## Events & Runs Apr - May 2019

For all rides, please be at the departure point 10-20 minutes early with a FULL TANK of GAS and an EMPTY BLADDER. Please be aware that rides may be cancelled/postponed due to inclement weather, also rides can change in this list. If you are unsure if the ride is taking place, please check on Facebook or phone the RIC or Rides Coordinator Johan Meyer 0275276300 before leaving home.

#### **RIDE GUIDE**

SHORT: 150Km's, MEDIUM: 150 - 300Km's, LONG: 300+Km's. XTRA/LONG: 500+Km's (Approx. return to start distances)

Each RIC will carry a Mobile Phone for emergencies. In an emergency use the number listed next to the relevant RIC.

Please be aware that this list can change at short notice due to inclement weather and RIC availability, best to keep an eye on the events list below and please check out ride status on Facebook on the morning of the ride before you leave home.

#### MID WEEK RIDE With CHARLIE - 022 345 9309

- Wednesday 24 April
- Departing Warehouse covered car park Albany
- Time: 10:30 AM



### SANDSPIT with JOHN PEARCE via Matakana - Medium - Anyone

The surrounding area, including Warkworth, Matakana, Leigh and several idyllic east coast beach coves, boasts a range of local attractions and activities.



- Sunday 28th April
- Departing Warehouse covered car park Albany
- Time: 10:00 AM
- RIC John Pearce 0212565416

#### MID WEEK RIDE With CHARLIE - 022 345 9309

- Wednesday 1st May
- Departing *Warehouse covered car park* Albany
- Time: 10:30 AM



#### **CLUB NIGHT & SOCIAL EVENING**

Let's all get together every 1st Thursday of the Month. Meals are available from 5.30pm and meeting starts at 7.00pm



• Pupuke Golf Club, 231 East Coast Road, Campbell's Bay

• Time: 05:30 PM - 09:00 PM



#### **TWISTS AND TURNS - Anyone**

Come and practice your low-speed skill where it is safe to do and fun with a fellow Ulyssean

RIC's: Andy Leader, 027 222 4180, Barry Holland; 021 753301 and John Heebink: 0211285806



- Saturday 4th May
- Kelston Girls College, Corner of Gt North Road & Archibald Road in Kelston.
- Time: 2pm to 4pm

### SHELLY BEACH CAFE' with NICK & CARL (TBC) - Short - Anyone

Nick and Carl will take us on a leisurely? Ride to the Shelly Beach Café this is a popular spot and I hear its under New Management.

- Sunday 5th May
- Departing *Warehouse covered car park* Albany
- Time: 10 AMRIC Nick / Carl



#### MID WEEK RIDE with CHARLIE - 022 345 9309

- Wednesday 8th May
- Departing Warehouse covered car park Albany
- Time: 10:30 AM



## **MOTHER'S DAY Coffee & Conversations - Short - Anyone**

A Special meeting place this time for all special people on this day ... Mothers day!

- Sunday 12th May
- Meet at Kings Plant Barn Silverdale Cafe
- Address: East Coast Road & Hibiscus Highway, Silverdale
- Meet onsite at 10 AM
- RIC Decide on the day



- Wednesday 15th May
- Departing Warehouse covered car park Albany
- Time: 10:30 AM



#### **BRANCH DINNER**

Let's get together. Please register with Wayne Painter. Every 3rd Wednesday of the month (5:30 onwards), Bar & kitchen.

- Wednesday 15th May
- Bar Africa, 1b William Pickering Dr, Rosedale
- Time: 5:30pm to 9pm



## Johan's Mystery Tour - Medium- Anyone comfortable with twisty roads

Let's get lost south of the bridge on some back roads ending up at a country Café

• Sunday 19th May

• Departing *Papakura BP* 

• Time: 10 AM

• RIC – Johan Meyer - 0275276300



#### MID WEEK RIDE with CHARLIE - 022 345 9309

- Wednesday 22nd May
- Departing *Warehouse covered car park* Albany
- Time: 10:30 AM



## **Coffee & Conversations - Short - Anyone**

Come by Bike or by Car! We decide where we will be heading on the day.

Sunday 26th May

Meet at: Ginger Crunch Cafe
Address: 2 Railway St, Helensville

• RIC: Decide on the day



#### MID WEEK RIDE with CHARLIE - 022 345 9309

Wednesday 29th May

• Departing Warehouse covered car park Albany

• Time: 10:30 AM



## **Coffee & Conversations - Short - Anyone**

Come by Bike or by Car! We decide where we will be heading on the day.

## Sunday 2nd June

- Meet at Palmers Westgate Cafe
- Address: Corner Maki Street and Northside Drive, Westgate
- Meet onsite at 10 AM
- RIC Decide on the day



Saturday 6 July

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## MID WINTER SOCIAL - WITH LIVE BAND "RAN FOR COVER" - North Shore Squash Club

This year we will be once again entertained by our Favorite local band called "Ran for Cover". They have a great range of music for listening, singing-a-long to and to dance the night away. Tickets will be available closer to the date. \$20 a head for the band and a feed! See you there.

Date: Sat 06 Jul 2019

Time: 07:30 PM - 11:00 PM

Sunday 27 October

## **POKER RUN (Branch Members Only)**

Poker Run a fun day out grab a card at each stop and have fun at the end. Start/Registration Pupuke Golf Club Rooms finish Bar Africa

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Date: Sun 27 Oct 2019 Time: 09:30 AM - 04:00 PM Sunday 3 November

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#### **THE RONNIE RUN 2019**

This is North Harbour Branches big fund raiser for the Year Please!!! Can ALL our members support this ride by turning up



and doing the ride or assisting with the ride and please buy a badge and a Tee shirt. The run leaves from Africa Bar in Albany at 10.30am on Sunday 10th November. Registration (offline) is from 9.00am and the riders briefing will take place at around 10.15am. The course will be from Africa Bar to Ronald McDonald House in Grafton Rd near the Auckland Hospital. There are awesome prizes for lucky raffle ticket holders and prize giving. Come and join us for a funtastic motorcycle ride and help raise funds for a much deserved charity, Ronald McDonald House charity.

Date: Sun 03 Nov 2019

Time: 09:00 AM - 01:00 PM

Sunday 10 November

#### WAIOMU BEACH CAFE with WAYNE

Wayne assures me they have the best seafood chowder on the planet so I'm up for the challenge. Departing Warehouse Covered Carpark 9.30am we will stop in at the Papakura Autobahn to pick up any riders. Wayne Painter is RIC: 027 289 1018

Date: Sun 10 Nov 2019

Time: 09:30 AM - 03:00 PM

Saturday 7 December

# CHRISTMAS SOCIAL - with LIVE BAND "RAN FOR COVER" - North Shore Squash Club

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Date: Sat 07 Dec 2019

Time: 07:30 PM - 11:00 PM

Wednesday 1 January 2020

#### MILK BAR RUN 2019

This is an annual event, and is a great way to bring in the New Year with a gentle cruise around Auckland when there is barely any traffic, possibly the only chance we will get to do this is early on the first day of the year. Have a laugh with your club mates, celebrate the fact the New Year is beginning without a hangover. Those of you who regularly come on this run, please note the later start time. Meet at the Quay Street McDonald's car-park MacDonald's Quay street at 09.00 am. RIC: John Heebink 0211285806

Date: Wed 01 Jan 2020

Time: 09:00 AM - 03:00 PM

The Rider in Charge (RIC) will be organizing the day. Contact them for details. All riders participating in a Ulysses Ride are expected to hold a current motorcycle license, wear suitable clothing, and to have a registered and warranted road-worthy motorcycle. They participate entirely at their own risk. The Organizers and/or the Ulysses Club are not responsible for participants' safety and all participants participate at their own risk. All participants are aware that they are traveling on open public roads and are responsible for their own safety and compliance with all road Rules and Laws.