



# Registration Revised 1 Jul 22

## ***It is GO for the National Rove 2022***

The Rover Club of Queensland now cordially invites you to join us for the National Rover Rally, to be held at Toowoomba Queensland over the period Friday 30th September to Monday 3rd October 2022. Also for those who may be interested it will be followed by an extended Post Rove Run until Saturday 8th October to the Sunshine Coast Maleny Montville area.

***Many have previously registered their interest and filled out the Registration Form. We have now been able to lower the cost on a number of activities and in light of these savings we are asking all to complete the Revised Registration Form.***

**If you have previously submitted a Registration form we now only require your name, activities and payment**

Attached is a detailed programme for each day's activities and the costs for each activity are shown. We need you to fill out the attached form showing numbers for each activity and return either by email or post to the Club Address. Please pay your money to the account details on the form. You have till 31st August to get your Registration in.

**There is more to see than we can show you in one weekend. During your visit please take the opportunity to visit the other attractions in and around Toowoomba.**

## ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS

### MOTELS

#### **COMFORT INN GRAMMAR VIEW MOTEL**

39 Margaret Street

4 Star Tourism rated property; all 31 rooms have kitchenettes containing microwave, toaster, plates & cutlery; off-street parking (some undercover).

P: (07) 4638 3366

[www.grammarview.com.au](http://www.grammarview.com.au)

#### **APPLEGUM INN MOTEL**

41 Margaret Street

25 rooms with undercover parking for all.

P: (07) 4632 2088

[www.appleguminn.com.au](http://www.appleguminn.com.au)

#### **WHITEOAKS MOTEL & LODGES**

12 Margaret Street

11 motel rooms (with microwave, toaster & kettle); 12 self-contained lodges (5 beds) - Limited undercover parking.

P: (07) 4639 2999

[www.whiteoaks.com.au](http://www.whiteoaks.com.au)

#### **PARK MOTOR INN**

88 Margaret Street

(Opposite Queens Park)

47 rooms, no undercover parking but with ample parking spaces. Next door to 'Park House Café' open 7am till late.

P: (07) 4632 1011

[www.parktoowoomba.com.au](http://www.parktoowoomba.com.au)

### CARAVAN PARKS & CAMPING

#### **JOLLY SWAGMAN**

#### **CARAVAN PARK**

47 Kitchener Street, Toowoomba.

P: (07) 4632 8735

[www.swagmanpark.com](http://www.swagmanpark.com)

#### **BIG4 TOOWOOMBA GARDEN**

#### **CITY HOLIDAY PARK**

34a Eiser Street, Harristown.

P: 1800 333 667 or

(07) 4635 1747

[big4toowoombagchp.com.au](http://big4toowoombagchp.com.au)



# Rover Car Club QLD National Rove Toowoomba

## Programme of Events 30th Sep to 3rd Oct 2022 Revised

### FRIDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER MEET & GREET FUNCTION

**From 5.30 pm.** Registration and Meet and Greet Function at Picnic Point Restaurant. (164 Tourist Rd Toowoomba), Finger food light meal served from 6.30 pm. Pick up your Rove bag and any regalia ordered. This is a great location overlooking Toowoomba Ranges.

### SATURDAY 1ST OCTOBER SEE THE GARDENS AND COBB & CO MUSEUM

**From 8.30 am.** Park behind the Cobb & Co Museum (27 Lindsay St.) in the circular car park, entry from Lindsay St just beyond Museum, follow the Rover signs. From here you can visit the Carnival of flowers Botanic Gardens and walk through the colourful displays that have made Toowoomba famous.

Next the Farmers Markets, where you can wander and purchase tea or coffee and sample some taste tempting treats. Displays of local arts and craft and home made food stalls. From 10.00 am Visit the Cobb & Co Museum. It is the home of the National Carriage Collection and focuses on horse-drawn vehicles and heritage trades. Entry to the Museum will be Pay as you go. Keep your receipt as entry will be open all weekend

**From 11.45 am,** gather at the carpark to drive to Scotty's Garage & Museum (1709 Flagstone Creek Rd, Upper Flagstone) We will depart in groups following a guide. Scotty's is the location of the Car Display and lunch.

**6.30 pm** Back to the Cobb & Co Museum for dinner in the Carriage Room. This will be an informal night with Guest speaker and 2 course meal. Drinks available from the bar at cost and buses will be available to pick up and return.

### SUNDAY 2ND OCTOBER CARS & COFFEE, PIONEER VILLAGE

**From 7.00 am** For those interested and don't mind an early rise. Meet at the Cobb and Co Carpark for a 7.00 am departure for a drive to Crows Nest ( 30 mins north on the New England H'way ) for Cars and Coffee event at 7.30 am. ( not compulsory) Coffee and pastries pay as you go and meet some non Rover people and cars. It maybe handy to take a fold up chair if you have one. Depart Crows Nest from 9.30 am and drive direct to the Highfields Pioneer Village 73 Wirraglen Rd Highfields. The village opens at 10.00 am

**From 9.30 am** For the late risers, meet at the Cobb & Co Car Park for a 9.30 am departure for the drive to the Highfields Pioneer Village 73 Wirraglen Rd Highfields.

Various displays of yesteryear with some very rare and interesting vehicles. Morning tea with damper when we arrive and also the **Rocker Racing competition will be held over morning tea.** Wander at your own pace around the Museum or take a bus ride. Entrance includes morning tea and damper. Sausage sizzle lunch at \$3.00 per sausage or head back to Toowoomba and visit other attractions.

**From 6.30 pm** Picnic Point Restaurant for the Rove Dinner, incl presentations and awards. Buses available for pick up and return.

### MONDAY 3RD OCTOBER

**From 7.30 am.** Farewell Breakfast at Picnic Point Restaurant. Order what you want and pay as you go. We will organise some large tables so come when you are ready. We will say a final farewell and then send you on your way.

**For those staying on for the extended Rove ,** stay a further night in your Toowoomba accommodation. We will depart Toowoomba on the Tuesday morning, details of the run to be advised separately



## ***Post Rove Rove Outline Plan***

### ***Monday 3rd Oct to Saturday 8th Oct***

For all those that want more and to make the trip worthwhile, from Monday 3rd to Saturday 8th Oct there will also be a post Rove Rove. It will be a little less structured and we will be exploring the Sunshine Coast Hinterland including Maleny, Montville, Eumundi Markets, Australian Zoo, Kenilworth Cheese factory, Buderim Ginger Factory, the Rolls Royce Museum at Coolum, and maybe more. Returning to Brisbane Saturday afternoon.

#### ***Current Plan***

**Monday 3rd October** After the farewell breakfast depart the Cobb & Co Carpark at 10.30 am to Visit the Army Aviation Air Museum at Oakey <http://www.armyFlyingmuseum.com.au/> then perhaps the Toowoomba Railway museum in the afternoon <https://downsteam.com/> Meet for dinner at 6.30 pm at Sofra Turkish Restaurant, a great night out and you will love the food <https://www.sofra.com.au/> We will remain in Toowoomba, and stay in your accommodation on Monday night

**Tuesday 4th Oct**, we drive to Montville. Meet at the Cobb & Co carpark and depart at 9.30 am. Drive to Gatton to the Transport Museum, <https://www.luvyalockyer.com.au/queensland-transport-museum> and Morning Tea. Then Via Esk to Montville. There is a range of accommodation in the Montville area and we will plan on staying 2 x nights. Eve and I are staying at the Mountain View Inn **07 5442 9499** <https://www.montvilleinn.com.au/> (\$150.00 per ni) their online booking system is not working so you may have to ring. It is centrally located and in easy walking distance to everything. There is lots to see at Montville. We will meet up for the evening meal at the Inn. I have reserved a number of rooms at the Inn so if you ring please advise them you are part of the Rover Car Group.

**Wednesday 5th Oct** there are a number of different options. Suggestion 1. Eumundi Markets, in the morning and then the Ginger Factory and Big Pineapple in the afternoon. 2. Explore Montville and Maleny Cheese and then morning tea at Mary Cairncross Park over looking the Glass House Mountains, then a drive through the hinterland to Lunch at Ricks Garage at Palmwoods. [www.ricksGarage.com.au/](http://www.ricksGarage.com.au/). This is an institution and well worth a visit. Or mix and match your own schedule. Evening meal tba in Montville.

**Thursday 6th Oct** visit the Australia Zoo, or other Hinterland attractions such as Aussie World, or drive to Kenilworth Cheese Factory. We change accommodation to the Mooloolaba area for 2 nights. Meet up for dinner at the Mooloolaba Surf Club. Accommodation is premium priced in this area so you may wish to stay elsewhere but this is the centre of action. Select your own or try **Osprey** <https://www.osprey.com.au/> Phone: 07 5444 6966 Eve and I are staying here. (\$230.00 a night medium priced) Address: Cnr The Esplanade & Buderim Avenue, Mooloolaba QLD 4557. It may be warm enough for a swim, or a walk along the beach.

**Friday 7th Oct** Visit SEA LIFE Underwater Encounters (Underwater World) at Mooloolaba <https://www.visitsealife.com/sunshine-coast/> Lunch tba then explore the local area. Dinner will be at the restaurant at the Mooloolaba Fish Markets <https://mooloolahfish.com.au/mrf-retail>

**Saturday 8th Oct** AM perhaps meet for farewell breakfast and then visit The Rolls Royce Museum and Rover Club Member Rick Thurgood's shed. <https://www.henryroycefoundation.com/coolum-showroom>.  
**Sat afternoon return to Brisbane.**

We will have more detail closer to the event. But you should arrange your accommodation as soon as possible in Montville & Mooloolaba area. Please let me know your arrangements as soon as possible.

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# REGISTRATION

Rove Registration, Activity Attendance and Costings — Revised 01 Jul 22

Name Driver.....Mob No.....

Name Passenger (1).....Passenger (2).....

Name Passenger (3).....Passenger (4).....

Car Rego.....Model.....Year.....No of years Owned.....

Name of Accommodation .....

Accommodation Address.....

Email Address.....Are you interested in Rocker Racing Y / N please circle

Home Address( For Furthest driven Rover).....

Please enter the number attending for each activity on the table below. Then multiply by the cost for that activity to get the total cost. Then add them for your Grand Total. This is the amount you have to pay.

Could you also indicate how many will be attending the Cars & Coffee, and Monday breakfast please.

National Rove Costings	Cost per person	Number Attending	Total Cost
		<b>Each Activity</b>	
<b>Friday 30/09/2022</b>			
Meet and Greet Friday Night per head	\$25.00		
<b>Sat 1/10/2022</b>			
Cobb & Co Museum pay on entry	Pay on entry		
Markets and gardens no charge	No charge		
Car Display at Scottys incl Lunch & Museum	\$25.00		
Dinner per head Cobb & Co Carriage Room	\$55.00		
<b>Sun 2/10/2022</b>			
Crows Nest Cars & Coffee	Pay for coffee/tea		
Pioneer Village incl Morning Tea	\$20		
Dinner Picnic Point Function Room per head	\$65.00		
<b>Mon 3/10/2022</b>			
Breakfast Picnic Point Pay on order	Pay on order		
Rove Registration Charge per vehicle	\$35.00	1	\$35.00
<b>Please pay Rover Car Club Queensland</b>		<b>Grand Total</b> _____	

**BSB: 034090 Account No. 237591**

**Include name of Driver as reference**

Any Special dietary requirements.....

**Are you Joining us for the Extended Post Rove Run to the Sunshine Coast please circle Yes/No**

When completed scan or copy and send to The Rover Car Club Qld, Email info@roverqueensland.asn.au or post to  
 PO Box 5302 Stafford Heights Qld 4053 For further info email Ross McCormack reme@qldnet.com.au or tel 0403040334



# Get Ready To Race!

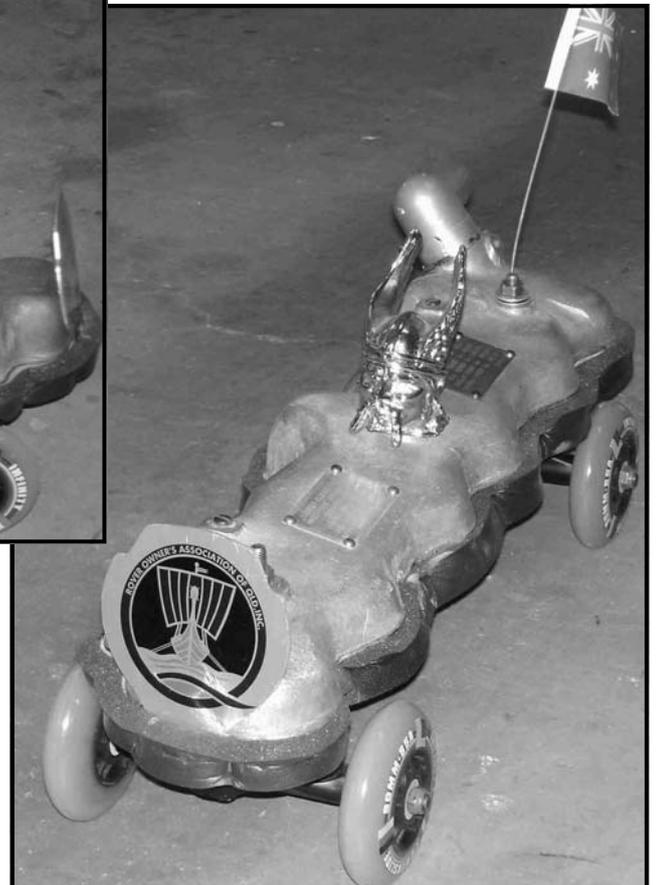
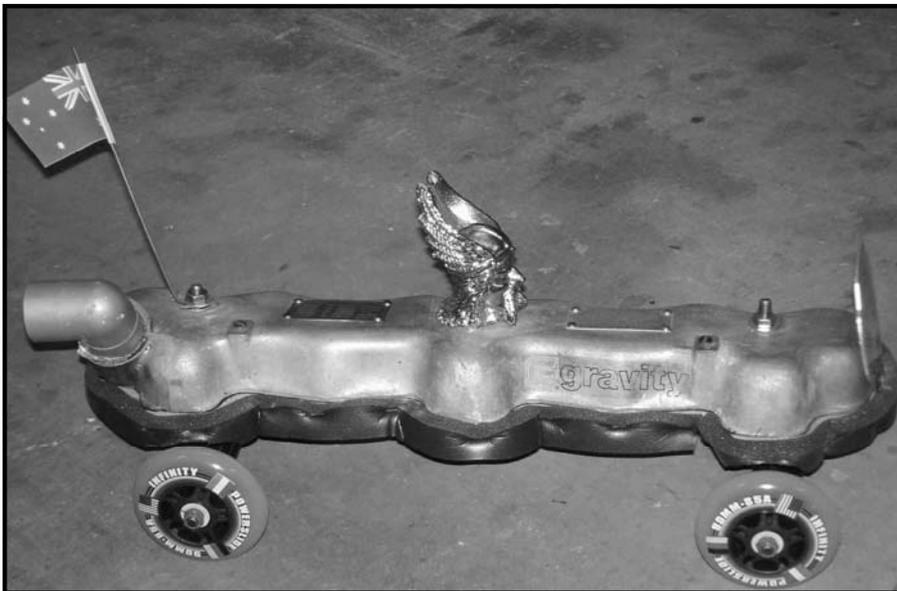
A fun feature of our National Rove in 2022 will be **Rocker Cover Racing** -

Don't know what that is? It's simple: take a rocker cover (tappet cover, valve cover if you prefer) add suitable wheels, run it down a ramp with a competitor's racer and see who gets to the end of the run first., using only gravity as the motive force.

Basic requirements:

- The cover must be an original Rover part.
- The overall width, including the wheels, must be no more than 220mm. (to fit our track)
- The underside of the "body", at the front, must be a maximum of 50mm above the track , to suit our starting mechanism..
- Wheels cannot project beyond the front of the cover.
- No projections at the front, above the starting gate (50mm above track).

Be creative and demonstrate your engineering skills! Decorate as you see fit, no restriction on weight or type of wheels used. Awards at National Rove for fastest and best looking racers.



Check out this prime example!

- P4 Rocker Cover,
- A piece of plywood bolted on as a base,
- Wheels and trucks from a skate board bolted to the plywood base,
- Rover Head added as a mascot
- Australian Flag
- ROAQ car badge on the front
- A piece of rubber stapled around the timber base to protect furniture and legs.

***Add your own decorations and exhaust and you are ready to race.***

***There will be a trophy for 'First Past The Post'  
There will also be a trophy for 'Best Presented'***

***The competition will be held at the Highfield Pioneer Village on  
Sunday 2nd Oct during Morning Tea. From 10.15 am.***