GOOD VIBRATIONS JULY 1977

EDITORIAL

The Day Trial which was to be held on Sunday 19th has been postponed to a later date which will be decided by the Committee.

TIMES TO REMEMBER

July 3rd TIDAL RIVER 8am K.B.C.P pick up at Cranbourne 9.15am.

July 5th SWIM NIGHT 6.00pm CITY BATHS

Weekend Trip 16th & 17th YARRAWONGA MEET AT FAULKNER CEMETERY 7.30am

Sunday 31st SNOW TRIP: TO BE ANNOUNCED AT CLUB MEETING.

Due to an unfortunate accident on the Mt Gambier long weekend trip, club member Les Leahy ended up with a broken leg which sent him to hospital for a while. All club members wish him a speedy recovery, and look forward to seeing him out and about soon.

The results of the Crossword from the last magazine will be shown in the August Magazine.

Remember Peter Tapp's extravaganza.

Our Guest speaker for the August General meeting will be announced at the general meeting.

EDITORS: GAYLE AND BOB

PROGRESSIVE DINNER 25.6.77

- SOUP
 Greg Smith 50 Wallace Ave Murrumbeena
 ENTREE
 Paul McKenna 65 Hotham Road
- 3. MAIN COURSE

65 Hotham Ro Niddrie.

Julie Rae

5/4 Douglas Street Pascoe Vale

4. SWEETS

Mike Davis 12 Rolland Crt Montmorency

5. COFFEE & BICKIES

Richard Bloxham 3 Pineda Crt Glen Waverley

While on the subject of sick people, we are sorry to hear that Mr. Darren Room found it necessary to go to the Freemasons Hospital to have an operation on the middle part of his anatomy. Hearing that all went well, we know it won't be long before we see him in the ranks of the M.S.C.A.V.

<u>STOP PRESS</u> – Les Leahy will be in Prince Henry's, 3 South, longer than first anticipated. Visiting hours are between 4.00 and 8.00pm daily.

MT. GAMBIER LONG WEEKEND

With grey skies greeting us, we made our way to the service station at Laverton, where we were to meet the rest of the foolhardy.

Proceeding due west without any trouble, with one stop for lunch, we arrived at Mt. Gambier mid afternoon.

After setting up camp in Andy's yard, we all set off to town for a counter tea. Later on two of us had an unfortunate accident (which I don't have to elaborate on).

We were given use of the house amenities, which was welcomed by us all.

Sunday we spent at a race track about 12km past Mt. Gambier. It was still overcast, but no one grizzled much. They had sidecar and solo racing, which was pretty exciting if you stood up near a sharp corner. We spent half the day in the pits looking at all the bikes.

Later that night, three of us went into town again for tea, (hamburgers) and to find a bottle of red for Andy, which is nearly impossible on a Sunday, (we didn't manage to get one). We had a bit of a look around, then headed back for the camp. It seemed deserted when we got there, people were scattered about doing various things. Some had retired early.

The next day we set off about 10.30am at a steady pace. Making stops for petrol and lunch only, we made pretty good time, arriving at Geelong mid afternoon, where we went our own separate ways towards home.

Besides the accident, which disrupted a couple of people, we had a good weekend. Our thanks to Andy for his kind hospitality.

Gayle 350 twin.

BOB EVANS'S VIEW OF LIFE

- 1. LEFT TO THEMSELVES ALL THINGS GO FROM BAD TO WORSE
- 2. ANYTHING THAT CAN GO WRONG WILL GO WRONG
- 3. IF THERE IS A POSSIBILITY OF SEVERAL THINGS TO GO WRONG THE ONE THAT WILL GO WRONG WILL BE THE ONE THAT CAN DO THE MOST DAMAGE AND THE MOST EXPENSIVE AND DIFFICULT TO REPLACE.
- 4. IF YOU PLAY WITH SOMETHING LONG ENOUGH YOU WILL SURELY BREAK IT.
- 5. IF EVERYTHING APPEARS TO BE GOING WELL YOU HAVE OBVIOUSLY OVERLOOKED SOMETHING.

(This is Bob's view, not mine.) Typist.

ADVICE TO DRUNKS

(Published in the Age, which was taken from the Toronto Voice)

SINCE YOU CAN'T REFRAIN FROM DRINKING, WHY

NOT START A SALOON IN YOUR OWN HOME?

BE THE ONLY CUSTOMER, AND YOU WON'T NEED A

LICENCE.

GIVE YOUR WIFE \$55 TO BUY A CASE OF WHISKY.

THEN BUY 240 DRINKS FROM HER AT 60c A DRINK.

IN 12 DAYS (WHEN THE CASE IS GONE) YOUR WIFE

WILL HAVE \$89 TO PUT IN THE BANK AND \$55 TO BUY ANOTHER CASE.

IF YOU LIVE 10 YEARS AND CONTINUE TO BUY

YOUR WHISKY SO, AND DIE IN YOUR BOOTS, YOUR WIDOW WILL HAVE

\$27,125.47 ON DEPOSIT.

THAT'S ENOUGH TO BRING UPYOUR CHILDREN, PAY OFF THE MORTGAGE, MARRY A DECENT MAN, AND FORGET SHE EVER KNEW A BUM LIKE YOU.

GLENALADALE NATIONAL PARK TRIP

Leader: Roger Holt.

With overcast skies our intrepid band headed down the South Gippsland Highway. Going at a pace to frighten a man and beast, we stopped at Maffra for lunch.

After buying lunch at the shop where Roger had fore-warned the owner of our coming, we headed for Glenaladale National Park.

The dirt road leading into Glenaladale National Park did not worry the expertise of the M.S.C.A.V. (In other words, none of us fell off.)

While Bob and Jo lunched in the shelter shed, the rest of the Bourke & Wills types fought the terrain down to the cave, where we drained the last of our energy supplies on the way back up.

The exhausted groans coming over the horizon made Bob thankful that he stayed with someone who had enough sense to only do it once. Still the view down there was worth the long trek.

After waiting for the soul to join the body, we then said farewell to the "Hole in the Ground".

Leaving G.N.P we stopped at Sale to refresh body and bike.

Owing to the fact that darkness was nearly upon us, we headed back for the big smoke as quickly and safely as possible. At Hallam the band of WEARY motorcyclists dispersed after notching up near enough to 600km.

Signed "KEYS"

APOLOGY TO FATHER WILLIS

YOU ARE OLD, CAPTAIN BOB

- "You are old, Captain Bob, the young member said, And your hair now should be very white; But it's black and it's bushy all over your head Do you think at your age it is right?"
- 2. "It's touched up, Captain Bob replied to the club, And with transplants my baldness is ended, Though I'm now 84 I appear 21, And the chicks think I'm groovy and splendid."
- 3. "You are old said some members and though I would find, That your face would be sagging and wrinkling, But your skin is as smooth as a baby's behind, And of lines there is scarcely an inkling."
- 4. "Had a facelift the club Captain replied, just last year. Cost a bundle but now I feel human, I used to come on like someone's old dear, But now I'm hot stuff like Paul Newman."
- 5. "You are old said some members for despite your new look, You are bogged down in hopeless senility, With chicks you come off as a helpless old schnook, Despite all your claims of virility."
- 6. "Shut your mouths the Club Captain replied though it's true, That I purchased new glands last September, Whatever I hoped for my body to do, My mind is too old to remember.

With due respect to Two Wheels, "Night Flight – More than meets the eye."

Night-time seeing is not believing. At the best you only have 25% of daytime visibility. Riding at night is like playing Russian Roulette with five chambers out of the six chambers loaded. Distance by night is hard to judge due to the fact one cannot see. One goes in a straight line, but the metres one covers could be twice the distance you could see, e.g. 80 metres average high beam headlight visibility across a road is all of 263 feet. If you have standard Japanese headlights, no spots or insert, even at 100km you are travelling blind. In interests of safety this will be continued.

GLENALADALE 5/6/77

After a wet week of cold weather the sun rose on a cloudless sky setting the scene for an enjoyable ride to Glenaladale National Park. At the meeting place at Hallam it was decided to make the first stop at Traralgon for petrol and then go on to Maffra for lunch.

At Maffra we had lunch. We went to Glenaladale National Park via some good bitumen and dirt roads. When we all arrived two people decided to lunch at the shelter shed while the more adventurous types climbed down to the "DELL OF MARQUIN". When they came back they looked like they were about to collapse. The certain two people were glad that they did not go.

We stayed until about 3.15pm. Then we returned to the big SMOKE via THE PRINCESS HIGHWAY. We all stopped at Hallam where we dispersed and went our own way home. A very good trip and a long one but enjoyed by all those who went.

LEADER FOR THE DAY. ROGER HOLT

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