#### **August 2013 | Newsletter**



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# INDEPENDENT

#### Our Aim

Provide a free newsletter to motorcycle enthusiasts on The Fraser Coast that includes current rides and events as well as ride/pub reviews and photos. Poker run flyers as well as other motorcycle events can be posted in this newsletter at no charge by e-mailing details to <a href="mailto:biteme@eatmyshorts.com.au">biteme@eatmyshorts.com.au</a>

The advertising of your business in this newsletter or our website will attract a small charge of which all will be donated to Spina Bifida Hydrocephalus Qld.

Our website is now fully operational and will include photo galleries, Fraser Coast bike events, rides further afield as well as information on camping and biker friendly businesses in our area. Our on line shop will be delayed until September 2013.

For the site and newsletter to be a success we will be reliant on the contributions from other groups and individuals. Information including ride events, biker friendly businesses/pubs, camping and other useful information can be e-mailed or posted,

THERE IS STILL TIME TO BOOK IN FOR NOOSA NORTH SHORE BUT TIME IS RUNNING OUT. \$20.00 FOR TWO NIGHTS. PHONE ELEISE 0407 151216

FOR THOSE THAT MISSED OUT HEAR 4 ALANA STICKERS NOW AVAILABLE AGAIN. LIMITED NUMBERS

#### About us

We are a close group of friends who enjoy our bikes and the lifestyle that goes with it. We are not affiliated with any group or club and are proudly independent. For us it's about the ride, along with adventure and the fun with our mates. We have no interest in the politics of other groups but welcome all those that come for the ride and leave any issues at home. We will advertise some of our own rides in both the newsletter and on our website and look forward to riding with those with similar beliefs.

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### Our Fraser Coast



#### So.. What area is The Fraser Coast?

The million dollar question. I see The Fraser Coast as north past Bundaberg, south around Gympie and west until we get sick of riding. Others may have a different opinion.

If you have a ride/event let me know and it will go in the next addition of this newsletter. If you know of good pubs, camping or have some great photo's/stories, e-mail them to me for inclusion in our newsletter. Visit our website <a href="www.eatmyshorts.com.au">www.eatmyshorts.com.au</a> for more information or visit our on-line store which should be open for business by August 2013. The variety of items in our merchandise list continues to grow. Money raised from these items go to charity so check out the items we have, it's all for a good cause.

Until next time...









We can be found each Friday afternoon / evening from around 5.00 PM at The Lamington Hotel Maryborough. We are usually located out the back part of the pub and at this time of year it will have heaters on ©

We usually have a few drinks, have a feed or head off somewhere else for dinner, we also discuss any future rides. If you feel like a chat, come down and see us.

#### Planned Rides

- 7<sup>th</sup> Sept Frogs Hollow (Childers)
- 13-16 Sept Babe Raid Ballina
- 21<sup>st</sup> Sept Monster Garage sale/Bills and Warrens Birthday Bash



#### What's coming up??

We've had a couple of day rides over August including several who headed to Benaraby Drag races. Pictures (*compliments Leanne above*), unfortunately Eleise and I had work commitments and couldn't make it. There is a fair bit coming up in September, firstly Frogs Hollow on the 7<sup>th</sup>, we'll be heading to that, then the girls head off to The Babe Raid in Ballina and we end the month with Lizzie and Irene's 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Monster sale and birthday bash for Bill and Warren.

Those interested in the garage sale component, please contact Lizzie or myself, this is an ideal opportunity to make a few dollars for yourself, stalls \$5.00. Any money left over after advertising from the stalls will go to charity. The party should be great as well and an excellent time to prepare our livers for Noosa North Shore in November ©

Independent Riders recently applied to Trade Mark the name Independent Riders Australia. This process takes a little while but should be finalised in the next four (4) months.

Bargain Laser Pointer & Flash Light. Comes in Red, Blue, Green & Purple. \$4.00 each. Profits go to Spina Bifida Hydrocephalus Qld Ph: 0409574284 or E-mail: <a href="mailto:biteme@eatmyshorts.com.au">biteme@eatmyshorts.com.au</a>

#### **CHILLING OUT AT THE LAMMY AUG 2013**





#### **Shameless & Independent Riders**



The picture above is now an Independent sticker and available for sale from Friday 30<sup>th</sup> August 2013. 100% of profits raised from the sale of this sticker will go to Sandra's chosen charity. Leukemia Foundation *Dimensions 9.2cm (approx)* 

Cost \$3.00

#### Christmas Raffle - Supporting Spina Bifida

With the Pub Crawl done we are now looking towards a couple of other fund raisers, one of them our 2013 Christmas Raffle with all proceeds going to Spina Bifida Hydrocephalus Qld. A few of us have supported this group for a number of years and it is a charity we feel very deeply about. One of their numerous programs includes a Babies at Home Program that provides a vitally important program for new babies with Spina Bifida and their families; unfortunately this program receives no government funding.

More information can be obtained by going to: http://spinabifida.org/

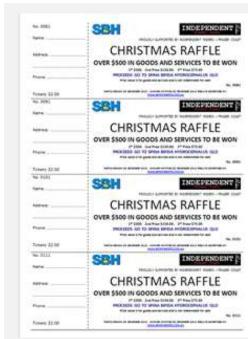
This year's Christmas Raffle has over \$500.00 in goods and services donated by various groups on the Fraser Coast.  $1^{st}$  Prize is \$300,  $2^{nd}$  \$150 and  $3^{rd}$  \$75.

Tickets are available from Friday 21<sup>st</sup> of June, so yes, we will have them with us at The Lamington Hotel this Friday night. Tickets are also available by contacting me on 0409 575 284 or Lizzie our PR person on: 0423144067.

Tickets are \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00. This is an excellent course with some great prizes so don't miss out.

The raffle will be drawn on Friday the 6<sup>th</sup> of December 2013. Winners will be notified as soon as possible after the draw and will be advertised on our website and in this newsletter.





#### Tickets available now.

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Lamington Hotel Maryborough on
the 6<sup>th</sup> of December. In total over
\$500 in goods and services will be in
the draw. 1<sup>st</sup> Prize \$300, 2<sup>nd</sup> \$150
and 3<sup>rd</sup> \$75.

Depending on donated goods the prize value may increase. Tickets available from 21<sup>st</sup> June 2013.

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#### August Ride – Kingaroy Motorcycle Festival

August 11. What a great day for a ride, from memory there was about 9-10 bikes, weather was great and as usual pubs stopped us getting to Kingaroy early. First stop was Goomeri Grand Hotel for a beer and food, finally making it to Kingaroy a little late but still in time to check out a few of the bikes and for Eleise to find something to buy After a look around we headed back to Kingaroy, first pub wasn't serving so we ended up at The Commercial for lunch and another ale. Great day ride, excellent company, thanks guys.

#### Noosa North Shore 29/30 November

Powered site RIGHT ON THE BEACH foreshore = Fantastic Views.

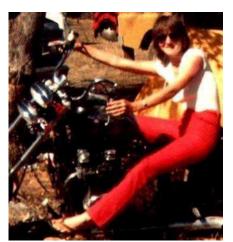
If you want to come, I require a \$20 non-refundable payment (no more to pay). That's a cheap weekend people. We are hoping for a huge turnout for this weekend. We could departing 9am from Matilda South and have a leisurely ride down with lunch on the way and get our drinks at Tewantin Pub so it's nice and cold. Catch ferry over (\$6 return) and enjoy sun, surf and good times. Approximately 40 people have booked

Bookings through Eleise 0407 151 216 or E-mail: biteme@eatmyshorts.com.au

#### When we were young



Lizzie.. with her bro



Ruth at 17 (Biker Chick)



Chopper (Left), flash shorts @



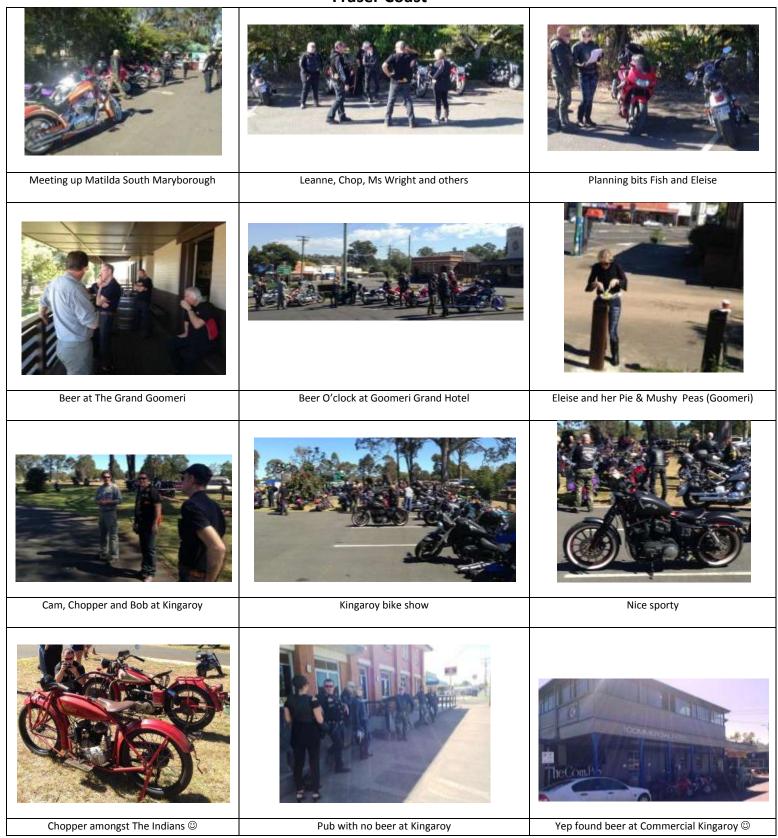
Michael (Age 3)



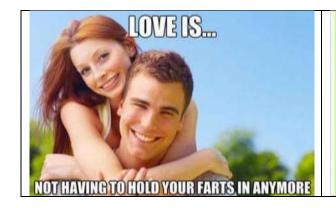
Fish 1971

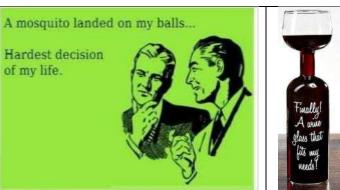
#### **AUGUST 2013 PICTURES WITH INDEPENDENT RIDERS**

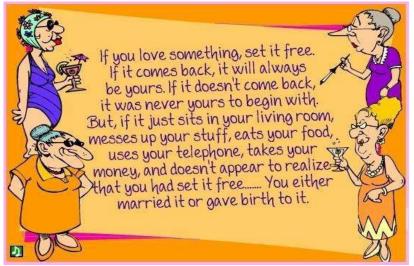
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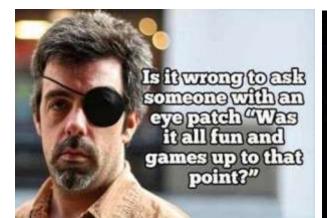
#### This Month's Humor







I really hate it
when the voices
in my head argue
among themselves
as though I wasn't
even in the room



I am pretty sure I know what my girlfriend is getting me for my birthday. When I guessed, "a threesome?" She got angry like I had ruined the surprise.









#### NOOSA NORTH SHORE 2 DAY PISSUP WEEKEND

#### END OF NOVEMBER = BOOK NOW

Great news....See that picture re: the flat ground with the caravans parked on it that I have ringed in red?

WeeeellIll, I asked the people at the camp ground if we could book more sites when I get more interest and they got back to me today via email and said they shuffled other campers around SO WE CAN HAVE THIS WHOLE AREA for just us! This is great news because I have filled my booking within 24 hours based on those who have contacted me already. I will bring the car this weekend so I can take a little bit of gear for people (not too much though - no big swags) plus I'll take some tarps and tressle tables so we can have a common area to cook and have lights. Michael will bring the Rear Projection TV, laptop and the screen for some Music clips so we can even have some boogy. Remember when we went to 1770? And what a fun time we had at Straddie this year at Easter - Lets make this even better.

Note: This is providing I pay the balance within the next few weeks so please let me know ASAP if you want to come. It's \$20 per person but that's all you have to pay for 2 NIGHTS! Yes....two nights. AND.... we have the only powered sites on the beach. DID I MENTION THE VIEW?

Send an email to me at feeney9@hotmail.com or PM me on facebook (Eleise Feeney) OR see me at the Lamington Hotel Friday night and pay your \$20 to secure your place.

#### This is where we are camping. The Outline marks the spot @





#### 4TH ANNUAL



## MONSTER GARAGE SALE

#### DON'T MISS OUT!

WHEN: Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2013 for Garage Sale, starting around 6-00am until around 12 Noon.

WHERE: 21969 Bruce Highway Glenorchy (Approx 12km South of Maryborough), See map for details.

#### WHATS FOR SALE

Books, Clothes, Dress Fabrics, Electrical, Furniture, Car and Bike Parts, Odds and Ends plus MUCH, MUCH More!

#### More Information

If you want a stall Phone Lizzie on 0413 722584 or 07 41297475, if Lizzie isn't available phone Michael on: 0409 575284. Email: info@eatmyshorts.com.au

The cost is \$5.00 to help along with advertising. The more the merrier.







Any Profits from Garage Sale Registrations will go to Spina Bifida Hydrocephalus Qld
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#### 4TH ANNUAL



# Lizzie and Mum's Garage Sale "AND" Bill's BIRTHON

What an "Awesome" combination!!!

WHEN: Saturday 21st September for Garage Sale, starting around 5.30-6.30AM

WHERE: 21969 Bruce Highway Glenorchy (Approx 12km South of Maryborough), See map for details.

#### DETAILS

Camping is available Friday and Saturday nights. Party is "By Invitation ONLY

#### Friday Night

Garage Sale starts early Saturday morning 21<sup>st</sup> September 2013 so those wishing to camp over after Friday night after raffles at The Lamington Hotel are more than welcome to do so.

The Garage Sale between 5.30 and 6.00AM until around 12 Noon. This is a great opportunity to get rid of a few of those unwanted items collecting dust in the garage as well as making a few dollars for your self. Items can be bought over to earlier in the week rather than leaving it to the last minute, however contact Lizzie first before doing so.

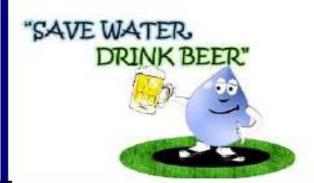
#### Saturday and Saturday Night

Come and celebrate Bill's birthday, yes he has almost made it through adolescence . BYO Drinks and for Saturday night if you can bring a plate (of food that this), could be salad, stew, this would be great.

If you need more information or a suggestions on what to bring, Phone Lizzie on 0413 722584 or 07 41297475, if Lizzie isn't available Michael on: 0409 575284. Email: info@eatmyshorts.com.au

#### Costs

Camping is free, for those wishing to have a stall at the Garage Sale, the cost is \$5.00 to help along with advertising etc.









## STANDENE

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Tolk. Blues & Roots

Fully licensed, food is served all day & night. Strictly no BYO alcohol or food. Free camping onsite or courtesy bus running to local

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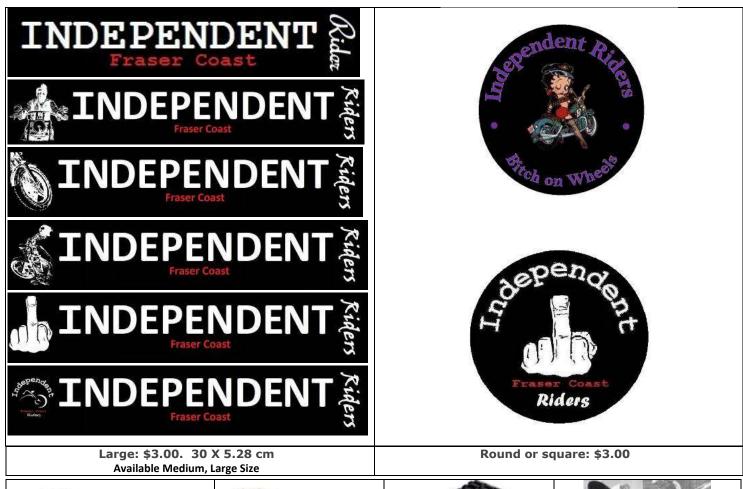


**Bruce Highway - Sth Maryborough** 

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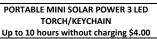
#### **MERCHANDISE**

Stickers / Available in Cloth Patches(from \$6.00)











LED Digital Watch \$20.00



MOTORCYCLE HALF FACE MASK/NECK WARMER Colour: Black, Ventilation System \$4.00



METAL BADGE 1" Colour: Red Only \$1.50



Coloured Face Masks, Blue/Red \$4.00



3 in one metal pen. Laser and LED Torch, batteries included \$5.00



Novelty Syringe Ballpoint Pen (Black Ink) Colour: Blue, red, Yellow, Green Only \$2.00



Solar Caps. Solar Panel power fan. Various colours including black and yellow\$15.00





Skull face masks. Price to be advised





Assorted Pocket Watches From \$20.00



Handy First Day Kit, \$4.00



Boot Lighter with LED Light \$7.00



Multifunction Pocket Knife, Screwdriver Key ring \$8.00



Motorcycle Pocket Watch \$20.00



Glass Skull Glass \$6.00 each



Grenade Dust Caps (various colours) \$3.00 a set











Independent Riders - Belt Buckles – Assorted Types \$20.00