



SAMRATS

Newsletter

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Well I know we are heading into winter and one would expect things to calm down, but things are just getting busier!

Sunday May 23

It seems there is going to be a lot of motor sport in the Adelaide Hills this weekend with the associated road closures. So This Sunday we will ride up to Mannum for lunch, cross the river then run back to Murray Bridge and follow the Old Princess Highway to split up at Nairne.

Flyer here:

<http://www.mrasa.asn.au/pdf/sun100523.pdf>

10 Pin Bowling Night!

On Saturday, June 12, the 2IC's are taking people 10 pin bowling. This has proven itself in past years as being a popular event.

Date: 12th June Saturday Night.

Venue: AMF Bowling Norwood.

Address: 11 Osmond Tce.

Time: 7:00pm onwards.

Great night of social fun for everybody come give it a

go. Have a laugh while watching others.

Then up to one of the local café's up the parade for

something to eat or just have a coffee.

If interested in coming along contact

Jim mob: 0411 285 097.

A booking will be made on the 6th June.

To finalise numbers. Flyer here:

<http://www.mrasa.asn.au/pdf/sat100612.pdf>

Let Those Who Ride Decide!

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Sedan Ride May 30

Jim has decided to change this ride from the Swan Reach Hotel to the Sedan Hotel. The publican of the Sedan Hotel has offered Jim a good deal on a lunch for riders. Meet at the BP Modbury at 9.30 am for a 10 am start. The hotel is providing a bbq lunch. The menu is a porterhouse steak with the lot, \$13. Hamburger, \$6. Sausage, \$1.50. Flyer here: <http://www.mrasa.asn.au/pdf/sun100530.pdf>

June Committee Meeting

The June committee meeting will be held on June 14. Meetings are held at the Directors Hotel, 247 Gouger St Adelaide. Meetings start at 7pm. All welcome!

Christmas in Winter Dinner

Since the date for this clashed with the long weekend, we decided to move this to the weekend of June 19 & 20. We plan to have two meeting points for this ride. The first is the Mobil at Glen Osmond and the second is the BP Taillem Bend. From here we will ride to Kingston SE and stay overnight at the Royal Hotel. Here we will enjoy a festive feast like you would expect to eat at Christmas. The Menu for this year is a choice between one main and one desert for \$25.00. Porterhouse Steak (Prime cut sirloin steak served with rosemary-buttered potatoes finished with a traditional French Ju's lie Sauce) or Roast Turkey (Succulent Roast Turkey accompanied with roast potatoes, pumpkin and topped with cranberry sauce) or Crumbed Chicken Breast (Topped with Prawns and a creamy sweet Thai sauce) as mains. Then for desert choose from Plum Pudding (Traditional plum pudding served with a rich brandy custard and ice cream) or French Crepes (filled with strawberries and cream layered with chocolate). Or you can order from the usual dining menu if none of this suits! Next morning we ride across to Keith bakery for morning tea. Then after back to town. Please check the flyer for more details:

<http://www.mrasa.asn.au/pdf/xmasjune10.pdf>

Ride for the Child

Almost two years ago we provided a Toy Ride type ride for a very sick child who later died from his illness. Many riders have since suggested that we should be inspired by Jayden and try and raise some money for the cause. I am please to say that in the last week I have been given permission by the family to run an event inspire by the courage of Jayden. On July 18 we plan to have a ride from the city to the Mt Pleasant Showgrounds where we hope to have a BBQ and music for the mob. We also hope dealers and businesses will provide bits and pieces to be raffled. Now instead of asking riders to put their hands in their pockets for coin we would like to try something that worked well last time we did it. We would like riders to approach family and friends and get sponsorship. We hope to have a limited dollar value to entitle the rider to the BBQ and a badge and then prizes for those who raise more. Last time we ran an event like this we raised in the vicinity of \$6,500 from 40 riders. Imaging what we could raise if the original 400 support this! For those who don't like this there will be a charge simple for the event. Proceeds from this event with be split between Canteen and Brookman Ward at the Children's Hospital. Both charities are special to the Green Family. As we have just started planning for this please expect more information soon. *Please book the date in your diary!*

Badge design by Paul Morgan (thank you Paul):



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Mobile Phones

In recent times I have been very disappointed with the network coverage of many carriers outside the CBD. If your first aid plan depends on your mobile phone please check your networks coverage in rural areas!

Check www.mrasa.asn.au for latest info!

Other useful URL's:

Rallies and Runs – Take your motorcycle camping!:

<http://www.mrasa.asn.au/html/ralliesruns/>

SAMRATS Rides List:

<http://www.mrasa.asn.au/html/samrats/upcoming.shtml>

SAMRATS News page where other events can be found and general information of interest:

<http://www.mrasa.asn.au/html/samrats/news.shtml>

Centerstand Archive is now available here:

<http://www.mrasa.asn.au/html/about/centerstand.shtml>

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