



NUDVAN NAVIGATOR



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Message from the President



Hi to you all

I would like to thank the committee for the work they have done throughout the year. Thanks Bryan & Ruth for doing the safari rally. We have 56 members and The A G M was very poorly attended with only 20 people there. Thank you Brian & Leah for coming on the committee. I hope we see more of you people throughout the year. If anyone knows of site that would be all right to hold a rally please let us know.

Pauline

Notes from the AGM

Officers elected

President:	Pauline
Vice President:	Bryan
Secretary:	Christine
Treasurer:	Neil
Committee:	Alison Brian John B Jan Leah

Much of the discussion was on future rallies, where, when, and cost to members. Where possible members would prefer freedom camping. Being self-contained we do not need the facilities offered at pay camp-sites, and would prefer somewhere with a little privacy. The committee are definitely open to suggestions from members, and offers to host or manage a rally.

Some considerations raised were noted and are included. Please accept these as work in progress. As always the first copy is a starting point, and should not be considered to be definitive or final.

New Members

We did have two new members joining Nudvan, to which we can only say:-



Thoughts for consideration when planning a Rally

This does not tell you how to do it! It is just a few thoughts gleaned from members that they thought useful to help your planning. Both Safari and Static rallies will include many and/or all of these. There's no single plan just a suggestion of structure to make it easier. The changing demographic of members may mean that some of you have not been on one of our rallies, so do join in one when you can and enjoy the rally experience, This list is by no means comprehensive, so feel free to your own considerations to it. Your committee can also assist you from their experience and by getting the news out to everyone else.

Dump stations en route.
Use of GPS, Google maps etc
(GPS coordinates enable us all to arrive at the same point).
\$\$ Camping fees and other costs
Access....size of vans is variable
Supplies:-..shopping, petrol, water etc.
Safety/Security
Start and finish points
NZMCA parks and POPS. Not all Nudvan members are NZMCA members this may restrict who can go.
Activities:- walks, games ,local visits etc.

Enjoy the considerations and the gatherings will take care of themselves,

Pauline and other committee members have been out and about looking at some new sites for future Rallies. One that was suggested by one of our new members looks excellent. It would be very different to previous locations, and available at a minimal cost. Complete with toilets and a room where we can meet. More later!

Upcoming Events

We have no Winter Rallies planned!
November 2014 Christmas Dinner (we will probably hold it at Counties)

Do you have any stories, adventures etc. preferably with a photo or two, that you would like to share with member in Navigator? If so please send them. ☺

Email John Bowers – Navigator Editor at gonatural@xtra.co.nz

December 2014 – January 2015 NZNF National Rally at Hawkes Bay Nudist Club.

February 2015 Hot Pools Safari. No long days driving and mostly or all freedom camping.

Not a good place to Freedom Camp



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