

Powering Out of the Past - Cruising into the Future

Smouldering Embers



Indians to the Indians?

Indian parent company Polaris has signed an agreement for a US\$50 million joint venture with Indian company Eicher which owns, among other things, Royal Enfield Motorcycles. It includes opening a manufacturing plant.

Given the opportunity for creative headlines, we'd love to think it's to assemble and sell Indian Motorcycles to the...err...Indians! However, both companies have very broad transport portfolios and this seems unlikely.

Unfortunately the joint statement from the two companies (read it online here) isn't much help.

Big meeting on the 31st (tomorrow!)

The regular end-of-month meeting on July 31 is also our AGM. It will be a great chance to catch up. Last meeting's minutes are on the final page. See you at Highway 31, 743 Sydney Rd, Brunswick.





Rally time

Time to flush the oil and charge that battery, it's rally time - or will be soon. First up is our WInter Harold Parsons Run, in Gippsland on August 18-19. There is some great riding in the area and we'll be making the most of it.

Next up is the Crazy Horse Rally (that's the good chief pictured above) in Corryong, near the NSW border. This was a big success last year and will be on over the Melbourne Cup weekend (Nov 3-6). The entry forms to both are loaded in with this mail.

Romance in the air

We're seriously considering giving up merchandise and events and starting up the Iron Indian Match-making Agency. Outgoing Prez John Smith is the latest to get engaged, to partner Tesha Lidden.

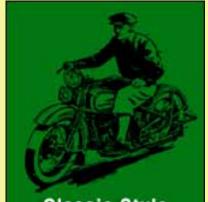
This follows the engagement of Stevie Higginbotham and Chrissy Henshaw, plus the marriage of Mark Berthelmie and Sandy.



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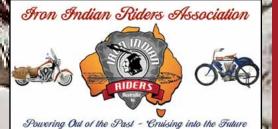
IRON INDIAN RIDERS PRESENT

CRAZY HORSE

RALLY CORRYONG, VIC NOV 3-6, 2012

SEE IRONINDIAN .COM.AU (EVENTS SECTION) FOR ALL INDIANS 1901-2012

FOR ALL AMERICAN BIKES 1900-1958





The Iron Indian Rider's Association Inc.

Crazy Horse Rally Entry Form

November 3rd- 6th 2012 (Melbourne Cup Week-end)

For all Indian motorcycles 1901-2012 and all American motorcycles 1900-1958

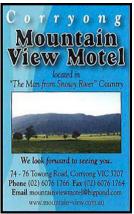
Entrants Name

Address	
Phone NoMobile	
Machine Make Year Capacity Year	Rego No
Entry Fee (with Indian Rally pack) @ \$35.00 Bike and Rider	\$
Cooked Breakfast @ \$16.00 a day per head x 3	\$
Lunch, Steak sandwich or Burger with a drink/s @ own cost	Cudgewa Hotel (\$20)
Sunday Presentation Dinner@ \$20.00 a head	\$
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Please accept my entry into the Iron Indian Rider's Association Inc. *Crazy Horse Rally* on November 3-6th 2012 and I agree to the terms and conditions of entry. Entries close 08/08/2012 for meals $C \circ r/r \circ y \circ n g$

I enclose a cheque/money order for \$.....

Send Entry Form together with fees to: IIRA Treasurer P.O Box 2264 Werribee Vic 3030



For Rally Accommodation

Please call Fiona (02) 60761766

Indemnity Statement: I undertake not to hold the Iron Indian Riders of Australia Inc. or any of its representatives or sponsors responsible for any damage or theft of machinery or possessions or any bodily injuries sustained during the course of the rally. I also declare that I am the holder of a current motorcycles license and that the motorcycle I will be riding in the rally will be RTA or VIC roads registered or Club Plate registered. I understand that the rally organisers reserve the right to prevent motorcycles not complying with the above from participating in the rides.

Entrant Signature_



Entry Form HAROLD PARSONS WINTER RALLY

The Iron Indian Rider's Association Inc.

For all motorcycles 1900 –1970 and Indian motorcycles 1903 – 2012.

August 18-19th- 2012

Entrants Name		
Address	•••••	
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Phone No.	Mob	ile no. ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
Machine Make		Capacity
Year	•••••	Rego No

Entry fee @ \$25.00 Bike and Rider \$.....

Please accept my entry to the Iron Indian Rider's Association Inc *Harold Parsons Winter Rally* on August 18 – 19th 2012.

I enclose a cheque/money order for \$.....

I am a bona fide owner of the above entered motorcycle/ outfit and agree this entry shall be subject to the rules and by-laws of the Iron Indian Rider's Association Inc.

Declaration

The owner of the motorcycle or outfit entered and the rider thereof and passengers whilst participating in the event shall do so on the condition that they shall have no claim whatsoever against the Iron Indian Rider's Association Inc. or the committee thereof or the sponsors of the event or their respective officials, servants or agents for any personal injuries or damage to the vehicle entered whether or not the same shall be caused by or contributed to by any act or omission or negligence on the part of the Iron Indian Rider's Association Inc or the committee thereof or the sponsors of the event or any of the respected officials, servants or agents. Any conditions not governed by the regulations of the event will be adjudicated upon by the Association committee and /or the event organisers whose decision shall be final.

Special Conditions

All motorcycles must be roadworthy or on either red plate/ historic registration or fully road registered and all riders must be the holder of a current motorcycle rider's licence.

I agree to wear a fully approved helmet at all times whilst riding in the event.

I agree to abide by the regulations of the event and all the instructions of the Club Committee and Marshals, and all road and traffic laws including speed limits, bylaws and regulations and to show due courtesy to all users of the roads.

I acknowledge that I am bound by all the conditions of this entry form and that all the information supplied by me here on is true and correct.

SIGNATURE OF ENTRANT	
DATE	
WITNESS	

Note: All forms MUST be signed and witnessed.



Entry Form

The Iron Indian Rider's Association Inc.

General Information

This is a self-marshalling rally and riders immediately behind the lead rider will be expected to marshal as directed. (post 1935)

A back-up trailer will be provided.

All meals payable by enterant

All cheques to be made payable to:

Iron Indian Rider's Association Inc.

Please retain this information sheet.

Send Entry Form together with fees to :

Association Secretary

Peter Kime

P.O. Box 2264

Werribee 3030

Accommodation:

Stratford Motel (03) 5145 6500

26 Tylers st Stratford Vic 3862

Please quote the Iron Indian Riders Association Inc.

IRON INDIAN RIDERS ASSCOCIATION AGENDA 26/6/2012 START TIME: 8.45 pm

APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE: John S, Craig Gillingham, Chris Horne, Phil White, Phil K

VISITORS/GUESTS: Wayne

1/ <u>MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING</u> ARE AVAILABLE TO VIEW IF REQUIRED. CAN I HAVE A PROPOSER AND SECONDER FOR THE MINUTES? Taken as read PROPOSER Chris Knopp 2nd Chrissy H

2/ BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS:

COMMITTEE MEETING: HELD ON SUMMARY OF DISCUSSIONS .

TREASURER REPORT: OVER TO PETER We have \$8000.00 and 84 members with a new member Jack Stroed from Point Cook

WEBMASTER REPORT: OVER TO PHIL There has been no change to the site Hits: 115 456

INWARD CORRESPONDANCE: IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO VIEW PLEASE ASK A COMMITTEE MEMBER .

Corryong Historic Machinery Club

Port Royal Albert in Williamstown Douglas Parade

Nominaton forms are available online to stand for Committee Positions **RALLIES, RIDES AND RIDE REPORTS:**

LAST MONTHS RIDE: REPORTED ON WEBSITE. Ian Rhook to report on this months ride to Donnybrooke. Everyone enjoyed themselves unfortunately Sammy had an accident leaving Ian place. Sammy has been in hospital since with a broken leg but he is doing well and is now back in the Royal Melbourne.

AUGUST 18/19th is the Stratford Ride if you are going please make sure you have booked in at the Stratford Motel

We are looking at doing Tassie run in 2013/2014 1-2 Jan to 2-14 Jan PLEASE think about this as we need an expression if interest and a deposit is necessary

CLUB MERCHANDISE:

New Polos are in - \$30.00; Sweat Shirt - \$50.00 (large Logo on back is optional and costs a bit more);

Hoodie - \$60.00 (logo optional); Hats have been ordered.

GUEST SPEAKER: Chris Knopp gave a talk on the progress with his bike for the Cannonball Run in the USA

ANY OTHER GENERAL BUSINESS:

Chrissy gave a report on Christmas in July it will be held at the Garage Classis Café in Williamstown. Turkey, Beef

Vegetables Pudding Pav and Plum Pudding Cream Custard . It is BYO

CLUBMAN AWARD

Club award the previous years holder will receive an Indian Bike on a Stand which Steve H is making for us.

NEXT MEETING: AGM 31 JULY 2012