens Valley Branch

Left Caltex at 9.30 with 10 riders and went to Snowtown to meet the Torrens Valley mob, via Redhill, Koolunga, Brinkworth and Blyth, arriving at 11.00.

After refuelling, we set off towards Bute as the main highway was cut to pieces by roadworks; this added to the enjoyment of the group as they liked the twisting road. We arrived at Port Pirie at 12.30pm with 25 from Adelaide and 2 from the Yorke Peninsula, and the wives from the Port Pirie group with a couple more riders (prospective members). The event was to raise money for the *Make a Wish Foundation*, and we would like to thank all those who attended. We would also like to thank Golden North for their generous donation of ice-creams which was a real treat, also the French Bread Shop for their donation of bread. We also celebrated the 60th birthday of Mick Dolensky from the Torrens Valley Branch. Due to the very hot day, we will be thinking of a date change for next year - maybe April.

**Wayne Partridge**

### Sunday 21st February. Breakfast at Laura and Golden North Tour.

Left Caltex at 8.30 with "Stax" as our ride leader, as Les had a fall, hurt his arm and couldn't ride his bike. (Christine had to drive him to Laura.) Some of us are wondering if a Wild Turkey caused the fall. At Laura, we met up with riders from the Whyalla Branch and the Yorke Peninsula Riding Group. We split up between the two cafes for breakfast and a "catch up". After breakfast, we headed to the Golden North Factory, splitting into two groups, as we had approximately 60 people for the tour. Les took half of us, and his side kick, Wayne, took the other half. The tour was very interesting and, as it was a warm day, having a look inside one of the freezers at C-22 degrees was very much appreciated. At the end of the tour, we were all given a Giant Twin - the girls were assured they were "fat free". Bev and Terry could not go on this ride, so Greg had Bev's Giant Twin before the tour even started (good one Greg). We then headed home after a very enjoyable morning.

### Saturday & Sunday 6th & 7th March. Overnighter – Tumby Bay.

Ten of us left Caltex at 8.30am on Saturday and headed to Tumby Bay for the long weekend. Our first stop was Whyalla for fuel and drinks. We then rode to Cowell where we had lunch. Most of us had the famous Cowell Pasty. (If anyone happens to travel through Cowell, I recommend you stop at the Bakery and try one.) After lunch, we headed for Tumby Bay, had a couple of showers of rain on the way, fortunately arriving before the rain set in. Most of us stayed in the hotels and a couple stayed at the Caravan Park. When everyone settled in, we met on the balcony of the Seabreeze Hotel, had a few drinks and nibbles before heading down to the dining room for dinner. The food was fantastic and the service was excellent. During the night, it blew a gale and rained most of the night. Whilst having breakfast, we discussed what we could do for the day, but by 10.30am the rain had stopped and we decided to go for a ride to Pt. Lincoln. We had lunch at a café in the main street, then went for a walk until it started raining. When the rain stopped, we rode down to the Marina, had a look around, rode to the venue, Ravendale

Park, where the 2010 Odyssey is going to be held. We then headed back to Tumby Bay, had drinks and nibbles as per the night before, then went down for dinner. Monday morning, we left Tumby Bay at 9.00am, rode to Cowell and had breakfast, then rode to Whyalla, fuelled up then on to Pt. Augusta Hungry Jacks for lunch, then on to Pirie, where we had coffee at Riva's, then went home. We all had a great time and are looking forward to our next overnighter, which will be at Blinman on Saturday, 15th May.



### FUTURE RIDES

#### Sunday 18th April

**Ride Leader – Les Beyer 0427 632 213**

Leave Caltex at 9.30am for a bbq in the Clare Valley. Meat will be supplied at a small charge to cover costs. Will need to know who will be attending by Tuesday, 13th April for catering purposes.

#### Saturday 15th May.

**Ride Leader – Leon Stevens 8632 1211 0407 727 035**

**Overnighter – Ride to Blinman.** Leave Caltex at 8.30am. Route: Pt. Pirie to Pt. Augusta, Quorn, Hawker then Blinman. Total = 320km.

Return: Hawker, Cradock, Carrington, Orroroo, Pekina, Laura and Pt. Pirie

Total = 330km

**Book your own accommodation, Nth Blinman Hotel - Phone 8648 4867.**

#### Sunday 16th May

Those who do not wish to go on the Blinman Ride, meet at Caltex at 10.00am.

Group discussion and decide a ride destination.

#### Sunday 20th June

Ride Leader – Peter Costello (Cossy) 8632 5297/0488 692 010. Cossy's Lost Ball Ride. This event date is subject to change. More details later.

### SUNDAY MORNING COFFEE

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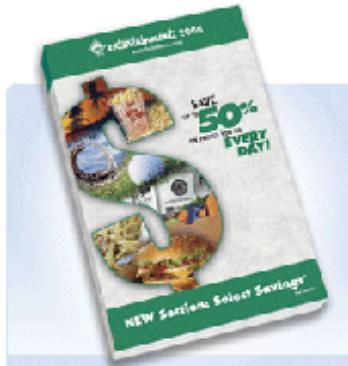
All rides leave Port Pirie from the Solomontown Caltex service station. Riders are welcome to come on all or part of the ride.

The ride calendar will be updated every month. Any updates during the month will be emailed out and copies put on the counter at Boats 'n' Bikes. The calendar will also be on display in the window of Boats 'n' Bikes.

All rides will have a ride leader and a tail end Charlie (will always stay at the back of the group) so that everyone can ride at their own pace. We will also use corner marshals when the ride leader thinks it is required. The rider immediately behind the leader will stop and wait on a corner if the ride leader indicates (by pointing to the corner) and will remain on the corner directing other riders until tail end Charlie goes past. If you are willing to be a corner marshal then you just need to ride up front, but if you don't want the job then don't ride immediately behind the leader. The system works well if adhered to and lets everyone ride in confidence and that they will not get lost even if they cannot see any other riders.

If you would like to have the rides calendar and any updates emailed to you, email me (Solly) at [treena.solomon@yahoo.com.au](mailto:treena.solomon@yahoo.com.au) and I will email the calendar to you in future.

Any questions or ideas for rides please contact me  
**Glen (Solly) & Treena Solomon on**  
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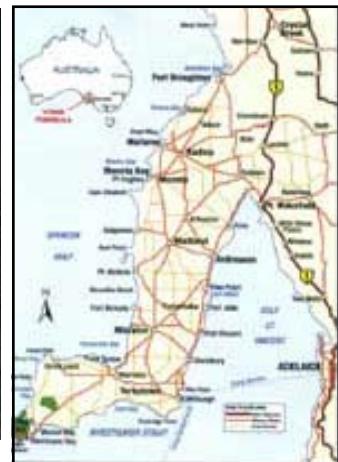
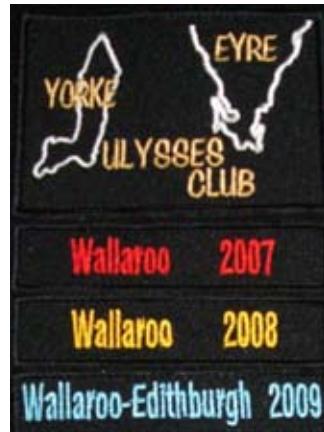
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# Yorke Peninsula

## 29th, 30th & 31st January

Those of us who attended the F-Off (Fleurieu Old Farts Frolic) held at Normanville were thoroughly impressed by the depth of volunteers that the Fleurieu Branch manages to muster to run such a successful event. The concept was the brainchild of Robert Ryan (Hobbitt), Sandy Edwards and Doug Ware who oversaw the event from start to finish, ably assisted by a plethora of willing and tireless volunteers from the Branch. Friday night, after registration, we were treated to a feast of various burgers cooked by Fleurieu Branch members, followed by a selection of cake and cream (not real good for the figure). I think they are trying to get us to catch up with Hobbitt. Breakfast for both days was also a slap up affair, prepared by members headed up by Hoppy.



Please contact Rod if you would like to order a patch as shown above.

The leg on which Australia stands

Saturday night's dinner was catered for by Micky's Roasts and, in true Fleurieu tradition, seconds were available for both the main course and dessert. The Bar was open for the majority of the weekend and was operated by Jono and Cec of Victor Harbor Odyssey fame, and coffee and tea was available for the whole weekend for recovery purposes. Anything organized by the Fleurieu group tends to become a multi branch affair and this provides us with the opportunity to catch up with old acquaintances and meet new ones, which is one of the objectives of the Ulysses Club. On Saturday, a two-hour ride (extended to four hours by request) was led by Paul (Vespa Boy) Hancock. Due to Paul's vast local knowledge, the ride took in some fantastic views and magic sweeping bends on some of the best roads in the State. Paul always aims for perfection and rode the route many times, enabling him to give us up to date info on road conditions, etc., which makes for a very safe and enjoyable ride.

The highlight of the weekend for Rae and myself, was being presented with an Adoption Certificate claiming us as Fleurieu Branch Members; all we can say is 'thank you' to the Branch and we accept it with pleasure, and will continue doing what we can for as long as we can. In summary, the whole event went off without any hitches, showing what can be achieved by a small, willing group of keen workers, I am sure that all that attended are eagerly looking forward to the next function that these guys organize. (Job well done!)

**Rodney Lind**

## Saturday, 6th February

This was the second of our evening rides for the year. I wish to sincerely thank Heather and James Bartsch for stepping in and leading this ride at extremely short notice. This situation was brought about by a sudden sickness that I encountered. With the local knowledge and enthusiasm that James possesses assured me that taking over would not be a problem, as he was going to attend the ride anyway. I was sorry that I was not able to personally meet a first time rider and his partner that attended the ride. I am sure, judging by the ride report that James submitted (below) that everyone had a great time.

**Rodney Lind**



## Sunday 21st February

We departed Port Wakefield with two first time riders accompanying us - one from Balaklava the other from Adelaide, - bound for the Golden North Ice-Cream Factory at Laura. After a brief stop at Snowtown, where we picked up another two riders from the Copper Triangle, we headed off to Laura where we met up with a huge contingent from the Southern Flinders Riding Group and Whyalla Branch. After a quick coffee, 56 of us in total, made the short trip to the Factory where we were split into two manageable groups for the tour. Both of the guides were very knowledgeable which made for a very interesting visit, there was a lot of interest shown by the visitors judging by the amount of questions being fired at the two guides. At the conclusion of the Factory tour, the mandatory free samples were handed out and were eagerly consumed by the visitors. After a bit of socializing, we all headed off in various directions for home with the majority of our group travelling to Crystal Brook for lunch before heading off. On behalf of our group, I wish to thank the S.F.R.G for combining with us for a great day, and a very, big 'thank you' to Les Beyer (pictured above) and Wayne Gifford who gave up their Sunday morning to conduct the factory visit.

### **7th March**

Heather and I, and Ron and Sandy left Port Wakefield for a leisurely ride to the Barossa Valley, travelling through Balaklava, Auburn, Saddleworth, Marabel, Kapunda to Nuriootpa. From there, it was decided to go out to Seppeltsfield then Tanunda for a lunch and a bit of window shopping. Perhaps the good overnight rain and those attending the AGM in Albany affected numbers on the day. Ron and Sandy made their way home, whilst Heather and I followed later, after visiting family members.

'Thank you, Penny, for organising the Port River dolphin Cruise; it was well worth going on.

**James Bartsch**

### **Ride Calendar**

#### **Saturday, 27th March & Sunday, 28th March**

##### **An overnight ride leaving Port Wakefield B.P at 10.00am.**

We will be staying at the Jamestown Caravan Park or one of the three pubs in town. (Please book your own accommodation)

On Saturday night, a group tea at one of the local pubs will be organized. On Sunday, we will visit the Steam & Traction Rally at Booleroo, leaving the Jamestown Caravan Park at 9.30 am

#### **Sunday, 4th April**

Leave BP Ardrossan 9.00 am, travel to Edithburgh via Minlaton, Warooka, Corny Point, Marion Bay (coffee break), Warooka, Yorketown, Edithburgh (lunch) Total 246 km.

#### **Saturday, 1st May & Sunday, 2nd May**

**Overnighter staying at Murray Bridge Saturday night.**  
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#### **Saturday, 12th June, Sunday, 13th June, Monday 14th June Combined ride with Fleurieu & Torrens Valley Branches to Peterborough.**

On Saturday 12th June, we will meet up with the Fleurieu Branch at Pope's Deli, Port Wakefield for morning tea, departing at 10.15am for Peterborough, with a toilet stop at Clare, arriving at Peterborough at about 1.00 pm. The afternoon can be filled in by visiting some of the many attractions at Peterborough. A two course meal has been organized at the Junction Hotel for both nights. On Sunday, we will be meeting the Torrens Valley Branch for a 290 km ride, with appropriate lunch and toilet stops, led by Guzzi Bob. Please book your own accommodation; suggested venues are:-

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Railway Hotel/Motel Phone 8651 2427

Peterborough Motor Inn Phone 8651 2078

#### **Sunday, 4th July**

**Casserole Day** to be organised by Di and Robert Chadbourne at Port Wakefield. Further details T.B.A

#### **Rodney Lind**

Yorke Peninsula Riding Group Ride Co-ordinator

Phone 8837 7260

Mob 0418 527 977

Email rodrae@internode.on.net



#### **Sunday Rides**

are held on the first Sunday of the month. Watch these pages for details and updates or contact Rod Lind on 8837 7260/ 0418 527 977 for info.

#### **Wednesday Rides**

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'Ma'am, I'm sorry to bother you, but would you be willing to reach into the closet to get me a second blanket? I'm awfully cold.'

'I have a better idea,' she replied  
'Just for tonight, let's pretend that we're married.'

'Wow! That's a great idea!' he exclaimed.

'Good,' she replied. 'Get your own f\*\*kn blanket.'

After a moment of silence, he farted.

The End



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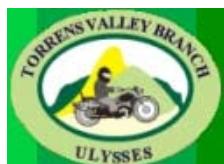
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23-25th April	Flinders & Gorges Ride	Robert Young 8683 1254	3rd April	Nth Shields	8.00 am
9th May	Jack's Mystery Ride BYO BBQ	Jack Ash 8682 3285	2nd May	Town Jetty	10.00 am
22-23rd May	Streaky Bay Overnighter	Paul Miller 8684 3561	9th May	Town Jetty	10.00 am
12-14th June	Woomera Weekender	Herman Pruis 8682 2358 8682 8212	23rd May	Nth Shields	8.00 am
27th June	Kimba Luncheon	John Mansfield 86826029	13th June	Nth Shields	10.00 am



## Torrens Valley Branch Meetings

7.30pm

Third Tuesday of the Month  
Parafield Gardens Community Club

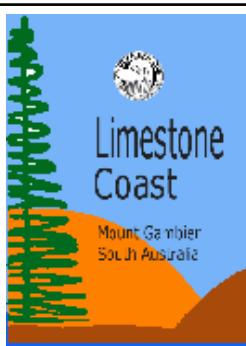
Shepherdson Road, Parafield Gardens

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President: Meredith Herpich  
 87233328 0407157830  
 meredith.klintberg@bigpond.com

Secretary: Jill Gilmore  
 87252529

Rides Captain: Trevor  
 Blackall 87254184



**Sunday Meeting Place :** Collars & Cuffs Café, 14 Helen Street Mount Gambier 5290  
 9:30 am on any Sunday

**Rides :** As per Ride Calendar on the Web

**Web Site:** <http://www.ulyses.org.au/branches/limestonecoast/>

Our Web is now updated regularly, with Ride Calendar, Ride Reports & Photos.

**Meredith Herpich**  
**President**  
 Limestone Coast Mount Gambier Branch  
 #27605

Little Zachary was doing very badly in math. His parents had tried everything...tutors, mentors, flash cards, special learning centers. In short, everything they could think of to help his math.

Finally, in a last ditch effort, they took Zachary down and enrolled him in the local Catholic school. After the first day, little Zachary came home with a very serious look on his face. He didn't even kiss his mother hello.. Instead, he went straight to his room and started studying.

Books and papers were spread out all over the room and little Zachary was hard at work. His mother was amazed. She called him down to dinner.

To her shock, the minute he was done, he marched back to his room without a word, and in no time, he was back hitting the books as hard as before.

This went on for some time, day after day, while the mother tried to understand what made all the difference.

Finally, little Zachary brought home his report card.. He quietly laid it on the table, went up to his room and hit the books. With great trepidation, His Mom looked at it and to her great surprise, Little Zachary got an 'A' in math. She could no longer hold her curiosity.. She went to his room and said, 'Son, what was it? Was it the nuns?' Little Zachary looked at her and shook his head, no.. 'Well, then,' she replied, Was it the books, the discipline, the structure, the uniforms? WHAT WAS IT?'

Little Zachary looked at her and said, 'Well, on the first day of school when I saw that guy nailed to the plus sign, I knew they weren't fooling around.'

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**Class 2**

The Toilet Paper Roll--Does It Change Itself? Round Table Discussion.

2 weeks course: Saturdays 12:00 for 2 hours.

**Class 3**

Is It Possible To Urinate Using The Technique Of Lifting The Seat and Avoiding The Floor, Walls and Nearby Bathtub?-- Group Practice.

4 Week course: Saturday 10:00 PM for 2 hours.

**Class 4**

Fundamental Differences Between The Laundry Hamper and The Floor--

Pictures and Explanatory Graphics. Meets Saturdays at 2:00 PM for 3 weeks.

**Class 5**

Dinner Dishes--Can They Levitate and Fly Into The Kitchen Sink?

Examples on Video.

4 week course: Tuesday and Thursday for 2 hours beginning at 7:00 PM

**Class 6**

Loss Of Identity--Losing The Remote To Your Significant Other.

Help Line Support and Support Groups.

4 Week course: Fridays and Sundays 7:00 PM

**Class 7**

Learning How To Find Things--Starting With Looking In The Right Places

And Not Turning The House Upside Down While Screaming. Open Forum

One week course: Monday at 8:00 PM , 2 hours.

**Class 8**

Health Watch--Bringing Her Flowers Is Not Harmful To Your Health

Graphics and Audio Tapes.

Three nights; Monday, Wednesday, Friday at 7:00 PM for 2 hours.

**Class 9**

Real Men Ask For Directions When Lost--Real Life Testimonials.

Tuesdays at 6:00 PM Location to be determined

**Class 10**

Is It Genetically Impossible To Sit Quietly While She Parallel Parks?

Driving Simulations.

4 week course: Saturday's noon (2 hours)

**Class 11**

Learning to Live--Basic Differences Between Mother and Wife.

Online Classes and role-playing  
Tuesdays at 7:00 PM : length of course still to be determined

**Class 12**

How to be the Ideal Shopping Companion  
Relaxation Exercises, Meditation, and Breathing Techniques.  
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**Class 14**

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Live Demonstration.

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Kim Lim

## RUMOURS FROM THE AGM

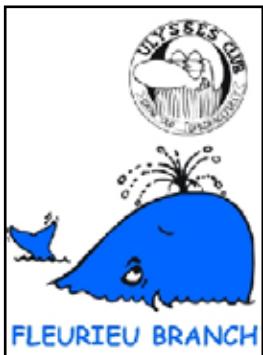
These can only be described as rumours because our members have not yet returned.

- The Fraser Coast (250km north of Brisbane) will host the 2013 AGM, 8th-14th March.
- Attendance at the AGM was officially 3,248.
- The Grand Parade was started with a sausage sizzle and coffee provided by the local scout groups
- After the Grand parade, a local crashed his bike (injured his shoulder) and his damaged bike started a substantial grass fire that was only finally extinguished when rain fell at 9.00 p.m.
- The dinners went well and there were good food stalls available, but due to the proximity to the entryways, dust was a problem.
- Few manufacturers had test rides, a combination of the distances involved and the Global Financial Crisis. BMW, Harley, Hyosung, Spyder Triumph and Piaggio were represented however, and the local bike shops had test rides from their stores (but not at the AGM)
- Police conducted a blitz on trailers travelling over the speed limit. A bit confusing as the posted speed limit in WA is 110 but trailers are limited to 100. Some got cautioned for doing 120...others got booked for doing 105!

From *The Whaler*

**Fleurieu's mid week rides** are held on 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month. These rides start from two locations - 2nd Wednesday at Willunga and the 4th Wednesday at Goolwa. **Enquiries: Paul (Vespa Boy) Hancock on 0439 838336 or Trevor Potter on 8555 2627**

**Sunday Rides:** For any information about Sunday rides, please contact our **Rides Captain Jono Mitchell, on 0413278776.**



Fraser Coast Branch President, Rob White and Media Liaison Officer, **Warren Jamieson** (inaugural President of Fleurieu Branch) with the Fraser Coast Mayor, Mick Kruger



## Rally Calendar

Rally	Dates	Contact
Booborowie	17-18 April	Aidan 8346 4071
Roaming Swagman - Melrose	April 30 May 1-2	Lefty 0412 767 945 Mark 8634 4377
Great Escape-back to basics/Marrabel	May 8-9	Harold 0421 289 741
Wanbi Pub	May 22-23	Grot 0412 602272 Mick 0432 260001
Wintersun	June 11-12-13 Long Weekend	John 03 50237218
Up the Creek - Jung	July 2-3-4	Marie 0417 113 675 Greg 03 5385 2846
Radiata - South End	16-18 July	Andrew 0427 249 779 Frank 8765 1030
Sedan Pub-Redback Tourers	July 24-25	Andy 0411 212 076
Flat Earth formerly Alzheimer/Sedan Back to basics	Aug 6-7-8	Feral 8568 2503
Wombat	21-22 Aug	Mick 0417 846 668
Buckin Marrabel	Sept 4-5	Grot 0412 602 272
Ghost Town	Sept 10-11-12	Don 0418 858 653
Bush Pig - Crystal Brook	Sept 18-19	Greg 0409 842434
Oasis - Paruna	Oct 2-3-4 Long Weekend	Bear 0407 394322
Caltowie Pub Run	9-10 Oct	Phil (pub)8665 5003 Rabbit 0408082257
Lake Bonney- Redback Tourers	Oct 23-24	Shaz 0428 878 113
Fish Holes	Nov 12-13-14	0412 838 765

List by Andrew & Marlene 0418 803293

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**Ray Murray**  
[orcades3@bigpond.com](mailto:orcades3@bigpond.com)  
8377 2443 or 0412 403 822

**Wanted to buy: Honda Goldwing alternator.**

Contact Rick on 82551179

**Wanted to buy: Kawasaki Ninja 250, 2008 model.**  
Contact Wendy on 88373 449 (No, it's not for me!)

**Wanted to buy: Camper trailer in good condition**  
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## From Sponny:

A group of 40 years old buddies discuss and discuss where they should meet for dinner. Finally it is agreed upon that they should meet at the Gausthof zum Lowen restaurant because the waitress's there have low cut blouses and nice breasts.

10 years later, at 50 years of age, the group meets again and once again they discuss and discuss where they should meet. Finally it is agreed upon that they should meet at the Gausthof zum Lowen because the food there is very good and the wine selection is good also.

10 years later at 60 years of age, the group meets again and once again they discuss and discuss where they should meet. Finally it is agreed upon that they should meet at the Gausthof zum Lowen because they can eat there in peace and quiet and the restaurant is smoke free.

10 years later, at 70 years of age, the group meets again and once again they discuss and discuss where they should meet. Finally it is agreed upon that they should meet at the Gausthof zum Lowen because the restaurant is wheel chair accessible and they even have an elevator.

10 years later, at 80 years of age, the group meets again and once again they discuss and discuss where they should meet. Finally it is agreed upon that they should meet at the Gausthof zum Lowen because that would be a great idea because they have never been there before.

## Did you hear about the Texas teacher who was helping one of her kindergarten students put on his cowboy boots?

He asked for help and she could see why.

Even with her pulling and him pushing, the little boots still didn't want to go on. By the time they got the second boot on, she had worked up a sweat.

She almost cried when the little boy said, 'Teacher, they're on the wrong feet..' She looked, and sure enough, they were. It wasn't any easier pulling the boots off than it was putting them on. She managed to keep her cool as together they worked to get the boots back on, this time on the right feet.

He then announced, 'These aren't my boots.'

She bit her tongue rather than get right in his face and scream, 'Why didn't you say so?' like she wanted to. Once again, she struggled to help him pull the ill-fitting boots off his little feet. No sooner had they gotten the boots off when he said, 'They're my brother's boots. My mom made me wear 'em.'

Now she didn't know if she should laugh or cry. But, she mustered up what grace and courage she had left to wrestle the boots on his feet again.

Helping him into his coat, she asked, 'Now, where are your mittens?'

He said, 'I stuffed 'em in the toes of my boots.'