

April 2008
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G'day to you all - happenings from Chain of Lagoons April 2008

The following has been sent to the Wanderer for insertion ASAP.

Another top weekend –weather wise on Tasmania’s wonderful East Coast. Chain of Lagoons was our rally site with Marie & Peter as our hosts. A general meeting was scheduled for Saturday at which we bounced around our future rally venues for 2008 and also set a few for 2009. Some good discussion on past rallies including the Tassie CCR. Correspondence was received from the BGR’s re 2009 and we note the change of date to the last week in January.

We had motor homers attending with two visitors. A potential new member from Launceston with a Qld CMCA member whom we believe loves Tassie so much they are about to settle at Swansea. Well done - good decision.

Fishing was good, I believe, for those who were energetic enough to walk down to the beach. It was a lazy weekend - with an extended Happy Hour on Saturday. Sharon and Jim (two members who joined in Dec 2007 and finally got to their first weekend rally) were welcomed and I think enjoyed the gathering. A few good “ports” were enjoyed by some, while other simply tasted the red (or was it white) nectar, and the warm fires at night certainly may the rally site cosy for all. We welcomed new members, Well done to Marie & Peter for setting up the rally after stepping in at short notice and thanks also to those who contributed to the wood fires.

- regards Don M President



**New Dalrymple Drifters members,
Sharon & Jim from Launceston**



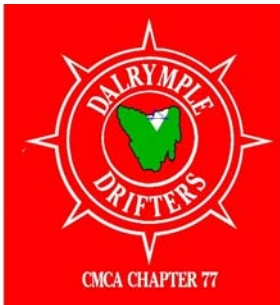
Where the hell is Norm— what colour goes where.?! - we got it up anyway



**Happy Hour and after around the fire
Members enjoy a sing along with our
visitor from Qld/New York**

**“Where East
Meets West”**

Dalrymple Drifters



2008 Future Rallies

May 2008

16th to 18th May 2008 will see us back at Bellingham. A good venue for a winter rally. No doubt some challenges re disc bowls providing weather is OK. A \$12.00 per rig weekend.

Contact hosts Des & Jacqueline 0408 273 973- casserole tea Saturday each rig to bring a casserole please contact Jacqueline re "what to take" Will also have a Chapter BBQ on Friday night—meat supplied.

June 2008

No rally this month-previous discussion related to going South to BGR's Rally. But that now appears to be the same weekend as the Van Demons Christmas in July—more discussion on this at Bellingham Rally May 2008.

Future rallies

The following were signed of at the General Meeting —**subject to availability.**

July 2008 to be decided. (BGR - VD)

August 2008- Bell Bay-host Deb & Norm

September 2008 - Hillwood - host Don & Sue

October 2008— Penguin Surf Club -host Greg & Sue

November 2008 - Blessington-host Sharon & Jim

December 2008— George Town - hosts Don & Sue, Deb & Norm (annual dinner & AGM)

New Years Eve Rally—do be discussed at Bellingham (May Rally)

January 2009 - Tassie CCR Hobart Jan/Feb—host BGR's

February 2009 - Bellingham

March 2008 - Myrtle Park

April 2009 - see below.

Possible rally safari -next April 2009 - suggestion as knocked around the camp fire on Saturday night at the Chain of Lagoons - might I say it certainly got some support during the discussions

Duration approx 5 to 6 days.

All meet up at Crayfish Creek on North West Coast say Thursday morning.—good camp site—good fishing—spend two days here and then move onto Marawah for overnight stay and then to Arthur River—again good fishing, river boat cruise etc. Take your time travelling home-site see etc. Dismal Swamp —Stanley, Smithton

This is scheduled subject to enough wanting to go, in around 12 months time. Opportune to schedule your time due to work commitments etc. Kevin & Jennie have indicated they would be hosts as they come from down that way—sounds good—more on this one at the Bellingham Rally if Jennie has time to follow it up.