

January 2024 Newsletter

Greetings to all Rallyitives and those who are interested in joining our trusty group.

Season's greetings to you all and I hope everyone enjoyed the best of the 'Silly Season'. I suspect by now, many of you would be returning to the normalities of life and settling into the new year of 2024.

It's been a little while since the last Newsletter but that doesn't mean I've been sitting idle. With the help of many, Nathan and I set out in early November to map the track and confirm the towns for our overnight stays. It was quite the adventure for both of us and even though we were delayed for a few weeks halfway through by rain, the track notes are logged and waiting to become your 2024 Track Book. Many thanks to Brian and Tessah, Craig H, Lloyd and Steve, Froggy and Rolly for your valued input and great tracks you found for us.

I would also like to thank Teresa and Sharyn for volunteering to take on the mammoth task of coordinating the catering and researching accommodation around the course. It's a huge task, and one that has kept them busy for weeks already.

And more generally, I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who has offered me help and support. It's only with this ongoing commitment to The Great Escape Oz that we can continue to make a difference in the lives of people living with Cystic Fibrosis.

(Drum roll please) The 2024 Great Escape Oz Car Rally overnight stops are:



- Albury
- Barham
- Euston
- Menindee
- Bourke
- Coonabarabran
- Uralla
- Coffs Harbour

Some accommodation options are as follows below but please feel free to research elsewhere to meet your budget. Rooms are very limited in Menindee so get in early or alternatively we can camp behind the Hotel (dinner venue).

| Day | Date | Accommodation | Town | | Phone |
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| Rego | Saturday 31 st August 2024 | | Albury | NCM | |
| Rego | Saturday 51 A | Albury Regent | Albuly | 666 Dean Street | 02 6021 8355 |
| | | Meramie Motor Inn | | 597 Kiewa Street | 02 6021 8100 |
| | | Atura Albury | | 648 Dean Street | 02 6021 5366 |
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| One | Sunday 1 st September 2024 | | Barhan | n NSW | |
| | | Barham Colonial Motel | | 72 Murray Street | 03 5453 3099 |
| | | Comfort Inn Clubarham | 1 | 45 Murray Street | 03 5453 2900 |
| | | Barham Big 4 Caravan F | Park | 138E Barham Road | 03 5453 2009 |
| Two | Monday 2 nd September 2024 | | Euston NSW | | |
| | | Euston Motel | | 2 Sturt Highway | 03 5026 1133 |
| | | Euston Club Resort /Cal | bin Park | | 03 5026 4244 |
| | | Euston Riverfront Carav | /an Park | 27 Murray Terrace | 03 5026 1543 |
| Three | e Tuesday 3rd September 2024 Menindee NSW | | | | |
| | ruesua, sra se | Maidens Hotel | | 59 Yartla Street | 08 8091 4208 |
| | | Burke & Wills Meninde | e Motel | | 08 8091 4313 |
| | Camping – Behind Maide | | | tel | |
| Four | Wednesday 4th September 2024 Bourke NSW | | | | |
| . oui | Wednesday 4th | Port of Bourke Hotel | Dourke | 32 Mitchell Street | 02 6872 2544 |
| | | Mitchell Caravan Park | | 2 Becker Street | 02 6872 2791 |
| | | Kidman's Camp | | Mitchell Highway | 02 6872 1612 |
| Five | Thursday 5th September 2024 Co | | | parabran NSW | |
| FIVE | illuisuay Stil S | Imperial Hotel | Coorial | 70 John Street | 02 6842 1023 |
| | | Acacia Motor Lodge | | 10 John Street | 02 6842 1922 |
| | | John Oxley Caravan Par | ·ŀ | Newell Highway | 0488 348 700 |
| | | John Oxiey Caravan Par | K | Newell Highway | 0466 346 700 |
| Six | Friday 6th September 2024 | | Uralla I | NSW | |
| | | Top Pub | | 23 Bridge Street | 02 6778 4110 |
| | | Altona Motel | | 113 New Eng Hwy | 02 6778 4007 |
| | | Country Road Caravan | Park | 170 Bridge Street | 0422 385 908 |
| Seven | Saturday 7th September 2024 | | Coffs H | larbour NSW | |
| | - | Royal Palms Motel | | 87 Park Beach Road | 02 6652 4422 |
| | | Coastal Bay Motel | | 93 Park Beach Road | 02 6652 6044 |
| | | Big 4 Caravan Park | | 1 Ocean Parade | 02 6648 4888 |
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Theme Nights will be announced in the next issue of the Great Escape Oz Escapades.

'Put your hand up if you didn't receive this email'. If you know of someone who didn't get this email and should have, please reply with their details so I can Include them. Likewise, if you don't want to receive further emails reply 'stop'.

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The 2024 Great Escape Oz **Entry Form** is attached with this newsletter, along with the flier that you have already seen. So, get your entries in to secure your spot. A promotional poster will be available soon to help you promote the event and dazzle your sponsors.

New Rally Bank Account Details

Bank: Beyond Bank Australia

Acc Name: The Great Escape Oz Car Rally

BSB: 325 – 185 Account: 04012739

Reference: (your phone number) + (car number).

There are many more details that I am sure you want to know but they will come in future newsletters.

See you down the roads less travelled.

Regards,

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