

The Annual Goulburn Indian Run 2012

Friday night at the RSL saw the usual group; we met for a few welcoming ales and a meal to catch up the news of the new year. We woke Saturday morning to overcast conditions and misty rain; this did not stop us though. After assembling at the Mobile service station the run headed for Taralga for a smoko stop, Crookwell for a fuel stop, then proceeding to Grabben Gullen for a charity lunch meal at the pub.

After this we all returned to Goulburn and some of the group took a stroll down to the swap meet to see what treasures could be found. Other club members travelled out to Wakefield Park to check out the historical racing events.

Saturday evening we all met at the steakhouse restaurant at the motel enjoying food, raffles and camaraderie. The rally was in aid of a young local cancer sufferer and for the weekend some \$800 was raised to support this cause.

An early start Sunday morning then off to the bike only swap meet. A large crowd mingled through the bike rust and bike parts; not a lot of Indian pieces but Victorian member Chris Knoop had a few good odds and ends to sell.

The historic racing events started at 1pm for anyone wishing to attend. There were plenty of vintage racing cars including Bugatti, MGs, Vauxhall. The bike section had a good roll up aswell; side cars, one mini powered Morgan, and bikes including Triumph, VSA, Vellolette and three sports Scout Indians and one Harley Davidson.

All in all a good weekend had by many; the event getting bigger and better each year. IRA members attending Chris Knoop, Leo Clasen (741 Indian), Mark Cook (741 Indian), Robert Gosper (1953 Chief).