



April Cruise Night News

Tonight's LGC Cruiser & entrant's prize draws at 7pm in the Sober Mule court.

LGC Cruisers collect their Prizes

At last month's Cruise night we drew the three lucky winning subscribers to our LGC Cruiser program's annual prize draw. Two of the winners have collected their prizes. Third winner, Glen, hopes to collect his \$1000 Hoppers Stoppers voucher tonight. We'll announce our prize pool for next year's subscribers in our annual Cruiser newsletter to be mailed out in June. Again our thanks to Hoppers Stoppers & the Radiator Workshop for these prizes.



Glen Wheatley was very pleased to collect his new 50" TV



Geoff O'Reilly plans to install his A/C components in his '55 T'Bird

Upcoming LGC Events



Cruise to the Big River Nationals April 11/12th

We already have 15 entrants registered for the two day cruise from Melbourne to South Australia's Riverland that LGC is hosting. The cruise departs the Calder Highway BP service centre adjacent Calder Park raceway on Wednesday April 11th cruising to an overnight stop in Swan Hill with a dinner get together. The cruise will be in easy driving stages with regular stops at points of interest and a lunch stop in Castlemaine on Wednesday and Mildura on Thursday. Goody bag for all registered entrants. Registration forms for this cruise are available at the LGC tent. Details about the Big River Nationals and event entry forms can be found on

www.bigrivernationals.com



invite you to come along for our May 2012 Lunch at the Harvest Cafe situated within the Yarra Ranges Museum in Lilydale. **Date: Friday 4th May 2012 Time: 12 noon**

The Museum Harvest Cafe is located at 35-37 Castella St just off the Maroondah Hwy in Lilydale.

The renowned Healesville Hotel operates the Yarra Ranges Regional Museum's Harvest Café, serving breakfast, lunch and light meals. They also serve a great selection of cakes and coffee. Situated on the corner of the recently completed Museum, it overlooks Melba Park. The café is a major drawcard for the museum, providing visitors a place to enjoy some fine food, wine or coffee while pondering the objects and stories they've seen or heard as part of the exhibitions. The café aims to provide a showcase all that is great about the Yarra Valley's food and wine producing region, including chestnuts from Hoddles Creek, pumpkins from Taggerty, quinces from Wandin, and pine mushrooms from a secret location.

The award winning Yarra Ranges Regional Museum is a new, contemporary space that reflects unique aspects of historic and modern life in the Yarra Ranges region. The building is a stunning architectural blend of the historic 1889 Lilydale Shire Offices and an innovative modern extension. Opened on 14 May 2011, this new facility, its exhibits, programs, professional staff and collections of more than 7,000 items (including the internationally significant Dame Nellie Melba collection) will provide an invaluable community resource. See Chris Newton at the LGC table tonight for any information or details.



LGC 'End of Season' Cruise – May 5/6th to Beechworth

Before the change of season banishes your favourite car into the garage for the winter, join LGC for our 'End of Season' cruise to Beechworth. Enjoy all this great tourist town has to offer and join in the weekends 'Drive Back in Time' motoring festivities.

'End of Season' Cruise Plan

- Cruise departs from the new northbound Service Centre on Eastlink just near the Wellington Rd interchange at 8:30am on Saturday
- Cruise up Eastlink taking the Ringwood bypass.
- We then follow the Maroondah Hwy to Lilydale, then onto the Melba Hwy to Yarra Glen, Yea, joining the Hume freeway at Seymour.
- A comfort/fuel stop at the Avenal Roadhouse.
- Entrants from other areas around Melbourne can join the cruise convoy along the way.
- Aim is to arrive in Beechworth by 12:30-1:45pm.
- There is no cost to join our 'End of Season' Cruise or need to register.
- On arrival in Beechworth, register as an entrant for 'Drive Back in Time' or do your own thing.
- There will be a get together in the evening for pre dinner drinks.
- Sunday. We'd recommend joining in the fun at the Show & Shine in the centre of town.

What do you need to do to come along?

Just arrange your own Saturday night accommodation, be at the new Service Centre on Eastlink ready to depart at 8:30am, or work out where to tag on to our cruise convoy at what time. You can drop us an email at cruisinletsgo@hotmail.com to let us know you'd like to join the cruise at a location along the route so we can coordinate a time to tag on. **Accommodation:**

There are many options and information about Beechworth and accommodation options can be found at <http://www.beechworth.com.au> We've found that motels offer the best option for a one night stay as many other accommodation venues require 2 night minimums. There are also 2 motels in the historic village of Yackandandah only 20 kms away if you have difficulty finding something suitable.




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2012
DRIVE BACK
IN
TIME

Saturday 5th May & Sunday 6th May
Presented in
Ford street Beechworth
Saturday 5th May
BBQ lunch 1:00pm followed by Points of interest Car Run
from old railway goods shed, Railway Avenue.
(Cost \$10 per car, BBQ Included)

Sunday 6th May 8:00am Start
SPECTATORS ADMITTANCE IS FREE
Large Car, Truck & Engine Display in
Ford Street Beechworth
Car and Engines
Trophies presented at 2:00pm
BBQ, coffee, tea & soft drink also available
Plus the Jumbo Wheelbarrow Raffle

Note* All entries must be 25 years or older*

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Mid Winter Cruise Sunday July 8th 2012 - Sorrento



This year's cruise comes to the Mornington Peninsula for the first time. The cruise finishes in Sorrento. Yes we know it's winter, but Sorrento's many features makes it an excellent location to spend a few hours enjoying a hot lunch from the Conti Hotel or the many cafes and other food providers. Lots of shops to check out for the girls. Prizes and giveaways. Look for details on the cruise registration/start location on our web site and cruise night flyers over the coming months.