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A very small magazine this month, probably because of the short time between meetings this time around. With Adelaide Cup making last month's very late and this month's being very early not much seems to have happened in the interim.

With more recent changes to my home and work life I have decided not to renominate for the Editor position at the upcoming AGM. This means that among other positions that may become vacant we need a new Editor. So if you have skills in Publisher or another word processing package, please see me at the meeting tonight or drop me an email to jary@adam.com.au

The task isn't that onerous, mainly getting the information that is sent in, sticking it all together and emailing it off for printing. I can assist with the first one or two to make sure everything runs smoothly.

And remember, it is your contributions that determine the size of the magazine each month!

Cheers—Richard

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SOCIAL SCENE

LASER SKIRMISH – Saturday 27th May 2006

How about a fun evening playing Laser Skirmish!
Where – Laser Zone 3, 867 South Road Clarence Gardens.
When - Saturday 27th May 2006 at 5.00pm
Cost – At this stage we have booked for 21 people at a cost of \$300. This is \$14.30 per person for 1 hour of skirmish which should be 4 games. If there are more than 21 people interested we will book another session later. As we need exact numbers to ensure the people do attend we ask that you pay your money upfront. This money can be paid either to one of the Social Committee members or Jay & Miranda Morfey (Treasurer).

For those who would like to make a night of it the Maid of Auckland Hotel is just down the road at 926 South Road Clarence Gardens.

If you would like to attend Laser Skirmish &/or dinner just put your name on the list and don't forget to pay for the Skirmish. If you have any further questions please ask one of the friendly Social Committee members.

MID YEAR DINNER – Saturday 22nd July 2006 at THE BELAIR HOTEL at 7.30pm

This year our mid year dinner is going to be at The Belair Hotel, in the Conservatory. It will commence at 7.30pm and is \$23.00 per person for the buffet. Mark your diaries now and we will commence a list at the June meeting and a deposit will be required.

CAMP COOK WEEKEND AT JACK'S Paddock – Saturday 2nd & Sunday 3rd September

Jack's Paddock is at Kuitpo Forest and you can arrive any time after 12.00 noon. You can camp the night or just drive home after you have a great evening of camp cooking and tastings. As in previous visits to Jack's Paddock we will be bush camping (Camper Trailers, Vans, Tents or Swags). Dinner will be shared on Saturday evening with each family cooking either your favourite camp meal or why not try something new.

We will not start a trip list at this stage but mark your diaries with the date; a list will be started a bit closer to the event.

As always please come and speak with Lyn, Jo, or Julie tonight if you have any suggestions or questions regarding our events for the year. Have a great night!

Social Committee



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Caps <i>(including logo embroidered on)</i>	\$13.00
NEW ITEM	
Bucket Hats <i>(including logo embroidered on & GST)</i>	\$13.00

If you require clothing please speak to a committee member.

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CM Club meeting.
 DTU DTU Advisor's Course
 P Pyrenees trip

May 2006

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CM Club meeting.
N Ngarkat Working Bee

Upcoming Trips

Easter—Pyrenees. Peter Ellery has a trip planned into Victoria for Easter this year. Stay tuned.

May 6-8 Ngarkat Working Bee. See notice elsewhere, meeting at Doggers Hut near Pinaroo.

June long weekend—Melrose A possibly Navrun event to be organized.

July School Holidays—Simpson Desert. Rick Luff is organizing another trip up the Oodnadatta Track, across to Birdsville then home via Innamincka and Cameron Corner. Put this one in your diaries if you can get away for two weeks.

August 5—September 2. 16 DAY CANNING STOCK ROUTE - North To South. Adelaide, Coober Pedy, Alice Springs, Tanami Track to Billuna - (3-4 days), Wiluna, Kalgoorlie (1-2 Days), Eucla, Whales at Head of Bight – (Scenic Flight), Port Augusta, Adelaide (2 Days). Canning 16 days. 4 days Tolerance / extra rest stops, Limit 5 Vehicles, No Trailers. Must be equipped for long range travel – Longest distance between fuel 1400 km's (No fuel Dump). Trip leader Mark Curtis , Hm 8358 4776 / Mb 0408 297 065, curtismark@ozemail.com.au

Four Wheel Drive Courses

MLR Club Training

Contact: Jeff Morgan
Home: 8381 5404
Mobile: 0410 665 019

Under Development:

1. Oziexplorer—Overview of use of Oziexplorer — Date TBA

Basic Training Theory - Mid Year June/July date to be finalised . We are setting up basic training theory so that it can be run in conjunction with other clubs to provide a good class size.

Location: DTU Training Rooms, Cavan

Time: 8:30am - 5:00pm over one weekend

Cost: Approx \$80.00 to be confirmed. (includes Training Books)

Club Trainers

Advisor's: Shaun Lawson.

Trainer's: Ian Manglesdorf, Paul West, Tim Byrne, Paul Tabone.

Assessor's: Ken Bradey, Mark Curtis, Layne Holberton, Jeff Morgan, Christian Whamond, Ricky Esser, George Haniotis.

FUTURE EVENTS

Warren Gorge Skills Update 20-21st May

Kuitpo Skills update (Mud) 29-30th May

TSG Update (Existing Trainers) 19-20th August

4WD Drive Show 13-15th October

Training Small Groups 21-22nd October

Skills Update (Sand) 4-5th November

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