

# Hello and welcome: Thanks for being a part of this historic event for Indian Motorcycle enthusiasts from all parts of Australia. Some housekeeping

#### You agree to the following:

- You must be a fully licenced rider.
- Your bike must be registered and insured.
- Ensure your bike has enough fuel to travel the distance in parade. Approx. 40 kms
- Each bike and rider will only need to be registered. Pillions do not have to register, but can be in parade. The count is based on the number of bikes only
- The parade is single file and will go for approx. 22 k's each way at a low speed approx 30/40 ks per hour. You cannot stop during this time. Marshalls will be in attendance and it will be filmed for evidence to be submitted to Guinness World Records (if numbers are over current record, if not we will achieve the most in Southern Hemisphere and Australia.. however these are not GWR titles.
- There is to be no stopping or overtaking during this time.
- You must obey all road rules and event rules. Police will lead the way and speed.
- Please be patient during the gathering and parade as there will be a bit of fussing and waiting around.
- Pack water and snacks to keep you hydrated etc.
- Lion will have a BBQ breakfast in Penrose Park on the Saturday morning. The Indian Motorbike company will shout everyone a Bacon and egg roll plus a tea/coffee or water. vouchers will be in your gift packs collected on Friday

#### Check list:

- Register to attend by purchasing a ticket via Sticky Tickets link on website <u>www.theaussie-theindian.com</u> Registration is \$111 per bike.
- Tickets are non-refundable and non-transferable.
- If event is cancelled, tickets will be refunded.
- You must print out the tickets with bar code and bring with you to the event for scanning.
- Please DO NOT FORGET YOUR HARD COPY TICKET.
- This ticket will also be what you use to collect your packs. Please remember to print a hard copy and bring along.

#### Pack collection:

Packs can be collected Friday 8 May 2020 from 3pm at Broken Hill The Demo Club. Show your registration ticket and have your name marked off. Extra packs may be available to buy. Pending numbers this may be limited.

At **6pm on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May** is meet and greet and welcome drinks at The Demo Club till approx. 7.30pm. Free time to have meals at the numerous places in town or eat at Demo

Club. Please do not have a late night or drink too much as an early start in morning and possible breathalysers (police) in attendance.

#### **AFTER EVENT**

Registered Packs can also be collected after the event at The Silverton Pub from 12 noon. Show your registration ticket and have your name marked off. Extra packs will be available to buy pending availability.

#### OTHER:

Every bike and rider are responsible for their own accommodation, fuel, food and picking up their rubbish. We leave the town how we found it

This event is supporting, is "Gift Of Life" Organ Donation. Info will be in packs

WOULD BE AWESOME IF EVERYONE COULD WEAR THE SPECIAL EVENT T SHIRTS THAT ARE AVAIALABLE TO BUY ON LINE. BEFORE THE EVENT. ALLOW A COUPLE OF WEEKS FOR DELIVERY.

Link will be promoted on website. www.theaussie-theindian.com

Everybody is to smile all the time. It's a gigantic Indian love fest, so respect, respect and respect each other, no matter what the differences are.

**Accommodation:** You can camp, stay in dorms, look for Air B n B, stay in hotels, motels, pubs etc. Broken Hill has the most accommodation and is only 15 min away from Silverton. Silverton has limited.

**What to do on other times/days:** There is a stack of things to see. The Royal Flying Doctor service offers a guided tour of the museum. The Living Sculptures are impressive. Before you go, check in with Broken Hill Tourism and there will be heaps of ideas. Don't forget the practice run 11am Friday from Penrose Park.

I'm alone and would like to ride with someone. Check in with us and we can put you in touch with one of the many chiefs who are from all over Australia and who can tell you what and how they are getting there. Some are arranging groups to leave on certain dates and pick ups along the way.

**Are you putting on any entertainment:** The venues may . The entertainment is the Indian Motorbikes!

What do I get for my \$111 registration fee: A bag of goodies with patches, pins, leather arrow, pendants, stickers and for the first 300 to register a metal mug & Teaspoon with an Indian Logo. Plus more being added at time of writing. This fee also helps cover, public Liability, event insurances, traffic and police management, staff, wages and other costs for the event producer. Also a drink voucher and some finger food on Friday night at the meet and greet.

**When does Rego close**: The week before to help me organise various things. Prefer by end of March.

**How do I get an event T shirt, merch etc**: T-shirts, men and women's, hoodies, singlets, long sleeve T's and caps will be available to purchase on line – <a href="https://www.theaussie-theindoian.com">www.theaussie-theindoian.com</a>. The total amount includes posting. Please note: the cap is a vinyl logo only not embroidered, see picture.

I ride with a club and not everyone's on Indians, can we all come: Yes of course, but the non Indian bikes cannot be in the parade etc (Registered bikes will display a sticker and can be identified). Please note this is not a bike festival as such, there are no show and shines, raffles, stalls etc. Indian Motorcycle company will display at Silverton on the Saturday.

**Will Indian Motorcycle company be there:** The company is supporting this event with communication to the data base of riders and also the LIONs BBQ breaky Saturday morning at Penrose Park before parade.

Do you have to register, can Indian Riders turn up and enjoy the event still. Indian Riders who do not register cannot take part in the event (the official parade), as the registration forms part of the official count (evidence to be submitted). Plus, it would not be fair on all those who have paid for someone to show up without having contributed. This event has and is taking many long hours to organise and also a fair bit of cost upfront. The registration fee helps cover many things (regardless of whether the record is achieved). and to be fair everyone needs to chip in, which is why registration will be taken pretty late in the game, within reason.

I'm staying at Silverton and don't want to ride at night to Broken Hill on the Friday: see notes below in running order. Cab share and car pool .. If enough numbers maybe a bus will be hired.

Where is everyone staying, I want to stay with the group: Everyone is scattered all over Broken Hill and or Silverton, a mix of hotels, motels and camping. There is no preferred place etc. we all just come together Friday evening and Saturday morning.

#### **Running order:**

Various individuals and groups arriving various times during week.

#### Friday 8th May 2020:

**11am Silverton:** Practice run for anyone wanting to check things out. Any bike model can join us if you are travelling with non Indian riders.. Meet at Penrose Park at 10.00amd ready for 11am... ride out on parade route and back again. approx. one hour needed.

3pm: If Staying in Singleton...share cab rides to town and back, or reach out to locals etc...

**From 3pm till 6pm** at The Demo Club Broken Hill- pick up your registration pack of goodies. Please bring event ticket to have name checked off. Extra packs/stock will be available to buy also pending numbers.

**6pm** at The Demo Club Broken Hill - welcome meet and greet, welcome drinks, some finger food, a few speeches and any updates regarding the next days event happenings.

**7.30pm-** up to you if you want to continue on for drinks and meals. Please don't have a late one and watch alcohol as breath testing may happen in morning.

**8pm or so**: Cab/car pool/share back to Silverton for those staying out there.

# Saturday 9th May 2020:

**Lion** will set up sausage breakfast sizzle at Penrose Park and all registered riders will be shouted a breaky and dring curtesy of Indian Motorcycle Company. . However please come prepared this could be a bit fussy and patience and hydration is required. Once in the Park, you cannot leave the area and stay close to bikes. Have all bathroom needs done before you arrive if possible. :-)

**7am.** Those staying in Silverton commence gathering at Penrose Park

**8am:** Those staying in Broken Hill, start your journey into Silverton and head directly to Penrose Park, do not go into the actual town. This time of the morning will be safer and please don't leave earlier due to wildlife. Be alert and careful. Approx. 15 min from BH to Silvo. Penrose

Park will be a right turn approx. 1k BEFORE you enter the actual town. There will be road marshals stationed on road to direct you into the gathering area on oval.

**9.30am/10am** – Parade starts, single file out back towards Broken Hill back again into Penrose Park. Single file. Police will lead the way and set the speed. Older Indian models will lead parade.

**12 noon:** All ride into town (Silverton) for photo opportunities. The Silverton Pub will clear the front area of pub for us to park as many bikes as we can in front of the famous pub for a photo shoot. Pending numbers we may not all fit, however as many as we can. Plus riders with their bikes. This picture could become a global sensation!!!! Lunch at pub. Order and pay on day, there is a special menu and cooking area in beer garden.

Also anyone who hasn't picked up their rego packs can do so now and also what's left will be for sale.

#### Saturday arvo after event from 12 noon:

We have two official photographers (Locals Graeme Armstrong and Helen Murray) roaming the town taking pictures of bikes and people This may become a hard cover coffee table book. If you don't want to be on any social media posts, or in a book, or in media etc. Please avoid the cameras. This event may also be filmed for broadcast. Again, if you don't want to be seen, please avoid all cameras.

Have a wander around town and check out all the interesting spots. Heaps of great Kodak moments too! This is an iconic Aussie town and its fascinating stuff. Mad Max 2 museum, some amazing old buildings and a couple of Donkeys wandering around the place!

**3pm/4pm approx:** Those staying in Broken Hill should consider their journey back about this time to avoid any wild life.

### **Sunday 10th May 2020:**

**Mothers Day –** Hope you have taken the time out to treat any mums the week before so you can get a leave pass!. (This was the only weekend not conflicting with a larger event and still within reasonable weather)

ABC Radio and the local paper may be running a Mothers Day promo for a local mum to win a ride on the back of an Indian around town. More details to come. If you would like to help with that and take a lucky mum or grandmother for a quick spin around town, please let me know and I'll help arrange as we get closer. That would really be an amazing gift to someone.

#### News to hand:

On Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> May there is also a vintage car display happening in Broken Hill. This may be something you may want to check out after our event. This is not a conflict and our objectives are very different, as this car club showcase wants an audience to come along and while it will be nice for people to see us in Silverton, It's preferable that we keep this event as clear and focused as possible and not encourage too many visitors to come out, especially in the morning. It will be easier for everyone if the town is not overrun by tourists, as we have to block off the parade route for approx.. an hour, so the less non Indian riders there the better for us. However, after 12 noon I'm sure we will love to show off our bikes to the crowds!

#### Other requirements:

#### Please join up to the AMA.

It's free (or you can pay the \$15 one which inc personal insurance, however this is not compulsory) The reason I'm asking all registered folk to do this, is the event is now being held under the auspices of **The Australian Motorcycle Association**. This very much helps me with Public Liability and various Insurance event costs etc.

### It takes no time to do and again is FREE

You will find the updated posters also have the AMA logo and in fine print "An Event of the Australian Motorcyclist Association Inc". This is not for the benefit of the AMA, but to ensure there is no confusion as to whom is the liable party.

Please when you do join up, you will receive an electronic membership card/number. If you could print that up and attach to your registration ticket or simply make note of your membership number on your registration paperwork would be helpful.

Thanks in advance and sorry to hassle you with this. But it does help a lot and all goes towards ensuring this event is all well managed. Pillions can also join up if they wish. The membership is just for the year, so you can continue or not afterwards.

Here is link...

https://secure.roadrider.asn.au/join-roadrider

lots of info and registrations at <a href="https://www.theaussie-theindian.com">www.theaussie-theindian.com</a>

Any questions or comments or feedback: email Chris at chris@ckck.com.au







## Social media

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