



CLUB TORQUE

Sunday 4th February – Our Annual Charity Cruise to raise vital funds for EPIC Assist mental health division. Our club invited our good friends from QLD Commodore Owners Club to join us for the event. The day started with a few showers and by 9:30am the sun was shining giving us a spectacular day. Both clubs grouped at Springwood, before we cruised to the Beenleigh Historical Village for morning tea and a browse around the village. Our next leg was cruising to Mount Alford Hotel for lunch and raffle draws, with a pitstop prior at Beaudesert for regrouping. The day was a huge success in raising money for Epic Assist, totalling \$615.00



Cruising for charity – Article written by Anna, Social Media Department EPIC Assist
 Storm clouds and rain did little to dampen the crowd's spirits for the annual joint Charity Cruise of the XR6 & XR8 Club of Queensland and Queensland Commodores Club last Sunday. While enjoying a stellar day driving and socialising, generous club members also dug deep to contribute to EPIC Assist's mental health program.

Michael Dutton, Vice President of the XR6 & XR8 Club of Queensland, said the day went off without a hitch.

“We really couldn’t fault the event and we had a fantastic turn out. Both clubs are amazed at the amount of money we were able to raise for EPIC Assist on the day,” said Michael.

The clubs’ donation of over \$600 will help deliver counselling and support to people with disability who are going through a difficult time.

As a family-orientated community club, the XR6 & XR8 Club feel it is important to give back to their community in any way they can. The club will continue to raise funds for EPIC Assist for the duration of 2018.

“It’s a great feeling to know that our funds from the day will be used to help the people EPIC support,” said Michael.

“EPIC have really supported us in raising this money, and we’re pleased to be able to assist in a way suitable for a small community club.”

The club are proud to be ambassadors for EPIC and display the donations tin at the many events and shows they attend throughout the year.

“A lot more people now know of EPIC Assist and the work they do, as a result of our promotion of the organisation and I think that’s a great thing,” said Michael.

“I encourage any community group to think about raising money for charity, even if it’s just once a year, because there are a lot of deserving people out there that could use your help.”

Sunday 18th February – Cruising to Toogoolawah for morning tea and then onto Linville. Linville Historic Rail Museum, carriages, rail line and station is a must see if your in the area, clubbies enjoyed the history before lunch in the Hotel across the road. Hot day in the low 30’s, the country side is greening up, a very picturesque cruise. Great day and shaniganien had by clubbies.





We were saddened that one of our members, Bill S has passed away on the 28th February 2018 after recently suffering a stroke. Bill was a colourful member of our club and attended events usually with his shadow in tow, son Matthew. Our thoughts are with Bills wife Kylie, son Matthew and daughter Joydan. We sent flowers and a card on behalf of all members and Sponsors to Bill's family. Bill will be sadly missed around the club & motorsport scene.



Sunday 4th March – All Aussie Day at Lakeside Raceway turned on a great day of cruising laps and horsepower testing of our cars. A very hot humid day with the infield and garages filled with amazing selection of Australian cars.



Sunday 18th March – Fernvale markets to Cormorant Bay and then lunch at Tarampa Hotel. The weather gave us a break today for A fantastic cruise, outdoor entertainment, picturesque sites and some fun and games. It was great to see so many children at todays event having a good time.





Sunday 8th April – The day started with a BYO morning tea at Clayton Park in Beachmere before we cruised up to Pelican Waters for a canal cruise through part of Bribie’s Pumicestone Passage, scenic canals and Caloundra’s calm waters before lunch at the local Tavern on the canal. Spectacular weather for a very relaxing event.



Sunday 22nd April – The annual Willowbank Auto Spectacular was a beautiful sunny day with many manufacture’s cars and bikes on display. Plenty of entertainment throughout the day from some high horsepower cars taking on the quarter mile, rocket cover and wheel changing competition, trade stalls and kid’s entertainment to name a few.





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