

Variety Brydens Lawyers B to B Bash 2021



JUNE 2020 BASH BULLETIN



Variety - the Children's Charity

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Hello Bashers.

Here we are, another month into this COVID-19 pandemic, however things are getting better by the day. Restrictions are changing rapidly and there is light at the end of the tunnel.

Our Motoring Events team remains intact and still working from home with Sally Ross working Tuesdays and Wednesdays and I'm working Wednesdays and Thursdays. We are contactable on our office phone numbers and our email addresses, sally.ross@variety.org.au and stuart.telfer@variety.org.au You can also get me anytime on my mobile, 0425 277 673.

ANOTHER VIRTUAL M.E.I.N., NIGHT

Last month we had our first virtual 'Pub Night' live on ZOOM which was a bit of fun for those who joined in. Well we are going to have another one on, Wednesday the 24th June. Starting at 7pm it will run for around an hour and will be there for just a 'catch-up' and an update on what we are up to. Hope you can join us!

Anyhow, we are in for a bit of fun and I can't wait for the catch-up – PLUS – there will be a virtual raffle as well!!! Click [HERE](#) for the link to the Pub Night and enjoy!



THE RESURRECTION RUN

I spent last week with Ken Dollery surveying the route for our '*Resurrection Run*' in November. All went well and we look forward to announcing the details next week. Folk from the towns we are visiting are very much looking forward to (our \$\$\$\$s) meeting us!

This 'Run' will suit 4WD vehicles, Bash cars and some 'normal' cars especially SUVs and high clearance cars (sorry no bikes or children). It's not suitable for low cars or cars with low profile tyres. The distance is around 2,200 kilometres and 40% of that will be dirt.

The dates are the 15th to 20th of November, and as always said, it is dependent on government restrictions being lifted. The plan is for a six day event travelling through NSW and overnighting in towns (mostly) capable of accommodating a large group of motoring enthusiasts and offers a motoring "hit" while we wait for 2021 and our scheduled events to resume.

It will not have all the aspects of a Bash or 4WD Adventure and will be a 'tamed' down version, but the incredible Variety experience will still be there. It won't be an event for children (already mentioned) and a \$2,000, fully tax deductible, entry fee per car will apply. There will also be a Provisions Fee to cover some meals and in some places you'll have the opportunity to 'dine' wherever you wish and pay for those meals as you go.

I have been asked, does this event count towards Service Certificates for either of the two Bashes or 4WD Adventure events we run and the answer to that is – no. Separate event altogether. Sorry.

We hope to be able to announce when the launch will be next week.

TAX DEDUCTIONS FOR THE CURRENT YEAR

With 30 June fast approaching, now would be a great time to contact your sponsors and encourage them to donate now so they can claim their tax deductions in the current year.

We know that in the current crisis it may feel hard to approach your sponsors, however it's always a good time to make contact and firstly ask how they have coped. It's a great idea just to keep that contact up and important to be aware that there are many businesses that haven't been too impacted, some that it may have even boosted their business.

Even if your sponsors can't donate this year, it certainly will make it easier next year to make the ask if you've not left it for two years and enquired how they coped. Things are beginning to ease up with all our restrictions so for a lot of people and businesses things will hopefully be starting to improve, the end of the financial year is a great incentive for people to donate now. Your current Fundraising page URL will still be active for several months, so feel free to send that around to your sponsors.

If we can help in any way, please just contact Sally at sally.ross@variety.org.au

VARIETY HEART AWARDS

Recently Variety NSW/ACT held its inaugural, volunteer Variety Heart Awards. The winners were selected from a large nomination list and all, of course, are wonderful Variety supporters.



The Awards are a celebration of the heroes in the Variety community, who through their contribution of volunteering and fundraising, have helped improve the lives of the kids and families Variety supports. The Awards recognise those who embody the Variety values of Equality, Community, Action and Joy and dedicate their time to help grow our impact for the kids and families we serve.

Chairman's Commendation Award – John Paul Young

The Chairman's Commendation Award is presented to an individual or group who has made a substantial contribution over time to the sustainability, impact and success of Variety – the Children's Charity NSW/ACT.

This year's recipient is singer and entertainer, John Paul Young. For over 20 years, JPY has been an ambassador and supporter of Variety, dedicating his time and talent to entertain, make appearances and generally raise awareness of the work Variety does to support kids in need. JPY has been on Variety committees in the Newcastle Hunter region, has hit the dusty roads on many a Variety Bash, and supported Variety with appearances on television and the stage. Thanks for all you do JPY!



Volunteer of the Year – June Coleman

The Volunteer of the Year recognises an individual or group who has consistently and selflessly dedicated their time to support the work of Variety. This could be helping out at events, working in the office for Hair with Heart, or keeping our Bashers, Dashers and Adventures safe as an OV on one of our motoring events. The 2020 Volunteer of the Year is long time Variety volunteer and fundraiser June Coleman.

Over the year's June has consistently been among the first to offer a helping hand in all manner of ways, including at Variety events and fundraisers. June was a key part of the growth of Variety's Hair with Heart program, volunteering every week at Variety HQ to sort the many boxes of hair donations ready to be sent to the wig makers. June is also a much-loved member of the Bash community with her fellow 'Angels' in car 321, and in 2019 was inducted into the B to B Bash Hall of Fame. Congratulations June!



Fundraiser of the Year – G.J. Gardner Homes Shoalhaven (Nathan Fay & Sean Vickery)

The Fundraiser of the Year recognises an individual or team who has shown creativity, passion and commitment in their fundraising efforts, and achieved great results! It's not just about how much was raised, but also how they have gone above and beyond in their efforts to help give kids in need a fair go, and been advocates and champions of Variety in the process.

Sean & Nathan from G.J. Gardner Shoalhaven pioneered the G.J. Gardner Variety Freedom House concept, building the first house for Variety in Nowra in 2014. Last year they rallied the support of the Shoalhaven community to help build a 4-bedroom house in the Carrington Heights estate. More than local 80 businesses and individuals generously giving time, products and materials, and expertise at the lowest possible cost to enable the greatest donation possible to Variety. Over \$400,000 was raised from the sale of the house for kids who are sick, disadvantaged or have special needs. Great work guys, congratulations on being Variety's Fundraiser of the Year!



BASHERS FUNDRAISING EVENTS

If you are planning a fundraising event, we can help by letting people know about it. Just send us the details and we'll add it into the Bash Bulletin. If you are doing a flyer, we can add that into the BB as well. However, you should have it checked by us first as there are some rules about what you can and can't say. Those rules are further down.

The HIPPIES in car 1970 were planning two events a Trivia night and a golf day – however with all the clubs being closed they have moved these events around. The golf day will now be Friday 23rd October, and the Trivia night has been moved to December with a new date to be advised. Here's the details;

THE HIPPIES AGAIN in car 1970 are having their annual **Golf Day** at Springwood Country Club on Friday the 23rd October. This is a goooooood day, believe me! Here's the details;

WHERE: Springwood Country Club

WHEN: Friday 23rd October

GAME: Four person Ambrose

TIME: 9am for Registration and Breakfast

START: 10am Shotgun Start

PRICE: \$70 per player, includes Green Fees, Ball Comp and Champagne Breakfast

BOOKINGS: Ring one of the three Hippies to book your tickets;

- Lindsay 0407 516 888
- Brad 0410 468 136
- Stewart 0416 961 888

For a copy of their event flyer click [HERE](#) .

THE HIPPIES in car 1970 are having a **Trivia Night** at the Springwood Sports Club on a Saturday in December, date TBA. Be there at 6.30pm for a 7.30pm start. Meals are available at the club. The Trivia is conducted by Trivia specialist Jason Dean. Key points are;

PLACE: Springwood Sports Club

WHEN: Saturday December TBA

TIME: 6.30pm for a 7.30pm start

PRICE: \$25 per head - can do tables of 10

DRESS THEME: Hippies!!

NIBBLES: Provided on the tables (Meals for purchase at bistro)

EXTRAS: Raffles and prizes to be won

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BASHERS OVERSEAS PHOTOS

What! No entries this month?!?!

SPECIAL OFFERS FROM BRYDENS LAWYERS



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for all Variety Bashers

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- ✓ Criminal Law

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THAT'S IT - TIME TO GO!

That's it for me.

As always, please feel free to contact Sally or myself at any time if we can assist you in any way, in your endeavours, to join us on next year's ***Variety Brydens Lawyers Bungarribee to Bakers Creek Bash***. Remember, we are only a phone call – or email – away to help.

STUART TELFER

Motoring Events Manager - M 0425 277 673

MOTORING EVENTS COMMITTEE: Jack Cannons AM, Chairman. Peter Hebbes AM, Victor Sheil, Kevin Leahy OAM, Sally Ross, Russell Burns, Janet Kilazoglou and Stuart Telfer

CARS FOR SALE

Click **HERE** for Cars for Sale web page <https://www.variety.org.au/bash/cars-for-sale/>

The Bash office is constantly getting enquiries from new entrants about cars that are available for purchase. If you've got a car for sale, please forward the details to the office. If you've bought or sold one of these cars, also contact us. These are bought "as is" and have not in any way been viewed by the Bash Office and the Bash Office cannot be held responsible for any part of the transaction should one take place.

1964 EH Station Wagon. Sitting in my shed since I built Mk3. Hand built from ground up for use on Variety Bash. You've all seen it, heard it and possibly been overtaken by it at some time. Too many modifications and upgrades to list on here. Car has done a number of Bashes with all necessary repairs carried out each year. Extremely capable and reliable car. Engineered with full rego and 8-point roll cage. Can be readied for 2020 Bash on delivery. \$18 000. Contact me for any information. Don Ezzy 0419 252069. don@special-t.com.au



1971 Mercedes Benz 280 SE Registered to June 2020. Fully serviced and running well. Prize winning Dinosaur theme with costumes. Variety Bash-compliant and ready to enter. Equipment includes: 4.5L V8 Engine, roll cage, Bash plate, off-road tyres, raised suspension (bigger springs), bull bar, driving lights, Terratrip rally computer. Extra amp and external marine-grade speakers (not required but very cool), UHF CB Radio, fire extinguisher, dust lights, front and back tow bars, fuel and water canisters plus heaps of spares (wheels, tyres, starter motor and more) \$14,000. Contact Gavin on 0413 740 339 or gavinc@altis.com.au



1985 ZL Fairlane with LTD trim. Matching numbers Body work straight with minimal rust and excellent interior. Jellybean mags, 4 good tyres 80% plus 2 spares with new tyres on matching rims. Extractors, thermo fans, recon radiator, new water pump, alternator, factory air con, gas shocks and pads. 80 litre fuel tank, fully set up for bash with front/rear tow bars, sump guard and motor chains plus navigator panel, 2-way radio, lights and sirens. Just 138k's heaps comfortable and drives really well. All electrics work. On historic plates but can obtain pink slip. Done two bashes incident free and ready for many more. Also includes another complete parts car with 2nd set of jellybean mags and 300 Batman/Robin pieces to give to the kids. On historic plates but can obtain pink slip. Asking \$8500 ONO. Car is located in Maitland. Contact Stewart 0416 006 154 or Benny on 0427 729 550



"The DeLorean." It's with regret we put this unique car up for sale. All reasonable offers considered. Believe it or not it's not a genuine DeLorean, it's actually an 88 R31 Nissan skyline. This car was built to rally/bash!! It is an ex kidney rally car & highly modified for durability, reliability & safety! Features include: 10pt roll cage, Recaro driver's seat, Sparco 4 point harness for both seats, Bilstein shocks custom reinforced, Super reliable RB30 3.0L 6cl engine, Borg warner LSD, 5 speed manual gearbox, Brammps navigational system, Lights, amber & white, 2 Full sets of good rally tyres & wheels, 1 full set of mags & new road tyres, 8 months street rego, Lots and lots of spares, Lots of reinforced welding to chassis, None of the decorations are screwed into the panels. Turn the key & go it's totally ready, a great entry car for anyone looking to get involved!! \$5000 ono. Martin Mulholland 0410 748 705 or m.constructions@hotmail.com



VK Commodore Variety Bash car from South Australia is available. 3.3L 4 speed manual. Rebuilt carby. Dual battery setup. Really good condition and clean. Good tyres. Ready to go Bashing. \$9000 ONO. Any more questions call Matt on 0421157100.



1988 Ford Fairlane, 6-cylinder Bash car for sale. Only done one Bash. \$6,000. Ring Bluey Keevers on 0438 687 985



1978 HZ Statesman Deville 308 auto. Very comfortable to drive. \$9800. Location Broadford Victoria
Contact Pat 0418 588881. pat@arcp.com.au



1974 HQ 1 tonner 308. The Ute was used in the 2019 Variety NSW Bash. Standard NSW Rego to June 2020. Bash ready including skid plate. A reconditioned 308 has been fitted. Reconditioned 4 Speed M20 gearbox fitted in May this year. New carburettor. New Radiator. New HD Alternator. Front end has heaps of new components (Tie rod ends, Ball joints, Idler Arms, new bushes etc). Reconditioned Windscreen Wiper Motor and assembly. New brake lines and hoses. New brake pads. Leather seats. Comes with a full set of new Sunraysia rims with Light Duty Truck tyres in addition to some wide chromies. Steel tray is custom made. New door seals and many other new items including a new brake master cylinder. Call for further details or to arrange inspection. Car is stored in Newcastle. Price \$17,500. Allan (0411 536 626) or Warren (0412 410 933) Kentwell

Mercedes 1970. Owner retiring after Bashing and Trekking since 1986 (Bourke to Barossa Valley). Mercedes 1970, 250 Compact – manual and logbooks. This is a one owner family car, original condition, includes original 4 hub caps, has never had an accident, little to no rust, converted and strengthened for charity car rallies. This car has competed in 10 Treks, 2 Beyond Bitumen and has been very reliable mechanically. Car has been modified and serviced by Daniel and Frank Kleinig, 4 speed manual with full roll cage, three full harness' (2 front, one rear seat), lamb's wool seat covers, radio cassette player Brantz 2 tripmeter plus spare Terra Trip, spare cables etc, mud flaps, rear facing led light. Pearce Simpson UHF Radio, 2 spare wheels, spare radiator and lots of other spares, bearings, water hoses, distributor caps and rotors, shock absorbers, jerry cans, front light protectors and separate and fused



electrical circuits etc. Historic registration 85032H Expiry 6-8-2019. Price \$27,500 can move a little but not much. Ross Alexander 0417385406 /rosswalexander1@gmail.com

1979 VB Commodore, 202 Blue motor, Aussie 4 speed gearbox, registered on conditional plates. Successfully completed 2018 Newcastle Variety Bash. Lots of new parts replaced before the bash, 6 Brand new tyres, disc brakes all round, great body condition and comes with lots of spare parts. Extra second Commodore rolling shell for panels and 5 speed gear box included. Call Jordan after hours for more details 0408851128. Asking \$5,000 ono



1967 Chevrolet Impala. The iconic Bash Car 8888 is up for sale! The Tank is a 1967 Chevrolet Impala and Basher Brian McGuigan is seeking offers over \$20k. Contact Brian directly on 0418 493 486 to find out more.



1966 Volvo 120, Commodore V6 Engine, Supra 5 speed Manual, Disc Brakes all round, 90 litre alloy fuel tank, all modifications certified and RMS approved, Engle fridge, Bash Lights Sirens, front rear tow balls etc. Registered March 2020, Asking \$25,000 o.n.o Call Ray on 0418 213 320



1972 HQ Ute, 253 V8, Celica 5 speed gearbox. Bash ready previously set up for another charity bash. Fully engineered for modifications, ready for blue slip. Rally trip meter installed. Call Jordan after hours for more details 0408851128 Asking \$15,000



1965 Rambler Classic with a 308 Engine. I spent \$3,500 on it last year to have the undercarriage and gear box resealed, engine tuned and other odds and ends. It's a 3-seater with esky. You could install a 4th seat. \$6,500. Call Adam Leacy P: 4915 4018 or Mob 0421 613 160



1971 Holden HG Kingswood. Victorian Variety Bash car which we believe has done two Bashes (?). It comes with Bull Bar, Tow Bar, Larger Radiator, Roof Rack, Storage Box – lockable with jack, jumper leads etc., Fuel Storage box (hold 3 x 10 jerry cans), UHF 80 Channel, PA Speaker, CD Player, Spare Tyres x 2, Fire Extinguisher, Standard spare parts as required by Variety Victoria (housed in the spare wheel arch), Diff has been fully rebuilt, 4 speed manual transmission, ,Cargo barrier , New , Battery, Variety standard mods on the Motor. Asking price \$9,500. Contact: Chris Stevens or Catherine Oakley on 03 5342 6266.

