



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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WANNEROO WANDERERS

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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 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 folks

Apparently it was one of the hottest summers weve had. Well I didn't notice, but im sure there is still a bit of hot weather to enjoy over the Autumn months

This edition is a bit light on, but everything I have received has been included. To make this an enjoyable read it would be great if everyone could send in a little something – even if its already been on facebook.

Bring on all the great social events and trips we have planned and see you out there

regards

Barb

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A Special General Meeting will be held on:-

Date: April 3, 2019

Time: 7:45

Venue Warradale Community Centre

Southmead Drive

Landsdale.

Agenda: To Ratify the Wanneroo Wanderers Constitution.

Note: We require 66% of financial memberships to attend this meeting in order to ratify the constitution.

If you don't make any other meeting, this year, you must make this meeting or forward a proxy vote to the Secretary by April 1 2019.



Anywhere is paradise...it's up to you

TRIP & SOCIAL REPORTS

- December - No reports
- January - New Years brunch at Watermans Beach
- Ledge day trip - cancelled due to 42+ degree day. To be re-scheduled
- Australia Day Long Weekend
- February - Valentines Day Social at Chittering
- SBM fishing trip (Report not received yet so will be in the next magazine)



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NEW YEARS BRUNCH AT WATERMANS BEACH



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SUNDAY, JANUARY 6

Instead of having the brunch in Mandurah as we have done for the past few years, we decided to revert back to our original venue of Watermans Beach, as it gave most of our members living in the northern suburbs an easy drive. Unfortunately it fell on one of the hottest days in Perth and the beach was packed. Not just Watermans but every beach we drove past!! Parking was almost nonexistent..... a few of us managed to jag spaces just as other beach goers were leaving.

We had a small group in attendance and this is where we first met Audrey and Vlado. It was also where we learnt that John and Liz had got engaged. Plenty of ooohs and aaahs checking out the engagement ring. Also; where we heard that Mark and Stella had gotten married. See what happens if you don't turn up to events, you miss out on first hand info/gossip!

A number of members did try to get to the brunch but were stymied by the lack of parking, they phoned to say they were going back home.

For those of us there we enjoyed welcoming in 2019 grazing on picnic foods and drinking coffee.

One of the members, who shall remain nameless, didn't read the email correctly and drove down to Mandurah to enjoy the brunch; luckily he did take his canoe/kayak and spent some time paddling around the estuary.

For 2020 I think we will go back to Mandurah or Falcon Bay as there haven't been any issues with parking there and members seem happy to have a day out driving..... and who doesn't love the Mandurah lifestyle, with beautiful waterways, awesome cycling/walking tracks, beaches, fishing, paddling, crabbing and more. I know that Archie and I LOVE IT!

Karen
Social Secretary

AUSTRALIA DAY WEEKEND IN PEMBERTON 2019

Once again the Club was invited to camp out in the Zeffert's paddock in Pemberton for the weekend.

There was a good turnout the first night with Kym & Glenda, John & Marlyn, Alan & Carol, Dave & Sue, Joe & Elisa and Archie & Karen arriving. Ken & Linda also camped out in the paddock for the first time. Tony & Jenny made a late entrance and took an age to find the perfect spot to set up! It was great to catch up with a few drinks on the deck after dinner. The weather looked to be a bit threatening but we were lucky in that there was no rain or wind but it was cold. Got down to 6.4 degrees overnight!

We woke on Friday to a nice sunny day. Ken & Linda headed off to a brunch with some of their Pemberton friends. Those remaining went off to Jarrah Jacks for lunch – an early celebration for Marlyn's birthday on the Monday. More folks arrived during the day with Alan and Alison the last to arrive quite late. There was a big contingent now including visitors Audrey & Vlado and new (returning) members Paul & Deb. There was a big group for happy hour on the deck and then more drinks after dinner for those who could manage any food at all after the usual huge serves at Jarrah Jacks! Paul & Mirella arrived lateish, just in time for a drink before bed. Not too late a night!

The early birds went off to the free community Australia Day breakfast at the Pemberton Pool on the Saturday. Reported to be a good brekkie (bacon & egg roll with a fruit juice). The rest of us had a sleep in and a leisurely breakfast at the camp. The Linds & Arrigos went off with Vlado & Audrey to show them the sights – Big Brook Dam, etc. Happy hour was held early at the Pemberton Pool while we attended the free concert which started around 3.30. Lovely evening with music and Millers icecreams. Back to camp for dinner & drinks. Not too cold tonight.

On the Sunday the adventurous of our group undertook a trip down to the beach via the Yeagerup Dunes. Thanks to the many helpers who assisted Linda in clearing out the garden bed around the lemon trees and in getting rid of the cobwebs around the house and deck! There was a bit of excitement when Ken dug through the main waterpipe for the house but thankfully Elisa was there to show him how to fix the pipe (she apparently has much experience as a result of Joe's digging habits)! Thanks also to Dave for filling in the hole! An afternoon rest was in order while we awaited the return of the 4 wheel drivers. Audrey was very excited about the 4 wheel driving – she is definitely a convert. Bob had a bit of trouble making it up the dunes but got there with a bit of assistance. It turned out to be quite a hot day and a lovely night. We had a shared dinner on the deck with an amazing array of food and much fun & frivolity as usual.

Monday saw everyone heading back home or off on further travels. Until next time!





Well It was Valentine's Day again where we celebrate all things LOVE and 18 "loved-up" revellers were at Ron and Angie's with a sea of red knickers, shirts and hats. It was disappointing that more many members indicated that they would be attending and were catered for when organising desert, but, rest assured, Joe ensured that any spare pavlova was duly dealt with.

The festivities started around the pool with (several) drinks, nibbles and a swim for those prepared to join the dogs in the pool. And when it was time to fire up the BBQ for dinner, in true Wanneroo Wanderer style, there was an abundance of yummy salads to enjoy and, of course, desert.

Our illustrious social coordinator then got us to write down 2 facts about ourselves which were true and 1 which was false and then everyone trying to guess who they related to. And, for the record, it is not true that Joe has been married more than once!!!

Next was pin the heart to the heart – a Valentine version of pin the tail on the donkey. It is amazing what you can get away with when you are blind-folded !!!!

With all but Kerri and Steve staying the night, it was safe to sample some of Joe's scotch – not sure that I was thanking you on Sunday morning though, Joe.

It was a very enjoyable night and many thanks to Ron and Angie for their great hospitality and opening up their home for us all to enjoy the evening and of course, thanks to Karen for bringing it all together.

Dave and Sue

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FUNNIES

RETARDED GRANDPARENTS - (this was actually reported by a teacher)

After Christmas, a teacher asked her young pupils how they spent their holiday away from school. One child wrote the following:

We always used to spend the holidays with Grandma and Grandpa.

They used to live in a big brick house but Grandpa got retarded and they moved to Batemans Bay where everyone lives in nice little houses, and so they don't have to mow the grass anymore!

They ride around on their bicycles and scooters and wear name tags because they don't know who they are anymore.

They go to a building called a wreck centre, but they must have got it fixed because it is all okay now.

They do exercises there, but they don't do them very well.

There is a swimming pool too, but they all jump up and down in it with hats on.

At their gate, there is a doll house with a little old man sitting in it. He watches all day so nobody can escape. Sometimes they sneak out, and go cruising in their golf carts!

Nobody there cooks, they just eat out.

And, they eat the same thing every night --- early birds.

Some of the people can't get out past the man in the doll house. The ones who do get out, bring food back to the wrecked centre for pot luck.

My Grandma says that Grandpa worked all his life to earn his retardment and says I should work hard so I can be retarded someday too.

When I earn my retardment, I want to be the man in the doll house. Then I will let people out, so they can visit their grandchildren. PRICELESS!

Remember to send this to all your "retarded grandparent" friends and give them a laugh too!





Some days I amaze myself.
Other days, I look for
my phone while
I'm holding it

**CRUSHING
POP CANS
IS
SODA PRESSING**

**FORGET
WORLD PEACE
VISUALIZE
USING YOUR TURN
SIGNAL**

**WHAT I IF TOLD
YOU

YOU READ THE TOP
LINE WRONG**

**ELECTRICIANS
HAVE TO STRIP
TO MAKE
ENDS MEET**

**LIFE IS SHORT
IF YOU CAN'T
LAUGH AT
YOURSELF
CALL ME, I WILL**

**BAN
PRE-SHREDDED
CHEESE
MAKE AMERICA
GRATE AGAIN**

**FOR CHEMISTS
ALCOHOL IS NOT
A PROBLEM
IT'S A SOLUTION**

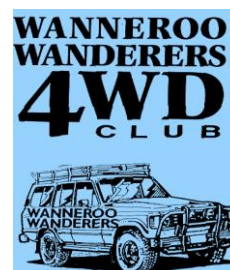
**DOGS
CAN'T OPERATE
MRI SCANNERS

BUT CATSCAN**

**IRONY.

THE OPPOSITE
OF
WRINKLY**

UPCOMING EVENTS



2019 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: Jan 9 (2nd Wed of month), Feb 6, Mar 6, Apr 3, May 1, Jun 5, Jul 4, Aug 1, no Sept mtg, Oct 3, Nov 7, Dec 5	Warradale Community Centre, Southmead Dve, Landsdale
January 6th	New Years Brunch - Watermans Beach Park. 9.30 (no dogs)	Karen Lind
January 20th	Ledge Pt - Moore River Day Run	Steve Morris
January 25th-28th	Australia Day long weekend, Pemberton (for the last time?)	Karen Lind/Linda Zeffert
February 9th	Valentines Day, Lower Chittering (campover)	Ron and Angela Francis
February 23rd-24th	Sid's Perpetual Fishing Trip, Buffalo Beach/Belvidere camp area (day only or overnight)	Tony Downe
March 1st-4th	Willow Springs (Nannup/Donnelly forests)	TBA
March 16th	St Patrick's Day celebration	Barb Lynch
March 22nd - 24th	Crabbing Weekend - Estuary Hideaway CP (south of Mandurah)	Karen Lind
April 6th	Mini Putt Putt Golf. Wembley Golf course	Kerri Waterman
April 19th - 28th	Easter / Anzac trip Miller's Point (Near Bremmer Bay) 4-10 days	TBA - Multiple leaders reqd
May 18th - 19th	Dardanup Heritage Park / Taralea Farmstay / Ferguson Valley / link up with Collie Day run on Sunday	Tony Downe
May 19th	Collie Day Run	Tony Downe
June 1st - Jun 3rd	Long Weekend trip. Wheatbelt Rocks	Phil Anderson
June 1st - July 16th	Extended trip. Great Central, Uluru, Mt Dare, Simpson Desert, Birdsville, Bulia, Alice Springs, Tanami Rd, Halls Creek, Canning Stock Route (no trailers, no dogs)	Steve Bly
June 22nd	Hot and Spicy Night	TBA
July 14th	Day Run - Byford/Jarrahdale/Mt Wells	Lesley Armstrong
July 27th	Xmas in July at Hillside (stay before and after ok)	Penny Clark
August 10th	Wine and Cheese night	TBA
August 24th - 25th	Wildflower trip - northern wheatbelt	TBA
Sept 7th	Annual General Meeting - Hillarys Yacht Club	John Lyford
Sept 28th - Sept 30th	Long weekend trip - Greenbushes Area	TBA
Oct 5th - 7th	Kulin Bush Races 25th anniversary (alternative-Landor Bush Races)	Karen Lind (or Barb Lynch)
Nov 8th - 10th	Four Wheel Drive Show (club to have stand in WA4WDA tent?)	
Nov 16th - 17th	Very Amateur Golf Weekend - Ledge Point	Karen Lind
Nov 30th	End of Year dinner	Karen Lind
Dec 8th	Xmas barbeque	Kym Batten
<i>If you have further suggestions, please advise the Trip coordinator, Phil Anderson or Social coordinator Karen Lind</i>		
<i>The July planning meeting will add further events for the second half of the year</i>		

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



BOATING ■ CAMPING ■ FISHING

BIRTHDAYS

Date	Name	Date	Name	Date	Name
January		February		March	
7th	Bob Heasman	14th	Ray Willis	2nd	Dave Melbourne
11th	Marian Granland	18th	Judy Anderson	6th	Jenny Downe
22nd	Paul DiGiorgio			12th	Steve Waterman
28th	Marlyn Corderoy			14th	Angela Francis
				20th	Archie Lind
				30th	Mirella DiGiorgio
April		May		June	
11th	Keith Granland			4th	Tony Downe
12th	Ron Francis			5 th	Chris Scarce
18th	Jan Setlak			21st	John Lyford
20th	Joe Arrigo				
26th	Alan Clark				
July		August		September	
6th	Glenda Batten	21st	Lyn Willis	1 st	Linda Zeffert
9th	John Setlak	26th	Sue Melbourne	1 st	Kym Batten
24th	Ray Zaetskey			5 th	Steve Morris
26th	Barb Lynch			5 th	Ray Scarce
				19 th	Carol Clark
				20 th	Audrey Heasman
				21 st	Phil Anderson
October		November		December	
1st	Dave Clark	5th	Elisa Arrigo	7th	Sue Morris
4th	Karen Lind			19th	Gabbie Zaretsky
6th	Kerri Waterman			24th	John Corderoy
7th	Penny Clark				
27th	Mark Bolton				

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.