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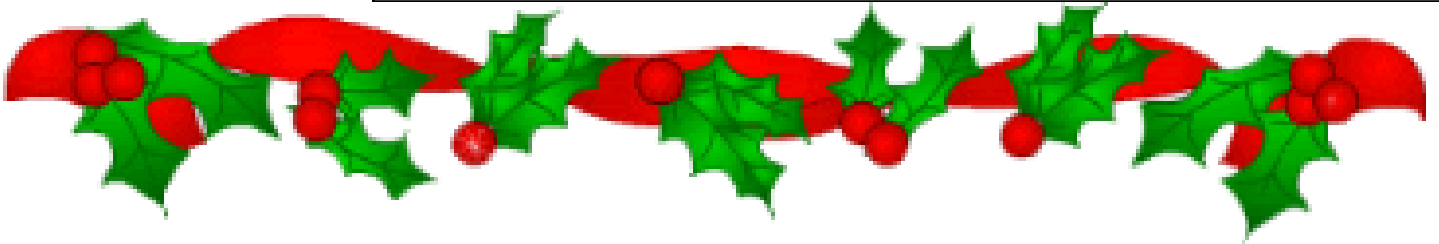
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Celebrating 45 Years of Service to Caravanning in South Australia

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"to promote caravan clubs to the general public, represent caravan clubs at a public and industry level and assist all members to safely enjoy the caravan and camping lifestyle."

FROM THE EDITOR:



The ACCSA executive have put together what is shaping to be an enjoyable and relaxing time at Barmera.

Below is the 2021 ACCSA State Rally Program as at 10th December 2020 and is subject to change as activities are confirmed.

Please remember you can do as much as you like or as little as you like.

The following pages highlight some of the activities that have been or being arranged for attendees.

Every morning attendees can take part in a walk from 7:00am. It is an opportunity to meet members from other clubs as you limber up before you have your own breakfast.

The State Rally Raffle is being co-ordinated by Jacquie Brown & Marilyn Grovermann. Clubs attending the State Rally are requested to make up a basket of goodies to the value of \$50 for the raffle.

Free morning tea & coffee will be available in the Function Pavilion at 10:00am each day. BYO drinking vessel. Free Afternoon tea & coffee will be available in the Function Pavilion at 2:30pm each day except on Saturday 6th March 2021. BYO drinking vessel & nibbles. We are still looking for a club or others to fulfill the morning & afternoon tea & coffee roster.

Make your own lunch arrangements each day.

Happy Hour will be in the Function Pavilion from 4:30pm each day. There will be Wine Tasting on Friday 6th March 2021 Happy Hour. BYO drinking vessel.

The Function Pavilion is available for attendees to meet.

So that we can continue to make and confirm arrangements, we ask you to register now. It is very hard to organise activities when we do not know the number of attendees. **PLEASE, IT IS IMPORTANT TO REGISTER NOW.**

Please observe Covid-19 restrictions and social distancing is important. Look after and protect yourselves.

ACCSA does not have the facility to accept credit cards payment. Any payments that are required to be made to ACCSA can be accepted in cash or a direct deposit.

Merry Christmas and have a safe, happy & prosperous New Year and I look forward to seeing you all at the 2021 ACCSA 31st State Rally.

Take Care, Robert Hart

2021 ACCSA 31st State Rally Program

(Current as at 12/12/2020 - subject to change)

Time	Thursday 4/03/2021	Friday 5/03/2021	Saturday 6/03/2021	Sunday 7/03/2021	Monday 8/03/2021	Tuesday 9/03/2021	Time	
7:00 to 8:00			Morning Walk & Own Breakfast Arrangements				7:00 to 8:00	
10:00 to 10:30			Free Morning Tea & Coffee in the Function Pavilion				10:00 to 10:30	
9:00 to 9:30			Visit & morning tea Riverglen View Art Studio from 10:00am Bookings are essential with Sandra Anderson 0400 124 847	Berri Estates Winery Tour 1 hourly tours starting from 9:00am Bookings for groups of 10 will be taken at the Friday Happy Hour	Club Market Stalls	Club Presidents & Secretaries Meeting Raffle Draw Flag Lowering & Rally Close	Pack up and Depart Take Care and Travel Safely	9:00 to 9:30
9:30 to 10:00		10:00 to 10:30						
10:00 to 10:30	Early arrivals & settle in and Check in	Check in & Welcome						10:30 to 11:00
10:30 to 11:00								11:00 to 11:30
11:00 to 11:30								11:30 to 12:00
11:30 to 12:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	12:00 to 13:00	
12:00 to 13:00			First Aid Training 12:00noon to 4:00pm For National Rally Attendees				12:00 to 13:00	
12:00 to 13:00		Flag Raising & Rally Opening					12:00 to 13:00	
13:00 to 13:30				Cobdogla Irrigation and	Disc	Free Time	13:00 to 13:30	
13:30 to 14:00				Steam Museum	Bowls		13:30 to 14:00	
14:00 to 14:30				to be confirmed	Competition		14:00 to 14:30	
14:30 to 15:00	Barmera Sheep Dog						14:30 to 15:00	
15:00 to 15:30	Trial Display presented by Bob Clarke				15:00 to 15:30			
15:30 to 16:00					Free Time	15:30 to 16:00		
16:00 to 16:30						16:00 to 16:30		
16:30 to 17:30	Happy Hour in the Function Pavilion	Happy Hour in the Function Pavilion Wine Tasting by Berri Estates	Happy Hour in the Function Pavilion	Happy Hour in the Function Pavilion	Happy Hour in the Function Pavilion	Happy Hour in the Function Pavilion	16:30 to 17:30	
17:30 to 18:00							17:30 to 18:00	
18:00 to 18:30	Communal BYO Tea	Dinner in the Function Pavilion	Free BBQ Tea Sausage Sizzle run by BVCC Bingo Session	Dinner at the Cobby Club	Free Time		18:00 to 18:30	
18:30 to 19:00							18:30 to 19:00	
19:00 to 19:30							19:00 to 19:30	
19:30 to 20:00	Movie Night						19:30 to 20:00	
20:00 to 21:00							20:00 to 21:00	
14:30 to 15:00	Free Afternoon Tea & Coffee in the Function Pavilion						14:30 to 15:00	

Registration for the 18th National Caravan Clubs Rally 2022 can be made throughout the weekend particularly at morning & afternoon tea

Free tour and talk on the Paddle Steamer "Industry" at Renmark.

The excitement is building

2 Months to go to the 2021 ACCSA 31st State Rally

14 Months to go to the 18th National Caravan Clubs Rally 2022

Registration forms are available on our websites and also attached to this newsletter.

Register now

2021 ACCSA 31st State Rally - Day 1 - Thursday 4th March 2021

We are expecting early arrivals to start arriving from 10:00am onwards.

Attendees can be grouped together with their club members or choose to mix in with members of other clubs.

There will be someone there to direct the traffic and assist you to find a suitable site to set up for five nights.

When you have your site number please proceed to the Function Pavilion to check in and receive your welcome rally bag.

Attendees are welcome to gather in the Function Pavilion for communal BYO dinner.

John Anderson will present a **movie night** after dinner. What Movie? I don't know, but I am sure it will be good to sit and relax in the Function Pavilion and watch a movie with fellow attendees. BYO drinks & nibbles



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2021 ACCSA 31st State Rally - Day 2 - Friday 5th March 2021

At 1:00pm Master of Ceremonies, President **Graham Brown** will introduce the **Flag Raising Ceremony and officially Opening** of the 2021 ACCSA 31st No Frills State Rally.

The Rally starts 2:30pm with **John Anderson** introducing the **Barmera Sheep Dog Trial Display** presented by Bob Clarke. It is really worth watching.



Sheep dog trials showcase the bond and trust that exists between the handler and their dogs as they partake in different challenges to test the dogs skills.



John Grovermann has arranged for a special Happy Hour with Wine Tasting by Accolade Wines' Berri Estates Winery from 4:30pm. BYO drinking vessel.



Salt & Pepper
Catering

And then, **Chris Parry** has arranged for **Salt & Pepper Catering** to serve Dinner in the Function Pavilion at 6:00pm.

The State Rally dinner is a trial run for the 18th National Caravan Clubs Rally 2022 Night of Celebration Dinner on Wednesday 6th April 2022.

With their individualistic cooking styles and passion for food, Peter and Lyn from Salt and Pepper Catering excel in making events special.

Based in Berri SA, Salt & Pepper Catering offer quality cuisine utilizing the best of Riverland produce.

The \$25 per head menu for the State Rally will be:

A Roast Buffet which is a choice of 2 types of meats from Loxton lamb, mustard crusted grain fed beef porterhouse, Smokey paprika or roasted chicken. Served with seasoned vegetables, lemon myrtle butter, rustic roast potatoes, rosemary and garlic, gravy and condiments and bread rolls and butter. Sweets will be Fig and Almond Cake, salted caramel, vanilla bean gelato.

Special needs will be catered for.

Yum, yum.

Attendees are required to bring their own plates, cutlery & glasses and it is BYO drinks.

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2021 ACCSA 31st State Rally - Day 3 - Saturday 6th March 2021

There are two activities in the morning: A visit and morning tea at the **Riverglen View Art Studio & Gallery** arranged by **Sandra Anderson** or alternatively Berri Estates Winery tour organised by **John Govermann**. Bookings are essential for both these activities. Full information and booking details will be announced at the Friday night happy hour.



For those not wanting to participate in the Riverglen View Art Studio & Gallery or Berri Estate Winery activities, you can do your own thing and morning tea & coffee will be available in the Function Pavilion between 10:00am and 10:30am.

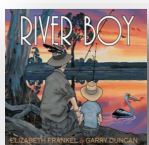
A visit and morning tea has been arranged by **Sandra Anderson** to the *Riverglen View Art Studio & Gallery*, 92 Nitschke Road, Good Hope Landing, SA 5330 on Saturday 6th March 2021 from 10:00am. A freshly baked morning tea will be provided for a gold coin per person donation. For catering purposes please book with Sandra Anderson on 0400 124 847 or at the Friday night happy hour who will also provide directions how to get there.

Riverglen View Art Studio & Gallery is one of the Riverland's hidden treasures.

With river views that are as stunning as the artworks, a visit to this unique & private gallery is a must while in South Australia's Riverland region. You will not be disappointed.



Riverglen View Art Studio & Gallery is home to Frankel Glass & Books and showcases quality, original kiln-fired glass artworks and Canvas wall art pieces that are all produced on site by artists Clint & Liz Frankel.



Liz is also the author of award winning Children's books that will teach our next generation to take care of the natural world.

Many affordable, locally made, original gift items are available. Or spoil yourself with a memento of your trip.

A short stroll will take you to a stunning cliff-top lookout or enjoy the view from the deck.

Riverglen View Art Studio & Gallery is an approx. 30 minute drive from the Riverland Events Centre, located just off the Sturt Highway, about half way between Kingston-On-Murray and Waikerie. It is tucked away in an incredibly private and remote natural setting, with breathtaking views over the Murray River. Take your camera folks.



Berri Estates Winery Tour:

Accolade Wines' Berri Estate Winery is the largest grape processor in the Southern Hemisphere, crushing around 220,000 tonnes of grapes annually; around a third of South Australia's entire crush.

The facility exports over 100 million litres of wine around the world annually and over six and a half million litres of that wine is delivered to the UK every month. Berri Estates employs 265 permanent staff and up to 415 individuals over the busy harvest period.

You will have to go on a tour to find out more information.

March is right in the middle of their grape harvest.

Berri Estates Winery have extended an offer to attendees of the 2021 ACCSA 31st State Rally to have a guided tour of their winery on Saturday 6th March 2021.

The tour cost is \$10 per person

A tour is normally approx. 1 hour and is an amazing opportunity to see the winery working at full capacity.

Group sizes are limited to 10 people, so depending on how many people are interested they would run two tours simultaneously for a couple of hours.

Tours start at 9:00am, so if the weather turns we would not be walking in the middle of the day.

Please note: Attendees who participate in a Winery Tour will need to have a moderate level of fitness as there is a bit of walking, be able to walk up and down stairs and be comfortable walking through a tunnel that goes under the road.

Everyone will need to wear fully enclosed shoes and will be given a hard hat and high viz vest when arriving.

John Govermann will be taking Bookings for groups of 10 at the Friday night Happy Hour.



The 2021 ACCSA State Rally will be held at the

Riverland Events Centre, Barmera, South Australia on Friday 5th March to Monday 8th 2021 (3 nights)

Attendees are welcome to arrive

Thursday 4th March 2021 and depart on Tuesday 9th March 2021 (5 nights)

Site Fees for all nights of stay are \$15.00 per night

REGISTER NOW

2021 ACCSA 31st State Rally - Day 3 - Saturday 6th March 2021

First Aid Training arranged by **Sandy Lee** will be held from 12:00noon to 4:00pm in the Function Pavilion. The First Aid Training involves 4 hours online training & 4 hours practical training. Both online and practical training is free for those who will be attending and participating in the National Rally First Aid Roster. The training has been booked for 20 people. At the time of printing 11 people have been booked for the First Aid Training. If there is a vacancy the cost to attend the training for those not being on the National Rally First Aid Roster is \$140. For further information and to book for the First Aid Training please contact **Sandy Lee** on 0419 862 757 a.s.a.p. please.

For those doing their own thing, afternoon tea will not be available in the Function Pavilion on Saturday.

Arrangements are being made by **John Anderson** to go to the **Cobdogla Irrigation and Steam Museum** between 1:00pm & 4:00pm. Further details will be advised when all is confirmed.

Dinner from 6:00pm will be a Free BBQ sausage sizzle run by the BVCC. BYO plates, glasses, drinks.

From 7:30pm BINGO will be played in the Function Pavilion conducted and organised by **Christine & Ron Worden** from the SCCC.

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2021 ACCSA 31st State Rally - Day 4 - Sunday 7th March 2021

A market is always an attraction: from 9:00am clubs will setup market stalls in one of the gazebo's on the site. The **Club Market Stalls** will be supervised by **Marilyn & John Grovermann**.

And then the **Disc Bowls** competition will be run from 1:00pm.

Catchup with **John Baans** or **Roy Turner** to register.

The competition will be played using the international rules.

Clubs will be playing for a new set of international disc bowls valued at \$145.00.

Dinner at the **Cobby Club** will be at 6:00pm. Pay off the Menu.

Those who don't wish to go to Cobdogla to make their own arrangements for dinner.

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2021 ACCSA 31st State Rally - Day 5 - Monday 8th March 2021

At 9:00am Club Presidents & Secretaries or other representatives will meet with ACCSA Executives.

The **Raffle Draw** will take place in the Function Pavilion at 10:00am followed by the **Flag Lowering Ceremony & Rally Close**.

The rest of the day is free time for those staying Monday night

Those going home on Monday - Take Care and Travel Safely.

2021 ACCSA 31st State Rally - Day 5 - Monday 8th March 2021

Pack up and depart.

Take Care and Travel Safely.



**The 18th National Caravan Clubs Rally 2022
will be held at the Riverland Events Centre,
Barmera SA**

from 28th March to 6th April 2022 (10 nights)

**To keep up to date with Newsletters & additional
information following the link:**

<https://www.18thnationalcaravanrally.org.au>



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**Supporting Regional South Australia
Attend the 31st No Frills State Rally**

It is a great opportunity to meet like minded SA Caravanners in the Riverland of South Australia
Paying the cheapest site fees for a long weekend
Clubs can be in separate groups and do their own thing or integrate with members of other clubs
Attendees can do as much as they like or as little as they like

Friday 5th March to Monday 8th 2021 (3 nights)

Riverland Events Centre

Sturt Highway (52 Field days Drive), Barmera, SA.

Attendees are welcome to arrive

Thursday 4th March 2021 and depart on Tuesday 9th March 2021 (5 nights)

Site Fees for all nights of stay are \$15.00 per night

The Field days site is pet friendly (conditions apply)

Registration by a manual form or online form is on the ACCSA website

Earn \$5 per van reward for your club

Activities being planned are:

Disc Bowls - The winners will receive a new set of international disc bowls for their club.

First Aid - Free First Aid Training Course for those attending the National Rally.

Friday - Free tour and talk on the Paddle Steamer "Industry" at Renmark.

Friday Night Dinner — Salt & Pepper Catering from Berri SA who will be catering for the Night of Celebration at the National Rally in 2022 will be catering for the Friday night dinner at the 2021 State rally.

The \$25 per head menu for the State Rally will be:

A Roast Buffet which is a choice of 2 types of meats from Loxton lamb, mustard crusted grain fed beef porterhouse or Smokey paprika roasted chicken. Served with seasoned vegetables, lemon myrtle butter, rustic roast potatoes, rosemary and garlic, gravy and condiments and bread rolls and butter. Sweet will be Fig and almond cake, salted caramel, vanilla bean gelato.

Sunday Night — a \$15 roast or order off the menu is available at the Cobby Club for those who wish to attend.

Other activities being considered are:

Wine tasting.

Bingo.

Children's activities although we are not sure if or how many children will be attending.

We would like to hear from attending clubs of any other activities to present.

What a tremendous scene it would be to see over 100 caravans at the Riverland Events Centre in March 2021 demonstrating that the Caravan Clubs of SA are a major contributor to the tourist industry.