



KLARION

Newsletter

(Incorporating the Road Director's News)



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ROAD DIRECTOR'S UPDATE

One more full survey and it should be 'all systems go' for this year. Everyone please pray for a couple of fine weeks prior and during the rally, we don't want a repeat of last year with so much rain washing everything away.

We will be travelling through parts of the high country when we leave Wagga, up to about 1300 metres, so we hope there won't be too much snow to stop us. The views from some of the areas is quite spectacular (for the navigators anyway....the drivers will be concentrating too hard on the track!) It will be quite a varied terrain this year, from possible snow to sub tropical rainforests and flat outback areas towards the west of the state.

We have planned a Khanacross morning at the Bathurst Light Car Club's "Quarry" grounds which should be fun, and a little different from 'the norm', for all competitors and spectators alike. Afterwards we will be lunching at the Car Club on Conrod Straight, Mount Panorama, before moving on to an afternoon of rallying on some great roads and tracks before the next overnight stop at Kandos.

The total distance of this year's event will be just under 4,000kms. The longest distance between official refuels will be 367kms. The longest day will be 695kms, but not difficult, and the shortest day will only be 360kms, to make up for the long one!!

We will be visiting one primary school, with about 100 children, for lunch and also the famous "Pub with no Beer". Some of you will have already been to this pub over the years with the rally, but for others it will be quite an interesting experience. All in all, we think you will enjoy the variety of the event this year.

COMPULSORY SCRUTINEERING – COMPETING RALLY KARS ONLY

This will be conducted on the weekend of the **30th & 31st July**. Details of venues and forms will be sent out to all Principal Entrants in the next few weeks. All competing rally kars and at least one member of the krew **MUST** attend – failure to show will incur a 20-point penalty! Any krew member unable to attend on the day is asked to send a photocopy of their driver's licence with the kar. Please make sure you have all relevant paperwork up-to-date and with the vehicle. This includes: driver's licences, rego, insurance, engineer's certificate (if applicable). All kars must be presented in "ready to rally" condition. This will enable everyone to get through the safety check and registration, in Wagga on Friday 12th, as quickly as possible.

PARTICIPANT PROFILE/MEDICAL AND VEHICLE FORMS

These forms were sent out to all some weeks ago and we are still waiting for many of them to be returned. We need them back now please as your individual info is required so that we can order t-shirts, meal badges etc. Please ask all your krew to complete and return to Kim pronto. Thanks...

EXTRA START AND FINISH DINNER TICKETS – \$50pp

If you have family and friends who would like to join you for either, or both, of these dinners please let Kim know so numbers can be added to the catering figures. Places are limited for the start dinner in Wagga so it will be a case of 'first in, first served'. We already have several bookings for both nights so don't delay!!

Please Note: These tickets are only for guests as participants have already been taken into account.

KKR NUMBER PLATES

The one-off fee for these plates will be \$135.00 per set. The RTA is still causing us grief by not finalising everything so that we can start ordering! More news as it comes to hand....



RAFFLE TICKETS - REMINDER

All books, that have been sold, unsold or part sold, along with all proceeds must be returned to Kim before the end of July so the amount can be credited to your kar and also to allow the purchasers a chance to win the Harvey Norman vouchers. Many of you have sold heaps already so you are well on the way to raising over and above the minimum entry fee. Keep up the good work!

2011 KKR JACKETS - LAST ORDERS NOW

The **final order for 2011** will be going in shortly so if you would like a jacket please contact Kim ASAP!

2011 KIDNEY KRUISE & SHINE

Entries are now coming in for the Kruiise & Shine and we are hoping for ten or more entries. There are three options to participate.

1. Wagga Wagga to Port Macquarie from the 13th - 16th August - Entry Fee: \$1,500.
2. Port Macquarie to Cowra from the 16th - 20th August - Entry Fee: \$1,500.
3. Wagga Wagga to Port Macquarie and finish in Cowra 13th - 20th August - Entry Fee: \$2,000.

On the first day of the event the Kruiise kars from the rally are welcome to come along with the Kruiise & Shine as we will be passing through Crookwell to observe the arrival of the rally kars. The Kruiise course will pass through the following towns: Coolamon, Temora - visiting the Aircraft Museum, Young, Boorowa, and Crookwell, then on to Goulburn for the Overnight Stop.

There will be a section for Modern Classic Vehicles so all your friends with BMWs, Porsches, Mercedes etc are welcome to come along.

A complete survey of the course will be undertaken by Jim in May and further details will be available in the next Klarion.

A considerable amount of interest has been shown, but now we require those to be converted into entries. There will be awards for the Highest Fundraisers in this Section of the Event. Points of interest will be visited along the way with admission fees being at the entrant's own expense.

For more information contact Jim Londregan – 02 4647 0598 / 0417 244 213 / fjla@iinet.com.au or Josh Donchi (KHA) – 03 9674 4310 / joshua.donchi@kidney.org.au

2011 THEME NIGHT

Port Macquarie - Tuesday 16th August will be the night for this year's theme.....

"Medical"

Theme nights are great fun, and some krews go to a lot of trouble with their innovative outfits. We're sure this year will not disappoint!

Welcome New Participants

Brad Hatcher & Andrew Tilt - Kar 888 - Battered Saab Racing - Balgowlah, NSW
Jim & Bev Vickers - Kar 51 - White Rocket - White Rock, NSW
Mark & Sue Hammond - Kar 60 - Old Yella - Mullion Creek, NSW
Mark Tucker & Col Martin - Kar 111 - Window Boys - Dubbo, NSW
Michael & Brian Cattell - Kar 1954 - Akubra Cousins - Wagga Wagga, NSW
Graeme Phillips & Peter Harrison - Kar 2 - The Thunderbirds - O'Connell, NSW
Murray Roberson & Andy Graham - Kar B2 - The Thunderbirds Back-Up - Bathurst, NSW
Dion Manning & Doug Woodbridge - Kar 0517 - TBA - Tumut, NSW
Rod Rouland, James Tracy & Tim Redman - Kar 007 - Roverover - O'Connell, NSW
Barry Cotter & Krew - Kars HJ75 & 681 - TBA - Camperdown, NSW
Ted Johnson & Grant Heeley - Kar 333 Team Kwikdraw - Bass Hill, NSW
Ken Dyson & Krew - Kar B1305 - Where's Wally? Back-Up - Queanbeyan, NSW
Sam Cali & Jenna Bothamley - Kar 185 - Team D&D - Kenthurst, NSW
John Clout & Ken Vickery - Kar 2009 - XPLANT - Wagga Wagga, NSW
Norman & Michelle Goldsbrough - Kar B41 - 2 Jewels in the Crown Back-Up - Westin, ACT
Heath & Paul Jasprizza & Jim Boxsell - Kar K40 - Unit - Oak Flats, NSW

Welcome Back

Robert & Wendy Dunbar - Kar 350 - Crobar - Camden, NSW
Dave Hogbin & Adam Julian - Kar 148 - The Datto Brothers - Milperra, NSW
Neville Kearney & John Nelson - Kar 202 - Kermit's Krew - Geelong, VIC
David Hyland & Dennis Soulos - Kar 88 - Rail Personnel - Burraneer, NSW
Ben & David Kløver - Kar 55 - Artline Rally Team 2 - Camden, NSW
Peter & Vanessa Gray - Kar 308 - KMA - Little Hartley, NSW
Colin & Catherine Dyke & Desley Kelly - Kar 85 - The Escapees - Mildura, VIC
Trevor Burton, Alan Bradshaw & David Dolbel - Kar 999 - The Belly Gang - Cowra, NSW

2012 KIDNEY KAR RALLY

It's definite that the rally will be starting in WA next year, possibly south of Perth at Mandurah. The finish will be at Bendigo and the lay-day could possibly be Ceduna.

More details will be provided after we have completed our first survey in October/November. It will depend on what roads and tracks we find, and where they lead us during the course of each day, before we can determine where each overnight stop will be.

There will be some camping, especially crossing the Nullarbor, as beds are few and far between. However, we will endeavour to find what accommodation is available on our initial survey to appease those who prefer some creature comforts. Please be advised that women, children and the elderly will have preference over the men, where necessary. Be it known now that imposters wearing skirts, high heels, and wigs, and have affected squeaky voices will not be considered under any circumstances, no matter how convincing they may be!! We appreciate how you guys love to cross-dress, but in this case it simply will not work.....

2011 KIDNEY KAR RALLY PARTICIPANTS

1	John May	Kar 10	Bathurst Renal Failures	Bathurst, NSW
2	Chris Ball	Kar 69	Dirty 1's	Campbelltown, NSW
3	Peter Ward	Kar 8	Bathurst Surf Life Saving Club	Bathurst, NSW
4	Alex Mueller	Kar 10½	Bathurst Renal Failures 2	Paddington, NSW
5	Marilyn & Howie Nourse	Kar K31	Old Green II	Saddleworth, SA
6	Roxanne Cross	Kar 808	Bundee Thunder	Bundeena, NSW
7	Bob Rowlands	Kar 940	Australiana	Mudgee, NSW
8	Rob Clark	Kar 99	Crazy Frog	Forest Lake, QLD
9	Daniel Swain	Kar 81	Cromer Exhaust	Werrington County, NSW
10	Greg Chinnery	Kar 9	Aussie Pride	St Andrews, NSW
11	Greg Martin	Kar B9	Aussie Pride Back-Up	Cobar, NSW
12	Paul Zalitis	Kar 14	Opportunity Housing	Wagga Wagga, NSW
13	Hilary Wunsch	Kar 1932	Kidney Benz	Melton South, VIC
14	Kath Downie	Kar K747	Karlettes	Abbotsford, VIC
15	Carmel Mifsud	Kar 1308	Doin it 4 Danny	Crookwell, NSW
16	Peter Lanyon	Kar 54	Grimace	Mt Annan, NSW
17	Robert Dunbar	Kar 350	Crobar	Camden South, NSW
18	Gary Snell	Kar 17	Excalibur	Gawler, SA
19	Grahame McKay	Kar 072	The Pensioners	Forster, NSW
20	Lou & Elizabeth Marevich	Kar K20	Billy Kart	Prospect, NSW
21	Alan Jones	Kar 6	5 O'clock Somewhere	Waurm Ponds, VIC
22	Julian Smith	Kar 1995	Diamond Protection	Mt Waverley, VIC
23	Robert Cameron	Kar 508	Amy's Team	Boosey, VIC
24	Troy Dalby	Kar B69	Dirty 1's Back-Up	Bathurst, NSW
25	Brett Courtenay	Kar 201	Bloody Volvo Drivers	Randwick, NSW
26	Judy Ruge	Kar 2871	Farkarwee Tribe	Forbes, NSW
27	Tony Moloney	Kar 32	Mt Noorat Rally Team	Kolora, VIC
28	Brian Wallace	Kar 500	Cabernet Merlot	Nowra, NSW
29	Brad Hatcher	Kar 888	Battered Saab Racing	Balgowlah, NSW
30	Jim Vickers	Kar 51	White Rocket	White Rock, NSW
31	Steve Emanuel	Kar 900	900 Racing	Riverstone, NSW
32	David Hogbin	Kar 148	The Datto Brothers	Milperra, NSW
33	Neville Kearney	Kar 202	Kermit's Krew	Geelong, VIC
34	Pete Crawley	Kar 93.1	The In-Laws	Mudgee, NSW
35	Peter Gray	Kar 308	KMA	Little Hartley, NSW
36	Chris Carey	Kar 50	Lachlan Loiterers	Clifton, QLD
37	David Hyland	Kar 88	Rail Personnel	Burraneer, NSW

38	Mark Hammond	Kar 60	Old Yella	Mullion Creek, NSW
39	Dave Sheridan	Kar 802	Alcheringa	Box Hill, NSW
40	Khaled El Sayed	Kar 41	2 Jewels in the Crown	Menai, NSW
41	Mark Tucker	Kar 111	Window Boys	Dubbo, NSW
42	Mike Kluver	Kar 68	Artline Rally Team	The Oaks, NSW
43	Ben Kluver	Kar 55	Artline Rally Team	Camden South, NSW
44	Dale McLennan	Kar 5.0	Kidney Kops	Riverwood, NSW
45	Michael Cattell	Kar 1954	Akubra Cousins	Wagga Wagga, NSW
46	Graeme Phillips	Kar 2	The Thunderbirds	O'Connell, NSW
47	Murray Roberson	Kar B2	The Thunderbirds Back-Up	Kelso, NSW
48	Dion Manning	Kar 0517	Tumut Transplant Team	Tumut, NSW
49	Rod Rouland	Kar 007	Roverover	O'Connell, NSW
50	Barry Cotter	Kar HJ75	TBA	Camperdown, NSW
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52	Kile Nicholas	Kar 1305	Where's Wally?	Ashtonfield, NSW
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59	Colin Dyke	Kar 85	The Escapees	Mildura, VIC
60	Trevor Burton	Kar 999	The Belly Gang	Cowra, NSW
61	Peter Carr	Kar 11	The Blues Brothers	Luddenham, NSW
62	Warwick Winter	Kar K156	Kidney Flusher	North Rocks, NSW
63	Chris Hardy	Kar 511	Underbelly	Coleambally, NSW

Entry List will be updated regularly on the website

Top 10 Highest Fundraisers - April 2011

1st	Kar 20	Billy Kart	6th	Kar K40	Unit
2nd	Kar 1995	Diamond Protection	7th	Kar 32	Mt Noorat Rally Team
3rd	Kar 10	Bathurst Renal Failures	8th	Kar B1305	Where's Wally? Back-Up
4th	Kar 54	Grimace	9th	Kar 350	Crobar
5th	Kar 940	Australiana	10th	Kar 1954	Akubra Cousins

2011 FUNDRAISING

Don't forget to fully utilise your very own fundraising page – Every Day Hero - on the website, it's easy for everyone and your supporters receive an instant receipt, what could be simpler than that? Let's try to make 2011 the best fundraising year yet. It's our **Kidney Kids** who will benefit from all your hard work.... 😊 😊 😊 😊 😊

KKR Media Kits

All KKR participants will be receiving a media kit in the coming weeks. This will be followed-up by a phone call from a KHA representative who will assist you with gaining media attention in your local area. We ask that once you receive your media kit you contact your local paper and organise a time for a photo shoot. The kit will include all press release information needed for an article. You can also add your own personal story to this press release. We suggest you include the link to your Everyday Hero fundraising page so that people in your local community can donate directly to you.

For more information please contact Josh at Kidney Health Australia on 03 9674 4310.

PORT MACQUARIE LAY-DAY

For those of you who may be looking for something 'a little out of the ordinary' to do on your day off in Port, you should consider a tour of the "Little Brewing Company". They make award winning, small batch, handcrafted, finest quality beer. It is owner operated and they ask you to come and taste why they are one of the leading craft breweries in Australia, producing some truly, madly, wickedly flavoursome beer!

One of our Officials, Wayne from C2, will be organising a tour of the brewery if you would like to join him. Meet at the Westport Club at 10:00am on Tuesday 16th for transport to the brewery. Cost of tasting: \$7.00 pp.

OVERNIGHT & LUNCH STOPS – 2011 KKR

Date	Lunch	Overnight - Dinner/Breakfast
Friday 12 th August	Own Expense	Wagga Wagga – Country Comfort – Start Dinner & Auction
Saturday 13 th August	Tumut	Crookwell
Sunday 14 th August	Bathurst	Kandos/Rylstone
Monday 15 th August	Scone	Port Macquarie
Tuesday 16 th August	Port Macquarie	Port Macquarie
Wednesday 17 th August	Taylors Arm	South Grafton
Thursday 18 th August	Deepwater	Inverell
Friday 19 th August	Boggabri	Warren
Saturday 20 th August	Condobolin	Cowra – Services Club – Presentation Dinner

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- 21 May – Aussie Pride-Kar 9 - Dinner & Auction (see KKR website for details)
- 22-29 May – Kidney Health Week
- 25 June – Bathurst Surf Life Saving Club-Kar 8 - Dinner Dance & Auction (ph: 0414 461 791 for details)
- 25 June – Bathurst Renal Failures 2-Kar 10½ - Trivia Night (ph: 0418 208 881 for details)
- 16 July – Pre Rally Get-Together (Seven Hill/Toongabbie RSL – from 3:00pm)
- 30-31 July – KKR Scrutineering Weekend
- 12-20 August – 23rd Annual Kidney Kar Rally
- 22 October – Rally Re-Union (Seven Hills/Toongabbie RSL – from 3:00pm)

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