

NUNIJUP MOTHER'S DAY RIDE 8TH MAY 2022

by Chester Powell

13 bikes turned up at Mercer Rd on a nice summer autumn day. It was good to see two mothers there, Chris Offer and Ruth Wolfe. Max & Ross were there too. It was great seeing them after a while since they last joined us on a ride.

We all set off down Chester Pass Road to Porongorup Road through to Mt Barker and the bakery for morning tea. Geoff, from Denmark, turned up and said it had taken him an extra half hour to get there due to a hick-up with an incident on the way.

It was then off up the highway to Martagallup Rd arriving at Lake Nunijup for lunch. While we were eating, Daniel and his buddy appeared through the bush on dirt bikes having taken some back roads from the west of Denmark. After socializing on the hall verandah, one group decided to head back via Kendenup- Woogy Rd. Some headed straight back via Albany Highway, Daniel went bush and the rest of us took Sturdy- Boyup Rd and on to Muir Highway and Spencer Rd to Narrikup for a coffee break. Ruth was concerned she was very low on fuel and said that 250km would stop her. I followed her back to the big roundabout where she gave me the thumbs up and headed down Hanrahan Rd. I checked the speedo when I got home. It was 248km, so I guess Ruth made it home on the fumes.



Chris & Ruth at the lake.



Max, Ross, Ruth, Chris & Brendon



Lunch time



John Davis' poor valve was having a go at the piston. Both lost the battle.

1. A rooster lays an egg at the very top of a slanted roof. Which side is the egg going to roll off on?
Neither, roosters don't lay eggs.
2. You see a boat filled with people. You look again, but this time you don't see a single person on the boat. Why? Answer Page 15.