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The year is flying past as we head into winter and more interesting riding weather. May is also the time to consider a contribution to the club by nominating for the committee as nominations close on the 15th May. Involvement in this group is enjoyable and rewarding to see the rides and social events being appreciated by all members. So consider involvement as it essential to have an active committee with new people and ideas.

Another successful AGM has been enjoyed by nearly 4,000 but unfortunately a couple from Armadale were sadly involved in a devastating crash where they both sustained fatal injuries on the way. A reminder to us all, to be ever alert when out riding. The 2013 AGM is on the Fraser Coast at Maryborough and in 2014 the location is Alice Springs with Fremantle Branch members being on the organising committee.

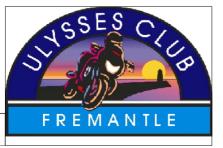
The bowling night at Melville was great fun. Warnbro retained the trophy and they must have been confident as they didn't bring the trophy along and we missed the inspiration it may have provided. It was closer than ever before so the practices must have done wonders, especially for Michael who had 4 strikes in a row and was our best bowler.

The Easter casserole night was an intimate night with some great casseroles arriving at our place including Mick K's Rendang curry.

Looking forward to seeing you all at upcoming events including casserole night at the Collins's, Bocce at the Zaretzky's and of course the rides.

Tony Barton





<u>FREMANTLE BRANCH MEETING</u> 2nd WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH AT SWAN YACHT

<u>CLUB.</u> The committee is the servant of the Group, not the Master

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Note: Next meeting, Wed 9th May 2012

And as always

Wednesday morning Plod from South beach kiosk at 9-00am for a 9-30am start. If you're an early riser, some members meet for breakfast at 8am before the plod.

The group will meet at the Ill Capriccio Café Bar cnr of South Tce and Commercial St Sth Freo. 2 hr parking across the road and also behind the Indian restaurant on the opposite corner of Commercial St.

The Saturday morning coffee get togethers at 10:00 AM.

Coffee mornings will now be at the Victoria Café Fremantle "E" Shed markets. Great Coffee, come and give it a try.

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FOR THE ST 1100 ENTHUSIAST

Bill Welton has a service manual and electrical drawing for a Honda ST1100 which he would like to **give** to anybody who may be interested.

Contact details are 08 9339 1282 or 0438 551 286 Email: <u>welton@iinet.net.au</u>



<u>Stephen Dearnlev</u> <u>"Ride On" badge.</u> \$5.00 Proceeds to UCARF









<u>Mens black &</u> ash polo shirt \$28.00



<u>Ulysses Riding shirt</u> \$22.00 <u>Ulysses Canvas Bag</u> \$25.00 <u>Long sleeved black t-shirt comes with</u> <u>large or small logo</u> \$19.00

<u>Ulysses Backpack</u>. Has front strap to prevent slipping when riding. Carry your phone, wallet, keys, camera etc. Comes with weather proof cover which tucks away in its own pocket when not needed. **\$28.00**



Now in stock. <u>Sloppy Joe</u> now with a choice of <u>Large Old</u> <u>Man Logo</u> or <u>Small Old Man Logo</u> Sizes S — 5XL \$38.00



MEMBER ORDERS CAN BE MADE VIA YOUR BRANCH QUARTERMASTER, ON LINE OR PHONE THE NATIONAL ADMINISTRATION OFFICE ON 1300 134 123

Limited 2012 AGM Event stock is available. T-shirts, Jackets, Hat, patches, stickers. Please ring the National Admin Office for more details.





Don't forget to keep yourself hydrated, even in Winter. <u>Stainless steel water bottle</u> \$7.50

<u>Bottle holder</u> available in Pink or Black. \$7.50 <u>Utility Roll</u>. Can hold all sorts of items e.g. Tools, clothes, bits & pieces. Great for travellers. Rolled out 670 x 280. Folded 180 x 280. \$8.00





For those of you lucky enough to escape to a warmer climate, don't forget your <u>Touring Badge</u> \$5.00, <u>Patch</u> \$6.00 or <u>Sticker</u> \$4.00





The very versatile <u>Headsox</u> can be worn 15 different ways. \$17.00

Perfect for the cooler weather, Neck Warmer or Neck-Wrap. \$15.00ea

Well it seems that the years are getting shorter now. It is Autumn already and Winter will soon be upon us. The Gear Shop has plenty of items to help you keep warm whilst riding. From long sleeve t-shirt's and riding shirts to neck warmers, beanies and scarves. Even the socks are nice and thick to keep your toes warm!!

A new item for sale is the Ride On # 1 badge that we had produced to honour the passing of Stephen Dearnley. This was a popular item at the AGM Event in Mildura and will be on sale in the Gear Shop until we sell out, with proceeds going to UCARF.

Regards

Chris Glover National Purchasing Officer A WARM WELCOME AWAITS YOU

AT THE YERECOIN TAVERN GREAT HOME COOKED MEALS

COLDEST BEER FOR MILES

B B Q FACILITIES. LIMITED OVER NIGHT ACCOMMODATION DISCOUNT ON ADVANCE GROUP BOOKINGS SECURE PARKING FOR BIKES

CONTACT YOUR HOSTS CHARLIE & DI CLARKE [Ulysses members]

<u>PHONE 9654 6032 E MAIL</u>

check.point@bigpond.com



The only Ferrari Motorcycle ever made <u>http://motoring.ninemsn.com.au/slideshow_ajax.aspx?</u>

WA Companies who support The Ulysses <u>Club</u>

American Motorcycles, 211 Albany Highway Victoria Park WA 6100 Tel: (08)9361 4884 10% Discount on most after market parts and workshop

Five Star Yamaha, 54 Rockingham Rd Hamilton Hill WA 6163 Tel: 08 9430 4090 Up to 20% Discount on parts and accessories

Honda Country, 59 Dixon Road Rockingham WA 6168 Tel: (08) 9527 5093 Special Ulysses price on Application

Hoon's Workshop U5/4 Malcolm St, Maddington WA 6109 Tel: Vince 0417 956 523 Trailer, Towbars, Bike Modifications & Custom Parts painted or chromed & more..... By a Ulyssian for Ulyssians

In City Used Motorcycles Pty

Ltd, 614 Albany Highway Victoria Park WA 6100 Tel: 08 9470 4446 Special Ulysses discount

Kim Britton Kawasaki,

2/91 Dickson Road Rockingham WA 6168 Tel: 08 9592 1113 Special Ulysses price on Application

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237 Great Eastern Highway Midland WA 6056 Tel: (08) 9250 2522

15% Discount on access 5% Disc plus free tyre Fitting

Motomax

Motorcycle sales, service and parts. 1291 Albany Highway, Cannington, W.A. 6107. Ph. 9258 8299 or Ric Steele 0417 977 937. 15% discount.

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Southern Cross Caravan Park,

Great Eastern Highway Southern Cross W.A. Tel: (08) 9049 1212 Discount to Ulysses members

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Total Motorcycle Accessories,

1028 Albany Highway East Victoria Park WA Tel: (08) 9472 3030 Special Ulysses price on Application

Tyres for Bikes

621 Albany Highway, Victoria Park, WA 6100 Tel: 08 9362 6262 10 % Discount

Witch Cycles Suzuki,

109 Day Rd Rockingham WA 6168 Tel: (08) 9527 2398 10% Discount

Yahoo a Wave Rock Weekender Again!!

When? 2nd to 4th June 2012

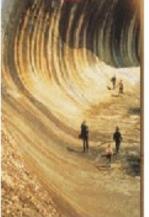
What's been planned?

We will spend 2 nights relaxing and having a good chin



wag with our mates beside a bonfire after having our fill of a BBQ dinner. Imagine waking up on the Sunday & Monday morning to the smell of bacon and eggs cooking. Mmm yum. On the Sunday morning we'll go for a ride then come back and have a good belly laugh watching everybody try their hand at a triathlon and maybe even a tyre rolling

game.



Banne.

Where are we headed?

We are headed to Wave Rock Lakeside Resort Hyden which is situated 1km north of Wave Rock. The resort is beside lake magic which is a naturally occurring salt & Gypsum Lake. The water is clean & clear (if there is any) with beach sand around the perimeter.

How much for a bed and a feed?

The 2 nights of enjoyment will cost \$125.00 per head. A \$50 deposit is required at the time of booking with the balance to be paid by the 21st May 2012.



What do ya get?

You will be provided 2 nights' accommodation in a 2 bedroom cottage with Towels, Sheets, blankets, 2 breakfasts and 2 evening meals.



What do I need to bring?

You will need to bring your clothes for 2 days, toiletries, any special food requirements, drinks and Nibblies.



How do I Sign up?

See Tony Barton or Pippa Leahy and hand over your \$50 per person deposit. If you have any questions contact Pippa on 0418 940 766.



For Sale

YAMAHA FZ8S

1st Reg Feb 2011 10000kms (just been serviced) 6mth rego and 11month warranty still remaining.
Factory fitted extras include Top box, Engine Bars, Centre stand, Radiator protector and Tank Pad. Heated grips and Speedo healer fitted later. The bike is in as new condition and hasn't even been ridden much on Sundays. Save more than \$4000 on new price. \$10500 or near offer.

> Phone Eric on 0418950755 or email ericilett@gmail.com





Here are some good Motorcycle web sites. Just move your mouse pointer over the item and it will show web address, then CTL Click to go to the site. (For some reason this doesn't work on the printed version.)

Asian M/C Tours	MRA WA
Aussie Bike Tours QLD Bad Boy Biker Jewellery	MRA Australia
Bad Penny Customs	Motorcycle Mart on-line shopping
Bike Links	Motorcycle News Magazine
Bike Movies	Net Bikes
Bikes+	Net Rider
BMW Club WA	Open Road Motorcycle Touring Club
Cameron Simpson's Links	Phillip Island Circuit
CBX6 Owners Club of Australia	Protec Hearing Protection
Cruise Controls	
Draggin' Jeans & Jackets	Rain-off overgloves
Ducati Motorcycles	Reviews of Motorcycles
<u>Ducati Owners Club - WA</u>	Select Cycle Supplies
Ferris Wheels Bike Safaris	Stay Upright Training Courses
Fox-Com Australia	Super Cycles - Custom Motorcycles in Perth
Gippsland Tourism	Swag-in-a-bag
Great Ocean Road	TAC Motorcycle News (Spokes.com.au)
Harley Owners Group	TOTAL Motorcycle Accessories
Harley Owners Group - Perth	Travelling Australia
Honda Motorcycles	Triumph Motorcycles
Honda Shop	Two Wheels Magazine
Isle of Man TT and other Bike Shipping	Ventura Bike Pack System
	Vintage Motorcycle Jackets
Kawasaki	Walden Miller Leathers
Lakes and Wilderness	Women's International M/C Assn.
Mack 1 Motorcycles	Yamaha Bikes
Map Works	
Moto Guzzi Motorcycle Network	

Honda VFR 800 2010. Sword silver with full manufacturer's pannier kit. 5000km and as new condition. \$13,000 ono Inspections welcome. Phone Luke Mobile: 0450 872 919 Home: 08 9450 8489





<u>THE GREEN TEAM</u>



The Green Team held their official inaugural bike ride on Anzac Day. The Team set off at a fast pace from Maylands Golf Club. In the lead was Mr Z with a mud map that evidently did not show a couple of dead ends, but we cycled on regardless. Mr Gibb was the stunt rider for the Team jumping all speed humps in a 10Km radius on his new mountain bike. Andy is currently in training for the Gibb River Road Mountain Bike Challenge and looking for sponsors. His display and prowess in the saddle were only slightly diminished when he fell at my feet whilst attempting a rather nasty curb jump, damn kerb! Luckily I was tail end Charlie otherwise I would have missed such displays of chest beating, wild crowing and laughter, which no doubt ended with some bacon (apparently in biking slang that means scabs).....you have to admit bacon sounds nicer! The Green Team has decided to meet once a month on a Saturday morning and continue their adventures. Feel free to join us. Next ride is on 26 May 2012 (see ride calendar for location).



Stay tuned for further reports on our adventures. Megs aka Eileen

"THE BOOGER"

Hi there. Please let me introduce myself. My name is Godfredo Noseverde (God-free-doh No-say-verde). My parent's friends simply refer to me as GN but my friends all call me by my nickname, God-Nose. I am Stick E's nephew. My mum is StickE's sister twice removed and once separated.

Uncle told me of this opportunity due to his early retirement and not being one to pry, I thought, here is a great chance for me to prove myself to Uncle Stick E. I have never held down such a respected job before so I am quite excited.

Growing up in the motorcycle way of my home, I was in plenty of trouble all the time. I took the blame for plenty of things, that I didn't have anything to do with. Someone would ask who did that, and before I could open my mouth, someone would accuse me. That was odd because they also saw me as the font of all information. Someone would ask something obscure like "how do we do that or this?". Suddenly someone else would say that I knew. But I didn't. That never stopped them saying that I did. I still get phone calls in the middle of the night, although nowdays they are a bit cheaper with that skype thingie. Uncle Stick E was right. "Wisdom is attained by learning when to hold one's tongue". Herman Kawasaki, Stick E's great great grandfather added a touch to that family piece of wisdom, noting also that the tongue should not be spared a good story. So I, Godfredo Noseverde, am going to become a writer. Now a writer with The Wheezy Rider. Oooh, I must get cards printed. Mum, will be very proud. I look forward to writing my first editorial.

It is AGM time and your club needs you. Wow inspirational words just come flooding out as a writer. Your Club needs you. How powerful is that? Enough said. Just do it.

Some great events coming up – remember that the Boche challenge is back on. Mr and Mrs Zaretzky have promised that the game profile will be cut short to induce a bit more socialising and there will be the normal winter fire happening so dress warmly. See you all along the road.

GodNose

DOES YOUR BIKE GO TO BED AT NIGHT LIKE THIS













INTERESTING MOTORCYCLES

Bad to the Bone?????

Made by an orthopaedic surgeon. Look at the hands and feet. Its amazing! This guy has far too much money and time on his hands. How would you like to see this coming at you in the rear view mirror?









A LITTLE LIGHT HUMOUR

These are classified ads, which were actually placed in a U.K. newspaper:

FREE YORKSHIRE TERRIER.

8 years old. Hateful little bastard. Bites!

FREE PUPPIES.

1/2 Cocker Spaniel, 1/2 sneaky neighbour's dog.

FREE PUPPIES.

Mother is a Kennel Club registered German Shepherd. Father is a Super Dog, able to leap tall fences in a single bound.

COWS, CALVES: NEVER BRED.

Also 1 gay bull for sale.

JOINING NUDIST COLONY! Must sell washer and dryer £100.

WEDDING DRESS FOR SALE.

Worn once by mistake. Call Stephanie.

**** And the WINNER is... ****

FOR SALE BY OWNER.

Complete set of Encyclopaedia Britannica, 45 volumes. Excellent condition, £200 or best offer. No longer needed, got married, wife knows everything.

Statement of the Century

Thought from the Greatest Living Scottish Thinker.

Billy Connolly -

"If women are so bloody perfect at multitasking, how come they can't have a headache and sex at the same time?"

