



# **Devonport 4WD Club Newsletter**

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Hi folks,

This month sees a slight change to the format of the newsletter, and Angus has handed the reins over to me for a little while.

Glenn, Lyndon and the Tassie Challenge team have put in a monster effort for the upcoming event, so make sure you get your entries in as soon as possible. It is a day/night event, and should be action packed.

If you haven't already done so, grab a copy of this month's 4WD Monthly magazine (Issue 106). It contains a copy of a fantastic DVD featuring the chainsaw wielding Brian, log rolling Cossie, and the winch king Pete in his unstoppable 100 series. Roothy and Glenn asked for hard trip, and they got it!!!

Phil will be running the chainsaw course at Pete Holmans bush block on the 12<sup>th</sup> of May. At the time of printing, the cost to members was still unclear, so give Phil a call and he'll fill you in.

Creely and Bott are running a trip around the Magnet Mine area as a day trip on June 24<sup>th</sup>. Some members of the No Limits club in Hobart may also be making the trip up north to join us.

Cheers – Jarrod

## **Up Coming Events**

### **This Month:**

12<sup>th</sup> - Chainsaw ticket

26<sup>th</sup> – North West Off Road Tassie Challenge

### **Next Month:**

24<sup>th</sup> – Magnet Mine trip

### **Future:**

14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> of July - Lake Ina / Circular Marsh

16<sup>th</sup> September - World Clean up Day. Our club will be doing our bit to clean up our area, so keep an eye out for dumped car bodies.

Braddon Club is organizing a trip into Lake Tomb in the near future, more info to come.



# Tassie Challenge

26<sup>th</sup> May 2006

Early bird entries close 12<sup>th</sup> May. At last count, 7 teams have entered, so hurry and get your entries in. If you need help finding a team mate, contact the crew, as others are looking also.

Pete and the team at North West Off Road have come on board as naming rights sponsor of the event, which is now known as the North West Off Road Tassie Challenge. Pete also had the banner on display at his Agfest site, which generated some interest and several entries.

Piranha Off Road Products have supplied some gear to be allocated as prizes. Along with support from the other great sponsors of the event, the prize pool is well worth competing for.

Glenn and Lyndon have set up a website, which will be the central hub for the Tassie Challenge. It also has an email address so you can contact the guys direct.

<http://www.tassiechallenge.com>

## **Just in time for the Tassie Challenge**

### **15 Ways to annoy your navigator / driver**

1. Sing the Batman theme repeatedly
2. Speak only in a "robot" voice.
3. Reply to everything they say with "that's what YOU think."
4. Forget the punchline to a long joke, but assure them it was really funny. Laugh to yourself for the next 15 minutes.
5. Invent nonsense computer jargon in conversations, and see if they play along to avoid looking dumb.
6. Finish all your sentences with the words "in accordance with the prophecy."
7. Drum on every available surface.
8. Spend the trip practicing just how slowly you can make a "croaking" noise.
9. Begin all your sentences with "ooh la la!"
10. Repeatedly say "Do you hear that?,,,,,,,,, Never mind, its gone now."
11. Deliberately hum songs that will remain lodged in their head.
12. While giving directions, occasionally bob your head like a parakeet.
13. Lie blatantly about trivial things such as the time of day.
14. Ask them mysterious questions, and then scribble their answers in a notebook. Mutter something about "psychological profiles."
15. Have conversations on the UHF with your invisible friend.

### **This month's useless fact**

The temperature of a fart at time of creation is 37 degrees Celsius.

## **For Sale**

### **1990 Hilux SR5 Dual Cab**

Alloy Bullbar, ARB Rear Step, Alloy wheels Fiberglass Canopy, 32inch tyres.

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