



CLUB TORQUE

Sunday 2nd July – Keperra Picnic Grounds was our meet & greet point before a short drive to the Tram Museum. Members were able to park their cars near the lower tram stop for photos and display before it was open to public. We then had a short walk to Ferny Grove Sports Club for a lunch. Lunch was enjoyed by all before we went back to the Tram Museum for tram rides and a look around the present. There were six restored trams in operation for the short trips, some members made sure they rode all of them.



Sunday 16th July – All Ford Day at Willowbank, Fordtastic event with a spectacular Winters Day with approximately 1500 Fords on display, good spectator attendance, heaps of trade stands, dyno, ¼ mile drags, train ride, food outlets and Supercar driver Todd Hazelwood. Congratulations to our trophy winners, Bill S – AU TE50 + Col S – ED XR8 and Michael D – BA XR6 Turbo. All club cars were presented immaculately.



Saturday 22nd July – Murder Mystery & Mayhem Evening with 3-course dinner & drinks and mystery reenactments. – Unfortunately, event had to be cancelled.

Bundaberg Weekender Saturday 5th & Sunday 6th August – Departing BP Caboolture at 7am Saturday, we had a rest stop for 15 minutes at Gunalda, then Maryborough BP for a bite to eat etc. our next leg of our trip was to catch up with our Bundy members in Childers where we enjoyed a stroll down the main street before a scenic tour through some of the sugarcane fields, macadamia nut and mango farms before checking into our motel. We then drove to the Rum Distillery for our 2pm tour which was well worth it, and many bottles of liquors and other Bundy Rum items were purchased. Back to motel briefly before we headed to Hummock Lookout on our way to Bargara Golf Club with ocean views for a fantastic meal and unwind for the day. Sunday morning, we were greeted with on and off showers, but it did not dampen any spirits, after motel checkout we had a delicious breakfast at the River Cruz Café on the river, then to SSS Strawberry Farm, well worth the stop. Back into our cars to head to the Botanical Gardens for a visit into Fairymead House and a wander through the beautiful, manicured gardens. After leaving the gardens it was a scenic route guided by Gavin to lead us back to highway to head home. Some members had to depart after breakfast and a few members stayed on until after a seafood lunch. A memorable weekend had by all with our Bundy members.





Sunday 20th August – Morning tea at Esk, Transport Museum Gatton and lunch at Plainlands Hotel. Spectacular Winters Day for a cruise with our first stop at Angie's Country Café in Esk before we then cruised to the Queensland Transport Museum where the heritage of transportation and memorabilia is displayed extremely well for visitors to wander through. Our lunch was at Porters Plainland Hotel in the garden area to enjoy a delicious pub meal that pleased all. Fantastic day in all aspects had by members.



Sunday 27th August – Annual General Meeting 2023, commencing electronically, approved by Office of Fair Trading.

Sunday 3rd September – Father's Day at Lakeside Park Raceway. Infield and pit bays were full and plenty of spectators outside the track precinct to watch the day activities. Private track time with QCOC with only 21 cars on track gave those plenty of room to use all lines of the racetrack. Congratulations to Michael D for his trophy win.





Sunday 10th September – Closing of our 2023 Annual General Meeting. Elected committee for the next 12 months. President Michael Dutton, Secretary Christine Besgrove, Treasure David Follington and Membership Officer Gavin Bidgood.

Sunday 17th September – Gold Coast Hinterland Heritage Museum and lunch at Mount Warning Hotel UKI NSW. Departure was from Maccas Springwood for our cruise down the M1 to our exit for the Heritage Museum. The must-see museum offered plenty of history and informative information on our guided tour along with a delicious Devonshire tea for only \$10.00. Back on the road again for a 55min drive via Kyogle Road and the Currumbin Valley to our lunch destination at Mount Warning Hotel where members enjoyed a delicious traditional meal with a cold beverage.



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