Gawler & Districts 4WD Club Newsletter







Looks like a nice spot - we should go back there sometime

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WELCOME

to the Gawler & Districts 4WD Club

Previously known as "The Light Four Wheel Drive Club of SA Inc." this active 4WD club was founded in 2002. Members voted at the March 2008 meeting to change the club's name and meet at Gawler to give the club a more recognizable name and a more central meeting place.

It has become a very social club and has run many a successful day, weekend, long weekend and extended trips. We are a member of the Four Wheel Drive South Australia that incorporates the Driver Training Unit. Most meetings include a Guest Speaker and a monthly club newsletter.

If you are a visitor to tonight's meeting, we welcome you and your family to our club. Please ask as many questions as you want. You can join us on up to 3 club outings before becoming a member. Trip Leaders run each outing and will be glad to help you with tips on four-wheel driving and how to get the best from your vehicle. If you would like to join us on any trips and enjoy what 4WD can really bring, please fill out your details on our Trip Sheets.

The Club meets every second Friday in the month at 7.30 pm at the Gawler Elderly Centre Hall in Fourteenth Street, Gawler.

The meeting dates are shown on page 3 of this newsletter.

Annual membership fees are \$60 per vehicle/family, plus \$10 joining fee.



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SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS

	20	21	2022											
Meeting	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
General	12	10		11	4	8	13	3	8	12	9	14	11	9
Committee	3	1		2	30		4	29		3		5	2	
Committee				23			25			31			30	_

Public Holidays for 2022:

New Year's Day	Mon 03 Jan	Australia Day	Wed 26 Jan	Adelaide Cup	Mon 14 Mar
Good Friday	Fri 15 Apr	Easter Monday	Mon 18 Apr	Anzac Day	Mon 25 Apr
Queen's Birthday	Mon 13 Jun	Labour Day	Mon 03 Oct		

NOTE: DEADLINE TIME - All newsletter articles to the Editor before Committee Meeting date

Club committee meetings commence at 7:30pm on the scheduled Wednesday, on a rotating basis, held at various committee members' homes. All club members welcome.

NOTES FROM YOUR COMMITTEE

Presidents Report:

This meeting will be held at the Gawler Bowling Club, Victoria Terrace, Gawler at 7.30pm for a short meeting and then some social bowls, \$5.00 a head. Please bring a plate of supper. Please wear flat sole shoes or go bare foot. The bar will be open for drinks and tea and coffee is available to purchase. A Coach will be available to help with your game. It will be a great social night!

We have a few trips and events for 2022, if you have an outstanding "Trip Lotto" event to plan please consider scheduling soon so we can advertise it in the Newsletter and Website. Bob, myself or any of the Committee will be willing to help you.

Don't forget the Photo Competition is on again this year. You can submit any club outing photo from 2020 and 2021. The Open prize provided by Gawler Fishing and Outdoors and the People's Choice award is back. So get printing! *Entries at this November meeting please*.

[Quenton]

Editor's Report:

Hello everyone and welcome to the November edition of the Newsletter. What a year it's been, let's hope that 2022 finds us almost back to normal doing and going to the places we've been yearning for since the pandemic started.

As you know the AGM is fast approaching and nomination forms are included in this Newsletter for those wishing to nominate for a position on next year's committee.

Don't forget to bring along your Christmas hamper donations at this meeting and pass them onto Joann or Julie. Getting them in early give Jo and Julie time to put the hampers together. Thank you.

Anyone who would like to write an article, recipe or advertise in the Newsletter is always welcome to do so. Please pass them onto me at <u>allambee6@bigpond.com</u> or the Publisher for inclusion into the magazine. You can always nominate to lead a trip, just let a member of the committee know the details.

Finally, don't forget the Christmas trip to Wallaroo for the last weekend of the month. If you are bringing children along, please let Jo or Julie know so that they can send an invitation to Santa to make an appearance. Also please provide a gift for Santa to give to the child. All other details in the magazine.

That's it folks. See you next month.

[Sandra]



COMING EVENTS

Saturday 20th November, 2021 Movie Night

Trip Details: Gawler Cinema to see the latest Bond movie "No Time to Die"

Where: Gawler Cinema

Cost: Adult \$12.00 Concession \$10.00

Meet: Gawler Cinema

When: Session time will be advised closer to date

Trip Leader: Quenton Earl 0407 604 601

More InfoBond has left active service and is enjoying a tranquil life in Jamaica. His

peace is short-lived when his old friend Felix Leiter from the CIA turns up asking for help. The mission to rescue a kidnapped scientist turns out to be far more treacherous than expected, leading Bond onto the trail of a

mysterious villain armed with dangerous new technology.

27/28 November
2021

Trip Details: Annual Christmas Trip

Where: Wallaroo Holiday Park (previously known as Wallaroo North Beach Tourist Park), 1 Pamir Court, Wallaroo, SA 5556

Phone: (08) 8823 2531, website: www.wallarooholidaypark.com.au

for further details.

Cost: \$38 per night, extra adults \$12 and extra children \$7 per night

Meet: Please see details in the Newsletter.

When: Sat/Sun 27/28 November 2021

Trip Leader: Jo and Julie

More Info 10 sites have been provisionally booked, no club discount as the rates

are off peak for this weekend.

12th,13th,14th March, 2022	Laura weekend
Trip Details:	March long week-end - Visiting Laura and surrounds staying in the Laura Community Caravan Park.
Where:	Laura, South Australia
Cost:	\$30 /night Powered site \$110.00 /night (2 Adults) Ensuite Cabin Your cost at Hotel Sat night.
Meet:	Tarlee - 9.00am Saturday (Parking Bay just North of township)
When:	Sat/Sun/Mon 12th, 13th, 14th March, 2022
Trip Leader:	Quenton & Deb Earl 0407 604 601
More Info	Visiting Bridle 4WD Track, Beetaloo Valley, The Bluff Look-out road, Wirrabara Painted Silos, CocoLaura Chocolate shop, Golden North Icecream eating competition, Saturday night meal at North Laura Hotel. The township of Laura will be celebrating 150 years in 2022. Caravan Park Ph. 8663 2296 (Alison) Please book ASAP. www.laurasa.com.au

Sunday 3rd April, 2022	Outback Morning Tea - RFDS
Trip Details:	Morning Tea to socialise with fellow members over a hot cuppa & raise money for the Royal Flying Doctor Service
Where:	Bethany Reserve, Bethany
Cost:	Donation to RFDS at morning tea
	Your cost at bakery
Meet:	Gawler Visitor Information Centre 9.30am
	OR Bethany Reserve 10.00am
When:	Sunday 3rd April, 2022
Trip Leader:	Quenton & Deb Earl 0407 604 601
More Info	A get together to raise vital funds for the Flying Doctor over delicious baked goods & a freshly brewed pot of tea.
	B.Y.O tea or coffee & homemade morning tea to share. Afterwards a guided walking tour of Angaston main street followed by lunch at the bakery. Come dressed in your best Outback hat. Wear comfortable walking shoes.

May 2022	Witchelina, Farina and Outback SA Expressions of Interest
Trip Details:	We missed out in 2021, but are hoping to get to Witchelina and see some more of Outback SA
Where:	Witchelina and places east
Cost:	Will depend where we stay (camping, shearers quarters, etc)
Meet:	ТВА
When:	Farina bakery opens 1 May 2022. We want to avoid the June long weekend and the school holidays which start on 2 Jul. So,
	Depart Gawler around 9 May and return home 2-3 weeks later
Trip Leader:	Peter and Sandra, 04 1052 6317
More Info	More details will be provided as they mature. But, for now, please register your interest and preferred time frames

GUEST SPEAKERS

February 2022 - Andrew Ridge - Sir Hubert Wilkins

April 2022 - Wizbang Magic

We are always on the lookout for interesting speakers. If you know (or know of) someone, please let Quenton, or any other of the committee know.

MEMBERS NOTICE BOARD

Just a gentle reminder for those of you sending mail for Christmas, here are the cut-off dates supplied by Australia Post:

Sending to/from	Parcel Post	Express Post
Anywhere in Australia (except WA and NT)	13 December	20 December
WA and NT	8 December	15 December

CARDS AND LETTERS (REGULAR POST):

Same state: Monday 20 December

Interstate: Thursday 16 December

International Cut-off dates

International sending dates vary depending on destination and the chosen delivery service. Search by country on the Australia Post site for their recommended dates. PLEASE NOTE: International Christmas deliveries may be affected by factors beyond their control, like customs delays, overseas postal disruptions and Covid-19 restrictions in other cuntries. They recommend sending as early as you can.



PHOTO COMPETITIONS

This year we have two photo competitions running, the regular then Competion sponsored by Gawler Fishing and Outdoors and a Peoples' Chap sponsored by the club we are also combining years 2020 and 2021.

The PHOTO COMPETITION RULES:

- (a) Each member may enter up to four (4) photos
- (b) Photos should be a copy (not originals) Size 15cm x 10cm (6,4)
- (c) Photos must have been taken on a club trip during the last 10 nonths (Nov 2020 Nov 2021)
- (d) All photos must be labelled on the back with your name, when, the photo was taken
- (e) Entries to be handed to Quenton by close of November General meeting
- (f) Late entries will not be accepted

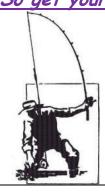
****Entries to be handed to Quenton by close of NOVEMBER

GENERAL MEETING***

*******Late entries will not be accepted. *******

So get your photos in!!!

The winning photo of the Open Competition will be selected by Gawler Fishing and Outdoors



The Peoples' Choice competition is Open (we won't have categories this year)

Cholle

GAWLER & DISTRICTS 4WD CLUB



Stickers For Sale – Only \$2.00 each
New design stickers complete with Web address
- \$3.50 each

Magnetic Name Badges - \$12.50each

See Quenton at the General Meeting

*** Please note there has been a change of price for the Magnetic Name Badges, they are now \$12.50 each***

GAWLER AND DISTRICTS 4WD WEB SITE

Have you checked out our web site lately?

www.gawler4wd.com.au

Details of when meetings are to be held, what trips and events are coming up along with useful links to lots of 4WD resources are included. Read about the latest trip report or view our photo library. Of course, you can download one of our newsletters (back to Aug 2009) including our special 10th year anniversary versions.





Check our FAC

EBOOK link as well. www.facebook.com/GawlerandDistricts4WDClub



TRIP REPORT COMPETITION

Yes, It's on again....

The committee has once again, decided to continue with the Trip Report competition this year to reward those who submit a Trip Report throughout the

year!

It does not matter whether the report is long or short, serious or funny, whether you have written one or more, your name will go in the "hat" for each report that is written and we already have our first for the year from 2020. Hopefully, 2021 will see a few more as we tick off the trips.

The lucky Winner will be drawn out of the collection of names at the end of the year either at the Christmas Show BBQ or at the AGM.

So the more reports you write the better your chances of winning!

There will be another Amazing Prize

so please keep-on writing!!!

RAFFLE ROSTER

We ask if all members could kindly donate an item for a raffle prize each month to an approx.value of \$15. Please check below to see if your name is on the roster. Without these regular contributions, the raffle would be unable to go ahead each month. To make it fair and equitable to everyone participating in the raffle, please use the \$15 as a guide.

Donations can be given to the Social Committee (Joann Wuttke or Julie Sieben) any time.

November 2021	December 2021	February 2022
Martin	Lyn Li	Bronte and Norma
Max and Lyn	Bob and Cindy	Roy and Bronwyn

WHERE AM I?



Answer on Page 17.

BIRTHDAY WISHES

Gawler and Districts 4WD Club wishes to extend a Happy Birthday greeting to the following members and family:





TRIP REPORT

Mystery Observation Trip – 3 October 2021



We set out from Gawler one by one. It was raining and it didn't look promising that the sun would ever come out. As we tried to get our heads around the multiple pages of instructions we did wonder if there were any tricks like, read ahead. Was this achievable without a divorce? Where on earth would we end up? I for one didn't even give the fruit we were carrying a thought until we saw the fruit fly signs. At least one of our number though didn't see the back of the first page where all the bonus points were. Whoopsy!

Bumnuts at Williamstown had the server look at me askance (we were the first car in) and no, Lyn, bumnuts don't come with jam and cream. Some local dog walkers were hijacked several times before retreating to their home away from the mad crowds wanting pictures. Thru Mt Pleasant and Eden valley, absolutely gorgeous at this time of year. The clouds were clearing as we did bitumen and dirt, scanning for answers.

The rain cleared once we were through the hills and the sun was lovely. Also made climbing in and out of the car more agreeable. But by now the wind was coming up. After a twist of the tongue that needed to be recorded (hard to hear because of the wind!) we headed for Sedan. What wonderful scenery as we descended into the valley. Frogs and riddles from the deli and some shelter in the hall for morning tea. The wind by now had really picked up.

To the river! Thanks to Ferryman Saul then a stop at the cemetery for some more answers. Galga and Bakara ... never heard of them ... but we went there anyway just to see. The little blue sign, the big black tyres, was the VW white or grey?? Lots of little things to gather.

Don't miss the Minion! Across the river again at Walker Flat, thanks Troy. By now the wind was gale-force but Sandra and Wayne's resourcefulness had us sheltering at the hall on the riverbank.

So now we get all the answers, the VW was white, the truck red and the chairs blue (we missed that one). Winners of the day: Julie & Chris with 67. Bumnut winners: Frank and Cathy. Chicken Dance: Julie and Chris again. We had stopped at Nildottie in the playground so we could do our videos without anyone seeing us, but for the strange looks from the gentleman who was coming out of the toilet that saw us shake our tail-feathers. The winning trophy of indeterminate value and extraordinary artistic expertise now sits perfectly with a pair of our equally beautiful wooden salt and pepper shakers, just like a little family.



Figure 1 - Chicken Dance Trophy

Thanks Sandra and Wayne for an excellent day out. A little unusual and absolutely great fun.

[Julie]

FOR SALE

Have you got anything you would like to sell? List it here for free!!

FREE MEMBER'S "FOR SALE" ADVERTISING



Members can submit requests for a "FOR SALE" ad, free of charge, but there are some guidelines:

- (a) Maximum of 6 lines per ad (similar to a typical local newspaper ad)
- (b) Adverts can only appear for a maximum of 3 consecutive months
- (c) Must supply contact details (either a phone or email)
- (d) Editor reserves rights to reject and/or tailor any submitted adverts.

Please send full details to our editor editor@gawler4wd.com.au for inclusion in our next newsletter providing it arrives BEFORE the newsletter deadline! (See page 3)

SPONSOR ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS



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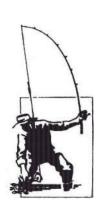
Gawler Fishing & Outdoors

48 Murray St Gawler SA 5118 Phone 08 8522 6200

fishnout@bigpond.net.au

Club Discount with **club card** applies to all non-special items

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CHRISTMAS TRIP 2021

DATE: 27/28 November 2021 WHERE: Wallaroo Holiday Park

1 Pamir Court, Wallaroo Phone: (08 8823 253

Website: www.wallarooholidaypark.com.au

Cost: 38 pp per night
Extra adults \$12 pp and extra children \$7 pp per night

The Club will provide meat and dessert BYO salads

BYO drinks, chairs, crockery, cutlery, tables etc.

If children are going to be present, then Santa will make a visit. Please remember to bring along a present for each child.

Kris Kringle will make an appearance as in previous years so if you wish to participate in the fun, please provide a gift to the value of \$15.

Ten sites have been provisionally booked for Saturday night only, .If you wish to stay Friday night please book that at the same time. Dinner will be at the local pub on Friday night, please let Jo or Julie know if you wish to be included. There is no club discount at the park as the rates are off peak for this weekend.

Please speak to Jo or Julie for any further information and don't forget to add your name to the trip sheet and book your site with the park





RECIPE

In lieu of no recipes forthcoming, I found this one in Westprint Friday Five. I haven't tried it but the "recipe" and the story behind it follows, try it on your next extended trip.

Cooking in the camp oven - Bread and butter pudding.

What the recipe should have been:

Place following in a thick based casserole dish

Six slices bread spread with butter and apricot jam.

Half cup of sultanas

Beat 600mls milk with two eggs and 2 tablespoons sugar.

Pour over bread mix. Place casserole dish in a deep baking tray and fill baking tray with approx. 3cm water. Bake in the water bath in a moderate oven 40 mins or until golden brown. Serve with cream or ice-cream.

What the recipe actually was:

Part of a loaf of bread in danger of going stale/mouldy spread with margarine. Butter and jam are too messy when we are doing long days.

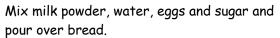
Milk powder, sugar, water.

Two eggs bought from a mailbox along the Oodnadatta Track. (\$10/dozen seems like a lot compared to a supermarket - but fresh eggs out bush? Well worth the spend!)

Leftover hiking snacks. Homemade mix of cranberries, almonds, pistachios, white indefinable buds. (These cannot be white chocolate as they don't melt, and if it was chocolate there would be no leftovers).

Note: If you have lollies in your trail mix make sure you eat these first. (There was one roque red frog in our mix).







Place into whatever baking dish/cake pan you have and then put in camp oven. Keep dish raised from the base of the oven if possible. Our square pan sits a couple of cm above the base of the oven (something about a square peg and round hole).



Place on coals and if your oven allows, place coals on top. Add hot coals on top after 20 mins. Cook about 30 mins and then check.



It is cooked when it is springy to touch. Take photo immediately as it looks amazing straight out of the oven but after 20 seconds deflates to resemble pic above.

Serve immediately.

In our case, in the bowls our in-laws refer to (lovingly I'm sure) as the cat's bowls. A red gooey mess probably means that you cooked a red frog. Scoop this part out. It doesn't taste good. Enjoy the leftovers cold for breakfast or reheat over the next night's campfire.



ANSWER TO "WHERE AM I?"

Appila Springs.

Near Appila Mid North South Australia.

Appila was once called Yarrowie. However because of other towns in the Mid North, like Tarcowie, Terowie, Caltowie, Willowie as well as Canowie Belt & Whyte Yarcowie Yarrowie's name created a lot of confusion and was changed to Appila-Yarrowie in February 1877. Eventually it became just Appila. Why so many Owie's? The name Owie is said to be adapted from an Local Aboriginal word for "Waterhole".

Appila Spring itself is a natural spring that was widely used in the late 1800's to water stock travelling to the Jamestown and Gladstone markets, and is home to many native species. It's the perfect spot for self-sufficient travellers seeking an amazing experience and who want to experience this secluded beauty for themselves. It is a tranquil spot that allows you to escape to a different world.

The camping ground is in a quiet nook accessible off Appila-Tarcowie Rd and has public toilets and a picnic area. Bring your own firewood, water and stove. Please note Camping is prohibited during the November-April fire-ban season. I have only seen the springs dry once in the summer of 2020.







Advertising Rates (12 months)		
Quarter Page	\$50	
Half Page	\$100	
Full Page	\$200	
One off Adve	ert : \$10	

Contact our editor <u>editor@gawler4wd.com.au</u> for details [Fees apply and payment has to be made prior to printing]

GENERAL INFORMATION

Following is a list of the TRIP LOTTO trips already undertaken as well as the names of those whose trips have yet to be nominated.

Roger Brennand - St. Kilda - 15 August 2021

Andrew & Tracey Granger - Left Club - to Whyalla

Peter Cusick & Joann Wuttke - Adelaide Gaol - 26 Oct 2019

Peter & Sandra Harper - Martinale Hall & Mintaro Maze - 17 Nov 2019

Stephen & Lisa Claughton - Benson Park - Jan 2020

Robert & Pauline Tonkin - Gawler Ranges - Easter 2021

Bronte & Norma Rivett -

Wayne & Sandra Heintze - Mystery Observation - 3 October 2021

Max & Lyn Leske -

John & Jane Jansen -

Brent & Keryn Wilkins -

FRIDAY FUNNIES:

Did I read that sign right?

- Toilet out of order. Please use floor below.
- In a laundromat: automatic washing machines: please remove all your clothes when the light goes out.
- In a London department store: bargain basement upstairs
- In an office: would the person who took the step ladder yesterday please bring it back or further steps will be taken.
- In an office: after tea break, staff should empty the teapot and stand upside down on the draining board.
- Outside a second-hand shop: we exchange anything bicycles, washing machines, etc. Why not bring your wife along and get a wonderful bargain?
- Notice in health food shop window: closed due to illness.
- Spotted in a safari park: Elephants, please stay in your car.
- Seen during a conference: for anyone who has children and doesn't know, there is a day care on the 1st floor.

- Notice in a farmer's field: the farmer allows walkers to cross the field for free, but the bull charges.
- Message on a leaflet: if you cannot read, this leaflet will tell you how to get lessons.
- On a repair shop door: we can repair anything. (please knock hard on the door the bell doesn't work.)

Late one night Jack takes a short cut through the cemetery. Hearing a tapping sound he becomes scared and quickens his pace. The tapping gets louder and Jack is now scared out of his wits. Then he notices a man chiselling a tombstone. "Thank goodness," Jack says to the man. "You gave me the fright of my life. Why are you working so late?" "They spelt my name wrong" was the reply!!

A survey of personnel executives at 200 of the Fortune 1,000 companies provided the following unbelievable but true examples of job applicant behaviour.

"The reason the candidate was taking so long to respond to a question became apparent when he began to snore."

"When I gave him my business card at the beginning of the interview, he immediately crumpled it and tossed it in the wastebasket."

"(The applicant) insisted on telling me that he wasn't afraid of hard work. But insisted on adding he was afraid of horses and didn't like jazz, modern art, or seafood."

"She actually showed up for an interview during the summer wearing a bathing suit. She said she didn't think I'd mind."

"He sat down opposite me, made himself comfortable, and proceeded to put his foot up on my desk."

"The interview had gone well, until he told me that he and his friends wore my company's clothing whenever they could. I had to tell him that we manufactured office products, not sportswear."

"(The applicant) applied for a customer service position, although, as he confided, he really wasn't a people person."

"Without asking if I minded, he casually lit a cigar and then tossed the match onto my carpetand couldn't understand why I was upset."

"On the phone, I had asked the candidate to bring his resume and a couple of references. He arrived with the resume and two people."









If you want to save money at Xmas, now's the perfect time to tell the kids that Santa didn't make it through the pandemic

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM)

NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS

2021 AGM

At meeting: Friday 10th December 2021

All positions except President and Secretary are up for re-election including:-Vice-President, Treasurer, Minute Secretary, Social Secretaries, Editor & Publisher, Property Officer/Librarian/Trips Co-ordinator, and Welcoming Officers etc

Please consider nominating yourself or someone else for a position within the Club. We need your continued help and valued input to keep our club active and progressive.

COMMITTEE MEMBER PORTFOLIOS

Position	Role
President/Public Officer: (Elected) Elected in Even Years - 2022	To Chair Committee & General Meetings. To be involved in the general administration of the club. To speak for and on behalf of the club. To welcome new Members.
Vice-President: (Elected) Elected in Odd Years – 2021	To stand in for the President should the need arise and to keep themselves familiar with the running of club business. To speak for and on behalf of the club
Secretary: (Elected) Elected in Even Years - 2022	To keep a record of incoming mail, answer any correspondence or respond to as required by the committee. Collate a summary of incoming and outgoing correspondence for meetings to be included in minutes from committee and general meetings.
Treasurer: (Elected) Elected in Odd Years - 2021	To keep a true and accurate record of all incoming and outgoing accounts and to pay all accounts approved by the club. To keep a record of all members. The books must be audited each year and a report is tabled and presented at the AGM.
Minutes Secretary: (Elected)	To keep a true and accurate record of all business discussed at Committee and General Meetings, and any other meetings called by the committee. Type up these minutes and email onto editor for insertion into newsletter each month. Email Committee Minutes to Committee Members.
Social Secretary/s: (Elected)	To organise a group of helpers for putting on all social functions. For organising and running all fund raising efforts within the club. To keep true and accurate financial records, to report at Committee and General Meetings on all of the above. Collect items to be raffled each month, have tea, coffee, cold drinks and supper ready for after the meeting. You are the welcoming face of the club as you are the first person the members and visitors see as they register and buy raffle tickets. This position is encouraged to be shared by 2 people.

Position	Role
Editor/Publisher: (Elected)	To collect material suitable for printing in the club newsletter including trip
	reports and photos and any information relevant to club activities,
	association business, and any other information to keep members informed
	on all matters relating to 4WDriving and our club. To organise advertising
	such as to compensate the production costs of producing the newsletter
	and upkeep costs of the Website. To organise typing, printing and uploading
	to Website of the newsletter. You can ask for volunteers help from the
	membership. Email out club Newsletter to all those on Email List before
	General Meeting and to other 4WD Clubs around the state.
Trips Co-ordinator: (Elected)	To keep a record of all information relating to any CLUB ORGANISED outing.
	To post any club trips in newsletter and let the members know at meetings,
	make sure all trips/ club outings are minuted, organise any trip that they so
	desire, but is not necessarily responsible for the running of all/any club
	trips. Help advise trip leaders on what information is required for a trip.
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4WDSA Delegate (Elected)	To represent the club at monthly association meetings and to report back to
	members all relevant information concerning club members.
Training Co-ordinator -	To organise training for club members, to keep records of all training
Elected)	activities and progress of all members participating.
Librarian/Property Officer:	To maintain Club's Books, Videos, DVD's, Maps, Magazines from other
(Elected)	clubs, general info and to retain 1 copy of each of our Club Newsletters for
	prosperity. Responsible for maintaining and storing all Club Property.
Committee Member/s:	To help and undertake responsibilities as decided by the club.
(Elected)	
Trip Leader:	Any member of the club can organise and run a Club Trip of their choice
	providing all aspects of trip and convoy regulations are strictly adhered to.
	(Refer to Club By-Laws)
Welcoming Officer/s:	To make welcome any potential new members which may come to the club
(Volunteers Appointed)	meetings as visitors. Answer any of their questions abo ut the club and offer
	some information about the club.

Want to join the committee and have a say in the running of **your** club? It's simple, just fill out the form below and pass to the President or Secretary.

Gawler and Districts 4WD Club Committee Nomination	
Nominee	
Signature Of Nominee	
Position:	
Nominated By:	