

PINK RIBBON RIDE

ANNUAL RIDE TO RAISE BREAST CANCER AWARENESS

Date: Sunday 18th October

Meet: 9.30am Info centre cnr Mercer & Chester Pass Rd.

Donation: \$15.00pp. This includes raffle tickets and light lunch plus good company!

Route: This year the ride will be via the Porongurups to Mt Barker where we will have a morning tea break. The bakery will be open where you can buy coffee & cake.

The ride will continue via Denbarker Rd to South Coast H/way and Lower Denmark Rd to Albany & finishing at the Yacht Club at Little Grove, where we will have lunch and draw the raffle.

IT WOULD BE GREAT TO SEE YOU AND YOUR BIKE FROCKED UP IN PINK BUT ITS NOT COMPULSORY - JUST TURN UP

Everyone welcome

Enquiries: Chris 9841 5501 - Raelene 9842 2771

BOYANUP VINTAGE BIKE SHOW AND MOTORCYCLE SWAP MEET

All proceeds to Cure For Life Foundation - Advancing Brain Tumour Treatment and Research

Saturday, November 7
Boyanup Hall,
South West Highway,
Boyanup

"Entry by donation"
between 9am and 5pm

Trade Displays, Food and Entertainment throughout the day

Bike Show Entries:
Set-up from 7 am
Swap Meet: Sellers from 8 am

Swap Meet Stall bookings and Bike Show enquiries contact:
Sharon 9731 5406 or
0429 418 854

Also
Veteran Motorcycle Ride
Sunday, November 8
Leaves Boyanup Hall at 10 am

Events supported by Lions Club of Boyanup and The Indian Harley Club of Bunbury

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MONTHLY MEETINGS are held at 8 pm on the third Wednesday of each month at Lotteries House North Road, Albany (opp Caltex Service Station) DEPARTURE POINT for all rides is from the Tourist Information Bay on the corner of Chester Pass Road and Mercer Road.

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Bob's Bit

G'DAY all. As usual there's plenty to read in this issue. We've had some great events over the past month that members have organised, for example John & Forrest's whale watching sail; Jim's Waterfall ride and Garry's September Week Away where we had something like 27 bikes doing the trip through the wheatbelt to Kalbarri (read about it next issue). And there's plenty coming up: Pink Ribbon Ride; Hill Climb Weekend; Motorbike Soccer and BBQ at Ronnie and Antoinet's; Narrikup display and the Christmas Picnic - So read all about it and join in. Thanks to the contributors for this issue especially Antoinet who has supplied pictures and stories as well as an article on their trip up north. Hopefully the winter weather is now behind us, so get those bikes out and the wheels turning.

Important Hillclimb Meeting

THERE will be a Special Hillclimb Meeting at 8 pm on Wednesday, October 21 at Lotteries House, North Road. All interested parties should be there as well as volunteers/helpers etc. So if you can contribute to our Club's most publicised weekend we'll see you there - 8 pm, Wednesday, Oct 21, Lotteries House, North Road. And of course the normal monthly meeting will follow on afterwards. Support this great event.

Christmas Picnic

HOW'S this for generosity. Cherie and Gary Carlsen have asked if they could put on a complimentary picnic for the Club as a follow-up to the Anniversary Dinner in August and as a thank you to the Club.

Cherie runs 3D Catering Service and supplied the food at the Anniversary Dinner and also the 2008 and this year's Hill Climb weekend. Way and beyond the call of duty, so a big thank you to Cherie and Gary on behalf of the Club. The picnic will be held at lunch-time at Strawberry Hill Farm on Sunday, December 6 after a ride. More details in 'Future Events' - page 11

80-year-olds

A MOTION has been moved at the September meeting that once a member turns 80 years of age and has been a member of the AVCMC for at least 5 years, his or her membership fees will be waived. This idea is open for discussion, there's for and against for the idea, but if you wish to put over your point of view get to a meeting and have your say.

Pink Ribbon Ride

ONE of the biggest rides of the year is the Pink Ribbon Ride, this year at 9.30 am on Sunday, October 18. There has been an amendment to the donation for the ride, it has been increased from \$10 to \$15, which still makes it an absolute bargain as it includes lunch and raffle tickets as well. And all monies go to a great cause - making sure that breasts are in good condition!!! Details are on page 12 - See you there.

Narrikup Display

THE Narrikup Community have invited us to display our bikes at the Narrikup Community Christmas Fair on Sunday, November 29. We'll leave for a short ride and then display the bikes from 10 till lunch-time. They have promised us a free delicious home-made morning tea for any member displaying their bike. If you have an old bike (or unusual bike) bring it along otherwise your normal riding steed will be most welcome. There will be other things happening there, so it should be an enjoyable morning. See calendar and 'Future Events' for more details.

March Ride for 25-year-old bikes

ANDREW and Ronnie are organising the Annual Week Ride for 25-year-old bikes starting on Saturday, March 20. At this stage the ride will take us through Frankland to Boyup Brook. From there we'll ride to Busselton and then onto Augusta, probably staying a couple of nights at these places. We will return to Albany via Pemberton where we'll also stay the night. These rides are great fun and its also terrific promotion for older bikes as we ride through the various towns. So book your holidays now. Full details in December Club News or if you need more urgent info ring Andrew 9841 5054 or Ronnie 9845 1278

NEW MEMBERS

WELCOME TO THE CLUB

Derek Grubb - Leschenault
Pierre Wimbush - Albany
Bruce Edward - Sth Yunderup
Steve Whittingstall - Albany

SIX MONTH CALENDAR

OCT	SAT 3 AFTERNOON RIDE Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 1 pm NO BACK-UP	SUN 4 TWO PEOPLES BAY BREAKFAST Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 8.00 am BACK-UP AVAILABLE	SAT 10/11 OVERNIGHT RIDE TO WAVE ROCK See page 7	SUN 18 PINK RIBBON RIDE Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 9.30 am NO BACK-UP	WED 21 MIDWEEK RIDE Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 1 pm NO BACK-UP	WED 21 MEETING AND SOCIAL SIP Lotteries House 8 pm	SUN 25 PERTH RIDE Meet at Farrell's Cafe - Vic Park 9 am
NOV	OCT SAT 31 POKER RUN STIRLING TERRACE If you can help with the Poker Run give Bob a ring.	SUN 1 ALBANY HILLCLIMB If you're not riding how about helping?	SAT 7 AFTERNOON RIDE Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 1 pm NO BACK-UP	SAT 14 MOTORBIKE SOCCER & BBQ Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 1 pm NO BACK-UP	WED 18 MIDWEEK RIDE Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 1 pm NO BACK-UP	WED 18 MEETING AND SOCIAL SIP Lotteries House 8 pm	SUN 29 NARRIKUP RIDE & DISPLAY Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 9.00 am BACK-UP AVAILABLE
DEC	SAT 5 AFTERNOON RIDE Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 1 pm NO BACK-UP	SUN 6 CHRISTMAS CLUB PICNIC Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 10.00 am BACK-UP AVAILABLE	SAT 12 ALBANY CHARITY RIDE Old Gaol 10 am NO BACK-UP	WED 16 MIDWEEK RIDE Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 1 pm NO BACK-UP	WED 16 MEETING AND SOCIAL SIP Lotteries House 8 pm	SAT 26 BOXING DAY RIDE Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 2 pm NO BACK-UP	
JAN	SAT 2 AFTERNOON RIDE Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 1 pm NO BACK-UP	SUN 3 BRING YOUR OLDEST BIKE RIDE Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 10 am BACK-UP AVAILABLE	SUN 3 PERTH RIDE Meet at Farrell's Cafe - Vic Park 9 am	SUN 17 BREMER BAY PUB LUNCH Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 9.30 am NO BACK-UP	WED 20 MIDWEEK RIDE Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 1 pm NO BACK-UP	WED 20 MEETING AND SOCIAL SIP Lotteries House 8 pm	SUN 31 TUNING DAY & Sausage Sizzle Bob & Chris' place 13 Stewart St 10 am on
FEB	SAT 6 AFTERNOON RIDE Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 1 pm NO BACK-UP		SUN 14 SQUID SHACK RIDE Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 10 am BACK-UP AVAILABLE	WED 17 MIDWEEK RIDE Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 1 pm NO BACK-UP	WED 17 MEETING AND SOCIAL SIP Lotteries House 8 pm		SAT 27 SUN 28 MON MARCH 1 WALPOLE CAMPING Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 11 am NO BACK-UP
MAR	SAT 6 AFTERNOON RIDE Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 1 pm NO BACK-UP	FRI 5 SAT 6 SUN 7 Indian Harley 2 Day Rally Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 8 am NO BACK-UP		WED 17 MIDWEEK RIDE Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 1 pm NO BACK-UP	WED 17 MEETING AND SOCIAL SIP Lotteries House 8 pm	SAT 20 - 27 OLD BIKE WEEK LONG RIDE Mercer/Chester Rd Info Bay 9 am BACK-UP AVAILABLE	

NEXT PERTH RIDES: OCT 25, JAN 3, MARCH 14: Meet at 9 am, Farrell's Cafe, 293 Alb Hwy, Victoria Park or get in touch with John Sinclair 0408 925 000 or 9309 6496 to see what's going on