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New Members and Visitors:

NONE

G'day again.

A few things to cover this month in preparation for Albany as well as the upcoming Branch AGM along with other bits and pieces.

Included in this months RO2 are the minutes from the last branch committee meeting for your edification and entertainment. Of note, I would also like to reiterate the committee's call for volunteers for the barbeque. There is a Honda Gatherwing taking place at CMCC next weekend and Mike Houston has asked us to put a BBQ on. If you are able to help out please let Flip or myself know as soon as possible. We are looking to continue holding the barbeques on a regular basis into the future.

It is also that time of year again where our Branch has to conduct its AGM. All positions will be declared vacant and as per our constitution nominations for positions are required in writing 30 days prior to the AGM being conducted. You may be aware that Leo Farrelly has accepted the role of NatCom Treasurer and accordingly will not fill the position of Branch Treasurer. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Leo for all his efforts over the last few years. Chas will be our returning officer again and if you are interested in joining the committee or want more information please let me know. Nomination forms will be included in the email that contains the RO2 and will be available at the next two meetings.

For those who may not be able to attend the Branch meeting, we are finalising arrangements to have a Honda Goldwing available for test rides at Club rides through Canberra Motorcycles. If you are interested in test riding a Goldwing you will need to sign the indemnity form beforehand. Representatives from CMCC will be in attendance at the next meeting to discuss this and other initiatives.

MEMBERSHIP IN THE ACT REGION: 400+

PRESIDENTS REPORT (CONT)

For those who may have forgotten (how could you?), the AGM in Albany is almost upon us. I would like to remind members that if you are not going to the AGM but would like to have your say in who is on NatCom, please register your interest in a postal vote. More details regarding postal votes on the Website.

We also hope to have the new Branch shirts available at the next meeting (and just in time for the AGM) so if you have placed an order it would be appreciated if you could pay when you collect your shirt/s.

Stuart Shilton has accepted the role of ride co-ordinator and is settling into this role well. Details of upcoming rides are available in RO2 as well as on the website. If you have any suggestions for rides, please let Stuart know.

Finally just a quick reminder that the branch meeting will now be commencing at 7:30pm.

See you out and about.

Peter

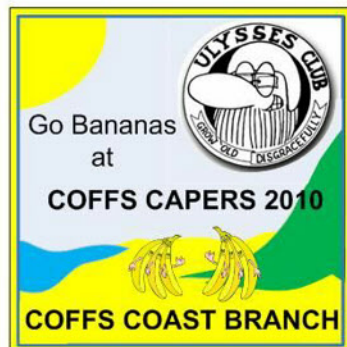
ULYSSES CLUB INC. Coffs Coast Branch

Proudly announce the return of the Coffs capers for 2010

Friday, Saturday & Sunday the 21st, 22nd & 23rd May 2010

www.ulysses.org.au/coffscoast/branch

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Come & enjoy the famous
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Funds raised are for
**UCARF & WESTPAC LIFE SAVER
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Venue: Coffs Harbour Showground Pavilion
Saturday Dinner Dance
Theme: The Age of Aquarius

**Show & Shine, Ladies &
Gents Division**



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AND ADVENTURE GROUPS.**



Check out the Coffs Coast's tourism's website
www.coffscoast.com.au/nsw/welcome.shtml

MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

Ulysses Canberra Branch General Meeting 19 January 2010

Meeting Opened: 7:38 pm.

Attendance: 51.

Apologies: Peter Thomas, T & E Cooper, J & A Dunn, D & C Palin, Dave McIlroy, Peter Schilling, Judy Perry, Peter Lord, Suzy Ansley, Tim Hobson, Heather Shilton.

Welcome New Members & Visitors: Sue Lavis (visitor), John Gieroszynski (new member).

Minutes of Previous Meeting, President's Report, Treasurer's Report: As published in RO2.
Acceptance: John Grunberg, Graeme Barber. Carried.

Business arising from previous minutes: Reminder – the new starting time for monthly branch meetings is 7:30pm.

Correspondence in:

Newsletter from VVC MC ACT.

Email from CMC – beautiful blue Honda Deluxe Gold Wing demo for sale.

Letter from St John's Care – thanks for our contribution via the Toy Run.

Letter from Snowy Hydro SouthCare – thanks for our \$2500 donation.

Letter from Ulysses national secretary re postal voting forms for AGM.

Letter from Ulysses national secretary re extended Natcom meeting at Albany.

Minutes of Natcom meeting, Nov 21, 2009, Mudgee.

Christmas card from Snowy Hydro SouthCare rescue service.

Skids Up newsletter from Snowy Hydro SouthCare rescue service.

Flyer re Port Stephens Meet & Greet, May 14–16, 2010.

Correspondence out: Nil.

Business arising from correspondence: None.

Rider Development:

Gary Mac has run one Rusty Rider training course and is happy to take anyone else – learners and anybody who wants to tweak their riding skills – through the basics. Contact him on 0408 434 549 or kurrajong@internode.on.net.

Webmaster Report:

Question is: should Me & My Bike articles be removed from the website when the bike is sold. Gary says no – this section of the website should be a historical archive of all our bikes, past and present.

Also, someone from Pakistan viewed our branch website (has Judy Perry been there lately?).

Quartermaster's Report:

Jan showed samples of the new Ulysses Club polo shirts, drawing gasps of awe and excitement. The men's one will cost \$28 and the ladies' \$24. You can order them from Jan along with anything else in the Gear Shop pages in Riding On. Buy Ulysses Club merchandise through Jan and save on shipping costs. Pay for the goods when you pick them up.

You can also buy and sell second-hand gear at Jan's gear table. Tonight's offering included riding boots and a couple of jackets.

Branch polo shirts should be available at the February meeting.

MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

Ride Coordinator's Report:

Peter Arday introduced our new ride coordinator, Stuart Shilton. You might remember Stuart (and his lovely wife Heather) as the organisers of the fantastic Australia Day ride to Katoomba in 2008. Judy Perry and Gordon White have also joined the ride committee. Trevor has retired from the committee due to continuing ill health but we thank him for all his great contribution. Peter Arday and Dave Robinson will continue on in an advisory role.

Stuart said the committee is making plans for upcoming rides. Volunteers will be needed to lead some rides when Stuart can't make it. Bring a map or GPS just in case!

Peter reminded everyone about the ride to Young and Temora on the Anzac Day long weekend.

MRA Report:

Jen Woods was a little weary as she had just returned from a Natcom meeting in Albany, WA. The committee had a good look around the AGM site. Jen said the organisers were "very organised, calm and on top of it" and the whole town was behind the event.

The Grand Parade will start on the headland overlooking the harbour and go down the main drag to a civic reception at Anzac Peace Park.

She said Albany is generally windy, with mild temperatures. When Jen was there it was 24C in Albany while it was 43C in Perth.

RO2 Editor's Report:

The deadline for each issue of RO2 is the Thursday before the branch monthly meeting. Ride reports and other contributions should be emailed (with photos if possible) to Flip for RO2 at RO2Editor@live.com and Gary for the branch website at kurrajong@internode.on.net.

General Business

Old Man Patch – Ulysses HQ has written to Rebels national president Alex Vella re the threats from Canberra Rebels. No reply has been received, so the former advice still stands: until this is sorted out, don't wear a large Old Man patch on your back in the ACT. It sucks, but it's better than getting bashed by a gang of idiots.

BBQ – A coordinator is urgently needed for the BBQ and volunteers are needed to help run the show at CMC each month. This is vital to ensure that our valuable sponsorship from CMC continues.

MAOTY (Motorcycle Apprentice of the Year) – the 2009 ACT winner was Jarrod Baldock of Joe's Motorcycles, Fyshwick.

Branch AGM will be held at the April meeting. Leo has nominated as national treasurer, so we need a new branch treasurer as well as committee members. Any financial member is welcome to stand for any position.

Maxine's crocheted rug will be raffled at the April or May meeting.

Tonight's winner: Richard Hay won the Lucky Door Prize, a \$100 voucher from CMC.

Meeting closed: 8:33pm.

Next meeting: 7:30pm Tuesday February 16 at Italo-Australian Club, Forrest.

MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE MEETING

Committee Meeting 9 February 2010

Agenda

- Review previous minutes
- Financial Issues
- General business
- Next Branch Meeting
- Other

In attendance Jen Woods (JW), Ian Paterson (IP), Peter Gibbins (PG), Leo Farrelly (LF), Peter Arday (PA)

Apologies Flip,

Absent: Dave McIlroy (DM)

Meeting opened at 1830

Notes and action items raised at the previous meeting are detailed below and not necessarily in agenda order: The outcomes are provided in (brackets) where applicable.

Matters Outstanding (Meeting #1)

- PG, JG & EC to complete the forms to become signatories on the Branch Bank Account. (PG & JG to finalise)
- JG to follow-up with Tim Hobson on outstanding issues relating to Branch Shirts and badges. May need to contact National Office to see if these can be sourced through them. JG to look after this matter in future.
- Look at holding another social BBQ possibly in early Spring.

Matters Outstanding Meeting # 2

- Branch shirts are still outstanding. JG to progress and have samples available for next branch meeting
- PA and John Dunn are the co-ordinators of the Spring BBQ.
- Anzac Day next year is Sunday. PA looking to book Young Caravan Park for Saturday Night with a Sunday ride to Temora. Monday is a Public Holiday.
- Concept of a "Progressive Ride" discussed. PA to develop and provide details.
- Next weeks branch meeting:
 - Content for RO2 to Flip by Thursday (including minutes of this meeting).
 - PG to update calendar of events and forward to Flip and Gary Mac.

Meeting # 3 (27/10/09)

- PG to get to branch of CPS Credit Union to provide signatory details
- Fundraising activities were discussed with the following noted:
 - Agreed that the donation to Southcare in December will be the last for the Club. Any new donations will be made to the Ulysses Club Arthritis Research Foundation (UCARF).
 - A new start will be made to this initiative. Flip to be responsible (initially) to progress. (Peter Thomas may be able to assist here as well)

MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE MEETING

Meeting # 4 (9/02/10)

- MAOTY – Apprentice Encouragement Award went to Daniel Cameron.
 - PG to get in touch with Daniel and Jarrod Baldock re their awards.
- Branch AGM – nominations are required 30 days before the AGM. Nomination form to be included as an attachment to the next email that is issued with a link to the RO2.
 - PG to mention details in his report for the next RO2.
 - 10 nomination forms are to be made available for the March Branch meeting.
 - Postal votes are not accepted for the Branch AGM
 - PG to approach John Grunberg re taking over the Treasurer role with JF taking on the NatComm Treasury role.
- Chas Towie will be the returning officer.
- Treasury - Peter Gibbins to be included as a signatory on the Branch Account. Judy Perry to be removed.
 - PG to ensure that the appropriate signed forms are provided to the Credit Union.
 - PG to finalise arrangements for those organisations advertising in the RO2. Initial approaches are to be made followed up by a letter confirming discussions and finally a receipt will be issued once payment has been received.
- Anzac Day ride several items to be progressed.
 - PA to get ride details into the next RO2
 - PG to get in touch with a florist at Temora to arrange for a wreath to the value of \$60.00 to be available on the day.
- BBQ – committee agreed that we need to hold more of these to raise funds for our preferred charity.
 - PG to talk to Mike Houston re leaving the trailer at CMCC temporarily as logistical problems are encountered where large groups are involved in the BBQ.
 - Committee to look at requirements surrounding the Food preparation and handling certificates as they may be required if BBQ's are held at say Bunning's etc.
 - Canberra City Lions have approached us regarding the use of our trailer in lieu of a donation. More need to be understood here.
 - PG to mention at the next Branch Meeting to gather more support for the BBQ's
 - Mike Houston is looking for us to hold a BBQ at CMCC on 20th February for the Honda Gatherwing event. Helpers are required.
 - We need to look at giving the CMCC staff a free sausage on bread.
- Albany AGM
 - PG to mention at next meeting Mike Houston's suggestions re getting bikes serviced in Perth.
 - PG to mention at next meeting that Postal Votes are available for those NOT attending the AGM are available.
- Other
 - PG to respond to request for use of bikes for a Hen's Party. Need to consider if members will be available due to the Albany AGM and whether helmets and jackets are required or to be provided.
 - Next Meeting 13 April 2010 at Italo Australia Club commencing at 1800

Meeting Closed at 2015

TREASURER'S REPORT

Ulysses Club - Canberra Branch							
Report for January 2010							
Income					Banked S1	Banked S2	Investment
11/01/10	Donations for St John's Care Dec	\$	665.00				
16/01/10	QM	\$	144.00				
16/01/10	Newsletter	\$	10.90				
16/01/10	Donation	\$	25.00				
16/01/10	Raffle	\$	47.80				
16/01/10	Joining fee G Wookey	\$	80.00				
18/01/10	ATO GST refund			\$	71.00		
22/01/10	Banking			\$	234.90	\$	72.80
		\$	972.70	\$	305.90	\$	72.80
11/01/10	Transfer S2 - S1			\$	450.00	-\$	450.00
Unpresented cheques							
		961535	\$	80.00			
Expenses							
1/01/10	Donation to St John's Care	\$	665.00				
5/01/10	Post box 387 Curtin	\$	80.00				
5/01/10	Christmas meeting expenses	\$	66.97				
7/01/10	BBQ trailer reqo	\$	59.40				
21/01/10	CopyQik 53298	\$	33.55				
21/01/10	Ulysses joining fee G Wookey	\$	80.00				
		\$	984.92				
Account Balance							
	S1	\$	734.54				
	S2	\$	94.72				
	Investment	\$	5,674.52				

VERY IMPORTANT NOTICE

Members who are unable to attend the 2010 AGM in Albany WA but still wish to exercise their right to vote for the election of the Candidates of their choice, for the position of Ordinary Member on the National Committee of the Ulysses Club Inc., are advised that Postal Voting Forms will be available upon individual member request, from the National Secretary, Helena Gritton:

secretary@ulysses.org.au
 ph /fax 08 87236757
 mobile 0407602496

Note:

- National AGM – Postal Votes due 5th March
- Canberra branch AGM – nomination forms attached

WHAT'S ON

MONTHLY MEETINGS ARE HELD ON THE THIRD TUESDAY OF THE MONTH AT 8PM AT THE ITALO AUSTRALIAN CLUB, 78 FRANKLIN ST, FORREST. DINNER WITH OTHER MEMBERS, BEFORE THE MEETING, FROM 6.30PM

NEXT MEETING TUESDAY 16 MARCH 2010

Anzac Day

2010

24th, 25th, 26th April

Three days and two nights at Young Tourist Park.

All welcome, it will be another great weekend away.

Saturday easy ride to Young. Dinner that night at Young Services' Club.

Sunday early bbq breakfast, then about an hour's ride to Temora for Anzac Day Service.

After Service lunch at Temora Services' Club or make your own arrangements. The Air Show will be on for those who wish to go there.

Sunday night will be a bbq dinner.

Monday bbq breakfast, pack up then head for home.

Members coming along for the weekend will need to supply all their own food and drinks. Members will also be expected to make own bookings.

Bookings for accommodation can be made by contacting Len or Karen on 0263822190.

There are a few types of cabin ranging in price from \$66 to \$81.40.

Booking early would be best. Let Len or Karen know if you need linen when you book.

Darryl Palin and Peter Arday are the organisers.

Please let them know if you decide to join us.



RIDE REPORTS

CANBERRA VVCMCC RALLY - 23-25 JAN 2010

Col Whittaker went along to the CANBERRA VVCMCC RALLY held here over the 23-25 JAN 2010 Australia Day weekend. The following are few of the machines which took his fancy.



SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY:



Active motorcycle riders - Ride till you can't

Suspicious Activity: Feb 3 to Bombala

Greetings all,

Eight Suspects rendezvous'd at Williamsdale. Denis wished us luck but had to return so the remaining (magnificent) 7 set forth.

An uneventful cruise to Cooma was followed by a quicker run to Nimmitabel but the heavens opened on us and everyone arrived fairly well soaked to enjoy morning coffee at the Bakery. The skies ahead looked dark. A couple had not intended to go further and a few others were deterred which left just two stalwarts to push on.

Father Robert and I made the run to Bombala and arrived quite early (c. 11:40). The roads beyond Nimmitabel were dry and the sun emerged so we were dry again when we reached Bombala. It was a bit early for lunch so we headed onward to Wyndham. The road down the mountain was mostly dry and no rain. We had a steady run with no heroics. Lunch at the cafe was standard fare. A trailer turned up with a very fine looking Yamaha XS650 on the back.

The ridge road across to Candelo was a fine piece of swervery (via Mount Myrtle) as was the run into Bemboka. We consulted at Bemboka and decided to keep going for a fuel stop at Cooma. Misty clouds were hugging the mountains and, sure enough, we had a persistent rain shower up Brown Mountain. We emerged from the rain at the top but struck a bit more as we approached Cooma. From there on the air was fine and warmer. A final stop at Bredbo and our jackets were dry and clean. My boots were nicely clean and most of the bugs had been washed from Betty.

I was home by 4:10 after 470 kms in the saddle.

Peter Brooker
Ringmaster

Suspicious Activity: Feb 10 to Goulburn

Greetings all,

I was running late when I arrived at Macca's at Dickson and 16 other riders were assembled. But I had to check out Peter N's new bike and Chris (from the gravel group) had a new DR650 (having traded his KLR heap of rubbish!). At Gunning I discovered that John also had a new bike (a Harley XR1200 to replace his Buell). So the Global Financial Crisis does not seem to have dampened the Suspects' enthusiasm for new toys.

SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY (CONT):

Back a few years when I was still working, a management training brochure crossed my desk selling the latest management fad. The brochure promised to teach you how to create a "self-managed team". I gather the gist of it was to empower your staff to take responsibility for their work and their actions and to work effectively with minimal supervision. Well, today's run through the countryside was a bit like that. While I was admiring new acquisitions in the carpark at Maccas, the Suspects gathered themselves up, mounted up and set out as a self-managed team, although I suspect that Ringmasters Peter W and Bill may have had some part in it. As it was I spent most of the day "leading" from the rear.

Gunning was infested with police who were spilling out of the Old Hume Cafe on to the sidewalk tables and dining al fresco. So we gathered instead up the road at the Merino Cafe. Very nice too.

The self-managed Suspects then set out for Goulburn and once again I was one of the last to leave. But not to worry we all reconvened in Belmore Park at Goulburn. Some had lunch in the park; some dined at nearby cafes. Jill needed some local assistance to free her helmet which had locked itself to her bike.

A few Suspects took the quick way back to Canberra via the freeway to attend to other commitments, while the bulk cruised to Bungendore for a final farewell. I hit quite heavy rain as I approached Tuggeranong. I didn't think my bike was powerful enough to produce wheelspin but emerging from a roundabout under gentle throttle produced a bit of slip and wobble so I continued on in total-caution mode. Needless to say, after 5 minutes I arrived home thoroughly drenched at about 3:00pm after 276kms.

Peter Brooker
Ringmaster

Lake George Harvest Festival

Saturday 15th May 2010

June Blades who is the Event Coordinator for the Rotary's Lake George Harvest Festival advises us the Festival will be held at Bungendore on Saturday 15th May 2010. The festival continues on the Sunday 16th May with a wine and food trail around the hills surrounding Bungendore and in the village.

Rotary International is a service based organisation which does humanitarian work overseas as well as raises money for community based projects. The proceeds of the Festival will go towards improving sporting facilities in Bungendore.

June can be contacted on 62369136

Cotton Country Cruisers

8th Annual

MOREE MUSTER

Friday, 30th April '10
to
Sunday, 2nd May '10

Friday Night Camp Oven
Saturday & Sunday BBQ Breakfast
Thunder Run - Bikekana
Show'n' Shine

Saturday Night "Memories" Dinner Dance

Music, Raffles, Prizes
Drinks at Reasonable Prices

and the " Girls" are back in town !

See our website for more details
<http://www.ulyssesclub.org/branches/cottoncountrycruisers>

I've just found out I can have sex at 74!

I am so happy because I live at 68, so it's not far to walk home .



REUNIONS

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 Ocean View restaurant because the waitress's there have low cut blouses and nice boobs.

10 years later, at 50 years of age, the group once again discuss and discuss where they should meet for dinner. Finally it is agreed that they should meet at the Ocean View restaurant because the food there is very good and the wine selection is good also.

10 years later at 60 years of age, the group once again discuss and discuss where they should meet for dinner. Finally it is agreed that they should meet at the Ocean View restaurant because they can eat there in peace and quiet and the restaurant had a beautiful view of the ocean.

10 years later, at 70 years of age, the group once again discuss and discuss where they should meet for dinner. Finally it is agreed that they should meet at the Ocean View restaurant because the restaurant is wheel chair accessible and they even have an elevator.

10 years later, at 80 years of age, the group once again discuss and discuss where they should meet for dinner. Finally it is agreed that they should meet at the Ocean View restaurant because they have never been there before.

RIDE CALENDAR

Weekend Ride calendar

Weekend rides fall into one of the following categories - (Decide & Ride) informal ride, (Chomp & Chat <250kms) shorter and easier rides, suited to less experienced riders or those returning to motorcycling after a long break, (Ride Days >400klms) will have a ride leader and be on challenging roads suited to the more experienced riders capable of riding at the speed limit for 6-8 hours. Most rides will start from either the Caltex Servo cnr Federal Hwy & Antill St., Watson, the Caltex Servo cnr Monaro Hwy and Sheppard St, Hume or the new Caltex Service Station cnr Curran Drive and O'Hanlon Place, Nicholls.

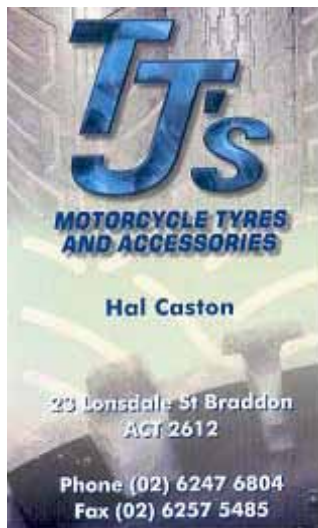
Please Note: Earlier start times to allow runs in the cooler part of the day.

Skill Definitions: **0.** Ride skill is undefined. **2.** Suitable for most riders.**1**
1. Long and difficult. **3.** Short easy ride; an easy day. Suitable for everyone

Ride Calendar on the National Ulysses Website reflects the most current information.

Start Date Finish Date Locations Ride Title Skill

Start Date	Finish Date	Locations	Ride Title	Skill	Details
31-Jan-10 8:30:00	31-Jan-10 17:30:00	From: Caltex Servo, Watson To: Illawarra Fly	Club Ride	2	View Ride Details
7-Feb-10 8:30:00	7-Feb-10 17:00:00	From: Caltex Servo Watson To: Wombeyan Caves	Club Ride	1	View Ride Details
14-Feb-10 10:00:00	14-Feb-10 16:00:00	From: Caltex Servo Watson To: Goulburn	Chomp & Chat	3	View Ride Details
21-Feb-10 8:00:00	21-Feb-10 17:00:00	From: Caltex Servo Watson To: Kiama	Club Ride	1	View Ride Details
28-Feb-10 10:30:00	28-Feb-10 16:00:00	From: Caltex Servo Nicholls To: Tba	Decide & Ride	2	View Ride Details



10% discount for Ulysses members on most items

USUAL SUSPECTS RIDE CALENDER

The Usual Suspects are a group of riders who meet outside the organised Ulysess Club rides. Most, but not all are Ulysses members. For further details, contact Peter Brooker - details below.

“USUAL SUSPECTS” - SUMMER CALENDER

School holidays... 21 Dec to 27 Jan

December 2009, January and February 2010

DATE	DEPARTURE TIME	DESTINATION
2 Dec	9.30am – McDonalds Dickson	Boorowa (C) Crookwell (L) Gunning (C) 311km
9 Dec	9.30am - McDonalds Dickson	Binalong (C) Wombat, Young (L) Boorowa, Yass (C) 319km
16 Dec	9.30am - Williamsdale Servo	Cooma (C) Berridale (via Frying Pan on the Snowy Hwy) Jindabyne (L) Dalgety, Mafra, Cooma, Bredbo (C) 410km
23 Dec	10.30am – McDonalds Weston	Choir Practice (options) Cotter (direct or via Urriara), Honeysuckle Ck (BBQ) Moon Rock Cafe (C) 188km
25 Dec		Merry Christmas
30 Dec	9.30am - McDonalds Dickson	Binalong (C) Jugiong Rd to Old Gundagai Rd to Cootamundra (L) Old Gundagai Rd to Harden, Yass (C) 371km
1 Jan		Happy New Year
6 Jan	9.30am - Williamsdale servo	Cooma (C) Adaminaby, Cabramurra (L) Cooma Bredbo (C) 450km
13 Jan	9.30am – McDonalds Weston	Mountain Ck Rd to Yass (C), Jerrawa, Dalton, Gunning (L), Nanima Rd to Hall (C) 220km
20 Jan	9.30am – McDonalds Dickson	Bungendore, Goulburn, Marulan (C) Bundanoon (L) Goulburn, Bungendore (C) 370km
26 Jan		Australia Day
27 Jan	10.30am – Logans Cafe Bungendore	Choir Practice , Braidwood, the Big Hole (picnic BBQ) , Bungendore (C) 260km
3 Feb	9.00am – Williamsdale Servo <i>Only for the hardy - long and difficult</i>	Cooma, Nimmitabel (C), Bombala (L), Cathcart, Wyndham, Candelo, Bemboka, Brown Mtn, Nimmitabel (C) 492km (the shorter ride, all comers – any part thereof & return eg lunch at Bemboka or Bombala).
10 Feb	9.30am - McDonalds Dickson	Gunning (C), Range Rd from Grabben Gullen, Goulburn (L), Bungendore (C) 249km
17 Feb	9.30am – McDonalds Dickson	Bungendore, Braidwood (C) Nelligen (L) (cafe or picnic) Bungendore (C) 278km
24 Feb	9.30am - McDonalds Dickson	Boorowa (C) via Frogmore to Wyangala Dam (L) Boorowa, Yass (C) 362km

BBQ and or picnic means bring your own cow, bangers or packed lunch with liquid refreshments. Choir practice means have coffee before departure time.
Distances quoted are from Canberra City Centre and return

Peter Brooker (Ringmaster) Telephone: 62 918510 Mobile: 0429 918510 Email: p.brooker@netspeed.com.au

Riders should be aware that at all times, each individual is responsible for their own actions and ultimate safety.

BRANCH AGM - NOMINATIONS

Remember the Branch AGM is on April 20. The nomination form is on the website as well as below. Some members should receive it in email as well.

Give it some thought - you might know someone with hidden talent :-)

Ulysses Canberra Branch AGM 2010 Committee Nomination Form

All nominees must be proposed and seconded by current financial members of the Club. Nomination forms must be complete with all information provided and accompanied by the signatures of all three parties involved. Nominations must reach the Branch Secretary at PO Box 387, Curtin ACT 2605 no later than one month before the election is to be held.

Office Bearers positions to be filled:

President, Secretary, Treasurer (or Secretary/Treasurer) and a minimum of three ordinary Committee members

I,.....Ulysses Member No.....do hereby
nominate.....Ulysses Member No.....for the position
of.....on the Ulysses Club IncBranch Committee for the
forthcoming elections.

Signed..... Dated.....

I,.....Ulysses Member No.....do hereby second the
nomination of.....for the position of.....on the
Ulysses Club IncBranch Committee for the forthcoming elections.

Signed..... Dated.....

I,.....Ulysses Member No.....accept the nomination for the
position of.....on the Ulysses Club Inc.....Branch Committee
for the forthcoming elections.

Signed..... Dated.....