



# Family West C&C Club

## RALLY NEWSLETTER

Lazeaway Caravan Park

14<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> May 2026



**Attendees:** Peter & Dianne Butler, Terry & Glenis Cahill, Liz Gordon, Jeanne Clark, Brian Cotterell, Ben & Corrie Hille, Helen & Damian Hosken/Fitzpatrick, John & Chris Nightingale, Alan & Sandra Phillips, Rick & Mim Taylor, Dave & Joyce Trott, Bert & Elma Vreeken, Ron & Margaret Wilton.

**Rally Report:** We gathered in the Large White Dome for Happy Hour at about 4pm where Max the Caravan Park Owner brought in a baby Kangaroo he had rescued for us to see.



The rally was opened at Happy Hour by our President Elma where she welcomed everyone to the Rally and gave a short introduction to what is happening during the weekend. We then carried on to enjoy our conversations, drinks and nibbles.



About 5-30 everyone started to return to their vans for dinner and then at 7pm we gathered in the Dome (Not for Coffee) to play some games.

Mim had organised some new games for us. We started with some games of Bingo. The first game was won by Ben and the second game was won by Mim.



This was followed by some games of Catch the ball in a cup. After several elimination rounds and then a final, it was won by Sandra.



We then played touch the coloured Pad just not the colour called out.. Won by Elma.



Then to finish the evening we played a game of Kelly Pool and this was eventually won by Rick.



Friday morning started off very cold but once the sun came out it turned into a very nice day. Some of us went out to look at the animals.





We started in the Dome for coffee and conversations. Mim had put out the rally board.



Elma also presented Jeanne with her 50 Rallies badge. Congratulations Jeanne.

After we finished coffee Max the owner of the caravan park took some of us out for a tour of the farm in his homemade buggy “Miss Match” which is made up from various models of old cars. They enjoyed the ride also seeing some kangaroos on the property.



At about 11-30 we all drove to a small town not far away called Cuballing for lunch in the Hotel. We filled the dining room with lots of chatter and laughter. The staff were very friendly and came to take our orders at the tables. The service was excellent, we all received our lunches at about the same time and the food was very good and enjoyed by all. Thanks to Elma for organising and booking this venue.





On the way back to the farm a lot of us stopped at the local Yornaning Dam to explore the sights.



Back at the caravan park we all enjoyed ourselves in various ways, some played Keezen with Rick's new Board which he had just made, while others just relaxed reading a book etc.



At 4pm we once again gathered in the dome for happy hour where we seemed to gather in groups for lots of interesting stories.

After dinner some of us went back to the dome where we talked but as it was quite cold we retired to our vans early.

Saturday started with coffee in the Dome. This was catered for by Liz who was raising money for Cancer. She had Brewed Coffee, and served Scones with Jam and Cream. We also held a sale of items donated and a Raffle, the main prize being a Quilted Cover. This was won by Mim. Various smaller prizes were won by Glenis, Ron, Helen and Jeanne. Total raised for Liz's Big morning tea for cancer was \$426.00. Well done to Liz and all who helped make this a great success.



After morning tea a lot of us went to visit the Cart Museum in the Pingelly Town Hall arriving before 12 only to find it was closed. It was supposed to be open till 1pm. Volunteers????? All signs including the digital screen on the main street said "OPEN NOW". This was a huge disappointment for us all and a waste of fuel.

After getting back we all retired to our vans for lunch and a break. At happy Hour we started outside in the sun near the playground and when it got cold we went into the Dome.



Tonight's meal was a sausage sizzle which was enjoyed by all. Thanks to all those who helped with the cooking and clean up afterwards.



This was followed by a quiz run by Elma. After the second quiz Max came in to say he was lighting a fire.



This was a huge fire and we all gathered around it for warmth. We then slowly drifted back to our vans to get a good night's sleep so we can once again pack up in the morning and drive back home.





This was a very enjoyable rally even though it was very cold at night around 2 degrees.  
 Thanks Mim and Rick for all your hard work into organising this Rally.  
 See you all at the next Rally.

**Important note for Bruce Rock Rally booking.**

Please book direct with Tom the caretaker on 0418844331. Thankyou

**Future Rallies**

<b>FWCCC Rally</b> <b>11-14 June</b> <b>2026</b>	<b>Cunderdin Caravan Park.</b> 42 Olympic Ave Cunderdin
	Phone: 96351258 <b>Club 21<sup>st</sup> Birthday; Theme: fun &amp; elegant dress</b> Email: <a href="mailto:CunderdinTP@outlook.com">CunderdinTP@outlook.com</a> \$35/single. \$40 couple/night. All drive through sites. <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>Book by the cut-off date: 11/05/2026. No deposit reqd. Pay on arrival</b>

<b>FWCCC Rally</b> <b>9-12 July</b> <b>2026</b>	<b>Bruce Rock Caravan Park.</b> 64 Dunstall St Bruce Rock
	Phone: 90611377      Email: <a href="mailto:admin@brucerock.wa.gov.au">admin@brucerock.wa.gov.au</a> email: \$36.00/Night. <b>No Deposit reqd. "Need to ring and reserve a site "</b> <b>Full payment to be made with park manager on arrival.</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>Booking the cut-off date: 9/6/2026</b>

<b>FWCCC Rally</b> <b>6-9 August</b> <b>2026</b>	<b>Narrogin Caravan Park.</b> 80 Williams Rd Narrogin
	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> \$40.00/ 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>Booking cut-off date: 6/July/2026.</b>

