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ULYSSES CLUB INC. FLEURIEU BRANCH NEWSLETTER AUGUST 2019



Presidents Chat

Hello All,

Well, not much to report on this month. The branch is running quite smoothly. We have had a couple of rides, a breakfast at Wellington, and a social dinner at Morphett Vale. All these events have, as usual, been well attended and thanks go to the ride leaders, Adelaide Branch, and our own Cherie for organising these great rides and social events.

We, that is, Jude and I have registered for The Odyssey in early October, **HAVE YOU**. Please don't leave it until the last moment, I know Ulyssians are notorious for leaving things to the last moment, (hoping for a better offer) but, Torrens Valley Branch really need to know numbers. You will find the information inside.

On a personal note, we lost Ali our much-loved Dalmatian to bone cancer a couple of weeks ago. I am sure most of us have gone through the loss of furry member of the family, sad indeed. After much debate on whether we should have another dog, we decided we would. So, everyone, say hello to Felix the Greyhound. A rather large male who, until three weeks ago had






never set paw in a house. As you can see, he is adapting quite well to life off the track. We got him through Greyhound Adoption Program, out of Angle Park. As a breed, they make excellent pets. They do not need a lot of exercise, do not bark, have few medical problems, don't shed or smell.

So, if you are looking for a new companion, look no further than the 65kph couch potato.









Cheers, Brett.

Your Committee 2018-2019

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Fleurieu Sunday Rides

Date	Leaving	Ride Leader	Destination
August 25th	Alma 10am	John's Jaunt	TBA
September 8th	Alma 10am	Friends and Rellies Ride with Jack	Pressies Place for Hot Dawg lunch
September 22nd	Alma 10am	Stephen Roberts	TBA

Up Coming Events

Date	Event
Aug.Fri.30th- Mon.1 st Sept.	3 Peninsula Ride based at Quorn page 9
Sept 7 th Sat.	SABC The South Australian Company Store, Angaston Saturday 9 -9.30am page 8
Sept 5th-8th	25 th Ghost Town Rally at Copi Hollow near Menindee page 10
Oct.Fri.4th- Mon.7th	Ulysses 26 th SA Odyssey 2019 Copper Coast Region, Kadina Football Club see pages 10, 11, and 12
Oct. Mon.14th -Sun. 20th	RV AGM Lake Albert Caravan Park Meningie see page 13
October 3 rd Sun.	Macclesfield Lions Bike Show - Diary date
November 17 th Sunday	Onkaparinga Christmas Pageant - Diary date
December 8 th Sun.	MRASA Toy Run - Diary date
December 15thSun	Branch Christmas Ride and Lunch at Southern Workman's Club - Diary date



Wednesday Rides leave from the Alma at 10am or Victor at 9.30.
Next ride is 14th August then 28th August (every two weeks)
For details please contact Ducati Dom on 0433 052 053

Ride Reports

Sunday 28th July Jack's Ride



Ride to Strathalbyn for morning tea, then on to lunch at Finniss. Thanks Jack for a great ride.



Sunday August 11th Tony's Ride



Group photo



Note from Cherie Thorpe

Welcome to Pete, and great to see Phillip and Maree again. What a day for your first ride with us!
We all enjoyed your company.

Thanks to Tony at the front and Steve at the back. JS

Fleurieu Branch Social Dinner - Christmas in July

Another social success with a large group of Ulyssians attending the dinner. Nearly everyone got into the spirit of Christmas with decorations, hats, earrings, t-shirts etc. The food was especially good with the stone grill being the outstanding choice of the night. After dinner entertainment was provide by a live band with an excellent variety of music ranging from old classics to the more contemporary. These dinners are excellent way to come together on a chilly winters' night. Thanks again go to Cherie for organizing these social events.



Next Dinner - TBA keep your ear to the ground!

Welfare Matters



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email. fleurieubbranch.welfare@gmail.com

Fleurieu Branch is pleased to inform you that committee member **Cherie Thorpe** is our Welfare officer. Her role is to be the central person in our branch to ensure members in need are assisted in whatever manner is appropriate for that individual.

This note is a friendly reminder to Fleurieu members to inform Cherie if you know a member who needs support. They, or a close relative could be unwell, or they might be experiencing some other physical or emotional need. Let Cherie know asap so she can organize a hospital visit, send a card or arrange other appropriate help. Of course, the wishes of the member in terms of privacy and confidentiality will always be the first consideration.

The camaraderie and support that fellow Ulyssians provide is always greatly valued and appreciated.

Historic Registration Breakthrough!



Note from branch member Stephen Roberts

Hi all, been out of the loop for a few weeks due to a leg operation, hope everyone is doing well.

As a club we have been waiting for some time for the government to approve the Ulysses club, particularly our branch, to be approved to handle Historic registration of older vehicles.

Well it appears it has gone through as the Government Gazette over a week ago announced that we are approved!

Looking forward to assisting Hobbit in this endeavour so start dusting off your old treasures!

Here's a picture of my old Triumph that I will be riding when I'm able again

SA Breakfast Club

If you haven't tried a SA Breakfast Club event yet, give it a go, it's great fun.

1st Sat of every month, different venues across the state. Enjoy a lovely social gathering with members from other branches.



S.A. Breakfast Club for August was held at the Wellington Courthouse

Next SA Breakfast Club at Angaston on September 7th



The September 2019 SABC breakfast is at The South Australian Company Store, Angaston. Saturday 7th Sept, from 9.30am.

Please RSVP Glenda with a text to 0423132866 - SABC, your name, how many require breakfast.

SAT, 7 SEP AT 09:30

[September SABC at Angaston](#)

27 Valley Rd, Angaston SA

Diary dates for upcoming SABC venues

Sept. Angaston

Oct. Kadina Football Club combined with Odyssey

Nov. Mt Gambier

Dec. Laura

Up Coming Weekenders

3 Peninsulas Ride (13th ANNUAL Y.P- E.P) 2019 Venue – Quorn - Friday 30th,

Saturday 31st August & Sunday 1st September 2019

Ride up Friday 30th August - Dominic will meet up with riders at 10 am at Mt Pleasant, then ride for lunch at Burra. Ride on to Melrose via Jamestown & Wirrabara at the painted silo for arvo break. Ride via Horrocks Pass & Pichi Richi Pass to Quorn. Fri night we will meet up with Eyre Peninsula Branch for dinner at the Transcontinental. Saturday ride to Blinman for lunch and then ride back to Quorn for tea at the Transcontinental. Sunday morning ride to Warren George before heading home via Peterborough motorbike museum.

Accommodation

- Transcontinental - 8648 6076**
- Austral Inn Hotel - 8648 6017**
- Criterion Hotel - 8648 6018**
- Quorn CV Park - 8648 6206**
- Flinders Rangers Motel - 1800 994 960**
- Quandong App - 0432 112 473**

Meals

Meals will be at the Transcontinental. All within walking distance of these venues.

Badges

Cloth badges will be available from me once I have the numbers

Please contact me if you are going & book your accommodation early as it is the start of the busy time for these venues.

Dominic & Sue Carli 0433 052053

Ghost Town Rally 2019



25th Ghost Town Rally 2019

6th, 7th & 8th September 2019.

This rally is open, you do not need to be a Ulysses member to attend.

The rally will be held at **COPI HOLLOW**

100kms From Broken Hill
Bitumen road to the camp site
10kms to Menindee.

Camping on grass, beside a fresh water lake with plenty of toilets and showers with power available. Additional food, ice creams, drinks, ice, & unleaded fuel, available at the kiosk.

Four (4) days extra camping available before or after the rally at Rally rates. Payable at the Caravan park caretakers office.

Companion dogs must be on a lead at all times and remain in allocated area's.



Follow Signs From Broken Hill
Limited commercial accommodation
available at Copi Hollow
& Menindee

Tourist Information & Accommodation <http://www.visitbrokenhill.com.au>

25th, Ghost Town
Rally 2019
Come and help us celebrate



Held at Copi Hollow
Near Menindee
100kms From Broken Hill

Ulysses 26th SA Odyssey 2019

Please register asap so numbers for cartering can be confirmed

The 26th South Australian Odyssey will be held in the Copper Coast Region at the

Kadina Football Club located at 1 Doswell Terrace Kadina

Friday October 4th to Monday 7th

It will be held on the October long weekend Fri 4- Mon 7 October 2019, think about staying an extra day to miss some of the traffic! Relax in the booming tourist towns of Kadina, Wallaroo, Moonta, Port Hughes on the Copper Coast. **CAMPING AVAILABLE** on the grounds

Registrations at <https://ulyssesadelaide.com.au/odyssey2019/register/>

Registrations both by electronic means and via post, will close on September 21st 2019 as we need to inform the Caterers of final numbers.

****Please consider registering by electronic means as this is much less work for the Organising Committee. ****

26th SA Odyssey, Kadina 2019

Hosted by Ulysses Club, Torrens Valley Branch.

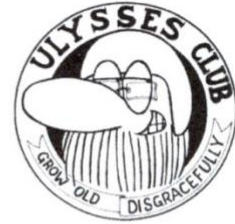
Venue: Kadina Football and Cricket Club,
off Doswell Terrace, Kadina SA 5554.

Friday 4th October - Monday 7th October 2019

Preferred method of registration is at
<https://ulyssesadelaide.com.au/odyssey2019>.

Preferred method of payment is bank transfer.

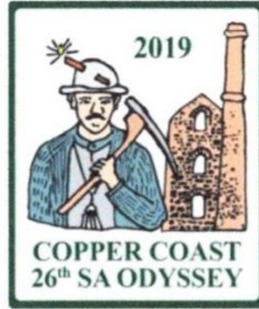
Registrations Close 21st September, 2019.



Surname		Given Name		Member#		
Street		Suburb		Postcode		
Phone		Mobile		Email		
Registration (includes badge)				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	\$40	\$40.00
Odyssey cloth patch				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$8	
Camping one night (per site) -choose one night or weekend, not both				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$10	
Camping the weekend (per site)				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$20	
Friday Dinner						
Mixed grill (sausage, scotch fillet, marinated chicken, salad bar)				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$18	
Ice cream and Fruit salad				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$4	
Saturday Breakfast (check one)						
Continental				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$10	
Cooked				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$17.50	
Saturday Dinner (check one dinner, one dessert)						
Chicken Schnitzel, tossed salad, Coleslaw, Potato, Mushroom, Egg & lettuce				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$20	
Beef Schnitzel, tossed salad, Coleslaw, Potato, Mushroom, Egg & lettuce				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$20	
Sticky Date Pudding				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$6	
Cheesecake				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$6	
Sunday Breakfast (check one)						
Continental				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$10	
Cooked				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$17.50	
Sunday Dinner (check one dinner, one dessert)						
Roast Chicken, pumpkin, potatoes, cauli/broccoli bake, peas, corn, carrots, gravy, rolls				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$20	
Roast Beef, pumpkin, potatoes, cauli/broccoli bake, peas, corn, carrots, gravy, rolls				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$20	
Apple crumble with ice cream and/or custard				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$6	
Pavlova with cream and berries				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$6	
Monday Breakfast (check one)						
Continental				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$10	
Cooked				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$17.50	
Total						
Special dietary requirements						
Payment method (tick one)		Direct debit <input type="checkbox"/>		Cheque/Money order <input type="checkbox"/>		

Direct Debit to: Ulysses Club, Torrens Valley BSB 035046 Account 516889. Please add your name as a reference. **If posting, make payable to** Ulysses Club, Torrens Valley Branch. **Send to:** Ulysses Club, Torrens Valley Branch, 13 Woodland Court Highbury SA 5089.

The 26th South Australian Odyssey 2019



Come and join the Ulysses Club – Torrens Valley Branch for the 26th SA Odyssey.

Relax with us in the booming tourist towns of Kadina, Wallaroo, Moonta and Port Hughes, forming the Copper Coast. Friday

4th October to Monday the 7th October

To be held at the Kadina Football and Cricket Clubs, 1 Doswell Tce. Kadina, SA 5554

Registration: Registration forms can be accessed electronically through the Adelaide Branch Website and Branch Magazines. **Registrations both by electronic and via post, close on September 21st 2019** as we need to inform the Caterers of final numbers. (Please consider registering by electronic as this is much less work for the Organising Committee).

Meals: Evening meals are available on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Breakfasts are available on Saturday, Sunday and Monday mornings. Meal tickets must be purchased when registering and presented at each meal.

Theme: "Cornish Miners"

Entertainment: Saturday and Sunday nights.

Accommodation: Onsite camping is available on the Oval directly in front of the Kadina Football Club for tents, caravans and motorhomes. The use of tent pegs will be restricted to short versions. There is a camping fee of \$10 per site for the one night or \$20 per site for two or more nights. The Copper Coast has four caravan parks in close proximity to the Kadina Football Club. The Kadina Football Club is adjacent to the magnificent Kadina Sports and Recreation Centre complete with swimming pool and café facilities.

Events include: Organised rides, participation in the Moonta Markets with a special Show and Shine display of bikes, bus tour of selected OP Shops and rides for Ulyssians on the Moonta Tourist Train.



RV AGM at Lake Albert Caravan Park Meningie S.A.

October 14th - 20th - RV AGM Event - All welcome, come on your bike, or in a car or caravan! Bring your own everything! Dogs on leads welcome. **For bookings contact the Caravan Park on 08 8575 1411 - say you are with Ulysses Club.** A great way to catch up with interstate Ulyssians, as well as those from SA, at a great location where there is plenty to see and do and enjoy the night time social activities. **You need to Register with Ulysses RV by 22 September at <http://ulyssesrv.org/>**



"life is better by the lake"

Blast from the Past



Guess who???

First correct email or text answer to me will receive a voucher for Long Shot Cafe at the next branch social meeting this coming Thursday 15th August.

email

judy.summers@internode.on.net

text 0413 594 864

Please, pretty please, send me by email or text any photos you might have that fit into the 'Blast from the Past' category so we can continue the fun.

Hint - You are to guess the rider (big brother) not the pillion! Good luck!

Age & Service Badges

Please remember to contact our Quartermaster Mark if you are due for an AGE or YEARS of SERVICE BADGE.

You need to supply your membership number, as Mark has to get your current membership status confirmed by NAO.

Branch Jackets

Jacket is lightweight and easy to pack in a pannier. At \$60 (plus \$5 if you want your name embroidered on the right chest) represents very good value and a way to promote our branch.



Here's the link to the order form: <https://tinyurl.com/y7rhchkf>

Branch Polo Shirts

Our delightful "Branch Shirts Co-Ordinator", Grant "Mudgutz" Wittaker has updated the order form to include the option to order and pay online AND for an additional \$5 you can have your name embroidered on your shirt.

You can of course still fill in a paper form (see Secretary, Grant or print one off) and hand it to Grant at the social meeting with the correct cash if you prefer. Many thanks to Grant for doing this.

The shirts Grant gets for us are great value, he gets them at cost price, so get your orders in now.

Here's the link to the order form: <https://tinyurl.com/y7xzvdzw>



Branch Classifieds

If branch members would like a classified in the Whaler please see the committee.



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Email: acrossozcampers@telstra.com
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