



Family West  
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Club

## Bunbury Rally NEWSLETTER

Bunbury Glades Caravan Park

15<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> August 2024



*Water's Edge Café and Restaurant*

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**Attendees:** Ed & Barbara Butler, Peter & Diane Butler, Terry & Glenis Cahill, Brian Cotterell, Steve, Mellissa, Reegan & Levi Gilbert, Ben & Corrie Hille, John & Chris Nightingale, Anna Percival, Elma & Bert Vreeken, Ron & Margaret Wilton.

**Visitors:** Sharon, Lily & Isla Butler.

**Rally Report:** Thursday the 15<sup>th</sup> August was the start of the Bunbury Rally.

The President Elma opened the Rally at 4 pm during Happy Hour and welcomed us all. Elma explained what was happening on the weekend and what events were on during the weekend in Bunbury. She welcomed Ron and Margaret Wilton as members and presented them with their name badges. Nice to see Glenis back after her health problems.



We then spent our time catching with other members. We then retired back to our caravans for dinner as it was quite cold outside.

At 7pm some of us gathered in the old School Room where we had a quiz organised by Elma which was followed by Chase the Ace.



Friday morning we celebrated Corrie's Birthday at morning tea with goodies to eat. The board was brought out and Ben pretended to be Mim. A nice get together with lots to talk about.



For lunch we went to the Water's Edge Restaurant where Elma had booked a table which looked like it was for a wedding reception. The other patrons were waiting for the bride. There was full table service with the waiter being quite a character. Barbara and Ed joined us at the luncheon. The Restaurant had an expansive view of the water.



*Diane & Bert are ready for their lunch!*



Views from the Restaurant. Beautiful Location.

After lunch we all did our own thing with some ending up at the Farmer's Markets. At 4pm we gathered in the school room for happy hour. Melissa and Steve and the kids arrived in the afternoon. Also Sharon and her two children joined us.

After dinner some of the diehards were back in the room for chase the ace. Then bed.

Saturday morning we woke to heavy rain with water everywhere. While some experienced the Horizontal Falls, we had the Vertical Falls. It rained all day.



*Anna said she always wanted to camp on an Island. Wish came True!*

*This was Friday afternoon and next morning the mat was floating in front of the Caravan step.*



*Anna caught Peter trying to escape from the rain.*

Saturday we ended up in the schoolroom again and enjoyed morning tea together. Everything had to be done between the rain. Getting ready for sausage sizzle lunch. Some of the guys did the cooking and Anna cut the onions.



Helen and Damian joined us at lunch time, very nice. The lunch was a success. Considering there was a note saying no food or drink in the room, Elma went and asked for permission for us to have our food in there and they said yes. The room was tidied up after every occasion and was spotless when we left it.



Happy hour was a noisy affair. The kids were playing cards with some of the grownups and the rest had plenty to talk about. The Raffle was drawn by Ron and Ben presented the prize to the winner, John Nightingale.



Then dinner back at the Caravans and regrouping at 7 pm to play some games.



Sunday morning home again. Considering the rain luckily no mishaps. Another successful weekend away. Hope to see you all next time.



*John & Chris were the last to leave. They made sure we left the place neat and tidy.*

*One day they would like to be the first to leave.*

## Next Rallies:

<b>FWCCC Rally</b> <b>5-9 September</b> <b>2024</b>	<b>Narrogin Caravan Park. 80 Williams Rd Narrogin</b>
	Phone: 0427478333 (Note: cost may vary slightly after July council meeting) Email: <a href="mailto:ncp@narrogin.wa.com.au">ncp@narrogin.wa.com.au</a> \$36.50/ Night. (Need your van length, if you have a dog), <b>1 night's deposit required</b> <b>Make your own booking</b> then advise Mim via email at <a href="mailto:familywestccc@gmail.com">familywestccc@gmail.com</a> or FWCCC Facebook closed group or 0437151317. <b>ooking cut-off date: 12/August/2024. You also get a \$10 voucher to spend in town</b>

**Note: Dates are 5<sup>th</sup> till 8<sup>th</sup> September.**

<b>FWCCC Rally</b> <b>10-13 October</b> <b>2024</b>	<b>Darkan Caravan Park. 4 Stewart St. Darkan</b>
	<b>Online booking only ASAP. Mim will send an email with the actual booking link.</b> <a href="http://book.roommanager.com.au/darkan-caravan-park/accommodation/141174">book.roommanager.com.au/darkan-caravan-park/accommodation/141174</a> \$25/Night. <b>Make your own booking</b> then advise Mim via email at <a href="mailto:familywestccc@gmail.com">familywestccc@gmail.com</a> or FWCCC Facebook closed group or 0437151317.

<b>FWCCC Rally</b> <b>14-17 November</b> <b>2024</b>	<b>Estuary Hideaway Holiday Park. Old Coast Rd. Bouvard</b>
	Phone: 0407838061 <b>All grass sites. Booking the cut-off date: 30/9/24</b> Email: <a href="mailto:info@estuaryhideaway.com.au">info@estuaryhideaway.com.au</a> \$35.00/Night. 1 Cabin available. 1 Nights deposit required. <b>Make your own booking</b> then advise Mim via email at <a href="mailto:familywestccc@gmail.com">familywestccc@gmail.com</a> or FWCCC Facebook closed group or 0437151317. <b>Note: Only BORE WATER in this park . Fill your tanks, Take your own drinking water.</b>

<b>FWCCC Rally</b> <b>5-8 December</b> <b>2024</b>	<b>Busselton RAC Holiday Park. 97 Caves Road. Busselton</b>	
	Phone: <b>97554241</b>	<b>Quote Booking Reference Number #79819</b>
RAC Members save 25%. = \$134.35 for 3 nights. Deposit of 1 night required. Non-RAC members save 20% = \$147.73 for 3 nights. Deposit of 1 night required. <b>Make your own booking</b> then advise Mim via email at <a href="mailto:familywestccc@gmail.com">familywestccc@gmail.com</a> or FWCCC Facebook closed group or 0437151317. <b>Booking cut-off date: 30/9/24.</b> Deposit reqd. Must advise if you are bringing a pet to go onto a pet friendly site.		

## Rally Tally

	NAME:	RALLY TOTAL
Butler	Barbara & Eddie	138
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Cahill	Terry & Glenis	90
Clark	Jeanne & Tim	42/6
Cotterell	Brian	61
Gilbert	Melissa & Stephen	4
Hille	Ben & Corrie	84
Hosken/Fitzpatrick	Helen & Damian	11
Nightingale	John & Chris	107
Percival	Anna	56
Phillips	Alan & Sandra	62
Sofield	Wendy	50
Taylor	Rick & Mim	96
Trott	Dave & Joyce	30
Vreeken	Bert & Elma	65
Wilton	Ron & Margaret	3
	VISITORS	

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