

# Association of Caravan Clubs Victoria and Their Members Inc.

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## State Rally

15<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> March 2024

**Kerang Holiday Park** 9399 Murray Valley Hwy, Kerang 03 5452 2232

Register your booking under ACCVic

Early Bird Prize

For all those members who book a site or cabin and register with ACCVic there will be the chance of winning one Early Bird Prize of \$120.00. To qualify you must book and register before the 21st of October 2023. The prize will be drawn at the AGM which will be held on the 28th of October 2023.

NB—As an Incorporated organization we are legally not permitted to pay club members, except to reimburse them for expenses, so the prize will be paid to the Kerang Caravan Park on the winner's behalf. So when you arrive on your powered site the three days will be paid for. If you are in a cabin the price will be reduced by \$120.00.

REGISTER FORMS ARE AVAILABLE HERE— https://accvic.org.au Tab: State Rallies

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Registration No-A0011643X

# ACCVic State Rally at Kerang Kerang Holiday Park

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## FRIDAY: BBQ AND ENTERTAINMENT NIGHT

The weekend commences with the Holiday Park hosting an evening dinner and entertainment.

Join in for a barbecue of sausages, burgers, onions, bread, salad and sauce. The association will be providing dessert.



The evening will continue on with a performer to entertain us for the evening.

A great night is anticipated to start the weekend.

## SATURDAY P.S. PYAP AND THE PIONEER SETTLEMENT

Experience a journey back in time

as we visit Swan Hill and embark on a delightful one-hour cruise on the Paddle Steamer Pyap along the Mighty Murray River. Sit back, relax, and savour the moment.

#### Lunch:

You can bring your own or purchase it at the Paragon Café situated inside the Swan Hill Pioneer Settlement.

## After the cruise

We have access to **<u>The Pioneer Settlement</u>**, where you can enjoy these must-see activities:

Take a complimentary ride on a horse-drawn carriage.

Capture a vintage memory at the Photographic Parlour.

Explore the 3D Mechanics Institution to see the Kaiser stethoscope, one of the last remaining in the world.

Discover a range of steel-wheel tractors.

Experience the heat as a blacksmith works at the forge.

Enjoy a complimentary ride in a beautifully restored 1920s Dodge.



## SATURDAY NIGHT IT'S TALENT NIGHT

#### FIND THE STAR WITHIN YOU.

Tonight, we have our talent night, we would like you to participate.

Dust off your musical instruments, practise those scales, brush up your favourite poem, get a group together for a skit or dance. Or maybe even a few dad jokes.

Come and join the fun.



#### SUNDAY BREAKFAST AND ST PATRICK'S DAY



After our big night, start the day with a leisurely breakfast provided by the association, enjoy tasty bacon and eggs or the continental option of cereal and fruit.

Fruit juice will also be provided.

## After lunch

we have lawn bowls organised by the park at the Kerang Bowling Club. Wear soft sole shoes, the bowls will be provided. Beginners will receive instruction from club members, while experienced players can form teams and get into the game.

For those not playing lawn bowls, a Croquet set is available at the park if you wish to play.

# Happy St. Patrick's Day!

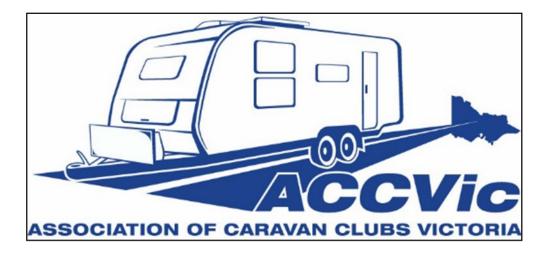
In the evening, Dress in your Irish greens if you wish, or come as you are. Relax and chat with new friends or old mates as we listen to Irish music in the background or dance if you like.



## **Monday Farewell**

The Rally finishes this morning.

After packing up your vans, gather in the function room to say farewells to new and old friends. BYO tea or coffee.



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Kerang Holiday Park

## 9399 Murray Valley Hwy, Kerang

#### 0473 637 548

Members are responsible for booking and payment of their site.

When booking: Please state you are registering with ACCVic.

Site fees per day- \$40 powered site.

Cabins prices on request

As soon as you have booked your site, please complete the registration form, available on the ACCVic website under State Rally 2024, then save the form as "your name" and email it to Stella at registrar@accvic.org.au.

We require attendee numbers by 25th January 2024 for booking tour and catering. Due to limited number of sites, it is recommended that you book early.

Please fill out your spending sheet and give it to Stella on Sunday during Happy hour.

<u>Thank you</u>

#### Friday 15th March

2:30 - 3:00pm Volunteers: Meeting at Marquee
3:00 - 4:00pm Registration: Marquee - <u>Payment in cash please</u> Registration \$5 per person (Children free for rally). Payment of \$45.50 per person, River Cruise, and entry to the Pioneer Settlement at Swan Hill (If 20 people attend we get a group booking of \$37.90 per person)
3:30 - 4:30pm Club Presidents/Representatives Meeting: Function Room 1-2 members from each Caravan Club a chance to exchange ideas.
4:30 - 5:50pm Happy Hour: Snacks provided BYO drinks. Welcome: From ACCVic President Weekend program: Stella Breese

**6**:30 pm BBQ dinner and Entertainment Function Room and Al Fresco area. (Provided by Park)

#### Saturday 16th March

9:00am	Leave for River Cruise to Swan Hill
10:15am	Boarding the PS Pyap for a 1hr River Cruise
11:30pm	Pioneer Settlement wander and leave at your leisure.
4:30pm	Happy Hour: BYO at the Function Room
6:30pm	BYO dinner together Function Room
7:30pm	Talent Night

#### Sunday 17th March Happy St Patricks Day

9:30 am -11ai	m Hot or Continental Breakfast provided by ACCVic
	Group Photo – Bring your Club flag and wear your uniform for the photo
	Tea/ Coffee provided (by the Park).
1:30pm	Lawn Bowls at Kerang Bowling Club (Free provided by park) or
2:00pm	Croquet at the Caravan Park
4:30pm	Happy Hour: BYO at the Function Room
	Please fill out your Spending Sheets give it to Stella.
6:30pm	Dinner: BYO dinner at the Al Fresco area.
7:30pm	Come and join us for a relaxing evening and celebrate St. Patrick's Day.

#### Monday 28th March

8:30 Morning Tea BYO at Function Room

#### **Pet Friendly**

As the Kerang Holiday Park is pet friendly. Pets are welcome to come with you. Some rules will apply to the rally. There is also a dog run at the park.

Pets are not permitted to attend any activities that involve food or large groups of people.

Please abide by the parks rules with having a pet.

#### Things To Do

#### <u>Coffee</u>

The Best, and only Bakery in Kerang is Gray's Bakery at 39 Scoresby Street Kerang.

Boo's Place Café and Provedore, 12 Willakool Drive, Lake Boga. Open Sunday Ph. 0418 959 688

#### <u>Walks</u>

Self-guided tour of the town's impressive architecture.

#### **Attractions**

Flying Boat Museum – Lake Boga

The area has about 50 lakes swamps and Lagoons stretching from Kerrang to Lake Boga.

Kerang Lakes and Ibis Rookery are about 11 kilometres north of Kerang which has a large bird hide for those interested in seeing and/or photographing these birds.

Gordon Drive runs along the western shore of Kangaroo Lake is lined with Jacaranda trees and citrus orchards.

#### Thank you for joining us, see you again.