









February Cruise Night News

Tonight's raffle draws and presentations at 7pm in the Sober Mule court include:

-  Entrant's prize draw
-  LGC Cruiser draw
-  Turtle Wax ICE Best Presented

LGC Cruisers.

-  We'll be drawing the names of three lucky LGC Cruisers at next month's March Cruise Night, to share in \$2500 worth of prizes including a 51" Plasma TV. You must be financial to claim a prize so if you're not certain your subscription is up to date, check at the LGC stand with Kerin or Jan.
-  Make sure you get your entry into tonight's LGC Cruiser draw.
-  And if you're not already signed up as a *LGC Cruiser*, see Kerin or Jan at the tent and you can be in tonight's Cruiser prize draw.

Stubby Holders

Peninsula Cruise Night stubby holders are available at our stand. By special request Pink stubby holders are again available.

Upcoming LGC Events



Phillip Island 'Classic' Historic Races Saturday March 10th 2012

Cruise down to the Phillip Island Grand Prix circuit for a great day of historic motorsport. Cruise entrants receive, trackside reserve parking, discounted entry tickets, free program, great on track action and easy access to pits. LGC Cruisers \$5, non Cruisers \$10, children free. All adult passengers \$15. Entries are limited so register to get yours tonight at the LGC stand. Highlights for this year include 35 thundering Formula 5000 V8-engined racers from the 1970s, including leading cars from New Zealand, the USA, Canada and the UK. Another highlight will be the large field of former Group C (1973-1984) and Group A (1985-1992) touring cars assembled for the meeting – with seven-time Bathurst winner Jim Richards and four-times Australian champion John Bowe amongst the drivers on the planned 22-car grid.



Cruise to the Big River Nationals April 11/12th

We already have 11 entrants registered for the two day cruise from Melbourne to South Australia's Riverland that LGC is hosting. The cruise departs the Calder Highway BP service centre adjacent Calder Park raceway on Wednesday April 11th cruise to an overnight stop in Swan Hill with a dinner get together. The cruise will be in easy driving stages with regular stops at points of interest and a lunch stop in Castlemaine on Wednesday and Mildura on Thursday. Goody bag for all registered entrants. Registration forms for this cruise are available at the LGC tent. Details about the Big River Nationals and event entry forms can be found on

www.bigrivenationals.com

Pink Slips February Lunch – This Friday Feb 10th at 12 noon

Join us for our 'It's about Me' lunch on Friday Feb 10th at Cheryl Mill's house at 27 Altarnum Rd Langwarrin. Sue Doogan from Image Styling will advise us about colours and have some fabulous jewellery and make up. Cost is \$5 towards the day's fund raising effort and please bring a plate to share. See the girls at the LGC stand for details.



Pink Slips Bus Trip to the Melbourne Flower and Garden Show Wed 28th March.

The boys all cruise off to the Hot Rod Show at the Exhibition buildings in Carlton in January, well now it's the girls turn to coach it to the Garden Show on Wed 28th of March. Guys can come too! Ticket includes coach to show, morning tea and show entry. See Cheryl H at the LGC stand for details and sign up for a great day out. Only a few seats remaining so don't delay!

Texas Hold'em Poker Cruise 2012.

The successful day on the Pier at Williamstown for the 300+ entrants also attracted 2000 people through the public gate. The funds generated from this gate has enabled LGC to fund the purchase of two defibrillators to be supplied to two large schools located in the western suburbs through the Heartstart Foundation. This equipment has the potential to save lives of not only students but staff members, visitors, parents and grandparents when at these schools. If you were an entrant at this event, then making your car available for public showing has resulted in something very valuable being returned to the community. We look forward to hosting Texas Hold'em again on January 20th 2013.



LGC 'End of Season' Cruise – May 5/6th to Beechworth

Before the change of season banishes your favourite car into the garage for the winter, join LGC for our 'End of Season' cruise to Beechworth. Enjoy all this great tourist town has to offer and join in the weekends 'Drive Back in Time' motoring festivities.



BEECHWORTH
OLD CRANKS MOTOR CLUB INC
www.beechwortholdcranksclub.com



2012 DRIVE BACK IN TIME

Saturday 5th May & Sunday 6th May

Presented in

Ford street Beechworth

Saturday 5th May

BBQ lunch 1:00pm followed by Points of interest Car Run
from old railway goods shed, Railway Avenue.
(Cost \$10 per car, BBQ Included)

Sunday 6th May 8:00am Start

SPECTATORS ADMITTANCE IS FREE

Large Car, Truck & Engine Display in
Ford Street Beechworth

Car and Engines

Trophies presented at 2:00pm

BBQ, coffee, tea & soft drink also available
Plus the Jumbo Wheelbarrow Raffle

Note*All entries must be 25 years or older*



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Mid Winter Cruise July 2012

Planning has started for this year's Mid Winter Cruise. Look for details on date and locations on our web site or cruise night flyers in the next couple of months.

'End of Season' Cruise Plan

- Cruise departs from the new northbound Service Centre on Eastlink just near the Wellington Rd interchange at 8:30am on Saturday
- Cruise up Eastlink taking the Ringwood bypass.
- We then follow the Maroondah Hwy to Lilydale, then onto the Melba Hwy to Yarra Glen, Yea, joining the Hume freeway at Seymour.
- A comfort/fuel stop at the Avenal Roadhouse.
- Entrants from other areas around Melbourne can join the cruise convoy along the way.
- Aim is to arrive in Beechworth by 12:30-1:45pm.
- There is no cost to join our 'End of Season' Cruise or need to register.
- On arrival in Beechworth, register as an entrant for 'Drive Back in Time' or do your own thing.
- There will be a get together in the evening for pre dinner drinks.
- Sunday. We'd recommend joining in the fun at the Show & Shine in the centre of town.

What do you need to do to come along?

Just arrange your own Saturday night accommodation, be at the new Service Centre on Eastlink ready to depart at 8:30am, or work out where to tag on to our cruise convoy at what time. You can drop us an email at cruisinletsgo@hotmail.com to let us know you'd like to join the cruise at a location along the route so we can coordinate a time to tag on.

Accommodation:

There are many options and information about Beechworth and accommodation options can be found at <http://www.beechworth.com.au>. We've found that motels offer the best option for a one night stay as many other accommodation venues require 2 night minimums. There are also 2 motels in the historic village of Yackandandah only 20 kms away if you have difficulty finding something suitable.