CLUB MEMBERS OLD PICTURE GALLERY



Andy Burn aged 15 sitting in the family Morris 10.



Andy Burn aged 14 on his brother's 250cc Lambretta.

ANDY sent in these great photos of him youngster, hasn't changed much has he? So rumage through the old photos in your drawer and see what you can come up with. Send them in and I'll send them back to you as soon as possible. We need some urgently as these are the last I have on

2010 CLUB OLD BIKE RIDE

March 20 to March 27

Remember your bike has to be 25 years old or older to be able to take part in this fantastic week-long ride

Saturday 20 March
BOYUP BROOK Caravan Park 9765 1136 or 0427
651 437
Camping \$16 per site (2 persons)

Sunday 21st, Monday 22nd & Tuesday 23rd <u>BUSSELTON</u> Peppermint Park Eco Village 9755 4241 Camping \$ 15 per person (shared sites)

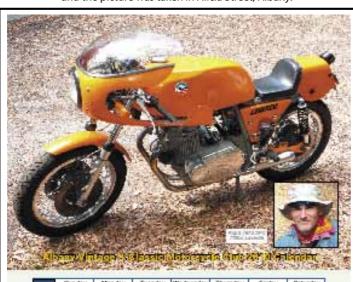
Wednesday 24th & Thursday 25th
<u>AUGUSTA</u> Turners Caravan Park 9758 1593
Camping \$13 per person (4 to a site)

Friday 26th
PEMBERTON Caravan Park 9776 1300
Camping \$11 per person

If you are camping, please phone Andrew on 9841 5054, so that he can confirm numbers for the camp sites. If you wish to stay in a chalet or caravan please ring the above number. There's plenty of other accommodation in these towns if the above doesn't suit.



Pictured around 1970 is (left) Trevor Escott, Honda 350cc and (right) Andy Burn on a Jawa 350cc. Andy was 17 at the time and the picture was taken in Alicia Street, Albany.



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2010 CLUB CALENDAR

IF YOU ordered a 2010 Club Calendar you would have received it in the mail by now. There is a very limited amount of spare calendars for sale, so if you'd like one phone Bob or Chris on 9841 5501. The cost is (\$10 incl postage). They are slightly bigger than last year, look great in full glossy colour and brilliantly printed by Albany Printers - Don't miss out - Great Christmas present.

Future Club Events in Detail

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6 Christmas Club Picnic: Cherie and Gary Carlsen are suppling a Christmas Picnic Lunch for Club members on the lawns of Strawberry Hill Farm. We'll leave the info bay at 10 am for a ride to Stony Hill and The Gap before heading to Strawberry Hill Farm, Middleton Road, Albany BACK-UP AVAILABLE

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12
Albany Charity Ride: Meet at the Old Gaol at 10 am (or earlier) and leave approx 10.15am for a ride around Albany before delivering toys/food/money to the Salvation Army at Alison Hartman Gardens, York Street. Support this great event. The Club support all the Charity Rides in the State and you can ride your Club licensed bike on any of these rides.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26
Boxing Day Ride: Get rid of that
hangover by hopping on the bike
and riding over to Denmark for a bit
of a chat by the river. If you wish
to have a bit more of a ride a blast
around Scotsdale Road is a good
idea. Leave Mercer/Chester Pass Rd
Info Bay at 2 pm. NO BACK-UP

SUNDAY, JANUARY 3 Bring Your Oldest Bike Ride: To encourage the use of your old bike and get it out of the shed - this ride is designed for you. A ride out to Youngs Siding for a break before heading back into Albany to Emu Point for lunch. We'll head for the same spot as last year, the Squid Shack end of Emu Point, but if it turns out its blowing a gale there we'll most probably change to the other side of Emu Point. Of course if your oldest bike is your newest bike bring that! Leave Mercer/Chester Pass Rd Info Bay at 10 am. BACK-**UP AVAILABLE**

SUNDAY, JANUARY 3 Perth Ride: Meet at Farrell's Cafe, Victoria Park at 10 am for coffee and maybe a ride afterwards. or get in touch with John Sinclair 0408 925 000 or 9309 6496 to see what's going on.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 17
Bremer Bay for Lunch: Leave
Mercer/Chester Pass Rd Info
Bay at 10 am heading towards
Wellstead for a coffee break before
riding onto Bremer Bay Pub for
lunch and a drink, order your own
when you get there. We'll stop
at Wellstead again on the return
journey - nice ride, nice spot. NO
BACK-UP

SUNDAY, JANUARY 31 Tuning Day & Sausage Sizzle: From 10 am on there will be a Tuning Day at Bob & Chris' place (13 Stewart Street). The shed and its contents will be open for the use of Club members to tune and hopefully fix any problems they're having with their bikes. On hand will be plenty of advice and help from Club members who've been involved with bikes for a long time. We can't fix everything, but we can have a bit of fun trying. It's also an ideal time to iron out any problems with your concessionally licensed bike before Inspection Day on April 11. A Sausage Sizzle lunch will be supplied by the Club together with tea and coffee. Even if you've

nothing to fix come along and

enjoy the day.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7
Breakfast at Cosy Corner: Meet at the info bay at Mercer/Chester Pass Rd at 8 am to make the most of the morning summer sunshine. We'll head out to Cosy Corner to light the BBQ's for a BYO breakfast, at this time of the year it is empty of campers and caravanners, but not for much longer, so make the most of it. Might get someone to check the BBQ's beforehand this time around. BACK-UP AVAILABLE

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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21

Clay Target Ride: Meet at the info bay at Mercer/Chester Pass Road at 10 am for a ride in Albany Hinterland before we congegate at Simpson Road, off Chester Pass Road (near tip) at 12.20 pm for a BYO BBQ and then onto the Clay Target shooting range to try our luck at hitting Clay Targets which are a bit different to sitting ducks. Thanks to the Colin and the Club for organising the day, should be great fun. If you don't want to shoot, just come for the ride, BBQ and a look NO BACK-UP

NEW MEMBERS

WELCOME TO THE CLUB

Murray Rudler - Boyanup Trevor Escott - Albany Colin McLeish - Albany Steven Rowe - Sth Yunderup Ron Coleman - Porongurup Philip Ramsden - Albany John Paunich - Albany

Club Polo & T-Shirts

ANOTHER order of Club Polo and T-Shirts have arrived the same style as before, black and feature the Club logo on the front in silver and black. On the back is the Club artwork again in black and silver and underneath the words Albany Classic and Vintage Motorcycle Club in blue. Sizes are: XXL, XL, L, M. Cost of the Polo Shirts are: \$15.00 and the T-Shirts: \$10.00. All garments are very good quality.

Order at a meeting, most rides or phone Chris 9841 5501

Rain Cover for Sheepy Hollow Seat Sheepskin Covers

Huw recently bought a Sheepskin Seat Cover for his Moto Guzzi - This is the actual information on the Waterproof Rain Cover that they supply when you buy a product from them:

Rain covers are available anywhere you go.

They fold up small enough to fit in your pocket.
They are not sewn together so they won't leak through the

They are cheap enough that it will cost you very little (a matter of cents not dollars) if you sit on them and put a hole in them.

They are very useful for other things and everyone you know has them in their cupboard at home.

It's true that our rain cover that we supply doesn't look pretty on your bike but consider the following: Do you want to pay \$25-\$40 for a rain cover that you may or may not have with you when you need it and you can't sit on it without putting a hole in it after a while and is not plastic welded or silicone sealed to prevent leakage?

Or would you rather pay cents for a cover that you can

buy anywhere or get out of most peoples cupboards? Rain covers have many more uses than just putting seats in them.

HOW TO USE YOUR RAIN COVER

For bikes with seats that re released by a key just slip your entire seat into the covers and put it all back on the bike.

For bikes where the seat bolts on (why are bike companies still doing that anyway?) Just drape the rain cover over the seat and tie down with ocky straps or tie it down with a piece of string, even tuck the edges up under the seat if you have to . . . they only cost a few cents and who is looking at your bike in the rain anyway?

Another triumph for the common old rubbish bag and common sense - Bob

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