



WANNEROO WANDERERS 4WD CLUB



CONVOY PROCEDURE

1. Fuel tanks must be filled prior to start of trip.
2. Before moving off from a designated departure point the trip leader will appoint a tail-end charlie.
3. At **All** turn-offs, vehicles shall wait until the following vehicle is aware of the former's intention. Periodical checks for the following vehicle must be made as per convoy procedure.
4. Persons leaving the club convoy **MUST** notify the trip leader and if possible give details of their intentions.
5. No vehicle in the convoy is to pass the lead vehicle.
6. When travelling in convoy on the open road, the distance between vehicles shall not be less than 6 vehicle lengths, and keep the vehicle behind in sight at reasonable intervals.
7. At nature stops the rule to be followed is ladies to the left - gents to the right.
8. In recovery procedures to avoid injury to personnel the drivers of the vehicles involved shall ensure that the immediate area is cleared.
9. All persons travelling in convoy must be inside a vehicle

CODE OF ETHICS

1. Obey restriction on use of public lands. Respect national parks and other conservation areas, (i.e. Calm, Water Authority, Fire Authorities).
2. Obtain permission before driving on private land. Leave livestock alone and gates as found.
3. Keep to existing tracks where possible.
4. There shall be no deliberate destruction of trees, shrubs or wildlife. Respect our wildlife, stop, look and observe but never chase animals.
5. Use a well worn campsite to minimise impact on the environment.
6. No firearms to be displayed or used in campsite or prohibited areas.
7. No unofficial competition or displays of "4WDing" shall take place during trips without permission of the trip leader.
8. At club functions members shall obey verbal instructions and visual signs erected by the organisers.
9. Drive very slowly within camp area.
10. When answering the calls of nature, members are asked to take the shovel and bury the result at all times, Ladies are respectfully requested to dispose of their paper hygienically. (i.e. rubbish container or campfire).
11. Keep the environment clean. Be prepared to carry out all the rubbish you take into unserviced areas.
12. All members are requested to comply with the above codes.

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CREATE THE LIFE YOU WANT

Check these guys out on the Web, Facebook or Instagram

Recommended by one of our members for good service. I checked them out and I see they are still operating but not shipping from overseas.

THE COMMITTEE

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Meetings are held on the first Wednesday of the month (except in January when it is held on the second Wednesday, and AGM in September which is a dinner function). Meetings are held at Warradale Hall in Landsdale – 7.30pm for a 7.45pm start

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ABOUT THE CLUB

WANNEROO WANDERERS 4WD CLUB INC

The Wanneroo Wanderers 4WD club is an enthusiastic group of people who have banded together to enjoy 4WD trips and excursions while conserving the natural bush ecology.

Club membership comprises families and individuals of all ages. The range of club activities caters for the novice as well as the experienced drivers. Activities include social functions, day drives, weekend and extended trips both on and off road at various times during the year.

Club members use a range of camping options from swags, tents, troopies, camper trailers and caravans. The club has no preference to the make of 4WD vehicle owned. Personal and vehicle safety during club events is of the utmost importance. Where possible proposed trips are thoroughly planned and surveyed in advance.

The club is an affiliated member of the WA 4WD association and we support the aim to promote 4WD vehicle owners as responsible, community spirited people concerned with conservation and the environment.

The club Meets at the Warradale Community Centre, Warradale Terrace, Lansdale on the first Wednesday of each month except for January when it is held on the 2nd Wednesday commencing at 7:45pm.

Visitors are always welcome to attend meetings and club events. Prospective members are encouraged to attend two club meetings and two club activities before applying for membership.

If you wish to obtain further information about the club, please feel free to contact us at

Wanneroo Wanderers 4WD Club Inc.

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EDITORIAL

Hi there everyone

Well what can I say! I hope everyone is managing to stay isolated and keep those retirement dreams alive in your imagination

I personally am now in 90% isolation having taken unpaid leave until Easter. When I go back (hopefully that happens) I will be on 3 days a week part time. Im one of the lucky ones and look forward to that as being semi retired!

In in these unprecedented ☺ times, there are many things that can captivate our senses that really make you feel happy to be here – Ive noticed a neighbours garden that has the loveliest colours on a plant spilling over the fence, the sound of silence in the morning (instead of the usual traffic noise) and I think the sunrises and sunsets have been especially beautiful lately. Nature at its best from my own back yard.

So, I am semi stocked up (was fully stocked up until Mike came home and had dinner, plus 3 rounds of sandwiches and his easter egg!) that's what I mean by semi isolated, I have to pop out to do a suss out of the Woollies Beldon carpark and if its not too busy I can replenish. I also have 4 cartons of beer, a bottle of bourbon and the wine I bought off Steve.

I should be right. The list of jobs is endless and will keep me occupied for several weeks

Carry on with the emails and messages to each other, the face time and group virtual get togethers. Your all doing very well

Until the "after party", keep on keeping on

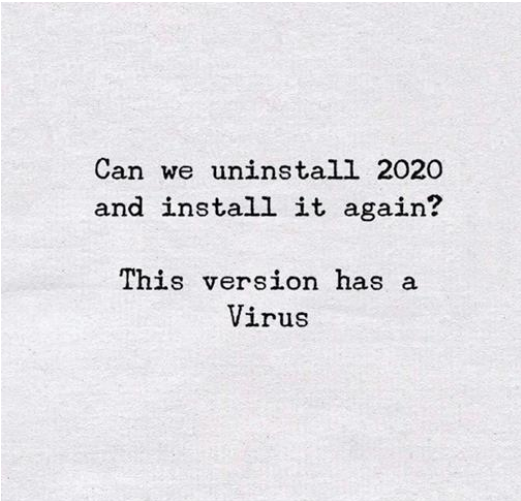
Regards

Barb

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Can we uninstall 2020
and install it again?

This version has a
Virus

WW's setting a precedent way way back in the early 2000'S being very responsible with social distancing.

There is a video of this carry on somewhere which is very funny to watch



Can everyone spare some of their isolation time to clean and polish their toilet tent for the "after this event" party.

I think we should all display our different coloured and size toilet tents with a dance off, being careful not to fall in the fire

TRIPS AND SOCIAL EVENTS

December	Christmas BBQ at Kym & Glendas
January	New Years Brunch at Egret Point Australia Day LWE at Olive Hill Farm
February	Day Run Preston Beach Sunset drinks on the deck at Steve & Kerri's LWE Paralytics & campover at Angela & Rons
March	Syd Brown Memorial Fishing Competition at Sandy Cape Hybernation and sharing of club photos and stories via email

Congratulations to new grandparents - Steve and Sue Morris on the arrival of another grand baby. Their first grand daughter Charlotte. We all wish you much love and best wishes to Kristen, Brad and Elliot

**MAGAZINE REPORT FOR CHRISTMAS BBQ
AT KYM AND GLENDA'S HOME IN GREENWOOD
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8**

Our club members really do like social events, the past two events have had awesome turnouts and our Christmas BBQ at Kym and Glenda's was no exception either. We had over 40 people attend and everyone was in great festive spirits. Lots of laughing, catching up with each other plus some eating and some drinking..... OK.....lots of eating and lots of drinking. Thanks to everyone for bringing along dishes to share, we had some fantastic choices.

Kym purchased ice creams for dessert and he had a great selection for us to choose from.....yummy.

With all the hot weather we had in the week up to the BBQ I thought lots of people would be going in for a swim but it seems if the temperature less than 30 degrees we are reluctant to get in the water. If we'd had the BBQ a week later, the pool would have been chock-o-block full of people escaping that string of 40 degree days.

During the evening Elisa had some new club shirts on display for people to order, they are a little different in style but I really like the look of them. By the time the magazine is printed we should have received our first order.

El Presidente was busy again with his camera so hopefully he will forward some photos to go with this short report.

That's all for now until our 2020 Brunch in Mandurah.

Karen



AUSTRALIA DAY WEEKEND AT OLIVE HILL FARM

We set off on Thursday morning the 23rd January travelling down to Margaret River for our Australia Day weekend with the club, a mandatory stop at the Bunbury Growers Market to pick up some fresh produce. Olive Hill Farm is situated about 8 km north east of Margaret River townsite. When we arrived we were greeted by fellow members Glenda, Kym, Elisa, Joe, Jane and Larry who had already setup at their campsite in allocated spots. Not long after we arrived Carol, Alan, Marlyn and John turned up. Helen, one of the owners of Olive Hill Farm greeted and informed us of the facilities and activities which had been arranged. The weather was fine and the camp ground sites were quite spacious, included at the farm was a dump point, potable water and a very clean open air drop toilet. In the afternoon we all gathered in the marquee for happy hour and lots of laughter.

Friday morning around 9 am we were treated to beautiful scones made by Emma the daughter of the owners Helen and Benji, accompanying the scones was jam and cream which was delightful. Local produce was for sale comprising of sausages, cheese, steak, haggis and smoked legs of ham which many of us purchased items. During the day Mirella, Paul, Debbie, Paul, Judy, Phil, Karen, Archie, Kerri and Steve arrived and set up their camps. We went into Margaret River for a walk down main street and a stop at the visitor's centre, others visited Wineries and some went for a swim in the Margaret River which runs at the back of the property accessed by a beautiful walk through the grove of trees. A great day was had by all, including happy hour again in the marquee to which John Corderoy enjoyed splendidly, he also had facial injuries due to a fall close to his caravan.

Alison and Alan were the first to arrive on Saturday morning joining Karen and Archie on their site. We decided to visit a few wineries, others went into Margaret River and quite few decided to just rest and relax. In the afternoon Glenda and I decided to go to the river, it was a great walk followed by Glenda having a refreshing swim. We meet Helen, Emma, Jack and Benji's mum who also enjoyed their swim. Around 5pm we all gathered together to celebrate Robert Burn's birthday. The evening started with Benji in full Scottish regalia piping the haggis which was carried by his wife Helen. Once the haggis was placed on the table Benji recited some Robbie Burn's poetry including Ode to the Haggis. The haggis was ceremonially cut and then passed around for everyone to taste, Joe was the only Wanneroo Wanderer who did not partake. Larry was chosen to toast the Haggis with fine Scottish whisky. After the ceremony was over we were treated to a lovely dinner comprising of slow baked ham (9 hours), potato's in jackets with sour cream and a three bean and tomato hot dish. This was delicious and was followed by a choice of vanilla or chocolate ice cream. After dinner we all returned to the marquee to have final drinks for the night and were joined by Helen and Benji. Benji generously shared a fine bottle of scotch for those who liked a wee dram and as you know we have quite a few partakers in the club.

Sunday the 26th of January the club had decided to travel to Cowaramup to join the the Australia Day breakfast courtesy of the local Lions Club. It was held at the Pioneer Park which was well grassed and shaded. A donation provided bacon, eggs, cooked tomatoes, sausages, juice and toast followed by tea and coffee. The Lions Club should be very proud of themselves as the event was a great success and hosted by volunteers. After breakfast Marlyn and John decided to go to a winery for lunch while

the rest of us went on a day run down to our old camp site off Denny Road. The trip was lead by Paul who took us through corrugated forestry tracks on to Sues Road where Jane and Larry joined us and then down to Denny Road. Ray and I decided not to go into the old campsite (which we were fined for) and had lunch at another site by the Blackwood river. The track into our old campsite was rugged and overgrown not like it was many years ago although it was always a difficult site to engage. After lunch we all headed back to Cowaramup to Millers to have the well renowned ice cream. On arriving back to camp we found Sue, Dave, Jenny and Tony had arrived and set up camp. Happy hour again and arrangements made for lunch the following day at Colonial Brewery to celebrate Marlyn's birthday. Another successful day had by all.

Monday turned out to be a very hot day with the temperature around the 40 degree mark. Scones with jam and cream were generously offered to us again in the morning which we enjoyed. A box was on the table for Emma who was raising money for the purchase of her new trumpet so we all donated. Around 12 o'clock we left camp and headed to the Colonial Brewery for lunch, after a few hours we went back to camp but found it was bit uncomfortable with the high temperature so a few generators were turned on so air conditioning units could be used inside the caravans. The afternoon breeze arrived about 4 o'clock so we all gathered to the marquee for drinks and nibbles. The 5 doggies on the trip were Charlie Brown, Bella, Rufus, Zeb and Morgan. They enjoyed chasing balls, swimming in the river and being pampered at night lounging around on their beds in the marquee. Lots of laughs again and around 10pm most of us retired to our caravans.

Tuesday morning found most of us packing our vans up to head home after a fantastic weekend. Sue, Dave, Marlyn and John stayed an extra day having lunch in the restaurant Rustico at Hay Shed Hill. I am sure the club will visit Olive Hill Farm again and a big thank you to Benji, Helen, Emma and Jack for being fabulous hosts.

Chris & Ray

WHEN THE ECONOMY STARTS UP AGAIN, LET'S START IT UP WITH



AUSTRALIA DAY WEEKEND AT OLIVE HILL FARM









Valentines Sunset Drinks on The Deck









FLASH BACK



PILBARA

W. W. 4 W. B. P. J. PARTY.
1990
(DAVE & PENNY CLARK)



'S' Bend '87



Paralytic Olympics 28th Feb-2nd March LWE

Keith & I arrived on Saturday 29th mid afternoon and we were one of the last to arrive, everyone else was already enjoying Happy Hour.

There were 14 club members and 2 visitors, Alan & Thea, so with 16 people it was easy to divide 4 teams of 4.

LET THE GAMES BEGIN!!!!

1ST GAME – Ping Pong Noughts & Crosses

A bit of a challenge as many of the balls bounced off the table and then the 7 dogs were after them. We needed to get them before they did. The first team to get 3 balls in a row in cups filled with water were the winners

2nd GAME Flip the Cup

Each player in each team in turn has to flip the plastic cup so that it lands face down on the table. The first team to reach 7 is the winner.

After lots and lots of fun, laughter and shenanigans it was time to relax and have our BBQ dinner, with shared salads and yummy sweets (supplied by the Club)

After dinner the games were on again

3rd GAME Bocce Boules

The first to 8 wins, once again lots of fun was had by all including the dogs

SUNDAY 1/3 lazy morning get up with a late breakfast of bacon & eggs on the BBQ. Most just stayed back at Ron & Angelas enjoying the relaxation, while Steve & Kerri were going for a scenic drive to the Bindoon Bakery. We asked to hitch a ride, and Kym couldn't resist either and tagged along as well. We had a great lunch and also decided to bring back some yummy cakes for sweets to share that night to go with the roast pork, beef and turkey for dinner

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Angela & Ron for still having this event after all that has been going on with their own family health issues, you are the best. I would also like to thank Sue, Penny and Kerri for all their help in the kitchen, and also Barb for her effort in installing the garden lights, they looked stunning.

A great weekend had by all, BIG thanks to Ron and Angela

Regards

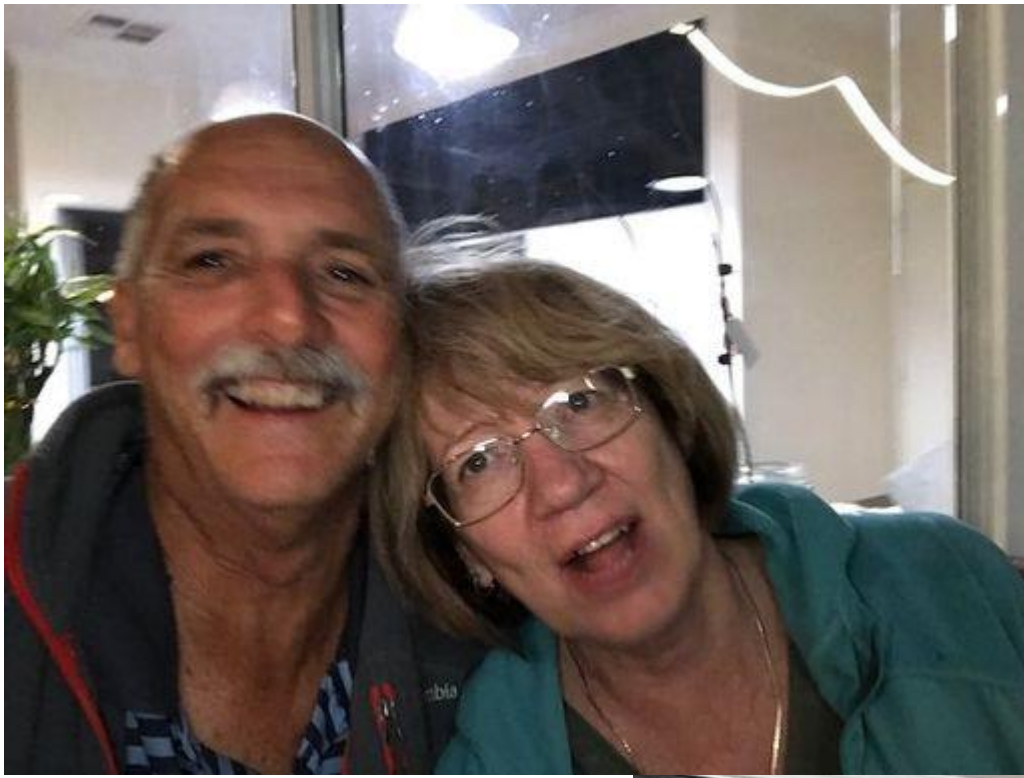
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Hi all

At our last meeting we went through the choices of hats available for purchase. We have narrowed down the choices to three.

Below examples are the three styles along with sizes and costings you can choose from should you wish to purchase a club hat.

	<p>Cap: 1 size fits all.</p> <p>Cost: \$18.00</p> <p>Colour: Charcoal with Black trim and Black club logo</p>
	<p>Bucket Hat:</p> <p>Size: M 58cm L/XL 61cm (Had at the meeting)</p> <p>Cost: \$19.00</p> <p>Colour: Stone with black club logo (Charcoal not available)</p>
	<p>Broad Brimmed Hat:</p> <p>Size: S 55cm M 57cm (Had at the Meeting) L 59cm XL 61cm</p> <p>Cost: \$20.00</p> <p>Colour: Charcoal with black club logo</p>

Fishing Trip day run Sunday 15th March

A few of the Wanderers left us on Sunday morning leaving only 5 cars to follow Phil & Judy to explore a section of track north of Sandy Cape campsite.

Steve and Kerry were very keen to join the group however the trusty Disco was playing up and they made the decision to go home rather than break down on a remote track.

Ray Z with Chris Albertini as passenger, Alan Williams, Bruce, Kym and Glenda made up the group.

We left camp at 9.20 and came across several great camping spots suitable for smaller groups. The further along the track we went the narrower it became and less suitable for caravans, but numerous camp sites.

We stopped at a couple of spots to enjoy the beautiful coastline, and also noticed a blackening horizon. Ray requested a narrower track next time as his big rig was getting scratched.

The track was mostly two-wheel drive with occasional rough limestone sections best tackled in low range and mostly coastal scrub along the track. We took a few detours down tracks back towards the coast which ended up at spots that looked like they were campsites, but no beach fishing allowed due to the Jurien Marine Park.

An hour into the drive we decided to take one last track to the coast which was very slow going over rough limestone but a nice beach greeted us at the end and a very large whale bone.

After a short break and photo shoot, it was decided we would keep heading north rather than retrace our tracks and pick up a track which headed back to the Indian Ocean Drive. We drove back out over the limestone track to the main track and continued northwards. On the various maps we all had it looked like a short trip back, Hmmm, very easy one would assume, however the short track linking our track and the track we needed to be on to get to the main road, was a veery steep soft sand hill. After 3 failed attempts by Phil to climb it and a couple by Kym, and a sudden torrential down pour thrown in to dampen our spirits, it was decided to let tyres down and have another attempt. This time we all got over and onto the bitumen and back to camp.

A couple of hours of great fun and some decent four-wheel driving thrown in.

Lunch back at camp and we all set off for Perth.







I've washed my hands so much since #CODVID19 , my exam results from 1885 have shown up



All sporting events cancelled but live boxing can be seen in Woolies, Coles & IGA

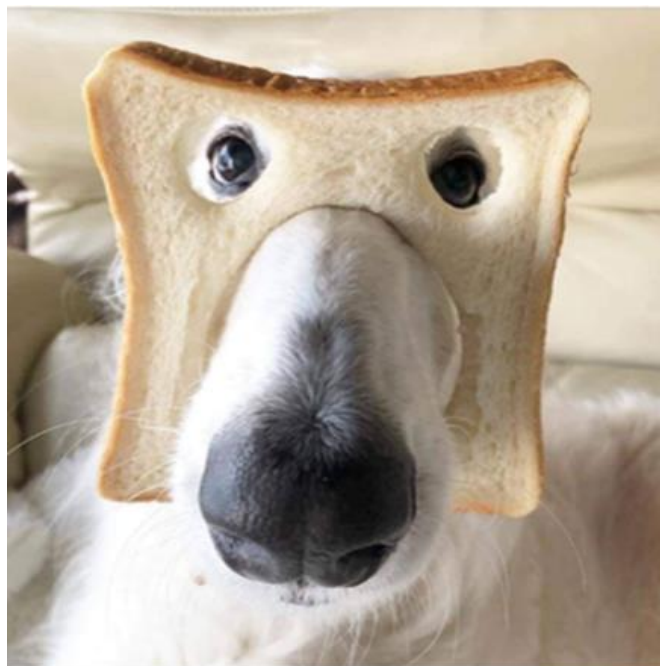
My mother always told me I wouldn't accomplish anything by laying in bed all day but look at me now, I'm saving the world.

WOMEN WORKING

Home schooling question: Does having your children fix you mixed cocktails count as chemistry? (Sorry I'm new at this) 😂

World: There's no way we can shut everything down in order to lower emissions, slow climate change and protect the environment.

Mother Nature: Hold my beer.



THOUGHT ID CHEER YOU UP WITH A PIC OF THIS PURE BRED PUPPY

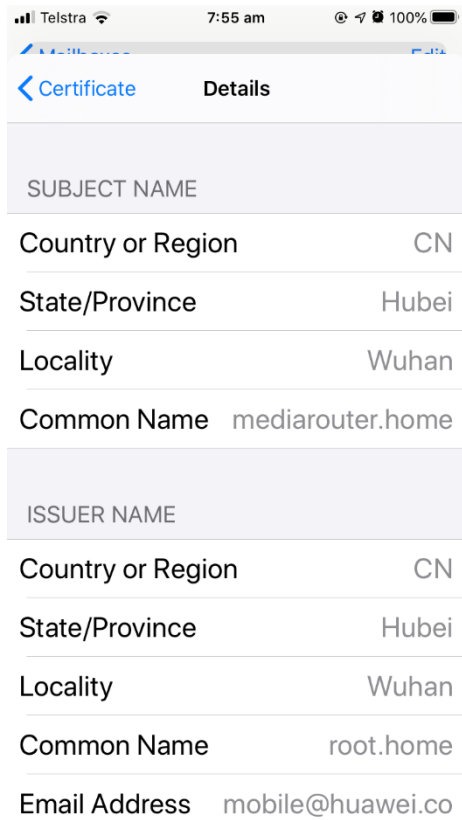
I got so drunk last night, I think I left my wallet in the lounge.



INSTEAD OF GOING TO STARBUCKS

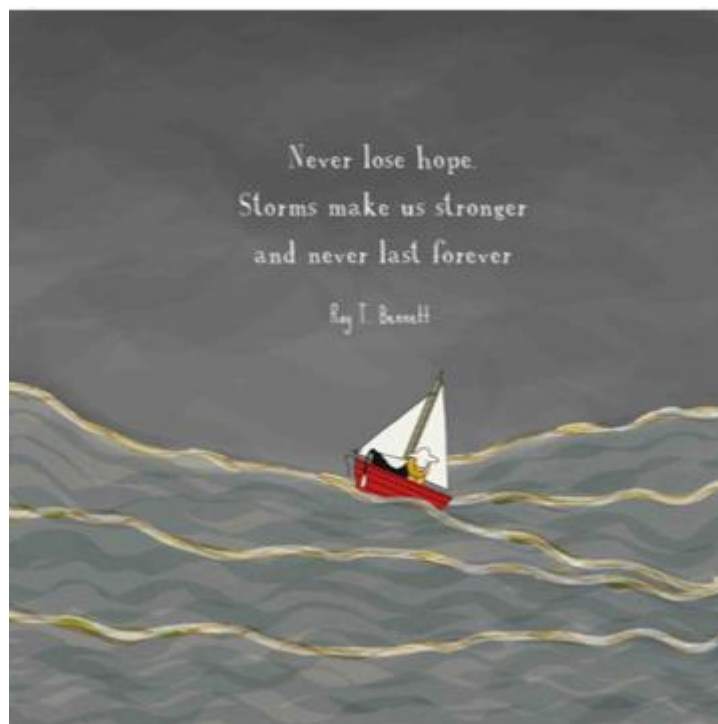
**I MADE COFFEE AT HOME,
YELLED OUT MY NAME WRONG
AND SET \$5 ON FIRE.**

Psychic Fair
Cancelled
due to unforeseen
circumstances



An interesting thing I noticed the other day. My internet wasn't working so I was checking my modem etc. I had been re-arranging the lounge room and had unplugged everything so thought it was my fault. Turns out it was the overload of people working from home and using Skype and other apps for face to face meetings etc which overloaded the network.

Anyhows... this is a screen shot from my phone... I was checking my settings and this gave me a fright. I thought that damn virus is in my house!



HAPPY EASTER EVERYONE



2019 / 2020

EVENTS CALENDAR

*Wanneroo Wanderers 4WD Club
Trip and Social Events - Fridge Flyer*



Date	Event	Leader
7.45pm First Wednesday of the month (excl Jan, Sept)	Monthly Club Meeting 2019: Nov 6, Dec 4 2020: Jan 8 (2nd Wed of month), Feb 5, Mar 4, Apr 1, May 6, Jun 3, Jul 1, Aug 5, (Sept meeting at AGM), Oct 7, Nov 4, Dec 2	Warradale Community Centre, Southmead Dve, Landsdale
2019		
Nov 8th - 10th	Four Wheel Drive Show (club has stand in WA4WDA tent)	Joe Arrigo
Nov 16th - 17th	Very Amateur Golf Weekend - Ledge Point (teeoff Sat. 10.00)	Karen Lind
Nov 30th	EOY dinner - Green Hills Inn near York	Karen Lind
Dec 8th	Xmas BBQ	Kym & Glenda Batten
2020		
Jan 12th	New Years Brunch at Mandurah (Egret Point picnic area)	Karen Lind
Jan 25-27	Australia Day LWE.....Olive Hill Farm (near Margaret River)	Karen Lind
Feb 9th	Day Run - Whitehills Beach (south of Mandurah)	TBA
Feb 15th	Wine & Cheese on Watermans new decking in North Beach	Steve & Kerri Waterman
Feb 28 - Mar 2	Labour Day LWE - Paralytic Olympics	Ron & Ang Francis
Mar 14-15	Fishing Trip - Milligan Island (between Leeman and Green Head)	Phil Anderson
Mar 28-30	Brookton Motor Show camping at Hillside	Penny Clark
Easter Apr 10-13	Mundal Track roadtrip	Ray Zac
Apr 18th	"Food Theme" Dinner	Marlyn Corduroy
Apr 26th	Day Run - Jennacubbine (NE of Toodyay)	Phil Anderson
May 1st	Minigolf and dinner - Wembly Golf Course	Kerri Waterman
May 23-July 5	Extended trip Kimberley - 6 weeks (2 weeks to Broome, 2 weeks Gibb River Rd, 2 weeks home) Join all or part of the trip	Steve Bly
May 29 - June 1	Long weekend gathering of 4WD Association Clubs - to be held in Capel. Camp for the weekend or just visit for a day.	Joe Arrigo
June 13th	Hot and Spicy dinner	Ray & Chris Scarce
June 28th	Day Run - Wandoo Woodlands (near York)	Phil Anderson
July TBA	Xmas in July at Hillside	Dave & Penny Clark

Social Suggestions received - Supagolf Swan Valley, Darklight Joondalup, Winter bonfire (at Ron&Ang)

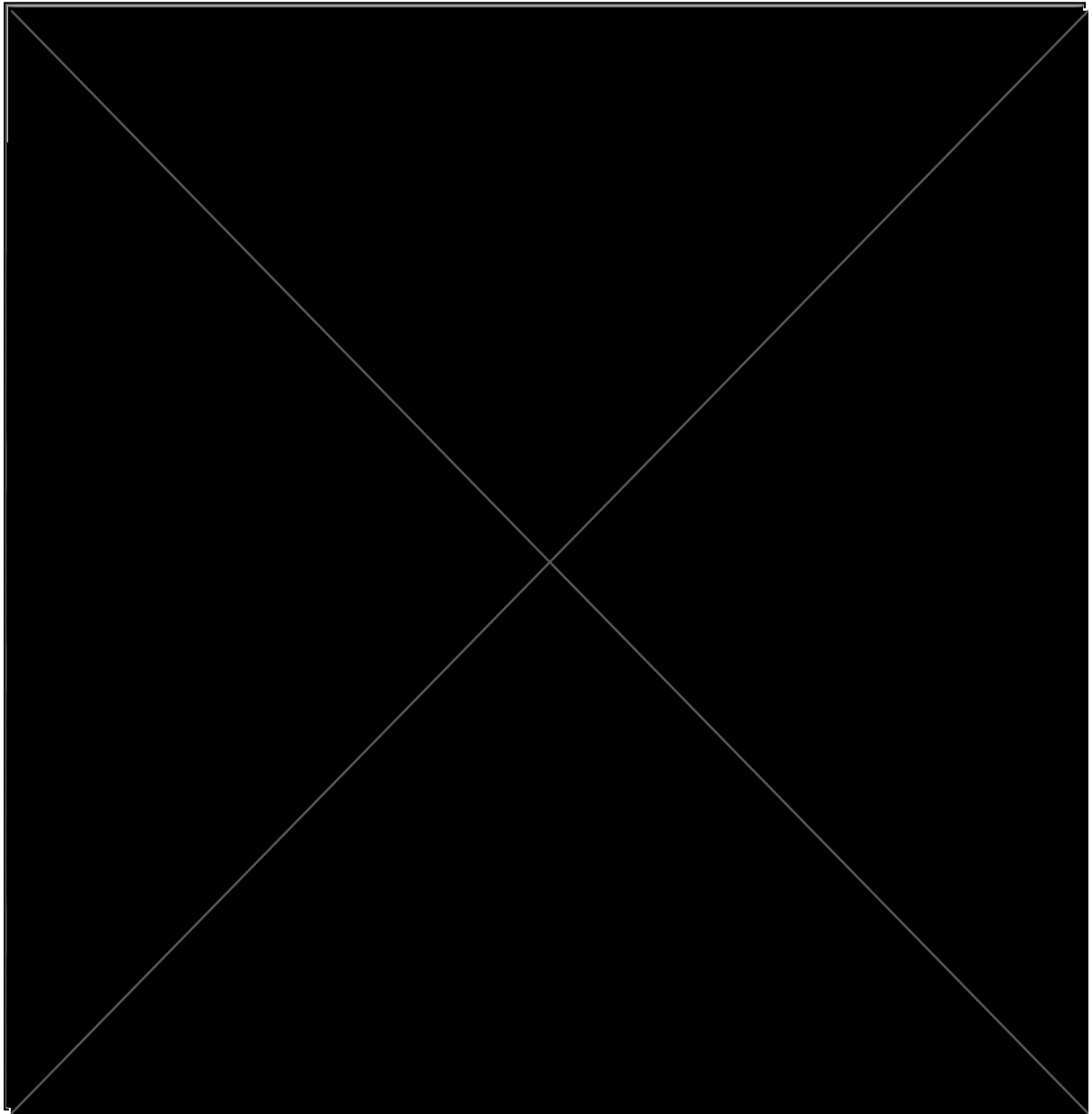
Trip Suggestions received - Mount Trio (Cranbrook), Lake Towerinning, Aldersyde Agricultural Farm (5-6 Sep 2020)
Peak Charles, Ayr Sailean (Bow Bridge), Lewana Camp, Frankland River Camp, Barna Mia (&Downderry winery)

If you have further suggestions, please advise the Trip Coordinator, Phil Anderson or Social Coordinator Karen Lind

CLUB EQUIPMENT LIST				
ITEM	MEMBERS NAME	DATE REQUIRED	DATE RETURNED	PASSED ON TO:
EPIRB				
GAZEBO X 2				
CLUB BANNER				
LONG HANDLED SHOVEL				
SHORT HANDLED SHOVEL				
CHAINSAW				
CHRISTMAS TREE				

NOTE: THIS LIST IS CURRENTLY UNDER REVIEW





EQUIPMENT REQUIRED ON VEHICLES ATTENDING TRIPS

MANDATORY EQUIPMENT

SUITABLE TOW POINTS FRONT AND REAR OF VEHICLE

RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT

- 'D' SHACKLES (Minimum Specification: BODY 13mm PIN 16mm)
- TOW ROPE AND OR CHAIN
- SNATCH STRAP
- SHOVEL
- SPARE TYRE (Same as other 4 tyres on vehicle)
- TYRE INFLATER AND TYRE PRESSURE GAUGE
- BASIC TOOL KIT TO SUIT VEHICLE
- JACK, JACK HANDLE, JACKING PLATE
- WHEEL BRACE
- 10BE FIRE EXTINGUISHER
 - (BFE Type fitted to vehicle within easy access to driver)
 - FIRST AID KIT
 - SPARE RADIATOR HOSES AND FAN BELTS
 - JUMPER LEADS
 - WATER (Enough to REFILL cooling system)



ADDITIONAL EQUIPMENT

SUBJECT TO NATURE AND DURATION OF TRIP

OIL, SPARK PLUGS, POINTS, CONDENSER AND COIL

- FUEL FILTER
- TYRE REPAIR KIT
- HIGH LIFT JACK
- RADIATOR BLIND
- AXE OR BUSH SAW

THE ABOVE MANDATORY EQUIPMENT IS REQUIRED FOR THE SAFETY OF VISITORS AND MEMBERS, SHOULD RECOVERY OF A VEHICLE BE NECESSARY.