

CLUB RUNS

There have been a number of sorties into the hinterland since the last Snakeskin. Seems so long ago that I'll have to revert to the calendar. Two days later and STILL looking.....

At last, the good oil. All will be revealed to those who seek. [But does it always have to take so long].

At the January Clubmeet a suggestion that other members may like to put a run together, so Brian Plank stepped in to do the task, providing I [BP], can use a Cobra. No worries, says yours truly, use mine. [That locked him in!!] An early start again seemed to be the way to go and seven fronted at Maccas, Forrestfield, on Sunday 13th. Top day we all had, down through Bannister for breakfast then on to Dwellin-gup, Pinjarra, and back via Rockingham, arriving home just before it really warmed up around midday. WELL DONE Brian! [PS. Wayne, next time fillup before.] On the tour were: Gary, Murray, Keith, Tony, Brian S., Brian P. and Wayne.

A twilight run was planned for Saturday March 11th, meeting at Hilary's Boat Harbour, around 7pm, heading south along the coast to Port Beach and the Surf Cafe. A lack of communication seems to have taken place and only three people turned out. Pity as the weather was excellent and this scenario is Cobra driving at it's best; a warm summer night cruising down the coast. As good as it gets.

Avon Valley via the West Dale Road was the run for April and a group headed off on Saturday 11th. Weather perfect but roadworks near Brookton made life a bit grubby. It seems someone missed the West Dale turnoff. Near the wheatbin. Oh well.....

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CALENDAR 2000

Club Meetings		Social	
April	Wed 26th	May	14th Clubrun
May	Wed 24th		British Car Day Gingin
June	Wed 28th	June	10th Clubrun
July	Wed 26th	July	Shed Run TBA.
			Family Dinner TBA.

Already the new millenium has provided some excellent spectacles for the Rev-heads amongst us. The AGP in Melbourne, a must-do-it-once event that is everything you would expect and more; Adelaide Production GT cars; V8 Supercars at Barbagello; Grand Finale at Claremont Speedway; the Motorsport Expo at Belmont; culminating in th Auto-Expo at Burswood held just last week-end. What a feast. If you can't be at all-of-em at least check out some of the fare. You won't be disappointed..... idolor sit amet,

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