

Ipswich Ulysses

Newsletter #36 September 2016



Group who attended the Cartwheel Ride – 14 Aug 2016



Stanthorpe Wine Tour Group – Weekend 19, 20 & 21 August

Information nights: First Friday of each month at Ipswich Country Club, 1a Samford Road, Leichhardt. Starts at 7.15pm – come along for dinner earlier if you like

Branch rides first and third of each month with SOCIALS any time ... see website for details

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Ado's September Air Spray





Welcome to September 2016 with the Ipswich Branch of the Ulysses Club

Last month we enjoyed each other's company on the South Qld Branch Cartwheel ride. Our branch sold 29 hands and had 22 bikes, trikes and one spyder. The best hand was won by Windsucker who somehow managed to pull himself three 10's out of the bag. Wendy aka Di won the ladies watch for worst hand.

A big thankyou to Windsucker for leading the ride on the day. Not a long ride but a good one just the same.





Thanks also to Dorothy Paula and Dia for organising the cards on the day. Overall from all branches the day brought in \$1500 to be banked into the memorial gardens account and \$660 from the raffles will be handed over to the Ulysses Club Arthritis Research Fund "UCARF".

Now that winter has officially finished for this year I am hoping we have some good turn outs for our branch events. The cold weather is no more and the sun is shining as it should. We desperately need members to put up their hands to lead some rides. It doesn't have to be a complicated ordeal, just a chance for us to get together and enjoy each other's company. Eric is waiting with baited breath for you to speak to him. We are looking for a few coffee, ice cream runs etc and we are looking at making some Saturdays, day and night rides as well.

I see that Northern Gateway are holding a Halloween Trivia Night on the 29th October I would love to have some company to join Amanda and I on the night. Kon has advertised it on the webpage, but if anyone is interested in making the trip and doing the branch proud or embarrass ourselves to the hilt please contact me asap. There are lots of prizes on offer for costumes etc, cost \$10 a head and I think we are assured of a great night.



A big thank you to everyone for making Jack's night so memorable, for taking the time to introduce yourself and say hi to him and his mum. Thanks for his stickers for his tray and special thanks to Ski and Kiwi for their contribution he can't get the smile off his face.

Our branch ride on Sun 18th Sept, leaving from Yamanto at 8 am is to support the Mount Lindesay Branch Mater Little Miracles Ride (Most SEQ branches are attending). There is a registration fee of \$20 which goes to a great cause, however if you cannot afford this, don't let that stop you from attending. There is a show n shine, stalls and great company to be had. Hope you see you there. The National Memorial Day is quickly approaching, 11th September. Our Vice Pres, DaZar, will be leading us, leaving from The Ipswich Country Club (our info night venue) at 8:30 am. We will be having another branch photo before we leave from Country Club and this will take pride of place on our website for the coming year. This is great day for all Ulyssians, and we would love to see you wear your branch shirts this day. The day will include the dedication of the new honour boards, remembrance of those who have ridden on.

The introduction of a scratchie draw for all members who have participated on a branch draw that month seems to be a hit. We will be continuing this for a bit longer yet. The more you ride with us the more chances you have to win. Anyone who attended our ride for the Cartwheel Ride will go into a draw for a \$10 scratchie. This money is coming from fines our Sheriff James collects at the info nights, so keep dobbing!

The branch Birthday party is on the 22th October and we need numbers, for the catering. It is being held at the historic Old Purga School, Purga School Rd. BBQ tea and desserts at \$10 a head which is a bargain. Starting at 5pm. Don't forget to supply a photo of yourself at the age of 3yrs or younger. Give it to Amanda on the sly and don't show anyone else.

The Christmas Party will be held in December. Going to be fancy dress this time and lots of planning and will let us know in the near future.



Amanda and I were lucky enough to be invited to Shane and Anne's wedding this month. Here's a pic of Mr Shane and Mrs Anne Noy. Congratulations to them both and we wish them a happy life together. They are honey mooning in Tasmania and we will see them in September sometime.

Keep it legal – I's a watching Ado

Dazza's Banter



Hi there team. Been a busy month for the branch, with rides and events attended by our members ie the Cartwheel ride etc. Great to see members getting out and being involved.

I've been fairly quiet of recent weeks and am sorry for the lack of my support for the various rides that have been scheduled. Personal family issues have been my main focus over the past couple of months. Things are slowly starting to come good.

There is a big September coming up with our Father's Day ride and then the very next week the Memorial Day Ride which I will be leading. Hope to see lots of people out for this very special day on the Ulysses calendar. The warmer months are coming, and with that means, lots more people on the roads heading away for weekends and school holidays etc. Time to be more mindful of your surroundings, when you're out there on the roads. It's great to be out and about with our friends but we need to be safe and all come back in one piece. I'll be reminding people of this on our Memorial Ride in our Pre Start Chat before we head off.

I look forward to seeing you all on the ride. We'll be leaving the Ipswich Country Club car park at 8:30am sharp. Make sure your tank is full and bladder empty. Catch you all then.

Regards

Daz

Vice President #64146



Threads for the Web

<u>Website or Web site:</u> A set of interconnected web pages, usually including a homepage, generally located on the same server, and prepared and maintained as a collection of information by a person, group, or organisation.

Thank you to everyone for your heartfelt wishes of support and help in this difficult time Christine and I find ourselves in.

Peter Whitton (Smurf) (58smurf@gmail.com) has bravely nominated himself to help run this website, with a little bit of my help as long as I am able.

Thank to you all, and happy riding...Don't forget to grow old disgracefully!

Howza #50507 Interim webmaster

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Presentation to Jack Horne



Jack is a local lad who is just mad about all things associated with skulls. He asked Ado for some stickers. Ado mentioned this to the branch to see if anyone could supply some stickers for Jack.

Jack and his mum were invited to come along to our social night in August so a presentation could be made to Jack.

Kiwi and Ski wanted to do something special for Jack. Kiwi managed to alter a vest he had at home and added extra patches and included Jack's name. Ski painted a special painting so Jack could put it up on his wall at home. He was also given some stickers and a cap. Mt Lindesay Branch also donated a bandanna to Jack.

You can see on Jack's face that he was very excited.



Jack, Kiwi & Ski

Sheriff's Court

James "Windsucker" 50255

Great night again had by all, our Branch seems to be growing from strength to strength. What a night for fines.

FINES AS FOLLOWS

Spook, Angry, Ado and Dorothy (twice) - for not turning off their indicators. Old Goat, Colin, Jules and Doggie – turned up on the wrong night for our Social night Silver Fox - for losing his tail on an earlier ride Grey Wolf - for running into the bush Ray –for having a flat battery Eric - not realising where the Ipswich Country Club entrance was Old Goat – not doing up his helmet strap Old Goat – losing is camera on a ride Leonie – I called this one hollow legs, she had four lunches served at one sitting Lummey – bogged his bike Mack – I fined him just for the hell of it

The \$5 scratchy were won by: Eric – Ado's Mystery Ride Annie – Ross's Advance Town Ride

BIRTHDAYS



Windsucker

Di – Wendy

Big Lindsey

NAMING



Denise will now be called Radar

Paula will now be called Sweet Pea



MISHAP AWARD

NIL QUOTE OF THE MONTH

Our best success often comes after our greatest disappointment.

Play it Safe

Windsucker #50255

Cartwheel Ride Report - Windsucker

On the day we met at the Ipswich Country Club with 31 riders ready to go. I nearly never made it, as my bike wouldn't start. So I rang El President who organized Spook to come to my place and start it with his fancy battery starter. Thanks Spook you were a lifesaver.

Back to the ride, we left at 9am onto our first stop which was Marburg, for our 2nd card and with two cards drawn no indication of a good hand. On our bikes again heading to Rosewood for our third card, only a few of the riders had a pair, nothing to get excited about yet.

Back on our bikes again heading off to Peaks Crossing via Middle Road, which has some beautiful scenery. When we got there we pulled out two cards. Ado was on a winner with two aces, but to our surprise I pulled another 10 out which gave me 3 tens, which won the hand for the Day (Sorry Ado). I received my prize which was a \$100 voucher from the Ipswich Country Club (Great). Di had the worse hand and received a ladies watch, this worked out to be good because August was Di's Birthday and mine (there was no funny business about the cards just luck). Before we left for Harrisville we lost some riders due to sickness as they returned home. I hope they are feeling better.

We got to the Cartwheel function at 11:45as it started at 12noon. It wasn't a long ride but I hope everybody had a good time. I know I did.

Till we meet again.

"Windsucker"

lumberjacks Road Rayfi





Hi folks,

I'm happy to see a lot better attendance for the Cartwheel Ride and I hope that you guys will keep supporting our branch and come on our rides. There is still no one to lead the ride on October 2nd but if you will turn up at Yamanto ready to ride at 09:00 then we will go somewhere. Maybe we can walk across the carpark and into McDonald for a fat-burger or maybe we can come up with a different destination.

Our wine tour went well, however not many attended. Eight people on four bikes and one car. There were another Ulysses couple from the Gold Coast hinterland attending the wine tour as well. Another bloody Goldwing rider. I was feeling lonely on my Triumph amongst all the Goldwing's.

Our Father's day ride will go to Moogerah dam at the lower picnic area which is more secluded than the upper area. It is also soon time for our memorial ride to The Spit where you will see a lot of bikes and people from different branches.

For our second branch ride of the month we are going to Mt Lindsay's venue to support their charity, "Mater Little Miracles". They are taking us on a ride and are asking for a \$20 registration fee but if you think that is too much, you can still go on the ride without paying. You just won't get the badge, water and the sausage sizzle.

Date	When	Where to meet	Ride leader	What's happening	Distance
04/09/2016	08:00	Yamanto	Erik	Father's day Ride - Barbeque	
			(Lumberjack)		
11/09/2016	08:30	Ipswich	Dazar	Memorial ride	
		Country Club			
18/09/2016	08:00	Yamanto	Ado / Mt	Mater little miracles (Mt.	
			Lindsay	Lindsay)	
			Ulysses		
02/10/2016	09:00	Yamanto	T.B.A.	Secret destination	
16/10/2016	T.B.A.	T.B.A.	Gunther		

Ipswich branch rides:

See you all on the rides and ride safe. Erik (Lumberjack.)

Cartwheel Ride Report – by Dorothy (Short Cut)

It was a little bit cold again this morning at 7am heading to the Ipswich Country Club for 8am registeration. Just before arriving at the Country Club Gunther overtook Tony & Di at the lights as the lights were about to change, Gunther doesn't like to stop so he over took and kept going. Sorry Tony!

Paula took control of the money side, while Di looking after the cards and ensuring they were well mixed up, and I wrote down the relevant card that the riders selected.

We took off travelling through Walloon and onto the Warrego Hwy and then down to Tahlia's Place in Marburg. This is where the second card was drawn.





We left Marburg heading to Rosewood where we stopped at the park just coming into Rosewood for our third card draw. No one had much of a hand the best was a couple of pair of twos.

Erik was getting a little earger as he wanted to get going but the leader was still having a smoke. So Erik did several circles around the car park while he was waiting for the ride leader to get going.



We left Rosewood heading back to Amberley then onto Cunningham Hwy and turning right into Middle Road, Church Bank Weir Road and then left to Peak Mountain View Park where the fourth and fifth cards were drawn.

After the forth cards were drawn there were several players who had doubles but the highest at this stage was Ado with two aces. However, as the fifth cards werebeing drawn I informed James that he needed another 10 as he had already had two 10s. So Paula and myself were willing James to pick another 10 our of the bag and you gess it, out came another 10. James now had three tens so the presure was back on Ado to pull out another ace to be the winner.

Unfortunately Ado did not win and James was our winner with three 10. Congratulation to James and I hope he enjoys his meal at the Ipswich Country Club. Di was out looser with a grand total of 26 points but she came away with a ladies watch. Not bad for coming last. Also it was Di's birthday so it was lovely to see she came away with a prize.

I had an enjoyable lunch at the Harrisville Hotel with Gunther, Erik, Anni, Di, Tony and Phil, before heading home for an early day.



Jo was getting ready for another bumpy ride with

Dorothy #43918

Wine tour to Stanthorpe – By Anni

We met at 2.30 pm at Yamanto with Gunther and Dorothy.

A beautiful day to go for a ride, (just a shame we had to go to work first). We went on the highway heading south toward Warwick. We went through Aratula and up the Gap through the beautiful mountain. Wow, what a beautiful view. Yes I could see a bit of the view, when Erik was speeding in the twisties and pasting some vehicles.

Gunther and Dorothy just followed. The forest was so beautiful and green and you could smell the eucalyptus, nice. But then came some black clouds. Oh well we drove away from the grey and drove nicely behind all the cars. (Erik was swearing a bit) he had enough of the cars so he put the blinker on to the left, and speed up the hill to a little country place with a smaller bumpy road, to do a shortcut. Ok, more exciting twisties, I just held on. Gunther and Dorothy followed. When we came to Warwick we slowed down, you never know where the police are hiding.

When we past Mac Donald, I told Erik that I saw a red Gold Wing that looked like Mivi and Dons motorbike, he said no, that was probably a Harley. He didn't think I could see the difference. I was a bit upset, so I didn't say anything for a while. We came closer to Stanthorpe and it started to cool down. I hoped that Gunther would overtake us and wave us in for a coffee but he and Erik just drove like crazy to get to the Top of Town caravan park. It was freezing, I was looking forward to get a good hot coffee. We were finally there and got the key. The first thing we did when we opened the door was turning the heater on, and the kettle.



We brought our own coffee, so nice. Leonie and Gary came out from their motel room opposite us and invited us inside (they came in their car), very nice. Dorothy came with a nice wine and Leonie and Gary supplied some dip and chips. So the party started. Mivi and Don came 20 minutes later, they stopped at Maccas. I was right for once.

We had a lot of fun and decided to catch the shuttle bus to RSL for dinner. There were so many people at RSL, we couldn't find an empty table. We found a table with two nice gentlemen, and they moved for us, as they had another

table inside with their wives. The food was good and drinks and there was a good band playing. Gary and Leonie went up dancing and Mivi, Dorothy, and I followed and then more girls came along. We even got the men up for a single dance. It was a great night. Gary was the dancing star of the night.

We set the alarm for the next morning. The bus would come at 9.45 for the wine tour. But 7.30am there was at knock on the door, "breakfast", how nice. Dorothy came with a toasted sandwich with egg, and we turned the kettle on. How nice it is to have good friends. After breakfast we jumped out from the warm bed and

into the hot shower, and found some warm clothes. And down to the bus stop, we waited nearly half an hour. We met another couple like us, Michelle and Steve. They were Ulyssians from the Gold Coast and on the same bus as us. We had a great time. The first winery we came to was a nice old church with a little cafe and some nice antique stuff and some great wine, (and sour wine too). We had a lot of tests and a lot of funny faces. We came out with a box of wine and some great apples.



Next stop was the cheese factory. They had some yummy cheese, but it was very expensive, so we only bought some olives. Then we came to another winery, (I was already a bit tipsy). And then the next stop was the brewery, the place where we had lunch. The food was ok. But we had to pay for the beer tasting. We didn't taste it, but I think most people liked it. It cost \$9 for a sample with 3 small glasses of beer. Next Winery was a nice house with a restaurant and some nice paintings.



Then on to the next winery, it was a nice place where we were sitting at a small table in between the big tanks to have a taste of the nicest coffee chocolate liqueur and other wine. They had lots of interesting souvenirs and chocolate too. We drove to the last winery now. It was a nice place with wattle trees and a nice garden around. And they had nice wine and liqueur we had to buy just a few more. Phew! All that wine, we better go home, before we buy more.

Luckily Gary and Leonie had a car, so we could get the wine home. We went to our cabin and had a rest before we went to RSL again. We were a bit tired after all that wine, so we stopped drinking and went early to bed that night.

We heard in the news, it would be -3 degrees in the morning. But our driver said no no. But when we came out in the next morning, there was a thick layer of ice on the motorbike. I don't think I have seen that much ice since I was in Denmark.

We moved the bike in the sun and packed up around 9 o'clock, and drove to the petrol station and had a nice breakfast at the Apple café outside Stanthorpe.

We said goodbye and went our separate ways home from there.

Thank you guys for a wonderful weekend.

Anni.



Stanthorpe Wine Tour Weekend – Dorothy (Short Cut)



For me the weekend was starting out a little bit of a problem. I started work early on Friday at 6am so I could leave work at 2pm and get an early start heading to Stanthorpe. So I took the car to work and Gunther came in latter when it was warmer and swapped over my bike with the car.

Gunther arrived at work around 10am so he returned home with the car and I was left with my bike. This was so I could meet up with Erik, Anni and Gunther at Yamanto at 2:30 to travel to Stanthorpe together.

After lunch around 1o'clock I decided to go out to my bike and grab my jacket and wet weather pants so I could put them on inside when I finish work to save time. But I noticed that my blinker was flashing and I thought, I hope my battery insn't flat. So I though I should just try and start the bike to check that everything was ok. But you gessed it, the battery was dead flat. So an urgent call to Gunther to tell him he better get back to me asap otherwise I won't be meeting them at Yamanto.

All was good, Gunther used his little gaget to get my bike up and running just before I finished for the day, so back on track to meet up with the others. We received a call from Gary and Leonie letting us know that there were already at Warwick and that they had seen several police along the way, so for us to take it easy and not get a ticket. Who would belive that Gunther and Erik would get a ticket they never speed!

We arrived at Stanthorpe around 4:15pm we had a reasonable good run. We checked into our accommocation and then we have a few drinks before heading to the RSL for dinner. Don rang and ordered the courtesy bus to pick us up so we didn't have to walk down to town.





After a good night sleep we were ready for our wine tour. We were on a small bus with another couple Steve and Vicky from the Gold Coast. It was not long before we found out that there were also Ulyssians and belonged to the Gold Coast Branch. Steve also rode a Gold Wing so he fitted nicely in with the other three Gold Wing rider, sorry Erki.





We visited several wineries, cheese factory and the brewery where we had lunch and tasked some local beers. After lunch we started to get a little bit tipsy but no worries we had a driver to ensure we arrived back at our accommodation safely. With a bus loaded with alcohol we arrived back at our accommodation.

Erik and Anni loaded up Gary's car with their supplies as they could not fit them into the saddle bags. Gunther on the other hand rode down with his small trailer to ensure he had room to put all of his supplies in.

We woke up Sunday morning with frost it was covering Erik bike and Gary car. Don and Gunther parked their bikes under the awnings and I put a cover over my bike so no problems with ours. Once packed up we left and headed to Breakfast before saying out good byes.





Thanks to Anni, Erik, Gary, Leonie, Mivi, Don and Gunther for a great weekend. Both Gunther and I are very happy that you supported our Wine Tour weekend and we could not have asked for a better group to do the tour with.

Thanks

Dorothy 43918

Whilst Adrian & I and Mick & Paula we were on holidays earlier this year in USA /Canada I found this article in the Las Vegas times. I thought some of our members might like a read, and it may relate to

"Regaining Control -Could one simple step mean me off Facebook?

Louis CK ** recently appeared on Conan, talking about how he's quit the Internet. He gave his phone to one of his daughters and told her to put in a restriction code so he couldn't get online without her permission. "It's supposed to be the other way around," he joked. "It's supposed to be a parental code to keep your kid off the Internet". He's lasted a month off line so far, and anyone who's been online knows that a mighty long time.

For me, the Internet basically means Facebook, and I've tussled for years over how to redirect my spare time away from the social media vortex. I've set limits (half an hour in the morning, half an hour in the evening) ... and immediately ignored them. I've tried going cold turkey – for a whole week, well, a work week, since I didn't quite make it through the weekend. My editor suggested I merely turn off phone notifications, but were obviously wired differently, because to my ears that sound like, "Just put your heroin on top of the fridge, where it'll be harder to reach".

I finally might be making actual progress, however, thanks to one simple step: deleting Facebook from my phone. But shortly after that blue "F" disappeared from my home screen I did something I hadn't done in eons. I went to a coffee shop and read an actual book. Louis CK told Conan going webless led him to Pride and Prejudice. My new found quality time began with American Psycho. To each his own.

I expected reduced Facebook exposure to affect my life outside the house, but I'm surprised by how much it has influenced my inside life, too. Now when I walk away from the computer, I can lay on the couch and watch an entire movie without disruption. And I can go hours without getting pissed by random, insignificant things. The other week, a Facebook friend shared an article called "Here are the worst reactions to Prince's heath on Conservative Social Media." Why did Occupydemocrats.com put that together and why would someone share it? More importantly, why the hell did I have to click on it?

As refreshing as the past few weeks have been, I know I'm treading a thin line. Even as Louis CK proclaimed, "I've quit the internet", he quickly added, "for now".

In the digital age we're all wrestling a very slippery beast. Thanks to an unrelated Google search yesterday I remembered I can still access Facebook on my phone though Safari. I guess I'll have to delete that soon, too.

(by Smith Galtney)"

** Note from Amanda – excuse my ignorance I had to google search Louis CK he is an American comedian, actor, writer, producer, director, and editor. Thank goodness for the internet...lol.

Amanda

Ulysses Club AGM 2017



Port Macquarie—Wauchope

Monday 22 May to Sunday 29 May 2017

AGM Event Site – Wauchope Showground, Oxley Highway, Wauchope NSW

Event activities will be shared across Wauchope and Port Macquarie with main campground and operations centre at Wauchope Showground

Several members have already booked their accommodation for the AGM so if you are thinking of attending You will have to get in and make your booking.

Peter Whitton

Waters Edge

Port Macquarie

Waters Edge is located along the picturesque Hastings River, between Settlement City and Port Central Shopping Centres. Free parking is provided. Most rooms offer a balcony. Peter has managed to secure 10 rooms for Ipswich Branch members, if you are interested please speak to Peter for further details.

Dorothy & Gunther Pfeiffer (Camper Trailer) Phil O'Shea (Cabin)

Melaleuca Caravan Park 129 Hastings River Drive, Port Macquarie Telephone: (02) 6583 4498

Set in a sub-tropical landscape, Melaleuca Caravan Park is the place to stay in Port Macquarie. Close to town, beaches, river and attractions, sporting and social clubs, so it's easy to get amongst the action in minutes.

Margaret & Wally Morgan (Cabin) Leonie & Gary Oldham (Camper Trailer)

Breckenridge Farmstay 481 – 483 King Creek Road, South Wauchope NSW Telephone (02) 65852303

Breckenridge Farmstay is an ideal place to stay, just south of Wauchope. It is a working farm where you can join in on the activities and tourism attractions available in the region. With a variety of accommodation styles from cabin or holiday house to a dormitory that sleeps up to 50 people.

Di & Tony Deaves are staying in a time share apartment in the heart of Port Macquarie. If you want to know any further details please see them.

Our 3rd Birthday

Come along and celebrate our 3rd Birthday

on

Saturday 22 October 2016

Start at 6pm

Purga Hall Purga School Road

BYO: Drinks & Chairs

No Camp Overs

Cost \$10 per person

RSVP: 10 October 2016

For a fun evening please bring along a toddler photo to play in the guessing game

Honda Shadow 1999 -VT 1100 C3 Areo

12 Months rego

Brand new rear tire, maybe a 1000ks on it.

Helmet lock, Passenger @ rider foot rests and engine bars. Great Windshield...And sheep wool seat cover, a must.

Don't forget, shooroos, no Kangas hit whilst using them...

In the process of getting a new battery, this one not retaining charge, but will be replaced before sale.

Has been a delight to ride, it will be sorry to let me go...(only done 65,880Kms)

\$4,500.00 ono

Contact Konrad Walters (Howza)

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MATER LITTLE MIRACLES

Proudly organised by the Ulysses Club Mount Lindesay Branch



Open to the Public

Gold Coin Donation Entry

Sunday 18th September 2016

10 am - 3 pm MIDDLE GREEN SPORTS CLUB 270 MIDDLE ROAD, GREENBANK

\$20 Charity Ride Registration

Includes badge, water & sausage sizzle & show & shine entry Registration opens 8.00am. Ride leaves at 9.00 am and returning at approx 10am Or

\$10 Show & Shine Entry

Trophies to be won

Bikes: Best Paint, Peoples Choice, British, American, Jap, European

Cars: Best paint, Peoples Choice, British, American, Jap, Australian



JUMPING CASTLE,

Raffles

Face painting



RAISING FUNDS FOR MATER LITTLE MIRACLES

For more info contact Donna Kent -0414 963 744 Secretary Ulysses Club Mt Line

Member Profile

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Name: Jo Merritt



Nickname:	Jo		
Occupation:	Cook		
Current / Previous bike:	Harley 883 Custom 07 / Virago 250		
I got into bike riding when:	3 year ago		
Toughest Ride:	Head Road (Back Queen Mary Falls) Just after I got my Harley		
My life began when:	l got my first bike		
I am really good at:	Proving people wrong		
I am really bad at:	Doing as I'm told		
My hobbies are	Anything outdoors		
Major dislikes:	People that don't look when driving		
Smartest thing I've done:	Drag racing		
Biggest regret:	That I didn't start riding earlier		
Most amazing discovery:	My family		
Best time of my life:	When I'm out riding with friends		
Advice to new riders:	Always ride to your capabilities		

Newsletter Deadlines

To give enough time to put the Newsletter together I would need all contributions to be submitted the Sunday night before each monthly information night. Email through to <u>shortcutipswich@gmail.com</u>. Ride leaders are encouraged to write a report for their ride however all members are welcome. Anything of interest to the members will be considered however the name "Newsletter Editor" is just that, and I may need to 'edit' from time to time. Dorothy "Short Cut.

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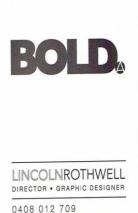


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