



INDEPENDENT

Our Aim

To support our community, to provide a free newsletter to motorcycle enthusiasts that includes current rides and events as well as ride and pub reviews as well as photos of recent rides/events. Poker run and other event flyers can be published in this newsletter, irrespective of group, provided it has a charitable focus. E-mailing details to info@eatmyshorts.com.au

The advertising of your business or “for sale” items in this newsletter or on our website will attract a small charge to be donated to one of the many charities we support. For the website and newsletter to be successful, we welcome news stories, reviews and other contributions from groups and individuals. .

About us

Independent Riders is not a club. We are a group of individuals who believe in the enjoyment and freedom obtained through motorcycle riding without the restrictions and politics associated with membership and imposed by “committees” of clubs/associations. Independent Riders have a charitable focus but as true ‘Independents’ we have no President, Secretary, Founding members or other similar position and the opinion of each person is considered equal. We do however have moderators on the website and Facebook page and one person chosen to be our Public Relations Officer. The role of this person is to promote our worthwhile and charitable causes and social events.

The wearing of Independent Rider merchandise (cloth patch, sticker, banner etc) does not equate to membership but rather a statement to indicate the person/persons belief in the concept of “The Independent Rider”. Those who believe in the “Independent” concept are welcome to purchase and wear any of our patches or merchandise with our logo including our banners. Minimal amounts from sales are needed to help purchase new stock and cover basic administrative expenses, most money raised from merchandise sales go to various charitable organisations including: Fraser Coast Family Network and Fraser Coast Wildlife Sanctuary.

Where possible, we provide experience and support with fundraising events for other groups/clubs by assisting with co-ordination, promotion or organising/designing promotional material including banners, patches etc. We believe a united co-op of bikers not only has greater buying power but also the ability to provide positive direction within our community.

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Brisbane to Capricorn Coast



Where are Independent Riders?

Independent Riders have supporters as far south as the Gold Coast and to the north Cairns with the odd supporter in most Australian states and territories. While spread around our main contact points are Brisbane (Moreton Bay), Fraser and Capricorn Coast (Branches and contact details provided in this newsletter).

If you have a ride/event let us know and it will go either in the next addition of this newsletter and/or our website. If you know of good pubs, camping, have some great photos/stories or just want to go on our mailing list e-mail Independent Riders at info@eatmyshorts.com.au Visit our website www.eatmyshorts.com.au for more information on what we get up to as well as over a decade of pictures.

Meet us for a drink and a laugh at The Tinana Hotel (The Tinnie), Ferry Street, Maryborough Friday nights from 5.30pm onwards. Hope to see you there

Until next time, stay safe... Independent Riders



We can be found each Friday afternoon / evening from around 5.30 PM at The Tinana Hotel, The Tinnie, just over The Lamington Bridge in Tinana. We are usually located near the bar or on warm days out front in the garden bar. During winter, we softies will be in side to stay warm ☺

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.

Other upcoming Rides for 2019

- 09th March Independent Poker Run
- 4-6th May 3 Day Pub Run
- 19th May Annual Show and Shine
- 1st Dec Fraser Coast Toy Run 2019

Rides can sometimes be very "last-minute" and sometimes get finalised over a beer on a Friday night so please ask to join our Facebook page: Independent Riders Fraser Coast.



Summer 2019

- Social nights at The Tinana Hotel (Tinnie) Maryborough each Friday evening from 5.30PM

January 2019:

- 06th Jan Independent Riders 'Odd Place Ride' (See website for details)
- 11th Jan 1st social night at the Tinnie for 2019
- 19th Jan Charity Poker Run hosted by RWB
- 26th Jan Joint Australia Day social ride (Website for details shortly)

February 2019:

- 03rd Feb Easyriders Sunrise Run (Flyer with this newsletter)

March 2019:

- 02nd – 3rd Mar. MACE Wide Bay Social Overnighter (Flyer with this newsletter)
- 09th Mar Independent Riders 6th Annual Poker Run (Flyer with this newsletter)
- 15th – 19th Mar. Broken Bum Rally (See website for details)

Do you have ideas for rides? Email us E-mail: info@eatmyshorts.com.au

Interested in mid week rides? E-mail: info@eatmyshorts.com.au
New rides are added in weekly so keep checking our website: www.eatmyshorts.com. Or visit us on Facebook. Some day rides will have short notice but where possible these will be advertised.

New Merchandise

1. Stainless Steel Independent Necklaces \$20.00 **IN STOCK NOW!**



2. **NEW LOOK**
Independent Riders
Stubby Coolers Only
\$10.00



Patches – Independent Riders

This cloth patch and others now available. **Cost \$9.00**

BANNERS NOW UNAVAILABLE!



+
BELOW: CLOTH FLAG (Sample) 1.5 x 1 METRE APPROX



.Variety of full colour banners excellent for garage or entertainment area

1. Full Colour 2.5 x 1 metre (8 foot x 3 foot) vinyl banner (**Other sizes**)
2. 20 ounce all weather vinyl
3. Flags, light material 1.5 x 1 metre (5 x 3 foot), approx
4. Variety of images, or available design or have us design yours.

BANNERS FROM \$80.00 FLAGS FROM \$30.00

Our achievements to date

On the 27th of December 2013, Independent Riders Australia presented its first check of, \$1500 to Spina Bifida Hydrocephalus Qld. On Saturday 20th December 2014 we signed our last cheque for 2014, bringing our total donation of cash, services and goods for the 12 month period to: **\$22,324.85**. December 2017 saw this amount exceed \$90,000 and by the end of 2018 this exceeded \$120,000.



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INDEPENDENT RIDERS CAPRICORN COAST

For those interested in attending Capricorn Coast events their two contacts are: Debbie Foster: 0421 114630.

Debbie can also be e-mailed on:

capricorncoast@eatmyshorts.com.au and have their own ride calendar on the Independent website, tas well as their own Facebook Page, search "Independent Riders Capricorn Coast"

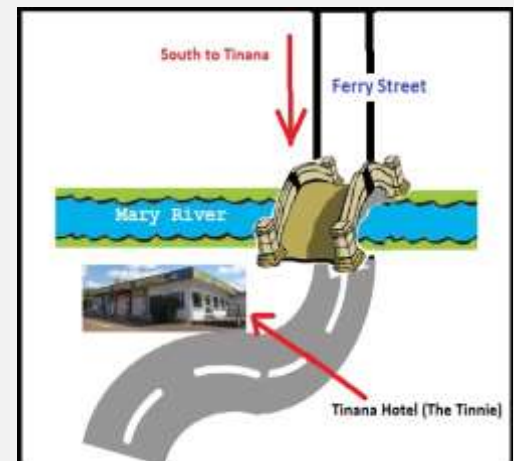
INDEPENDENT RIDERS MORETON BAY

For those interested in attending Moreton Bay events their two contacts are: Jan Cunningham: 0408 744219 and Kevin Cunningham: 0408 744219.

Jan and Kevin (Batman), can also be e-mailed on:

windinmyhair@eatmyshorts.com.au and have their own ride calendar on the Independent website, tas well as their own Facebook Page, search "Independent Riders Moreton Bay"

Directions to Tinnie Hotel Maryborough



Collection Bins for Care Packages

Collection for items for package items as part of our 2019 Poker Run, will start late January 2019. Bins will be placed in a variety of places including:

1. Wilcox Bikes Alice St Maryborough
2. Coles Station Square (*To be confirmed*)
3. Our shop at 276 Kent St Maryborough
4. The Reject Shop Hervey Bay
5. Sunstate Motorcycles Hervey Bay

Other sits will be advised by the end of Janry.

Help us help others. Need more info?

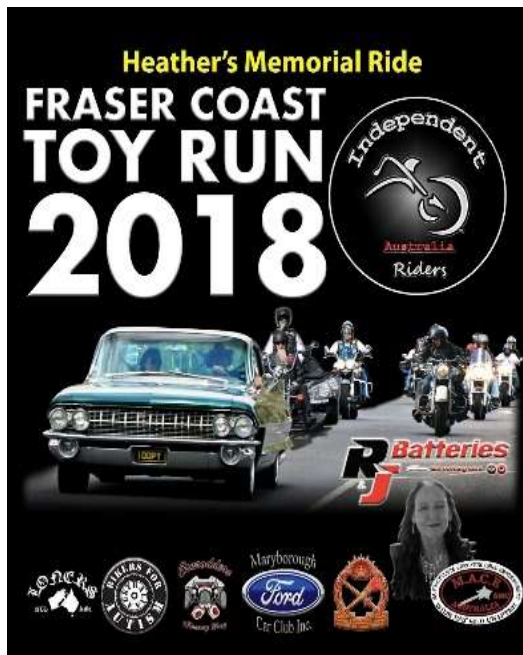
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Fraser Coast Toy Run shirt 2018.

Some Sizes still available. V Neck, Round Neck, Singlets
from \$25

FRIDAY NIGHT SOCIAL EVENINGS AT THE TINANA HOTEL TINANA

Social nights at The Tinnie for Jan/Feb 2019 listed below:

Friday 11th of January **** First for 2019**
Friday 18th of January
Friday 25th of January
Friday 1st of February
Friday 8th of February
Friday 15th of February
Friday 22nd of February
From 5.30PM ish each Friday evening

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6th Annual Independent Riders Poker Run 2019

- **WHEN:** Saturday 9th of March 2019
- **TIME:** Registration from 8.00am 9.30am departure
- **WHERE:** Meet at Oliver's Coffee (*Just north of Maryborough on highway*)

DETAILS: \$20 registration, raffles, lucky door prize. All proceeds going to. This year we will be finishing at The Tinana Hotel, with live music conformed with 4 String Phil

Route is yet to be finalised but will take a southerly route, leaving from the big car park on the corner of Lennox and Kent St Maryborough, across the road from council old admin building. Route will head down Kent St Maryborough, Granville, 1st stop Silky Oak Tea Gardens, Lunch Stop Pomona or Theebine (*Yet to be confirmed*), 3rd stop Gunalda or Theebine (*Yet to be confirmed*) finishing at the Tinnie for drinks, live entertainment with 4 String Phil.

1st prize 15% of registration to a maximum of \$500, 2nd 10% to a maximum of \$150, 3rd 5% to a maximum of \$75.

NEED MORE INFO? PH MICHAEL: 0409 575284 or JULIE: 0400 690981

5th Annual Independent Riders 3 Day Pub Run

- **WHEN:** Saturday 4th to 6th May 2019
- **TIME:** Registration from 8.30AM depart 9.30AM
- **WHERE:** Meet at BP Road House Torbanlea. This is around 25 km north of Maryborough on the highway.

DETAILS: \$15 registration, includes embroidered patch. This year we are taking a northern route and hopefully some of the Capricorn Coast riders are able to be involved on this long weekend, be that for the day or full weekend.

Plan is to have the first night around 100km from Rockhampton, this could be north, south, east or west of Rocky, with the second night yet to be decided. If those from the Rocky/Gladstone areas have any suggestions, gladly appreciated.

As per the usual Pub Runs, preference is to stay at pubs/places where our visiting will be of benefit. We are hoping to have route finalised late January 2019

NEED MORE INFO OR HAVE SUGGESTIONS? PH MICHAEL: 0409 575284

Fraser Coast Toy Run 2018 (Results)

Registrations: 365 **Amount Raised:** \$13,100.00 Nett

Percentage Returned: 94%. **Date for 2019** Sunday 1st December 2019

Final cheques for MACE Wide Bay and Australian Autism and Asperger's Network are still to be presented, with this to occur in January 2019.

Embroidered Patches are still available for 2018 Toy Run – Only \$5.00 each

Other projects for 2019

We have a number of exciting projects still to come in 2018, these include:

- Support Isis District High School in Technology Challenge
- Support other community groups including Red Cross, with LDAT. Local Drug Action Team. **Now Running**
- Tee-shirt design competition open to high schools on the Fraser Coast. Delayed: Date TBA
- And of course, some **EXCELLENT** rides!!!
- Care Packages for Aussie Troops. **Next batch sch for April 2019**
- Need more details? E-mail: info@eatmyshorts.com.au



Front



Back

Red writing (location) initially Fraser Coast or Australia.
 Option for Capricorn Coast or Brisbane
 Waiting on final pricing for fitted and long sleeve options
 Positioning of logo may alter slightly.



Fraser Coast Toy Run Shirts
 Round/Crew Neck and Singlets

Shirts now available from \$25 short sleeve, \$35.00 Long Sleeve. Singlet's also available



NAVY



BLACK



Embroidered Dress Shirts AND Hoodies available - By order only Enquiries 0417 215978

New Patches

Some of our embroidered patches. From \$6.00 to \$7.00 per piece See Julie 0417 215978



If you are interested in coming along to any of our advertised events or need more info, please contact Julie or Michael at info@eatmyshorts.com.au or mobile 0417 215978 or Mark 0450 940169

**ALL PATCHES AVAILABLE IN: AUSTRALIA, MORETON BAY, BRISBANE, FRASER AND CAPRICORN COAST
 EACH FRIDAY 5.30PM - RAFFLES ABOUT 5.30-6.00PM – TINANA HOTEL TINANA**

OUR COMMUNITY

Independent Riders in partnership with other groups and community minded organisations are in the process of developing a website with linked Facebook page that promotes achievements within our community.

The website located at: www.ourcommunityfrasercoast.com.au is still under construction but will include the following:

- ✚ Achievements/successes of social groups and Not for Profit organisations including social motorcycle and car groups
- ✚ Promotion of organisations or businesses that demonstrate a commitment to our community
- ✚ Promotion of local small business
- ✚ Recognition of individual achievements as well as the achievements of our youth
- ✚ Promotion of local events that support local causes

There has been a bit of delay with the site however large parts of LDAT workshops pages are running, with MACE and Fraser Coast Family Network to be available soon. Image below of the opening page of the site.

Home About Blog Gallery Community Contacts

'Our Community' Fraser Coast.

Welcome to Our Community - Fraser Coast. The purpose of this site is to promote the Fraser Coast as a community, be that recognition of our youth, achievements and skills of individuals or sharing of ideas and resources. How can you help promote our community?

ASIST

Recognising the achievements - in our community.

My Community - Fraser Coast website is currently under development. We envisage this site will be functional by early September 2016 and continue evolve from that point. At this stage we hope to have the following content: organisation/association/club details (for participating groups), this could include events, achievements/successes, current projects, details on sharing of resources or skills with other groups. Galleries displaying local events, presentations and other successes, event calendar, local business directory, local service directory, plus more.

How can I Help?

CLICK HERE!

LDAT WORKSHOPS – HAVE MOVED



Details

Workshop will be 9.30AM - 1.30PM up to 3 days a week (Mon, Tue, Wed).

30 minute break at 11.00am-12.00pm.

Address

276 Kent Street
Maryborough

Build a bike!

Participants will build a motorised bicycle!

Get experience with welding, spray painting, engine repair and install.

Start Date

Commences on February 2019 Date: TBA

Sponsors

Proudly sponsored by Fraser Coast TESS in partnership with Maisie Kaufmann Learning Centre, Red Cross and Independent Riders

Contact

Sean
0408 193750



Since March Independent Riders, in partnership with Fraser Coast TESS and Australian Red Cross running workshops for those at risk of substance abuse and his suitable for male or female ages 16-25.

These workshops provide participants with a variety of skills including welding, spray painting, fabrication, small motor and pushbike mechanics. Workshops are going well, led by Sean (Fish).

Shane Muller from The Bikers Brew is kindly supporting this venture. Bikers Brew is on the corner of Walker and Ferry St's Maryborough, (the old Shamrock).

If you are in town pop in and say 'hi', check out the bikes, old and new, or enjoy a coffee, drink, snack or meal. By doing this we support local business who support us.



Need more details on LDAT: Sean on 0408 193750 or Michael 0409 575284.

We have moved! Now located at 276 Kent Street Maryborough with workshops opening early 2019. Motorised scooters can be custom made and ordered, ask Sean how/costs. It is believed that with support. these workshops will provide opportunities of employment for our youth.



New Workshops and store front – 276 Kent Street Maryborough 4650








PICTURES FROM 2018

\$31,710 RAISED IN 2018 FOR COMMUNITY, IN CASH AND GOODS, \$121,000 SINCE INCEPTION. OVER 2740 VOLUNTEER HOURS TOTALLY
OVER \$82,300 IN 2018



DECEMBER PICTURES WITH INDEPENDENT RIDERS

WIN Television Fraser Coast Toy Run 2018. Gallery #1

		
<p>First cars arriving at Toy Run</p>	<p>In comes Steve (Timelord)</p>	<p>Sean (Fish) with LDAT Workshop display</p>
		
<p>Ms Lizzie is on the scene</p>	<p>Nice old GT</p>	<p>Car park is starting to fill up</p>
		
<p>A few more bikes turning up</p>	<p>Start of the 2018 WIN TV Fraser Coast Toy Run</p>	<p>Another bike. Qld Rural Fire Brigade at back</p>
		
<p>Noel with Santa's chariot</p>	<p>Westside Tavern start of this years toy run</p>	<p>A cheque for Babs Aust Autism & Asperger's N/W</p>



Picture 1: Start of 2018 Toy Run. **Picture 2:** FCRC CEO Ken Deihm admiring bikes produced at our workshops

DECEMBER PICTURES WITH INDEPENDENT RIDERS

WIN Television Fraser Coast Toy Run 2018. Gallery #2













		
Getting ready to head (start of 2018 toy run)	Bikes heading out for the start of 2018 Toy Run	Bikes heading down Ferry St Maryborough
		
Parked up at Tooth St (Right - Mad MACE Wide Bay)	Pops organizing bikes at Tooth St Hervey Bay	Another shot from Tooth St Hervey Bay
		
Bikes and cars parked up at Torbanlea	Some of the cars attending the toy run - Torbanlea	Children from FCFN had a fun time on the toy run
		
Michael with winners of FCFN art comp	MACE doing what they do best 😊	Santa (grumpy - MACE W/Bay) with network kids



Pic 1 At Tooth St H/Bay with QRFB 😊 Pic 2 Bikes heading towards Torbanlea Pic 3 On the Esplanade Pic 4 Pops Pic 5 Darren

DECEMBER PICTURES WITH INDEPENDENT RIDERS

Out and about with Fraser Coast









		
<p>Some of the toys delivered to F/C Family Network</p>	<p>Ind Riders new shop at 276 Kent St – Open Feb 2019</p>	<p>Bikes and QRFB escorting Santa</p>
		
<p>Smiles all round at the FCFN children's party</p>	<p>Interview time at FCFN children's Xmas party</p>	<p>Rural Fire Brigade entertaining the children</p>
		
<p>Santa giving out presents</p>	<p>Some of the happy faces #1</p>	<p>Some of the happy faces #2</p>
		
<p>Some of the happy faces #3</p>	<p>Thank you to the volunteers #1</p>	<p>Thank you to the volunteers #2</p>



Pic 1 & 2: Those that gave up their time to escort Santa to the network children ☺

DECEMBER PICTURES WITH INDEPENDENT RIDERS

Out and about with Moreton Bay

		
Moreton Bay at Fraser Coast Toy Run	Out and about 8 December	Heading to Crows Nest 22 December #1
		
Heading to Crows Nest 22 December #2	Heading to Crows Nest 22 December #3	Parking up at Crows Nest 22 December
		
Christmas at Crows Nest #1	Spare	Christmas at Crows Nest #2
Spare	Spare	Spare

DECEMBER PICTURES WITH INDEPENDENT RIDERS

Out and about with Capricorn Coast



Independent Day Ride 9th Dec #1



Independent Day Ride 9th Dec #2



Independent Day Ride 9th Dec #3



Independent Day Ride 9th Dec #4



Independent Day Ride 9th Dec #5



Independent Day Ride 9th Dec #6



Independent Day Ride 9th Dec #7



Kabra Hote; 9th Dec #1



Kabra Hote; 9th Dec #2



Kabra Hote; 9th Dec #2



Kabra Hote; 9th Dec #3



Kabra Hote; 9th Dec #4

HOW TO SUPPORT MACE

Message from MACE Wide Bay Committee

To all that are thinking of or have thought of becoming a MACE member ,Supporter or a helper.



1. You must be eligible for a Positive Notice blue card .
M.A.C.E. will assist with that
2. You must attend at least 3 meetings and help at awareness days or functions. At this stage a Full Member will become your sponsor. You will become an Associate member and you can stay an Associate or stay as a supporter as long as you like. These two categories cannot work directly with Children or represent M.A.C.E. without a full member being present
3. To become a full member will take a minimum of (12) twelve months. This period is so as you can learn our policies , procedures and rules of engagement with children.

There are two ways.

- (1) you own or have access to a motorbike capable of highway speeds
- (2) a Full member takes you on as a pillion on his or her bike . If you think M.A.C.E SMC is something that you would like to do please contact us Via Facebook or Email [.mailto:barra@maceaustralia.com](mailto:barra@maceaustralia.com)



This Month's Humor and Quotes

If I see one more person texting and driving I'm gonna roll my window down and throw my Beer at them...

And that's how vaginas were made



AUTOCORRECT CHANGED "MORNING RUN" TO "MORNING RUM"



There's a thin line between "I should post that to Facebook" and "I should talk to a therapist about that."

The bad news is, I accidentally took the wrong medication today.

The good news is, I'm now protected from heartworms and fleas for the next three months

Thank you to our sponsors



Centre Management Station Square Maryborough, Kelly's Nails, The Butcher Shop Tinana, Maryborough Eykandi Artworks and Photography, Arthouse Northside, Wilko's Pro Shine

Sunrise Run

14th Annual

Easyriders



Social Motorcycle Club

All riders Welcome

\$20 donation includes Breakfast at end of ride @ 200kms

As well as 1 entry in our lucky rider draw



Sunday February 3rd 5am kickstand up

BP Blacksoil outbound Warrego Hwy

Rain Hail or shine we ride

M.A.C.E Social Ride



DATE: 2nd & 3rd March 2019

This will be A casual/social ride

Where: leaving United Eli Waters @ 08.30 Am

2nd stop to meet up with others. Puma on Bruce Hwy south of Maryborough @ 09.00Am

3Rd Pick up Cutter & Fay on the way to Kilkivan @09.30Am

4Th Stop to meet up with others. Kilkivan General Store @10.00Am

5Th Stop Goomeri BP servo @10.30Am for fuel

Day 1: Going to Esk QLD approximately 320Ks

- H/Bay to Goomeri, Goomeri to Nanango, Yarraman, Blackbutt, Esk. overnight stay
- Things to see, ESK trading Post, and a new Motor Cycle museum British & USA
- Accommodation available at.
- <https://www.eskcaravanpark.com.au/index.html>
- <https://www.grandhotelesk.com/>
- <http://eskmotel.com/>

Day2: ESK to Kilcoy via Somerset dam, Woodford (via nuerum road), Conondale (via Kilcoy Beerwah Rd), Kenilworth, Imbil, Long Flat (south Gympie) where we turn left onto Lawson Rd then right onto EEL | creek road, Left onto Glastonbury road to Widgee to Wide Bay Hwy, Woolooga, Gundiah, Tiaro, Hervey Bay.

Approximately 340Ks

Who can come, anyone who rides

This is not a fund-raising event

However, there will be one raffle the prize will be the cost of the winner/s overnight accommodation (single or Couple) any left over moneys will go towards the bar.

RSVP must be in by January 31St 2019

IF YOU INVITE ANYONE IT IS UP TO YOU TO KEEP ME INFORMED ON NUMBERS IAM NOT GOING TO CHASE PEOPLE



INDEPENDENT RIDERS 5TH ANNUAL POKER RUN

SATURDAY 9TH MARCH 2019
CAR PARK
CNR LENNOX AND KENT ST MARYBOROUGH

REGISTRATION FROM 8.00AM, DEPARTS 9.30AM

GREAT PRIZES

- 1ST: 15% OF REGISTRATION TO MAX \$500**
- 2ND: 10% OF REGISTRATION TO MAX \$150**
- 3RD: 5% OF REGISTRATION TO MAX \$ 75**

**LUCKY DRAW PRIZES, RAFFLES, SAUSAGE SIZZLE
AND COFFEE AT START, AFTER PARTY, ENTERTAIN-
MENT, ACCOMMODATION, FREE CAMPING AVAILABLE.**

ROUTE TO BE ADVISED SHORTLY



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ENTERTAINMENT WITH 4 STRING PHIL



Monday April 22nd 2019

Total Kilometers 2269

22 April -Brisbane to Mundubbera	345 Klms	(Public Holiday)
23 April - Mundubbera to Emerald	505klms	
24 April - Emerald to Barcarldine	310Klms	
25 April Barcarldine to Mitchell	506klms	(Public Holiday)
26 April - Mitchell to Brisbane	567klms	

Ride to Support and spend money in Outback Country Towns .

Mundubbera State School Visit Dawn Service Barcarldine Mitchell State School Visit

Donation of \$10 for Ourback Schools





MUD MAPS ROOM DETAILS
AND OTHER IN COMING
MONTHS.

NOTE: 2019 PUB RUN WILL BE
A NORTHERN/WEST ROUTE

Need more information contact:
Michael 0409 575284
Julie: 0400 690981

ALL PROCEEDS
GOING TO

INDEPENDENT RIDERS PRESENTS

PUB RUN 2019

SATURDAY 4TH TO MONDAY 6TH MAY

Registration only \$15.00
Includes: Cloth Patch
Event Shirt available, Bar Raffles,
plus more, Details to follow!

ROUTE

NIGHT ONE: TBA

NIGHT TWO: TBA

Independent Riders - Australia Pty Ltd A.C.N. 605 088

**THIS YEAR THE PUB RUN WILL BE A LITTLE DIFFERENT WITH PLANS TO VISIT A
COUPLE OF SCHOOLS IN DROUGHT AFFECTED AREAS. WATCH THIS SPACE**

Independent Riders Australia



SHOW 'N' SHINE 19TH MAY 2019

FOR MORE INFORMATION:
MARK: 0450 940 169
JULIE: 0400 690 981



ARGUABLY THE BEST TROPHIES ON THE COAST

MARKETS, RAFFLES, CASH PRIZES, PLUS MORE

WHERE?

FRASER COAST WILDLIFE SANCTUARY 31 MUNGAR ROAD MARYBOROUGH



5th  Annual
Motors in May
SHOW AND SHINE

ALL PROCEEDS FROM THE EVENT GO TO THE
FRASER COAST WILDLIFE SANCTUARY

REGISTRATION 7.30AM - 11.30AM REGISTRATION \$5.00

WINNERS ANNOUNCED 12.30PM

PEOPLES CHOICE BIKES

- BEST AMERICAN
- BEST EUROPEAN
- BEST JAPANESE
- BEST TRIKE
- BEST VINTAGE
- BEST BIKE OF SHOW

PEOPLES CHOICE CARS

- BEST FORD
- BEST HOLDEN
- BEST AMERICAN
- BEST HOT ROD
- BEST CUSTOM CLASSIC
- BEST CAR OF SHOW

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FOR SALE #1

For sale.. **2004 Honda VTR1000.** 119,000km, motor in great shape, regular services. \$1500 ONO. See pictures below More photo's or information phone Michael 0409 575284



2015 Fat Bob. 500kms on clock.

- Registered. Forward controls with heel rests
- Drag bars
- Screaming Eagle black pipes
- Single seat and registered

\$22000 Contact Mel 0417 355875



Honda VTX 1300

Touring seats with rider backrest and sissy bar, spotlights, running boards front and back, reinforced genuine leather saddlebags, (refurbished since photo), national cycles screen, chrome accents, grips, \$6000 ono

6mths Rego, RWC, PH: 040 819 3750



2004 HONDA VFR LOW KM'S 13517km's

Registration until end Nov. \$5800 ono - no problems getting passed for Roadworthy. Includes rear gear rack. Was immaculate until it fell off stand in driveway causing some fairing scratches but other than that it's very tidy and had only one owner who rode it to work and the off weekend. Selling for friend

More details, phone: 0407 151216



WHERE OUR MONEY, GOODS AND RESOURCES GO

Independent Riders Australia – Supporting our community

INDEPENDENT RIDERS AUSTRALIA - WHERE OUR MONEY GOES. LAST UPDATE 03 DECEMBER 2018

Charities and Community Groups - supported since 2013

- S.A.C.A. Bikers Against Child Abuse
- Beyond Blue (Through Gunalda Hotel)
- Black Dog 1 Day Ride (both Bundaberg & Fraser Coast)
- Buy a Bale (helping farmers)
- CDM Australia (Congenital Diaphragmatic Hernia)
- Fraser Coast Family Network
- Fraser Coast Wildlife Sanctuary
- Jan's Journey
- Leukemia Foundation (Lugly Bar Tender)
- M.A.C.E Central Queensland
- M.A.C.E Wide Bay
- Maryborough Animal Refuge
- Motor Neurone Disease Assoc Qld
- Prostate Cancer Research
- Royal Flying Doctor Service
- Spina Bifida Hydrocephalus Qld
- State Emergency Service (SES) Fraser Coast
- Tongaree Rural Fire Brigade

Total Raised since Inception: \$ 121,838.10

Amount Raised year to date: \$ 31,710.30

Charities and Community Groups Supported 1 Jul 2017 - 30 Jun 2018

Key			
Army Cadets	AC	\$	180.00
Banner Donations	BD	\$	200.00
Care Packages (Military)	CP	\$	3,908.00
Care Packages (Marston Bay)	CP1	\$	480.00
Black Dog 1 Day Ride	BD1	\$	180.00
Buy a Bale	BB	\$	775.00
Fraser Coast Family Network	PCFN	\$	9,358.00
Fraser Coast Wildlife Sanctuary	PCWS	\$	2,940.00
Local Drug Action Team/TSSS	LDAT	\$	2,210.00
Misc Support/Donations	MISC	\$	515.00
Isla District State High School	IDSH	\$	410.00
M.A.C.E Wide Bay	MWB	\$	1,500.00
Queensland Bikers .Com	QB	\$	152.50
Tough Times Ride	TRR	\$	505.00
Total		-\$	23,501.50

- 800 Toy Run 17, Poker Run 15
- Cash and Goods
- Cash and Goods
- Banner/Flag Donation
- Pub Run 2018
- Cash and Goods
- Show and Shine 2017/18- Cash
- Banner, Material, M/Bike, Raffle=\$710
- Support to other groups
- Sponsorship HPV 2018
- Cash
- Shirts and banner
- Cash to bikers in need

Monies Donated for 2018 Fraser Coast Toy Run		
As at 04 December 2017		
Benefactors	Amount	Notes
F/Coast Family Network	\$ 5,800.00	Cash, Goods/Services
Australian Autism & Aspergers Network	\$ 1,300.00	Cash ** \$ 300 Yet to be Paid
MACE (Wide Bay)	\$ 2,000.00	Cash ** \$1000 Yet to be Paid
Total	\$ 13,100.00	

Note: Amounts above will change between Sept-Dec each year. Independent Riders understand this is an important time and as such proceeds from the Fraser Coast Toy Run are passed on to benefactors as the money is raised. In previous years around \$5000 is passed on prior to the event. This amount comes from the proceeds of the Toy Run Stall that runs from September to December each year at Station Square. Final amounts will include cash, goods and services.

Schools supported since 2013

- Aldridge State High School HPV
- Kandanga State School
- Parkes State School P&C (Dentenary)
- Miverside Christian College HPV

Charities and Community Groups Supported 1 Jan 2018 - 31 Dec 2018

Key			
Army Cadets	AC	\$	180.00
PCFN Art Competition 2018	BD	\$	250.00
Care Packages (Military)	CP	\$	3,908.00
Care Packages (Marston Bay)	CP1	\$	480.00
Black Dog 1 Day Ride	BD1	\$	180.00
Buy a Bale	BB	\$	3,954.80
Fraser Coast Family Network	PCFN	\$	9,800.00
Fraser Coast Wildlife Sanctuary	PCWS	\$	1,440.00
Local Drug Action Team/TSSS	LDAT	\$	2,210.00
Misc Support/Donations	MISC	\$	415.00
Isla District State High School	IDSH	\$	350.00
M.A.C.E Wide Bay	MWB	\$	2,000.00
Queensland Bikers .Com	QB	\$	52.50
Aust Autism & Aspergers N/W	AAA	\$	1,500.00
Total		\$	26,478.30

- Poker Run 18, Toy Run 2018
- Part of Toy Run 2018
- Cash and Goods
- Cash and Goods
- Banner/Flag Donation
- Marston Bay Run, Pub Run 2018
- Cash and Goods Toy Run 2018
- Ind Show and Shine 2018
- Banner, Material, Time, Cash, Raffle
- Support to other groups/Relay for life
- Sponsorship HPV 2018
- Toy Run 2018 - \$1000 to be paid
- Shirts
- Toy Run 2018 - \$500 to be paid

Breakdown - WIN Television Fraser Coast Toy Run 2018		
Expenses	Amount	Event Staff
Sausage Sizzle	\$ 100.00	** Donated Independent Riders
Event Patches	\$ 300.00	
Entertainment	\$ -	
Merchandise	\$ -	Expenses absorbed by Independent Riders
Total Expenses	\$ 400.00	
\$800.00	Other Expenses	TV purch, Cash price
\$0.00		
\$800.00	Total Expenses	
\$100.00	Goods and services donated (Including Expenses)	
94.00%	% Passed on to Benefactors	

Misc donations and individuals supported since 2013

- Snarsons Fight
- Hear 4 Alans
- Maryborough Rainbow Girls/Hear 4 Alans

Proposed Support for 2017/2018

- Saddow Scouts
- ROT Angels
- Tough Times Ride 2017
- Care Packages Aussie Troops - 2018 Poker Run
- HPV/Too Challenge - Isla District State High School

Multi Group Community Events 1 Jan 2018 - 31 Dec 2018

Event			
Throw your leg over run	TLO	\$	51,952.00
Community Raffle (Heather)	CR1	\$	2,300.00
Tough Times Ride	TRR	\$	1,000.00
Total		\$	55,252.00

- Independent Riders, Lenora Qld, MACE Wide Bay
- Community Raffle, MACE, RWB, Lenora, Independents

Return to Benefactor = 100%



Chq presentation MACE Toy Run Raffle



2nd Cheque for Fraser Coast Family Network



Marston Bay Buy a Bale Charity Ride

HELPING WITH CARE PACKAGES

What is a Care Package?

A care package is a parcel containing a variety of products that is sent to Australian Troops who are deployed overseas. These packages can contain a variety of products, some of which are listed below.

Funds raised and goods collected from our March 10 Poker Run went towards 60 care packages that were put together on March 24 and sent to our troops on the week ending 1 April 2018. Our plan is to continue collection of goods through 2018 until our poker run in 2019. Depending on goods collected we hope to send a further 20 care packages every couple of months during 2018/19 and a further 80 packages from proceeds of our 2019 Poker Run.

We currently have collection bins at Wilcox Bikes, Alice St Maryborough, Under the Gun Tattoos, Kent St Maryborough The Tinana Hotel Tinana and Fraser Coast Family Network Adelaide St Maryborough, with more added in Hervey Bay shortly. Goods and donations can be dropped off at these locations, products aren't expensive but will mean a lot to our troops.

List for what can go in a Care Packages, anything that you would like to receive from home! Note: If we keep the boxes under 2kg the military will send for nothing.

Sorry

No glass jars or aerosol cans

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Razors• Roll on deodorants• Chap sticks for lips• Shampoo and conditioner (Small)• Sunscreen. (Small)• Baby wipes. (Wash)• Body wash• Eye drops• Tooth paste or Tooth Brush• Timtams• Lollies• Noodles• Vegemite• Peanut paste• Muesli bars | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Milo ,• Coffee, (small packets)• Tea• Nutella• Cookies• Nuts• Gum• Dried fruit• Note books• Biro's• Puzzle books• Playing cards. UNO cards, dice• Magazines. (car books , bikes others that would be interesting, national geographic books, calendars) etc |
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There is heaps more you can add in however if you are unsure or would like more information or have goods that could be used, then contact: Julie on 0400 690981 or Michael on 0409 57528.

So next time you are doing your shopping, pop in a little extra. Thank you.

Feel Like a Chat?

Flourish Australia Hervey Bay

**Phone 1800 WE LISTEN
(1800 9354 7836)**

1800 WE LISTEN is Flourish Australia's Peer WarmLine which commenced operation on July 1, 2012.

When you call **1800 WE LISTEN**, you will be speaking to someone who has a mutual understanding of mental illness. Flourish Australia staff combines their own experiences with extensive training to provide you with the support you request.

1800 WE LISTEN is not a crisis service, it is simply a number you can call when you want to have a chat, knowing that someone who is successfully managing their own recovery will be there to listen and share experiences.

