



ULYSSES MEMBERS RV GROUP



# The Kermit Kronicle

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## From the Editor's Desk.

### Hi Everyone,

Isn't 2016 speeding by at a rapid rate? It won't be too long until we are heading towards Mal-lacoota on the south coast of Victoria for the Group's 9th AGM. Ken Graham has been liaising with the managers of the caravan park to ensure that everything will meet our expectations. Further information including the contact details for the park are later in this newsletter. You will need to book your RV site with the park directly. As soon as we have finalized the details for the event, the Registration form will be up on our website. The same as last year, payment will be required with your registration, including the \$5.00 per person levy.

Details of the various State rallies are listed on

the next page, and are also available on the website. If you are in the vicinity, or you like travelling for a bit of a trip, go along to the State rallies. You will renew friendships with old mates, and make some new ones as well.

The 8th Birthday Rally is coming up this month at North Haven Caravan Park, near Port Macquarie. The Rally was shifted this year, much to the disappointment of those members who love going to Brooms Head, because North Haven is pet friendly, and Brooms Head wasn't, so as to allow those members travelling with their fur babies to attend as well.

Now for the good news. The new managers at Brooms Head contacted Ken last week to advise that the Brooms Head

Caravan Park now has a pet friendly section, and they would love to see us back there, so for our 9th Birthday Rally next year (2017) we plan on returning to Brooms Head.

The various State coordinators have held successful rallies in the past month, and their reports are sprinkled throughout the newsletter. Sherol and I got to go to Stant-horpe with the Queensland mob, and although the weather gods were not kind, we had a great weekend. Unfortunately, at this time we won't be able to make North Haven, so we wish everyone attending a great Birthday rally.

Travel Safe, see you on the road.

*Rick & Sherol, Ken & Doreen.*

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## NSW RALLY CALENDAR. VICTORIA RALLY CALENDAR



**North Haven Birthday Bash 18 – 19 March 2016 North Coast Holiday Parks North Haven. Phone 02 65599193 a block booking has been made in the name of Ulysses R V group. Ian and Kate have all the details of the booking.**

**Hartwood Music Festival.** Hartwood property is situated between Coolah and Tambar Springs. The festival runs from Monday 21st March to Tuesday 29th March 2016 with the major entertainment over the Easter weekend. Cost for the weeks camping and entertainment is \$120.00 per person. For further info and full festival programme visit the Hartwood webpage <http://hartwoodfestival.com.au>

**Long Weekend June (Queens Birthday) Friday 10th June to Monday 13th June at Gloucester Caravan Park 02 65581720.** This Park is very popular on this weekend so get in early if you haven't already booked. For those who booked early don't forget to pay your deposit or you could lose your site. It's a pet friendly park and campfires are allowed, so come and join us.

**April 8-9-10 Tara Valley caravan park ( Gippsland ).** For more information contact Ken at [victoria@ulyssesrv.org](mailto:victoria@ulyssesrv.org) or click here for the Rally Flyer.

**Nov 18-19-20 Castlemaine.** For more information contact Ken at [victoria@ulyssesrv.org](mailto:victoria@ulyssesrv.org)

**Don't forget the AGM is at Mal-lacoota Foreshore Caravan Park, Victoria from October 17 - 23rd. [More information here.](#)**

### SA RV Calendar for 2016

RV events are open to any Ulysses member or partner.

Any type of vehicle can be used to get you there, what is important is that you are there.

May 6th, 7th & 8th  
July 29th, 30 & 31st  
November 18th, 19th & 20th

Spear Creek Caravan Park  
Melrose Show Grounds  
Pt Julia Campground

Near Wilmington  
Melrose  
Pt Julia

Any further enquiries contact Hobbit

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### QLD RALLY CALENDAR

**MARCH 18-20 North Haven NSW**

**MAY 06-19 Tag-a-long**

**JULY 29-31 Christmas in July**

**DECEMBER 02-04 Inskip Point Rainbow Beach**

### W.A RALLIES.

Wildflowers in the West, September 4th to 11th September. [Information Flyer](#) later in this newsletter and registration form available on our website.

### FUTURE AGM'S

#### 2017.

We are going to Western Australia for 2017. The proposal was put to the members at the AGM and favourably received, so we have given the go-ahead to Judi and Wayne to book the site. Initially, they booked the Big Valley Camping Ground, but then the proprietors did the dirty on them and cancelled our booking. Judi and Wayne have scoured the south west and come up with what they think is a better venue, and further details will be in a future newsletter. South western W.A., especially the Margaret River area is full of attractions, great wineries, cheese and chocolate factories and lots of scenery and attractions.

## RAPID BAY weekend (5, 6, 7 February 2016)

Sky (blue, sunny and clear)	yes
Sea (sparkling)	yes
Temperature (upper 20Cs)	yes
Campground (grassy with shade trees)	yes
Scenery (magnificent)	yes

Just what was ordered for a great summer weekend by the sea. The Rapid Bay campground is a nicely grassed flat site, with several rows of trees for shade, a toilet block and facing the sparkling waters of St Vincent Gulf. There are caretakers on site who maintain the grounds and amenities well, and collect a minimal fee from campers.

People started arriving Friday morning and very soon campsites were set up under some towering Norfolk Island pines and around gazebos with seating or free barbeques. In all, around 25 people were there including Rory and Jennifer from Queensland who were passing through on their way to Melbourne an



through the beautiful Fleurieu Peninsular and spend the day with the campers.

Saturday night was a fairly quiet night with most people getting together at one of the groups campsites, to continue telling tall tales before having an earlier night. Sunday morning was another beautiful morning, and unfortunately it was time to pack up and head for home or the next destination. ○



Over several hours campers left the site except for two couples who stayed on for the day.

Until next time,  
Hobbit, Hoppy and Max.  
[southaustralia@ulyssesrv.org](mailto:southaustralia@ulyssesrv.org)

and then onto Tasmania. With a good representation from all three Adelaide branches, an early afternoon Happy Hour commenced. By about 6pm groups had filtered back to their campsites for tea, but were soon back to where they had previously met to extend the Happy Hour.

On Saturday, it was the usual story with campers getting up at various times in the morning which may have related to the amount of happiness experienced on the previous day. During the day campers went fishing (but didn't do much harm to the local fish stocks), did more storytelling in the shade of the Norfolk Island pines, visited a Ukulele music event in a neighbouring town, walked the beach and jetty or went swimming. It was also great to see several non-camping Ulysses members who had some free time on Saturday, go for a drive



# Ulysses Members RV- WA

## WA Rally at Quininup

12-14 February 2016

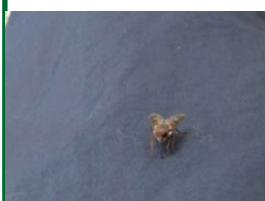
The 3<sup>rd</sup> Birthday celebration for the WA Branch was held at the Quininup Eco Park, 30klm south of Manjimup.



16 vans and 2 carloads, totaling 38 people attended the weekend and all had fun. The general consensus was it was a resounding success, even the

March flies were happy to have new blood to feast on.

Several members took the opportunity to extend the weekend and



turned up a few days beforehand to enjoy the setting. When Pete & Judi arrived on the Thursday there were already 4 vans in place, with more turning up later that day. Wayne & Hazel saw the start of more people arriving on Friday.



We had several new members (first timers) turning up with Dennis Polley, Maurice & Lesley Ber-

san, Mel Hodgetts, Alan Kerr and Robert Long to mention a few. Brian Collett & Gwenn stayed overnight in the cabins.



Meet & greet was held under "Dennis's Tree" early on the Friday evening at the usual 3PM start time (oops that should read 5PM start time). Andy Norris rounded up 16 members to partake in a Pub Meal next door and all reports were the meal was excellent. Whilst the remaining members sat by their webbers and prepared a home cooked meal – followed by yet another few drinks at the Millers. Rick had sent instructions to Wayne on the water to wine ratio required by a certain member – no names mentioned...



Everyone joined in on the morning tea on Saturday before heading off to explore the sights of Quininup, Manjimup and Pemberton area.

Several of the local wildlife joined the celebrations with



Kangaroos, Emus, birdlife and March flies aplenty. The resident emu got a little too friendly to one the members dogs,

which resulted in a couple of our ladies having to rescue it. The baby magpie liked the looked of the chain attached to the back of Wayne's van and promptly decided to use it as practice for catching worms.

Saturday Night was the Pot Luck dinner held under Dennis's Tree. Tables of delicious food were placed in the cen-



I am still in the process of confirming Caravan Parks and the agenda. I will forward more information over the next couple of weeks. At this stage it will be a registered event (so we know how many are coming) and you will be able to join and leave at any point of travel. Once all the information has been confirmed I will have Rick put up a registration form on the website. (Already done Judi—[http://ulyssesrv.org/wildflowers\\_registration.html](http://ulyssesrv.org/wildflowers_registration.html) )

ter of a ring of 38 hungry members. A brilliant effort by all and a wonderful selection of food was enjoyed.

It was fantastic to catch up with everyone and by all accounts everyone enjoyed their weekend away.

### Next Rally

At this stage no venue has been selected for the next rally, which we are hoping to hold sometime in June/July or August. Lyn Dann has volunteered to host the rally with details to follow as soon as she can arrange something. Will keep all posted.

### PLANNED EVENT – SEPTEMBER 2016



We are planning a Tag-A-Long for the week of 3-10 September 2016. Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> is the 'meet' day and we will be leaving from Willowbrook Farm Caravan Park, GinGin on

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> then travelling over the next 4 days to Mullewa for the 7-10<sup>th</sup> September. The theme will be "Wildflowers in the West". (Yes I know it's the week after the Mullewa Show, but accommodation is limited during that period)



[wildflowers\\_registration.html](http://ulyssesrv.org/wildflowers_registration.html) )

So keep that week free and come and make our Tag-A-Long a huge success.

Safe Travels,

Judi, Pete, Hazel and Wayne.

*Wildflowers Of The West*  
**Tag-a-long**

**4th - 11th September 2016**

**ULYSSES MEMBERS RV CLUB**  
with  
**ULYSSES CLUB INC - BUNBURY**

Travelling from Gin Gin to Mullewa. Journey along the Wildflower Highway, taking in local history and beautiful regional wildflowers.

*Contact Info*  
Judi (RV) 0419 867 827  
Sarg (MC) 0429 900 353

Info and Registration\* at [www.ulyssesrv.org](http://www.ulyssesrv.org)

*\*RV registrations*

*Come journey with us!*




# COHUNA GET TOGETHER 12<sup>TH</sup> to the 14<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY



Once again a very successful February rally with 15 caravans 1 camper trailer and 36 people in all.



We also had international group members Steve, (Stephanie) and Gray from the Peak district in the UK who are members of Ulysses GB and also our RV Group as they travel when visiting in their motorhome.. Richard and I will visit them when we are



over there in May/June this year, not in a motorhome but a lowly hire car...

Weather was perfect as was the Park swimming

pool. Lots of happy hours and chatting Mike had his 'canoe a few took up his offer of a loan and and launched into the creek, All survived! All grouped around the edge of the Gunbower creek. A picture perfect setting. (except for the sand flies).



Dinner or Saturday night at the Bower Tavern was lovely as usual thanks to Diane and her family and staff.

Daytime saw people heading off to



various destinations and sight seeing. Saturday morning a few headed down to Pyramid Hill for the little (and I mean little) Lyons Club market. I

think if our lot had not turned up it would have been very quiet. I think nearly all of us purchased something to help boost there coffers. (Except Richard who took the opportunity to explore the rail yard for potential up-grade business!



On Sunday a few of us did a romantic Valentines Day lunchtime cruise on the Gunbower creek, most of the gents were

very romantic and did not sit with their wives!

Nearly everyone stayed on until Monday which was great

It was great to see triker Tom(Rundle) looking fit and well. He was heading off to catch the ferry to Tasmania for the AGM and a five week trip touring the apple isle.



Thank you to everyone who attended. I hope you all had a great time. Our rally next

February will be in Bright, Victoria, so watch the website for details

Cheers Marilyn and Richard



## Queensland Rally Report. Stanthorpe—Granite Belt. February 5—6.

With Sherol back from NZ for good (except for holidays and birthdays), we planned to visit Stanthorpe for the planned Qld. Rally. I thought that I would put the Jeep in for a diagnostic check, as the engine fault light has been on for about nine months, so the Jeep workshop at the Sunshine Coast got to play with it for a couple of hours. It seems that the old acronym that JEEP represents (Just empty every pocket) was working its way to apply to ours, and although we loved towing with it, we made the decision to trade it for something else. Four days later we drove home in a Navara Twin cab, not new but well looked after, and after a weekend plus a couple of days of re-wiring plugs and fitting the dual battery system, packing the tub etc, it was time to test it out. A lap around the big block at home, everything was working fine, so the van was packed and on the morning of Friday 5th we headed off to Stanthorpe, 400 kms away.



to that club for dinner, where the chat, drinks and food were enjoyed by all present.

Sunday was packing up day, and the weather gods were kind to us, with the sun shining brightly and drying everything off. As normal, Barry was away first, but for a change, he waited for several hours after sunrise before leaving. Tony and Colleen were packed up next for the drive home to Beaudesert, whilst the rest of us were not far behind, barring Daryl and Joy and Trevor and Jenny who were staying another day before heading to Texas.

Blip and Di and Twig and Dale were heading home to Brisbane to unpack the vans and pack their bikes for the ride south to Melbourne and Tasmania via the Spirit of Tasmania. No longer owning a bike, I did feel a twinge of jealousy as they talked incessantly about their plans (insensitive bas&:\*%^ds), but then a quick shower of rain and cold blast of wind eased my mind.

A pleasant trip home to end an enjoyable weekend. And the Navara performed faultlessly.



We arrived mid to late afternoon, to be greeted by Daryl and Joy, Blip and Di, Barry, Boris and Margaret, Tony and Colleen, Trevor and Jenny, Christine and Brian, and Twig and Dale.

For most of the journey up we had some occasional showers, and just after setting up a couple of more. We adjourned to the nearest camp kitchen where a few drinks were downed, and some stories told and plans made for the rest of the weekend. Little did we know that the weather gods had other ideas.

During the night, the rain set in and the wind picked up. Plans to visit Girraween National Park were shelved, with the ladies having a "Bitch and Stitch" session (apparently that has been renamed to "Craft and Chat"), whilst us blokes wandered around looking at each others rigs and talking bloke stuff.

The rain persisted for the rest of the day, and most of the night, but our spirits were not dampened. We gathered for happy hour at the camp kitchen again, where some prizes were donated and Blip ran a raffle, raising some funds for the club.

We had been joined by Peter Goodsir and Marion, RV Group members and residents of Stanthorpe for happy hour and it was great to catch up with them. Pete has just had a hip replacement, and they are looking to getting out in their van again as soon as the all clear is given by the surgeon.

Saturday night saw us picked up by the RSL courtesy bus to take us

### Exercises for over 60s

Stand on a comfortable surface.

With 2kg potato sack in each hand, extend your arms horizontally & hold for one minute, then relax.

Each day you'll find that you can hold this position a little longer.



After 2 weeks, move up to 5kg potato sacks.  
After 1 month try 25kg potato sacks.

Eventually, you'll be able to lift 50kg sacks in each hand, holding your arms straight for 1 minute.

After you feel confident at this level...  
*put a potato in each sack!!*



Share this tip!

STARTS  
60  
AT

## NORAH HEAD WEEKENDER FEBRUARY 2016.



We had 10 vans for the weekend some for even longer and visitors for tea both Saturday and Sunday nights.



Have you booked for the **North Haven Birthday Bash 18 – 19 March 2016** North Coast Holiday Parks North Haven. Phone 02 65599193 a block booking has been made in the name of **Ulysses R V group. Ian and Kate** have all the details of the booking.

See you there,  
Erica and Old Dave.



Weather was perfect and quite a few made use of the pool. We had B B Q tea both Saturday and Sunday nights and happy hour each afternoon all very relaxing. A lot of catching up with old friends we don't see often enough.

Not a lot happened we just sat around and caught up with friends.



**Stuff you can buy in our gear shop.**

Club shirt. Apple green with black highlights, with club logo embroidered on left chest, and your name on the right chest. Available in both men's sizes XS - 5XL, and ladies sizes 8 - 26.



Club shirt. Apple green with black highlights, with club logo embroidered on left chest. Available in both men's sizes XS - 5XL, and ladies sizes 8 - 26.

Price \$35.00 plus postage. (Shirt will be ordered after payment.)

Price \$39.50 plus postage. (Shirt will be ordered after payment.)

200mm sticker - new logo. \$10.00 plus \$1.30 postage. Order more than one and combine postage.



Small RV Group Flag, screen printed on one side and with sewn pole slot on left hand side.

\$15.00 each plus postage.

100 mm sticker - new logo. \$2.00 each plus \$1.00 postage. Order more than one and combine postage.



**Name badge with magnetic clasp. \$15.00**

Don't forget to put the name you want on the badge in the field before clicking "Add to Cart".



**REAR WHEEL COVER STICKER**

High quality RV (or 4WD) spare wheel cover sticker, featuring the RV Group logo. Sticker can be made to fit spare wheel cover from 13" up to 16". Of high quality vinyl with an anti graffiti covering applied. Cost of sticker only supplied, plus postage \$60.00.

WARNING. Members with a heart pacemaker SHOULD NOT order the badge with the magnetic clasp, as it may interfere with the pacemaker. Please specify in the comments part of the order confirmation that you require a pin clasp if that is the case.



If you would like the manufacturer to apply the sticker to your cover, cost will be \$65.00 plus return postage of \$9.95. You will need to purchase a postage tube and send the cover to the address supplied in the checkout process.

**Ulysses Members RV Group – 9<sup>th</sup>  
AGM, Mallacoota Foreshore Caravan  
Park, Mallacoota, Victoria.  
17<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> October, 2016.**

To book your site contact the Caravan Park on 03 5158 0300 or Fax 03 5158 0189 or email [mallacootacp@wideband.net.au](mailto:mallacootacp@wideband.net.au)

**Proposed Program.**

**2016 AGM – 17 – 23 October. - Local Tour operators.**  
Wilderness Coast Charters. 03 5158 0701 – Water taxi to Gabo Island.

**Mallacoota Fishing and Tours – Jason 0419223101.**  
Fishing 4 hours, \$550.00 for 5 persons. All equipment supplied.  
Gabo Island Tours \$550.00 for 5 persons, 5 hours plus.

**Gypsy Point. Captain John Gerard's Wilderness Tours. 0418 279 997**  
Riverways Photo's and Videos, 16 people. 2 ½ hours, Afternoon Tea, \$40.00 ea.

**Loch Ard – 03 51480764. Ferry Boat, Scenery, Birdlife and History.**

**Porky Bess, Authentic Wooden Boat Cruises, Water Taxi services for walkers.**

**A registration form will be placed up on the website in the new year. In the meantime, if you decide to book your site before that, please mention that you are with the Ulysses RV Group.**



Mon 17	Local Tours Presentations	Happy Hour 4.00pm	
Tues 18	Tours, Members own booking	Happy Hour 4.00pm	
Wed 19		Local Band 4 - 5.00pm	Catered BBQ Tea.
Thurs 20		Local Choir 4 – 5.00pm	Pot Luck Dinner 6.00pm
Fri 21	8.00am Breakfast	9.30 am. Annual General Meeting	Happy Hour 4.00pm
Sat 22	Markets in town	Happy Hour 4.00 pm	Catered Dinner 6.30pm
Sun 23	7 – 9.00 am. Pancake Breakfast	Farewell and Thank you	Safe Travels.

**WOMAN'S ASS SIZE STUDY**

There is a new study about women and how they feel about their asses, the results were very interesting.

**10%** Of women think their ass is too skinny.

**30%** Of women think their ass is too fat.

**60%** Say they don't care, they love him, he is a good man and they wouldn't trade him for the world.

**Daughter to Father:**

"Dad there is something my boyfriend said to me, that I didn't understand. He said that I 'have a beautiful chassis, lovely airbags and a fantastic bumper."

**Father's response:**

"Tell your boyfriend that if he opens your bonnet and tries to check your oil with his dipstick, I will tighten his nuts so hard that his headlights will pop out and he will start leaking from his exhaust pipe."

UlyssesRV Group

*UlyssesRV Group—Victorian Group*

# Tara Valley

**Date: 8-10  
April 2016**

**Tarra –Valley  
Caravan Park  
“Fernholme”  
1906 Tarra  
Valley Rd .  
Tarra Valley  
3971**

**Ph. (03)5186  
1283**



The park is on the river so bring your rod and fish for trout.

Head off for a walk wandering through the giant Mountain Ash, beautiful Fern Gullies & Ancient Myrtle Beeches

Or simply relax and watch the native birds and animals in this beautiful surround

Located approx 19 km north of Yarram in Gippsland



To Book...Phone the park direct on 03 5186 1283 and mention UlyssesRV Group for a 10% discount.

Then contact Ken by email [grnpop@bigpond.com](mailto:grnpop@bigpond.com) to let him know you will be joining us

**The park is pet friendly**



*Don't forget!.....*

Mention Ulysses for your 10% discount



## *“Wildflowers in the West” Tag-a-long*

**4-11<sup>th</sup> September 2016**



### *Itinerary for RV Group*

Travel with us on a journey to discover our local wildflowers and history from GinGin to Mullewa. For sites that take bookings, please mention that your with the Ulysses Members RV Group so they put us all together.

- **Meeting at Willowbrook Farm Caravan Park in Gingin on Sunday 4th September** (depart Mon 5/9) **83km from Perth, 253km from Bunbury** (Come on Friday or Saturday and have the weekend there, enjoy free homemade scones & jams on Sunday morning) \$33 powered site/\$25 unpowered. PHONE LIL 9575 7566
- **Travel to New Norcia for Monday 5 September** (depart Tue 6/9)(91km). **Beware the ABBEY ALE.** Why not visit the Monastrey, Bakery, Museum and Hotel and collect some local products for the Happy Hour. \$20 Powered (only 4 sites – 1<sup>st</sup> in applies) \$15 unpowered, Fully self Contained RV parking opposite \$10–**NO BOOKINGS** Behind Roadhouse 96548034
- **Travel to Coorow for Tuesday 6 September** (depart Wed 7/9) (148km –direct) or (go via Dalwallinu 211km). Visit the new WW1 Horse Memorial in Dalwallinu on your journey to Coorow. Staying at Coorow Caravan Park Shire to advise further details.
- **Travel to Mingenew for Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> September** (depart 8/9)(103km) Take in Carnamah and Three Springs. Mingenew Springs Caravan Park 992810189 \$27 powered/\$18 unpowered. **Limited sites – book early**
- **Ending at Mullewa for Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> until Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> September** (depart 11/9) Visit the many walks and displays of Wildflowers, the Batterabby Gravesites and various sites in and around Mullewa. \$26 powered/\$17 unpowered **NO BOOKINGS**
- **POT LUCK DINER** Saturday Night in the Camp Kitchen unless the MC Club holds a BBQ for the Geraldton Ulysses Club. Details to be confirmed at a later date.
- Make you own way home from Mullewa at the end of the week or join another member and take in Geraldton, Dongara, Leeman, Jurien Bay, Cervantes and Lancelin on your way back down the coast.



**GENERAL CONDITIONS:**

- Pets are welcome at all sites, however they must be kept on leash at all times.
- Maintain a safe distance between each caravan/motorhome to allow other road users safe passage whilst travelling in a group.
- On free camp sites, don't park too close to other campers (unless invited).
- Sites to be left clean and tidy. No dumping of grey water unless sites authorize. Follow all site rules at public free camps and public Caravan Parks
- Generators are permitted at most sites, however please turn off at a reasonable time (7pm) so they don't disturb other campers.
- Happy Hour every evening in either the camp kitchen or someone's annex to ensure everyone makes our destinations.
- You may join and depart the tag-a-long at any time during the week.
- **Registration forms to be completed from the website.**
- Most importantly, join in and have a great time.



**Itinerary for Ulysses Club Inc - Bunbury**

Itinerary to be set by Brian "Sarg" Collect. 0429 900 353

Accommodation is available at each of the below. Individuals will need to book & pay for their own choice of accommodation. Evening meals are available at each venue or join the RV members for an evening meal in camp kitchen. Happy Hours every evening. Venues to be confirmed.  
Please advise contacts that you are with the Ulysses Club.

DATE	DAY	ACCOMADATION	CONTACT NO
4/9/16	Sunday	GinGin Hotel	9575 2214
5/9/16	Monday	New Norcia Hotel	9654 8034
6/9/16	Tuesday	Coorow Hotel	9952 1023
7/9/16	Wednesday	Mingenew Hotel	9928 1002
8-10/9/16	Thursday - Saturday	Mullewa Hotel	9961 1050

Saturday Night BBQ with the Ulysses club Inc – Geraldton Branch or join the RV club for Pot Luck Dinner/BBQ at the Mullewa Caravan Park (pending sufficient MC riders)

**THE RV CLUB FOR  
MEMBERS OF THE  
ULYSSES CLUB INC.**

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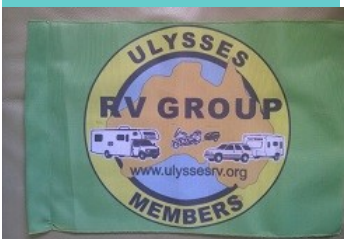
**Our webpage**  
<http://ulyssesrv.org>

**New Product.  
Ulysses Members  
RV Group Flag.**

**Screen printed cloth  
flag with seam for  
inserting pole on left  
side.**

**Price \$15.00 plus post-  
age.**

**Available in RV store  
or by contacting Gor-  
don at**  
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## THE FINAL WORD.

As I sit here gathering some thoughts, I look at the logo on the left and I am reminded of the recent passing of one of our first members, Wayne McAlicee. A gentleman through and through, in recent years he had some health issues, and passed away at home suddenly on 22nd February. Wayne and Lorraine's last RV Group event was the AGM in Cobarr, travelling there with their van and ute which carried Wayne's mobility scooter, from their home on a houseboat moored at Berri on the River Murray. Many members will remember the hospitality that they offered on that same houseboat which they moored at the rear of a caravan park used by a lot of us at Mildura in 2012. Wayne was the designer of



our original RV Group logo, which he presented to me at our inaugural meeting at Brooms Head in March, 2008, and our photo-shopped logo now still retains all the original design elements that Wayne so carefully hand drew and coloured. Rest in peace old mate, and our sincerest condolences to Lorraine.

For all of you enjoying the apple isle for the Ulysses Club AGM, I hope that you are having a great time and relishing the opportunity to travel around Tasmania seeing as much as you can. In the past, Ulysses Club AGM's were always our opportunity to take holidays and see a different part of this great country, and whilst we no longer have to take annual leave to do it, our RV Group AGM's afford the same benefit. Sherol and I are off to Victoria in May, visiting relatives and friends, and then the G.O.R. , and up to Adelaide for a 50 year police re-union there. Wow, fifty years since the S.A. Police Academy turned us from raw young kids into raw young policemen over our three year course. I am looking forward to re-linking with my course-mates from all that time ago, sharing a drink and spinning some stories. I hope that the Barossa Valley hasn't run out of wine when we get there.

After Adelaide, back through country Victoria and NSW, back to Brisbane in July and then heading north, before travelling back down to Mallacoota for our AGM in October. If we are passing through your area, I will try to keep our location updated on our Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/groups/455166954682060/>) so that perhaps we can catch up whilst we travel through. If you are a user of FaceBook and haven't joined our page yet, just click on the link above and ask to join. Simple as that.

An update on Ken's thumb. He tells me that it has healed very well, and is really pleased with the surgery. Doreen says he is not allowed to use the circular saw any more.

**Don't forget, you need to book your site at the Mallacoota Caravan Park for the AGM in October. See the information on Page 9 of this newsletter.**