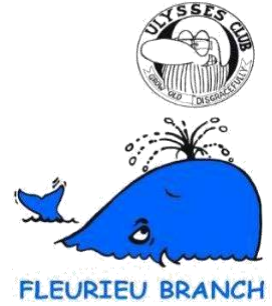


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ULYSSES CLUB INC. FLEURIEU BRANCH NEWSLETTER AGM EDITION JUNE 2019



Hello All,

Welcome to the AGM edition.
Please find for your perusal:

Page 4 - AGM agenda

Page 7 - Presidents Report.

Page 8 to 11 - Secretary's Report

Page 12 & 13 - Treasurers Report in MS Excel landscape format.

The President and Secretary reports will be accepted and seconded but will not be read out at the Branch AGM.




The Treasurer will discuss his report in more detail.

Please read these reports










Cheers, Brett.

Your Committee 2018-2019

EXECUTIVE

<u>President</u>	Brett Wise 0422 399 503 brett_wise@internode.on.net	
<u>Secretary</u>	Barbie Watson 0484 938 130	
<u>Treasurer</u>	David Polkinghorne	

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

 Rides Coordinator Trevor Staples	 Rides Reporter Gary Hollis	 Web Master Vicki Ryan
 New Members Tony Jarman	 Quartermaster Mark Thirkill	 Whaler Editor Judy Summers
 Welfare/Social Cherie Thorpe fleurieubbranch.welfare@gmail.com	 Committee Rob Ryan	 Committee Mike Thorpe

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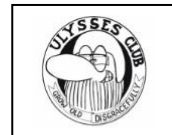
Fleurieu Sunday Rides

Date	Leaving	Ride Leader	Destination
June 23rd	Alma 10am	Vicki's Ride	Old Tailern Town
July 14th	Alma 10am	Robbo's Ride	TBA
July 28th	Alma 10am	Friends and Relies Ride with Jack	Finniss General Store and Cafe
August 11th	Alma 10am	Tony's Tour	Birdwood Motor Museum
August 25th	Alma 10am	John's Jaunt	TBA

Up Coming Events

Date	Event
June 20th Thursday	Branch Annual General Meeting at Alma Hotel Willunga
June 28th Fri.	Social Dinner at Middleton Tavern 37 Victor-Goolwa Rd. Middleton RSVP by 21 June to Cherie Mob. 0498 711 137 see page 16
July 6th Fri & Sat	SA Breakfast Club Broken Hill - see info page 17
July 26th Friday	Christmas in July Dinner Southern Districts Men's Working Club 24 Epstein Drive Morphett Vale - diary date
August 3rd. Sat.	SA Breakfast Club - Wellington
Aug. Fri. 30th - Mon. 1 st Sept.	3 Peninsula Ride Based at Quorn see page 18
Oct. Fri. 4th - Mon. 7th	Ulysses 26 th SA Odyssey 2019 Copper Coast Region Kadina Football Club see page 18
Oct. Mon. 14th - Sun. 20th	RV AGM Lake Albert Caravan Park Meningie see page 19

**ULYSSES CLUB INC. Fleurieu Branch (FB)
AGENDA for the 2019 Fleurieu Branch - AGM
20th June 2019 – At the Alma Hotel – Willunga**



1 Welcome: President to welcome Ken Wagnitz (Adelaide Branch President) who will preside over the Fleurieu Branch 2019 AGM.

2 Apologies Received: Barbie Watson, Paul “Guv” Watson,

3 Remembrance and Recognition:

Ridden On: Charlie Hartwright – Do we know of anyone else?

Awards: - “OAKS” Award (Older Alive & Kicking Still) 2018: Chris “Meerkat” Matthews.
- Warren Jamieson Award – 2018: Ray “Hoppy” Willis

4 Minutes of the previous AGM: 21st June 2018, was emailed to all members and will not be read out at this meeting.

Questions?

Minutes moved for acceptance by: _____

Seconded by: _____

5 Annual Reports: Were published in the June 2019 Whaler & will not read out at this meeting.

5.2 President’s Report

Questions?

Report was moved for acceptance by: _____

Seconded by: _____

5.3 Secretary’s Report:

Questions?

Report was moved for acceptance by: _____

Seconded by: _____

5.4 Treasurer’s Report:

Questions?

Report was moved for acceptance by: _____

Seconded by: _____

6 With no further business from the last AGM the President declares all committee positions vacant and asks Ken Wagnitz to preside over the election.

7 Nominations for 2019/2020 Committee:

All nominees, proposers and seconders have been confirmed as financial members of the Ulysses Club Inc.

All positions were uncontested?

The following members were nominated as Office Bearers:

President: Brett Wise #65152

Nominated by: Cherie Thorpe #66385

Seconded by: Mike Thorpe #63939

Secretary: Mike Thorpe #63939

Nominated by: Barbie Watson #47781

Seconded by: Brett Wise #65152

Treasurer: David Polkinghorne #65306

Nominated by: Barbie Watson #47781

Seconded by: Mike Thorpe #63939

Ordinary Committee Members Nominated

Nominee:	Nominated by:	Seconded by:
Vicki Ryan (Webmaster) #30737	David Polkinghorne #65306	Mike Thorpe #63939
Judy Summers (Whaler Editor) #65858	Vicki Ryan #30737	Trevor Staples #57421
Tony Jarman (New Membership) #52538	Barbie Watson #47781	Robert Ryan #30738
Trevor Staples (Rides coordinator) #57421	Mike Thorpe #63939	Judy Summers #65858
Gary Hollis (Rides Reporter) #58340	Brett Wise #65152	Mike Thorpe #63939
Mark Thirkill (QM) #67417	Mike Thorpe #63939	Robert Ryan #30738
Cherie Thorpe (Welfare) #66385	David Polkinghorne #65306	Judy Summers #65858
Jack Ash #7045	Mike Thorpe #63939	Cherie Thorpe #66385

Nominations carried: _____

- Ken Wagnitz to invite newly elected President to resume the chair.
- Newly elected President to thank Ken Wagnitz for presiding over our AGM.
- Newly elected President to introduce the newly elected Committee.
- Outgoing committee members, Barbie Watson #47781 & Rob "Hobbit" Ryan #30738 who did not seek re-election to be acknowledged and thanked for their long term valuable contribution to the Ulysses Fleurieu Branch.

8 Any other business:

No further business the Fleurieu Branch 2019 AGM meeting closed at pm on 20th June 2019.

NEXT BRANCH AGM - 18th JUNE 2020:

PRESIDENTS REPORT 2018 - 2019

Welcome all to the 2019 Branch AGM.

This time last year most of the existing committee were re-elected unopposed. We had Barbie confirmed as secretary. Three new members, Cherie taking up Welfare and Socials, Mark as the new QM, and Mikey as a new member were added to the committee taking us to 12 members. As a branch of the Ulysses Club, we are required under the Constitution to have five committee members, we have twelve! Every one of us has a job that we all take seriously to ensure that you the membership relax and have fun.

I thank you for the confidence shown by you the membership for the work your committee is doing for the branch.

This year Barbie and Hobbit are stepping down from their respective roles as Secretary, and general organiser of everything. I would personally like to thank Barbie for her dedication in bringing a whole professional look to the demanding role of secretary.

Hobbit, well what can I say that would go anywhere close to giving recognition to the many years that Rob has served in a committee role, from President to Committee member, he has dedicated his time and extensive skills to whatever task was asked of him. Rob, on behalf of Fleurieu Branch, I thank you.

So, what have we done this year. 2018 - 2019

Many good rides coordinated by Trevor and led by various leaders. I led two rides, and what I found was, do the first, then reverse it for the second. Two entirely different rides, winner. We have been trying new ways to end rides rather than ending at pubs all the time. BBQ's, soup run, venues like Prospect Hill, and bakery's.

Promotion of the Branch is ongoing with our attendance at events like the Macclesfield Bike Show and the Christies Christmas Pageant. We have also purchased two feather flags to use as required. Events and socials, the big one being the National Rally at Mornington with a reasonable attendance from our mob. We hosted the state Odyssey in Robe in September, a fun weekend. I must say that my personal favourite was the Beast Feast at Jo and Ray Hann's property. Very well attended, fantastic weather, and meat, glorious meat. The SABC is an event implemented by Adelaide Branch, usually very well attended, averaging 30 or so.

I will take this opportunity to welcome the new members who have joined our branch this year. The numbers continue to grow as it gets known what an active branch we are. Not just that, it's what we do not have that appeals to people. We do not have ego's or politics in our branch which makes for a pleasant place to be. I pledge to keep it that way. Be proactive in promoting Ulysses Club, and Fleurieu Branch. The secretary and I have business cards for hand out.

So, what does the future hold? This really is up to you, the membership. We are introducing or bringing back ideas like the bi monthly social dinners. However, no matter how brilliant the committee is, we can't think of everything. If anyone has an idea for something we can do, then please let a committee member know.

That's it from me. The next report is very detailed and covers what is discussed at committee meetings.

Brett Wise #65152
Fleurieu Branch President

SECRETARYS REPORT

2018 – 2019

I am very happy to have served as Branch Secretary since 2017; working with an enthusiastic team of people for the benefit of the Branch & members.

Due to overseas travel and other commitments, I am standing down from my role this year.

Raffle:

My previous role as “Raffle Queen”, has been ably and enthusiastically run by “The Girls” aka Betty & Helen, since Oct 2017. Many thanks girls.

Betty and Helen have done a fantastic job, but they are now ready to hand over the role to someone else. If you would like to do something to help the Branch, but don't see yourself as serving on the Committee; doing the raffle is a really good thing to do, it's fun & you get to know members better too!

The monthly raffle raises funds that enables us to “give back to our members” by way of subsidising badges & events. All of your receipts for prizes will be reimbursed by the Treasurer.

Many thanks to members who have donated prizes to our monthly raffle.

Committee Meetings:

We are required to meet a minimum of 6 times per year, as per the Constitution.

The Committee will have met on 10 occasions since the last BRANCH AGM.

At each Committee meeting, the members of the committee discuss their areas of responsibility: Finance; Correspondence (electronic and “snail”); Website/ Social Media; Rides & Events; Overnights; Membership & Branch Promotion; Welfare & Socials; The Whaler Newsletter; Quartermaster orders; & Member Awards.

Communications:

1. MailChimp - “BRANCH COMMS” & “Rides Reports”:

Our MailChimp account has enabled me to get regular email campaigns to our subscribers. We have had a lot of new subscribers, coming to us via the link on Facebook or Website, via email or by phone following conversations with new people attending rides/ events.

If you have changed your email address, postal address or phone number:

You can update your details ONLINE by clicking the link at the very bottom of the email...

where it

says in tiny writing.....“update your preferences”it's just above the MailChimp Logo.



You can email us: fleurieubbranch@gmail.com

You can **phone** the Branch Secretary on: 0484 938 130

BUT please remember, this is only for the Fleurieu Branch mailing list!

It is your responsibility to notify Ulysses National Administration Office (NAO) if you have changed any of your contact details in order for their communications to continue to reach you.

The easiest way to update your details with NAO is to login to your membership at:

www.ulyssesclub.org

Or you can contact NAO on: 1300 134 123 or email them: administration@ulysses.org.au

2. Website, Social Media

Our dedicated Webmaster & Social Media Co-ordinator, Vicki Ryan, continues to work hard at maintaining our Website, Facebook, Calendar & many local forums.

Many thanks to Vicki who has served tirelessly in this role for many years.

In addition to Vicki's Facebook and Web posts, Rides and Event updates, we have Gary "GPS" Hollis who publishes wonderful poetic Rides Reports on Facebook, with equally magnificent photos. Thank you, Gary.

3. The Whaler Newsletter:

Judy Summers continues to do an amazing job as "The Whaler" Editor. The Whaler continues to be an excellent way of getting news to our members, "all in one place". Thank you, Judy.

Judy is always looking for "content", so please, if you have some good motorbike advice, a great article to share, a story or a funny joke, or a photo of you in your youth (**yes, you were there!**) for the "Blast From The Past" section, please email it to: judy.summers@internode.on.net so it can be published in The Whaler.

It's a great way you can contribute to our Branch newsletter.

Branch Promotion:

Business Cards:

We have a supply of "Fleurieu Branch" business cards, and we encourage members to carry a few of these with you, to hand out if you meet interested people. This is a great way of promoting Ulysses Club & Fleurieu Branch.

If you don't have any cards, please ask us and you can help spread the Ulysses Club word to encourage potential new members.

Feather Banners:

We have recently purchased two new "feather banners", which will certainly draw attention to us at events, and continue to improve our presence in the community. Thanks to Brett and the Committee for this great initiative.

Being visible on Rides:

Bi-monthly Sunday Rides & lunches:

Our Rides Co-Ordinator Trevor "Dirt Track" continues to encourage and "cajole" members into leading twice monthly Sunday rides.

- Wednesday rides – Dominic "Duke" Carli has been leading Wed rides, weather and time permitting. If you haven't led a ride yet, please give it a go.

We are very fortunate to have the most beautiful riding roads in The Fleurieu Peninsula.

Many thanks to Trevor and Dom & all the rides leaders. But I can't talk about our Branch rides without saying a big thank-you to our Tail End Charlie, Steve "Fonzi" & of course "GPS" who as I mentioned before, writes wonderful reports and is always behind the lens, posting some great reports and photos.

Events:

There are many opportunities to promote Ulysses Club & our Branch in the Community.

Apart from our regular rides, Odysseys, National Rallies etc, there is:

The Lions Bike Show, Friends and Rellies Ride & BBQ, McLaren Vale Vintage and Classic, Onkaparinga Xmas Pageant, to name a few.

Branch shirts & Jackets:

The order forms are available on our website:

Polo Shirts: <https://tinyurl.com/y7xzvdzw>

Jackets: <http://tinyurl.com/y8ur6m3r>

You can opt to have your name embroidered on too.

To order online:

- Please fill in the form, pay online (payment details are on the form) scan and email the order form to Grant "Mudgutz" Whittaker (address on the form)

OR

- Print & fill in the form (or ask Grant or Secretary, for an order form @ The Alma social meetings and hand to Grant **with the money** at meeting).

NB.... email & online payment is quicker.

Grant has been doing this job for the Branch for many years, and we are grateful to him for doing this. The new Branch jacket, is a light weight jacket & is meant to be easily packed in a pannier. We got approval (& praise for the design) for the jacket from National Committee (NATCOM) last year.

Quartermaster:

Mark has been our QM for the last year and is doing a great job. Thanks Mark.

NB.....It is up to members to let us know if they are due for an age and/ or length of membership year badge - as we have to confirm membership details with NAO.

There is a small cost for some of these *badges, BUT Fleurieu Branch subsidises them in the spirit of "giving back to our members".

-Year Length of membership badges: *10, *15 & 20, 25 & 30 years

- Age Badges - *60, 70 & 80

-We also encourage members to order a Fleurieu Branch name badge from the QM.

Welfare & Social Events:

Cherie Thorpe has taken on the role of Welfare Officer.

Cherie has also been busy organising social dinners and events. Cheers Cherie.

Annual Standing Events/ Rides:

Here is a list of the current annual "standing events" that the committee and volunteers help organise &/ or are involved in for the Branch (aside from the regular Sun and Wed rides) & other "non-Ulysses" Rides/ Rallies i.e. Macie's Ride, High-Country Ride, Ghost Town Rally, Black Dog Ride etc.

Please consider volunteering to help out at any of these events, it's a great way to get to know each other, support the Branch & have a good social time.

- JAN – Fleurieu Branch "Presidents Ride"

- FEB - MAR – Ulysses National Rally – 2019 was @ Mornington & 2020 will be in LISMORE NSW (hosted by Northern Rivers Branch)

- APR - The Beast Feast – 6th April 2019

- APR - McLaren Vale Vintage and Classic – April 6 & 7th 2019. (It clashed this year, but next year, it will be a great opportunity for promoting Ulysses Club and Fleurieu Branch).

- APR – Macie's Ride – 7th April 2019 – Raising funds and awareness for Cystic Fibrosis.

- MAY – Hobbits Overnighter – riding to & from Balaklava.

- JUNE – Branch Anniversary Ride (*Inaugural Meeting was on 13th JUNE 2002*)

- JUNE - Branch AGM – 20th June 2019

- SEPT - Friends & Rellies Ride & BBQ – SUN 8th Sept

- OCT – SA Odyssey – "Copper Coast"- 4th – 7th Oct 2019.

- NOV – "LIONS BIKE SHOW" – good promotion day – 3rd Nov 2019 – Macclesfield - \$5 entry

- NOV/ DEC – MRASA TOY RUN – Dec 1st 2019

- NOV/ DEC – Onkaparinga Christmas Pageant – as well as riders, we need walkers to carry Branch banner and pass out lollies. BBQ after the pageant.

- NOV/ DEC – FL Branch Christmas Event – 8th Dec - *ride and lunch – Ride led by our very own “MMM” & followed by lunch at The Port Noarlunga Bowls Club.

As well as the above, the **Ulysses SA Breakfast Club** meets at different locations around the state on the first SAT of every month, giving members another opportunity to socialise, get to know more members, trying out new breakfast venues & having a good ride.

So, you can see, we have a pretty busy calendar in addition to our regular rides.

I would like to thank all the members who have supported Branch events during the year and who made new members feel so welcomed.

I move that this report be accepted at the Fleurieu Branch AGM 20st June 2019.

Barbie
Watson
#47781

Fleurieu Branch Secretary (2017 – 2019) *That’s me with the colourful feather bower on the right.*
Thanks TEAM, I loved working with you



Branch Feather Flag

TREASURERS REPORT 2018 - 2019

Ulysses Fleureu Branch Cheque Account January 1st 2018 to December 31st 2018

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Opening Balance
Income from raffle	\$166.00	\$141.00	\$161.00	\$229.00	\$143.00	\$162.00	\$146.00	\$182.00	\$294.50	\$147.00	\$413.00		\$2,184.50
Badges and patches		\$50.00	\$11.00				\$18.00	\$7.00	\$15.00	\$7.00			\$22.00
Money banked from petty cash			\$185.50										\$185.50
Clothing sale, auctions etc.				\$16.50									\$61.50
Donations							\$14.00			\$615.00			\$629.00
Beast Feast ticket sales									\$630.00				\$630.00
Entertainment books										\$168.00			\$168.00
Xmas Lunch ticket sales											\$930.00		\$930.00
Refund from Inter brand Xmas Dinner												\$117.00	\$117.00
Interest	\$0.35	\$0.30	\$0.35	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.35	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.38	\$0.36	\$0.32	\$4.11
Income per Month	\$166.35	\$191.30	\$357.85	\$245.84	\$143.34	\$162.34	\$178.35	\$234.34	\$939.84	\$937.38	\$1,343.36	\$139.32	\$5,039.61
Reimbursement for raffle prizes	\$153.19					\$35.05	\$78.84				\$383.17		\$104.28
Badges and patches	\$9.90		\$25.60			\$30.80	\$348.00				\$14.80		\$36.80
Xmas Pageant expenses	\$122.00												\$122.00
Stationary, flower, cards etc.	\$34.00	\$82.97	\$137.41				\$30.00				\$28.50		\$312.88
Donation to Maces Ride				\$229.00									\$229.00
Catering					\$150.00				\$557.98		\$78.55		\$786.53
Wood and heater for Beast Feast									\$189.00				\$189.00
Hall hire for Beast Feast										\$300.00			\$300.00
Inter branch Xmas Dinner										\$200.00			\$200.00
Entertainment book expenses											\$60.00		\$60.00
Payment for Xmas Lunch											\$1,600.00		\$1,600.00
Expenses per Month	\$319.09	\$82.97	\$163.01	\$409.75	\$35.05	\$109.64	\$378.00	\$383.17	\$746.98	\$500.00	\$1,886.13	\$360.70	\$3,791.70
											Closing Balance		\$3,791.70
Balance at end of month	\$3,973.31	\$4,081.64	\$4,276.48	\$4,112.57	\$4,220.86	\$4,273.56	\$4,073.91	\$3,925.08	\$4,117.94	\$4,555.32	\$4,012.55	\$3,791.17	

Ulysses Fleurieu Branch Odyssey Account January 1st 2018 to December 31st 2018

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Odyssey Registration	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,232.00	\$1,788.60	\$4,435.00	\$7,057.30	\$1,291.36	\$1,008.90	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interest	\$0.52	\$0.47	\$0.52	\$0.51	\$0.54	\$0.69	\$0.93	\$1.50	\$1.71	\$0.87	\$0.74	\$0.75
Payment for table decorations								\$162.91				
Payment for stubbie holders									\$660.00			
Payment for patches									\$437.00			
Payment for pins									\$712.50			
Payment for hall hire, camping and donation							\$1,200.00					
Payment for Saturday night entertainment							\$500.00					
Payment to Encounter Bay FC for catering							\$9,519.40					
Payment of GST for pins							\$71.25					
Refund							\$245.40					
Payment for consumables							\$373.88				\$301.90	
Refund											\$301.90	
	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$162.91	\$1,809.50	\$11,909.93	\$301.90	\$0.00	
	\$0.52	\$0.99	\$1.51	\$2.02	\$1,234.56	\$3,023.85	\$7,459.78	\$14,355.67	\$13,839.24	\$2,939.08	\$2,637.92	\$2,638.67
As per bank statement	\$6,232.98	\$6,233.45	\$6,233.97	\$6,234.48	\$7,467.02	\$9,256.31	\$13,692.24	\$20,588.13	\$20,071.70	\$9,171.54	\$8,870.38	\$8,871.13
Closing Balance												\$8,871.13

Abridged version of the 18-page report sent to NATCOM in January. Full report available if required. David Polkinghorne, #65306, Fleurieu Branch Treasurer

Mid-Week Rides



Wednesday Rides leave from the Alma at 10am or Victor at 9.30.

Next ride is 19th June then 3rd July (every two weeks)

For details please contact Ducati Dom on 0433 052 053

Ride Reports

Sunday May 26th Soup Run lead by Mark



As we were riding through the Kuitpo Forest, and on to Strathalbyn I was thinking. We should bestow on Markus the nickname of Messiah. Because until that stage, against all the odds the weather had remained fine. And my thoughts were, he must be in touch with the Devine to bring that about. That was until Brett decided the wet weather gear was not going to be needed, and against all advice he removed his!!!. Or it could have been Marcus pushing he's bond with the Devine, and insisting the luck would hold even in Mount Compass. Anyway, the upshot was, we got wet. And as predicted, hot soup at the end of the ride made it all the sweeter. What a great job by Chris and Bob, along with the help of a few others.

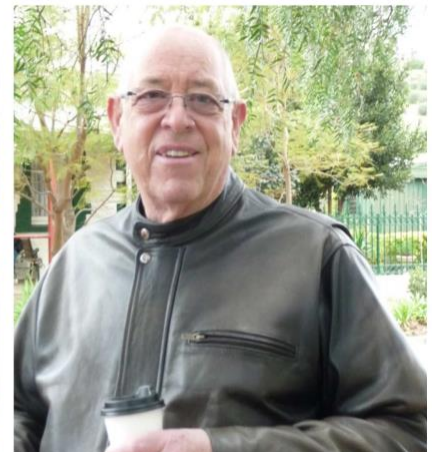
We successfully negotiated a cycling event, cattle dung, heavy rain and loose cows to have an enjoyable outing. And in the company of good friends ended the day at Chris's and Bob's place at Goolwa. The riding group itself was a little low in numbers but with the forecast, that's to be expected (the majority, has more sense) but we were joined by other members at the finish. Which just proves, if you can't ride for whatever reason, there is always a warm welcome wherever the ride finishes. So thanks folks for making our first brush with winter weather such a great success. Ride safe all, GPS



Sunday June 9th Anniversary Ride lead by Brett



Masterly, just masterly, that's what the governor put together today. More bends and curves than any ride that this little black duck's ever been on. "All the bends we have here on one ride" that's what one rider said. And I don't think that was all that far from the truth. Well done Prez, you're the man. Against all the odds the rain held off right until just out from Echunga on the homeward stretch. But then it was cold and wet. But even then strangely, the ride was still really enjoyable. When we stopped in the hills (Lobethal I think, but who knows, I'm never sure where we are) It was great to bathe in all the attention that Jimmy and Jules machine generates. And that long snaking line that held together so well through the journey was something to be a part of. Had some comments in the pub where we finished, from patrons, that we must be mad riding in these conditions. Well I can only think they've never had the pleasure of being astride a purring machine in the company of a close knit family. The discourse at the pub (Old Noarlunga Hotel) was as warm as the weather outside was cold. 24 hardy riders today including a newbie riding a Bonneville, welcome John. Thanks folks for another enjoyable Sunday. Stay safe, GPS



Fleurieu Branch 1st Social Dinner

Friday 31st May Fresh Choice

The first dinner was a huge success with everyone agreeing it was a great night out catching up with friends and enjoy plenty of food! Another dessert maybe Julz!

Thanks go to Cherie for organizing these social events.



Next Dinner - Friday 28th June at Middleton Tavern

6:45pm Friday June 28th at 37 Victor Harbor-Goolwa Rd, Middleton SA 5213.



R.S.V.P. by 21st June to Cherie Mob 0498 711 137



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 (first Sat of the month) for June was at Warrawong Sanctuary Mylor. Great ride, food and company. Next breakfast ride for July will be at Broken Hill, hmmm we may have to leave home a bit earlier for that one.

Next SABC Sat.6th July Broken Hill NSW

The next SABC breakfast is on Saturday 6th July 2019, from 9.30am, at **141 Bonanza St Broken Hill.**



The breakfast will be catered by the Ulysses Club Broken Hill Branch.

If you are attending, please email Rickie at town.bike@bigpond.com, or SMS him at 0408 884 588, with your name(s) and branch. Don't just give numbers.

There will be a gathering on the Friday night for tea at the Silver City Workingman's Club. Rickie is planning a ride for the Saturday, and a dinner get-together that night.

Diary dates for upcoming SABC venues

Aug. Wellington Sept. Angaston Oct. Kadina Football Club combined with Odyssey

Nov. Mt Gambier Dec. Laura

Up Coming Weekenders

PRELIMINARY NOTICE

3 Peninsulas Ride (13th ANNUAL Y.P- E.P) 2019

Venue: Quorn

Date: Friday 30th, Saturday 31st August & Sunday 1st September 2019

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: Will be at the Transcontinental. All within walking distance of these venues.

Rides: Will meet up with riders 10:00am @ Mt Pleasant, then ride for lunch at Burra. Ride to Melrose via Jamestown & Wirrabara painted silo for arvo break. Ride Horrocks Pass & Pichi Richi Pass to Quorn to meet up with Eyre Peninsula Branch Friday night for overnight stay & dinner, then ride with them Saturday to Blinman for lunch, ride back to Quorn for Sat night dinner and stay. Sunday morning ride to Warren George before heading home via Peterborough motorbike museum.

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

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Ulysses 26th SA Odyssey 2019

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

The Torrens Valley Branch Organising Committee is well advanced in the preparation to host this Event in the Copper Coast. The Kadina Football Club will be our hosts with registration, meals and entertainment all held in their fabulous venue. Camping, both caravans and tents, is permitted on the perimeter of the Oval in front of the Clubrooms and we will be using the Club facilities for showering etc. in the adjacent change rooms.

Registrations will open in early July via electronic means and forms inserted in your Branch Newsletters. The onsite registration desk will be open for business on the Friday from Mid-day. The

traditional Friday night BBQ will be held at the Cricket Club next to the main venue. Breakfasts will be served on the Saturday to Monday mornings at the Football Club together with the Saturday and Sunday night's formal dinners. We have generously been allowed to camp at the Oval on the Monday night to enable those wishing to avoid the traffic congestion on the way home to Adelaide but no breakfast will be served on that morning. We have secured a great band to the Saturday night and light entertainment for the Sunday night.

We are organising a motorcycle ride to nearby locations of interest on the Saturday morning. Those not riding are invited to join us in a bus tour of the local OP Shops. On the Sunday, bikes will be travelling in convoy to nearby Moonta for 'Moonta Day' where we have secured the famous Mine Train for our exclusive use and will join the Moonta Markets people for a 'Show and Shine' and to meet the locals and the many other tourists that flock to the Region on the October Long Weekend.

Accommodation is always tight in the Copper Coast especially on the October Long Weekend so you are well advised to secure your accommodation venue as soon as possible if you are not camping at the Football Club, which has unlimited room.

The Kadina Football Club can cater for up to 150 persons so the first in will be guaranteed a seat for the meals.

We look forward to meeting up with you all at the Copper Coast on the 2019 October Long Weekend.

Any further inquiries can be forwarded to Neville Gray on 0416 050 189 or via grayhigh@bigpond.com.

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"

Out and About

Some pics of our illustrious secretary Barbie and her side kick Guv enjoying themselves out and about in London. Great to see them flying the Fleurieu colours with their polo tops. Good one guys! Love your style.



Guv & I had a magnificent meet up with 6 Ulysses members @The Triumph Factory Experience in Hinkley UK yesterday.

I had contacted Dave (Ulysses GB Secretary) when we arrived in London & Dave let me know about the meet up.

We were so glad we could make the gathering & were delighted to also meet Alan, (Ulysses Sth. Africa Pres) who was visiting the UK for first time in 41 years! (Alans brother Peter organised the tour for Alan & Peter doesn't even ride, so big kudos to him 🙌👍)

Martin, past President GB had visited Australia some years ago & met up with some Ulyssesans & was delighted when he returned to the UK that the Ulysses GB had started up again.

John, an ex-pat who lives in the French Alps had travelled up from the Isle of Mann TT (we were all pretty jealous of him!) to the meet up @ Triumph before returning to catch the ferry to go home, very impressive. John is a member in France, GB & Australia. 🙌👍

We were all absolutely delighted sharing in the true Ulysses spirit of friendship.

Guv of course was "in his element" @ Triumph & I am pretty sure he kissed the ground before going in the building, only to see HIS Speed Twin on Show with a notice saying "please sit on me" ❤️❤️❤️❤️ The tour around the factory was exceptional & I highly recommend it to anyone who has the chance to do it.

The enormity & high quality control only made us love Triumph all the more. Cheers all, Barbie

Blast from the Past



Guess who???

First correct email or text answer to me will receive a voucher at the next branch meeting this coming Thursday.

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.

Starting to get a few more pics so thank you to those members. Keep them coming! ☺ JS



Patches and badges given to branch members at the last social meeting

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/y7rhckkf>

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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