

Omega Radio Club Inc

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News Letter

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New email address for Omega Events:

Don't forget our new email address (events.omegaradioclub@gmail.com) for emails regarding car rallies and other Omega events. If you are letting us know of your availability to attend a radio event such as a car rally or other activity like the coming visit to HMAS Castlemaine then this is the one to use

New Member:

Welcome to Pete VOC888 who has recently joined our club. Pete is a good friend of Peter 174 and also has considerable experience with car rallies so we look forward to Pete being a part of our on going car rally communications program.

2018 Rally Events:

Our next event will be the George Woods Rally on Saturday 17th March. We were advised by email that this rally had been cancelled so we went ahead and notified those attending that they would have a free weekend. At 9.30 am the following morning a phone call was received to say the event was back on again. Fortunately most on our list are still able to attend however at the time of writing we remain one member short. If anyone finds they are able to attend on the 17th March please contact Mike ASAP at events.omegaradioclub@gmail.com or by phone on 0428 516 219. One more person is all we need.

Other rallies already confirmed on our calendar are the Ada River Rally on Sunday 15th April, Nissan Nightmoves on Saturday 23rd June and Yarra Valley stages on Sunday 16th September. Please note these dates on your calendars and if you are able to attend please contact Len 124 at events.omegaradioclub@gmail.com

Member of the month:

At the time of writing no nominations have been received for member of the month this time.

Membership renewals:

Club membership renewals and Radio Licence contributions are due for payment by 31st March.

Members who have not had their membership renewed automatically should receive a renewal notice by email within the next few days. It will assist us greatly if payments could be made as soon as possible following receipt of your renewal notice. Don't forget, our VHF radio licences are all held by the club so to be covered by these licences you must be a current financial club member.

Name Badges:

This will be the final reminder on name badges. If you would like a badge and have not already ordered one, please do so at or before our next meeting which will be on Thursday 22nd March.

New radios available:

Barry 671 has been able to secure a quantity of pre loved radios for use by our members. Due to some limitations placed on us by the suppliers it will be necessary for these radios to remain in the ownership of the club. They will however be made available to members to use on an indefinite basis but those receiving them will need to agree to return the unit on request or when no longer required.

If you are in need of a replacement or indeed an extra radio please see Barry 671 at the next meeting or email the secretary at omega.radio.club@gmail.com.

HMAS Castlemaine Visit:

As previously advised our visit to the HMAS Castlemaine will be on Sunday 29th April. As you would have seen on the flyer we have made arrangements for a group to travel from Southbank (city) to Williamstown by ferry. To confirm our booking and secure a suitably discounted fare we must have your RSVP for the trip by 10th April or sooner. Don't delay, reply today...



Events Calendar—Club Diary

2018

March

Tuesday 6th	Committee meeting	at Bill 478's home.
Saturday 17th	George Woods Rally	Powelltown
Thursday 22nd	General Meeting	at the school
Saturday 31st	Membership renewals due	

April

Tuesday 3rd	Committee Meeting	at Alex 510's home
Tuesday 10th	Final date for ferry booking for Castlemaine visit	
Sunday 15th	Ada River Rally	Wesburn - Powelltown
Thursday 26th	General Meeting	at the school
Sunday 29th	HMAS Castlemaine visit	Williamstown

For Sale

Air Compressor Blackridge BRC 120 - 2.5HP motor

Standard 10 amp connection - 40 Lt. tank/ - Free Air Delivery (FAD) 120 Lt. per minute - 2 air outlets.

Uses include - Tyre Inflators, wheel nut 'rattlers', Blow Guns, Low Pressure Spray Guns etc.

Ideal for home use. 21 months old. Comes with manual. Can demonstrate working.

Price \$150.00.

Come, collect and get a FREE cuppa and bikkie!

Contact Charlie 341. on Ph: 0448 506 024



Contributions for eNews:

If you have anything you think would be of interest to members that could be included in eNews please send to us at omega.radio.club@gmail.com or contact Mike 220 or any committee member to make other arrangements.

Something to keep those grey cells active!

1. Johnny's mother had three children. The first child was named April. The second child was named May. What was the third child's name?
2. There is a clerk at the butcher shop, he is five feet ten inches tall and he wears size 13 sneakers. What does he weigh?
3. Before Mt. Everest was discovered, what was the highest mountain in the world?
4. How much dirt is there in a hole that measures two feet by three feet by four feet?
5. What word in the English Language is always spelled incorrectly?
6. Billy was born on in December 28th, yet his birthday is always in the summer. How is this possible?
7. In California, you can't take a picture of a man with a wooden leg. Why not?
8. What was the President of the U.S.A's Name in 1975?
9. If you were running a race, and you passed the person in 2nd place, what place would you be in now?
10. Which is correct to say, "The yolk of the egg are white" or "The yolk of the egg is white"?
11. If a farmer has 5 haystacks in one field and 4 haystacks in the other field, how many haystacks would he have if he combined them all in another field?

Answers next month.

Recently spotted in the secretary's local IGA. Reduced by how much?

