

Sunday 8th Noojee Jesvin George leading
10 am Officer South

While a large contingent of MSR regulars are enjoying the Omeo, Dargo and Licola roads, please join Jesvin on his first lead. From Officer South he'll head up through Launching Place for morning tea at Healesville after 72km. Then up and down Don Valley to Powelltown and the twisties to Noojee for lunch after another 65 km. The third leg will see the ride head back to the beginning via Yarra Junction and Gembrook to finish in Officer after another 96km. Expect around 235 km for the day.

Sat. 7th Dargo via Omeo Ben Warden leading
& Sun. 8th 9am Officer South

Ride will not suit inexperienced riders; not recommended for first time Club riders.

Members only. 21 starters. You'll need to find your own accommodation now.

Sat. 14th Club Xmas BBQ, Fairfield Park 12 - 4 pm. Meat and salads supplied. BYO drinks, partners, children and pet dogs. Rowing and afternoon tea at the Boathouse.

Sunday 15th Mt Baw Baw Ben Warden leading
10 am Yarra Glen

This ride will finish at John Willis and Lou Tickner's wedding reception at their home in Coldstream. They have generously invited all Members from 2.30pm onwards. We will leave Yarra Glen and head across to Healesville and down through Powelltown to Noojee for morning tea after 60 km. Next we'll tackle the challenging Mt Baw Baw with its tight and twisty corners rising very steeply at the end. Of course, you never know if there will be a tree across the road around the next corner or a 4WD on our side of the road. Back to Noojee for lunch (total 100 km round trip) before riding back to Yarra Junction and Coldstream to join the party after a further 70 km. Expect around 230 km for the day.

Sunday 22nd Gippsland Tour Rob Langer leading
10 am Officer South

From Officer we'll head down through Bayles to Grantville for morning tea after 110km. Then into the Gippsland hills picking up Glen Forbes and Bena to lunch at the Mirboo North Bakery in the main street after 115km. We'll spend some time around the Mirboo North good roads before heading north through Childers for afternoon tea at Neerim Junction. (105km) Then we'll continue on to Powelltown and back down through Gembrook to finish on the edge of suburbia in Endeavour Hills after another 100 km. Expect around 430 km for the day.

Wed. 26th 2013 to Thurs. 2nd January 2014 Porepunkah Christmas Camp
See elsewhere for more details.

January

Sunday 4th Buninyong Fire Tower via Linton Cliff Peters leading
10am Point Cook Servo

Join Cliff on a sprint out to the Wild West along a good variety of roads i.e. narrow, wide, hair pins, the odd sweeper, mostly good surfaces. Two stints of (good) dirt, 5km in total. We'll travel through strange place names such as Illabarook, Cape Clear, Berringa, Staffordshire Reef, and Piggoreet stopping at Hell's Kitchen and the Buninyong Fire Tower lookout. The route will be Meredith via Anakie and the Brisbane Ranges (80 km) Then on to Linton (103km) for lunch and fuel. Note: only one unleaded pump. Next Buninyong for afternoon tea after a gander from the top of the fire tower. (65km) Breakup at Werribee Caltex beside the freeway after 103km. Expect around 350 km for the day.

Thurs. 9th Social Sip
7 pm Il Gambero 166 Lygon St, Carlton

Collect your magazine and get all the news first. Catch up with your fanatical motorcycling enthusiast mates, share a meal and still be home by 10.30 pm. Free parking nearby.