



# Jayco Jaybirds SA

September 2015

## From The Editor

Welcome to the Jayco Jaybirds SA club newsletter.

Many thanks this month to Peter for his report on the Stony Creek rally and to Pauline and Judy for the photos.

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### **OCTOBER 2nd-5th (long weekend)**

Stockport Caravan & Tourist Park  
34 Murray Street  
Stockport SA 5410  
Ph. Sheryl 8528 2201  
Pet Friendly  
Late check-out is midday on the Monday



### **NOVEMBER 6th - 8th**

Port Willunga Caravan Park  
22 Tuitt Road  
Aldinga  
Ph. 8556 6113  
Pet Friendly  
\$40 per night (BIG4 10% discount if a member)



Please advise Inga of your intention to attend this rally by **FRIDAY 2ND OCTOBER**.

Could you please also give some thought as to whether you will be attending our **Christmas Rally 4th-6th December** at Normanville? I have booked 20 powered sites and the managers would like some numbers as soon as possible.

We have the same caterer as last year Rod who did a magnificent buffet for us. The cost of this dinner, which will be on the Saturday night, will be in a future newsletter.



Inga

## Stony Creek Caravan Park, Stony Creek

**Jayco Jaybirds: Stony Creek Rally, 4<sup>th</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> September 2015**

Our trip started Thursday afternoon, and as we got closer to Stony Creek Caravan Park, the ranges were shrouded in clouds. This made it quite eerie as to what the weather was going to be. As we pulled into the park we were greeted by the others from the club who had arrived earlier in the day. They all helped us to set up as it was getting darker and they were getting hungry. A sausage sizzle for tea and one or two beverages were consumed sitting around a fire pit and we met the newbies, Tom and Louise who fitted in very well.



**Safety Rules:** When attempting to fan smoke from smoke alarm, make sure you locate smoke alarm not antenna winder!



Friday we attempted to go to Alligator Gorge but that didn't happen due to poor conditions of walking tracks. We attempted to get something to eat in Wilmington but the bakery was closed and up for sale, café was closed and the pub didn't have a cook on hand, so we went back to the park. Allen was so disappointed as he only wanted a pasty from the bakery. We decided to explore the park and check out the facilities which were pretty good. Some of the kids from the club went tad poling in the creek. Dinner tonight was roast lamb and roast pork in the Weber Q with roast vegies which was magic. Hats off to all the cooks.



Desert was supplied by Judy; small pavlovas and brandy snaps. We decided our meal was just as good as the hotel.

Saturday we went to Quorn to see what they had to offer and we were not disappointed. We checked out the railways, the town and found a drapery shop that was also a bakery. We were taken back in time as the shop had not changed its décor and they still had flying foxes which they used to use for giving back



change. Back to the park for a game or two of bocce followed by a shared bbq dinner. Some of the girls changed into their onesies for a laugh and a photo shoot.



Sunday we had to say goodbye to Noel and Sue, Allen and Judy and Brian and Ann. The rest of us just did what ever until happy hour and dinner.

Monday the rest of us Peter and Pauline, Tom

and Louise and last but not least Lyn, packed up, said our goodbyes and headed for home. We all loved the park and would go back again. The caretakers were great. They told us that they would be putting some meals on in the near future and also obtaining a liquor licence for the people in the park. Happy hour etc.

Cheers,

Peter Garner.



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- Advise Inga by email or telephone of your intention to participate **four weeks** before the rally date.  
[heast.skye@gmail.com](mailto:heast.skye@gmail.com)  
Mob. 0404 884 314
- ALSO, should you wish to arrive earlier or depart later than the dates booked by the club, you will need to communicate **DIRECTLY** with the caravan park concerned to discuss your dates of arrival and departure. Could you please also let Inga know that you have done so?

### From our Secretary

Allan and Anne attended the special meeting of ACCSA (ACCSA is the Caravanning Association of South Australia , which is linked to a national body) on Wednesday 9th September. This meeting was held because the AGM held in August failed to attract people to fill the positions of the committee. Luckily at this special meeting all positions were filled and the association will continue for another year. Last year they organised the state rally at Victor Harbor, and sourced insurance for affiliated members.



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