

Southern Cross Association newsletter

March 2015

**SOUTHERN
CROSS
ASSOCIATION
(FTC) INC**

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Presidents Prattle



Hi all,

Well another year is well underway.

I would like to take this opportunity to say hi to any new members who have joined us in the recent past. I hope you enjoy your time with the Southern Cross Association, and I look forward catching up with you in the near future.

From all accounts the Poker Run for 2015 is progressing well, and I

am looking forward to the ride. Helen has done a mountain of work on the run and am looking forward to her giving the route details at the AGM.

With that in mind I hope that everyone is planning to travel to Rockhampton for the AGM over the Easter weekend **Friday 3 April to Monday 6 April 2015**. It would be good to see some new faces as well as the old faces. Remember if you plan to use accommodation other than camping you will need to get in early as Easter in Rocky can get fairly busy accommodation wise. Hoping the Townsville

committee will do the catering for the Friday night and Saturday and Sunday breakfast and the bar.

All the committee positions will be up for the taking, so if you are interested in standing for any of the positions you will need to have your nominations to the Secretary no later than 14 days prior to the meeting.

The nomination form is on page 4 of this newsletter.

Stay safe hope to be seeing you all very soon.

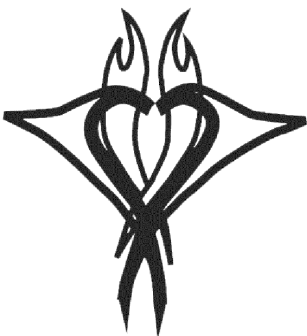
Cheers,
Macca

Annual Memberships

Don't forget that annual memberships expired on 1st February 2015 and are due for renewal.

It costs just \$20 to become a member. If you are already a

member only \$10 to renew your membership.



Townsville News

Hi all,

Townsville Committee held their AGM on Feb 14

Following is the new committee for 2015:

Chairperson: John McCulkin (Macca).

Vice Chairperson : Adrian Voss,

Secretary: Carol Voss,

Treasurer: Bev Quantrell

(Bev is also doing the Bar for us),

Ride Coordinator: Ray Cattell,

Merchandise: Cheryl McCulkin.

I would like to thank Chris Scifleet (Ski) for his help last year as the Vice Chair.

The new committee has a busy

year planned with, the Peter Kelly Memorial Poker Run, Y Knot Rally, catering for the national AGM, and a couple of Bunnings Sausage sizzles.

If anyone has any ideas please feel free to bring them forward.

Well that's it for now stay safe, see you soon.

Cheers,

Macca.

Townsville Ride Calendar

March 1

Lunch ride to Giru via Majors Creek leaving SCA Shed at 10am

Mar Sat 14th & Sun 15th

Overnighter Burdekin dam
Depart SCA Shed 8.00am
Van to cater all meals

April Fri 3rd to Mon 6th Easter Weekend

National AGM in Rocky
Depart SCA Shed Fri 6.00am
Van to cater meals as required

2.30pm Sat AGM National Committee election at North Rockhampton Bowls Club.

Camping at Riverside Tourist Park. Book early to avoid disappointment if you want accommodation. Book on line

or phone 4922 3779.

April Sat 25th Anzac Day
Watch and support your military friends march

April Sun 26th

Day ride to Bowen
Depart SCA Shed at 9.00am
swim and lunch at Horseshoe Bay Bowen

May Sat 2nd

Peter Kelly poker run
Registration 7.30pm
Depart SCA Shed at 9.00am
Free sausage sizzle lunch

After party at SCA Shed prizes and entertainment meals available

May 17

Lunch ride to Forrest Beach. Leaving SCA Shed 10 am for

lunch 1200pm

June Sat 6th - Mon 8th

Queens birthday long weekend
Atherton Weekend
Depart SCA Shed at 7.00am
Van to cater 2 nights

21 June

Lunch ride to Lucinda Point Hotel. Leave SCA shed at 10am for 1200 lunch.

July Sat 4th - Mon 6th

Show day long week end
Overnighter at Cooktown and Malanda
Depart 6.00am SCA Shed Sat
Cooktown Sat night
Malanda Sun night
Van to cater all meals

Proxy Form

If you are unable to make the AGM and would like to appoint another person to vote in your absence please complete the proxy form below and give to the secretary prior to the Annual General Meeting.

Southern Cross Association (FTC) Inc

Proxy Form

I, _____

of _____

being a member of the Southern Cross Association (FTC) Inc,

appoint _____

of _____

as my proxy to vote for me on my behalf at the (annual) general

meeting of the association, to be held on the 4th day of April 2015

and at any adjournment of the meeting.

Signed this day of 20 .

Signature _____

Last year's Poker Run pictures

Were you on last year's Poker Run? Take a look on the gallery on the website www.southern-cross-association.org.au and see if you can spot yourself having fun. If not have a look and see what you missed out on and make sure you join this year's run. Remember it is the first full week in September every year. This year it's the 7th—11th and the route will be revealed at the AGM in Rockhampton on 4 April.

Southern Cross Association (F.T.C.) Inc. Membership Application Form

| | | | |
|---|----------------|--|---------------|
| Name: _____ | Mem No.: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> \$20 New Membership (Including Badge) <input type="checkbox"/> \$10 Renewal Membership <input type="checkbox"/> I give permission for my details to be on a contact for SCA Members only. | |
| Address: _____ | | | |
| Pcode: _____ | | | |
| Phone: _____ | Fax: _____ | | Mobile: _____ |
| Email: _____ | | | |
| Your membership application will be tabled and voted on at a National Management Committee meeting. A membership acceptance notice will be a written notification via the National Newsletter and when you receive your badge and/or membership card. | | <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; width: fit-content;">Office Use Only Rec No.: _____</div> All payments & correspondence to: Southern Cross Association (F.T.C.) Inc., PO Box 787, Aitkenvale Qld 4814 All memberships are due on the 1st February each year. | |
| SCA has a public liability insurance policy to \$20 000 000 which covers members and participants involved in an event held by the Southern Cross Association (F.T.C.) Inc. | | | |
| Signature: _____ | | Date: _____ | |

Nomination Form - National AGM - 4 April, 2015

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|------------------------------------|--|--|
| Nominee (please print name) | Proposed by (please print name) | Seconded by (please print name) |
| Position | Signature | Signature |
| Signature | | |
| Membership no. | Membership no. | Membership no. |

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& BIKES

Festival



FEATURING:

- Steam Train ride from Goondiwindi to Toobeah & return.
- Model Railway Exhibition
- 40 Model T Fords on display
- 150yrs of rail in Queensland Celebrations
- Motor Bike Display at Customs House Museum
- Grand Street Parade Of All Cars & Bikes
- Band Playing

6,7,8 June 2015
(June long weekend Qld.)



SAVE THE DATE!

SEE THE
GREAT RACE!
The Model T Fords
v's The
Steam Train
to Toobeah

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