



Family West
C&C
Club

Busselton Christmas Rally NEWSLETTER

Busselton RAC Caravan Park

5th to 8th December 2024



Attendees: Len & Helen Butler, Ed & Barbara Butler, Peter & Dianne Butler, Terry & Glenis Cahill, Brian Cotterell, Melissa, Reegan & Levi Gilbert, Liz Gordon, Ben & Corrie Hille, John & Chris Nightingale, Anna Percival, Alan & Sandra Phillips, Wendy Sofield, Rick & Mim Taylor, Dave & Joyce Trott, Elma & Bert Vreeken, Ron & Margaret Wilton.

Rally Report: Elma opened the Rally on Thursday afternoon during Happy Hour. She informed us about all the planned activities for our Christmas Rally. She then presented Wendy with her 50th Rally Badge and also presented Melissa with her and Steve's name badges.



The group was vocal as usual and had great discussions.

After dinner in the Hub which Mim was able to secure again for our Club's use we participated in some hair raising quizzes and played chase the ace. Thanks Mim.



Friday morning. Morning tea in the Hub.



After morning tea, off to our Christmas Lunch in Busselton at the Esplanade Hotel. The lunch was very nice and enjoyed by everyone. 3 Course Meal. Thanks Ben for organising.



Reegan and Levi were kept occupied looking for their Elves which kept disappearing.



After lunch some went into town and others just went back to the vans then at Happy Hour we all got together. Liz Gordon was welcomed to the Club as a new member.



Night time a lot of us were back in the Hub, where Mim had quizzes organised and Chase the Ace and LCR. Nice to see so many in attendance.



Unfortunately on Saturday morning Barbara and Ed had to go home as Barbara was feeling unwell. Hope you get well soon Barbara.

Morning tea in the Hub followed by a Committee Meeting, then we all did our own thing for lunch. Waiting in anticipation for Santa to arrive and navigate the roadworks.

At about 3pm we had Happy Hour early as we were waiting for Father Christmas to arrive and when he did there was loud applause.

Santa was exhausted after his trip from the North Pole and he had to leave the Reindeer at the road works where they were held up so Santa ordered an Uber.

The atmosphere was great and the Calendars for 2025 and Secret Santa presents were presented by Santa and his Elves.







A well deserved rest



After Santa left to carry on with his busy schedule the Raffle was drawn and the winner was Barbara. Len accepted on her behalf. This was followed with the draw for the free Xmas raffle. Thanks to all those who contributed to the great prizes.

Note the aftermath below!!!!



Before Dinner we had a pass the parcel with a difference where Mim read a story with the word Left and Right in it which was won by Chris.



At about 6pm after a break to allow everyone to prepare food we enjoyed a shared Finger Food Dinner.



After Dinner Mim and Len gave a big thankyou to all the organisers and Committee Members for a wonderful weekend.

Everyone pitched in and helped clean up. Thanks guys.

***Wishing you All a Merry Christmas and
a Happy New Year.***

Looking forward to next year. Hope to see you at the Picnic.

Next Rallies:

FWCCC PICNIC 19th January	KWINANA BEACH RESERVE. Kwinana Beach Road
	Come and enjoy a picnic & a catch up before we start our rally year. Commencing from 11am Bring your own chair, Lunch and a Drink. We will meet in a nice shady spot under the trees. See you there.

FWCCC Rally 13-16 February 2025	Bunbury Glades Caravan Park. 65 Timperley Rd. South Bunbury
	Phone: 97213800 Email: info@glade.com.au \$42.30/night. Make your own booking then advise Mim via email at familywestccc@gmail.com or FWCCC Facebook closed group or 0437151317. Booking cut-off date: 02/January/2025. 1 night's deposit reqd. If you are taking a dog let them know when booking. Also over 24ft vans let them know.

FWCCC Rally 13-16 March 2025	Big 4 Bunbury Riverside Holiday Park. 5 Pratt Road Eaton
	Phone: 97251234 Big 4 members receive additional discount Email: reception@riversidecp.com.au \$145 for 3 nights. Full payment required for number plate recognition entry. Make your own booking then advise Mim via email at familywestccc@gmail.com or FWCCC Facebook closed group or 0437151317. Need to book by the cut-off date: 13/02/2025. 1 night's deposit required

Rally Tally

NAME:		RALLY TOTAL
Butler	Barbara & Eddie	140
Butler	Len & Helen	194
Butler	Peter & Di	56
Cahill	Terry & Glenis	92
Clark	Jeanne & Tim	42/6
Cotterell	Brian	65
Gilbert	Melissa & Stephen	5
Gordon	Li	2
Hille	Ben & Corrie	88
Hosken/Fitzpatrick	Helen & Damian	12
Nightingale	John & Chris	109
Percival	Anna	59
Phillips	Alan & Sandra	65
Sofield	Wendy	52
Taylor	Rick & Mim	99
Trott	Dave & Joyce	33
Vreeken	Bert & Elma	69
Wilton	Ron & Margaret	5
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