



SEQGC NEWSLETTER

JAN - MAY 2009

Members

The clubs flying weekends have been few with the February and March being washed out and April cancelled due to the ASRA Nationals been on at the same time. As many have no doubt heard, a number of members attended the Nationals with “mixed results”.



Gyro News

As many of you are aware the club put a proposal to ASRA to do the distribution of the Gyro News. We have now performed this task on 2 occasions and thanks go to those who have helped in this effort. Many hands make light and faster work.

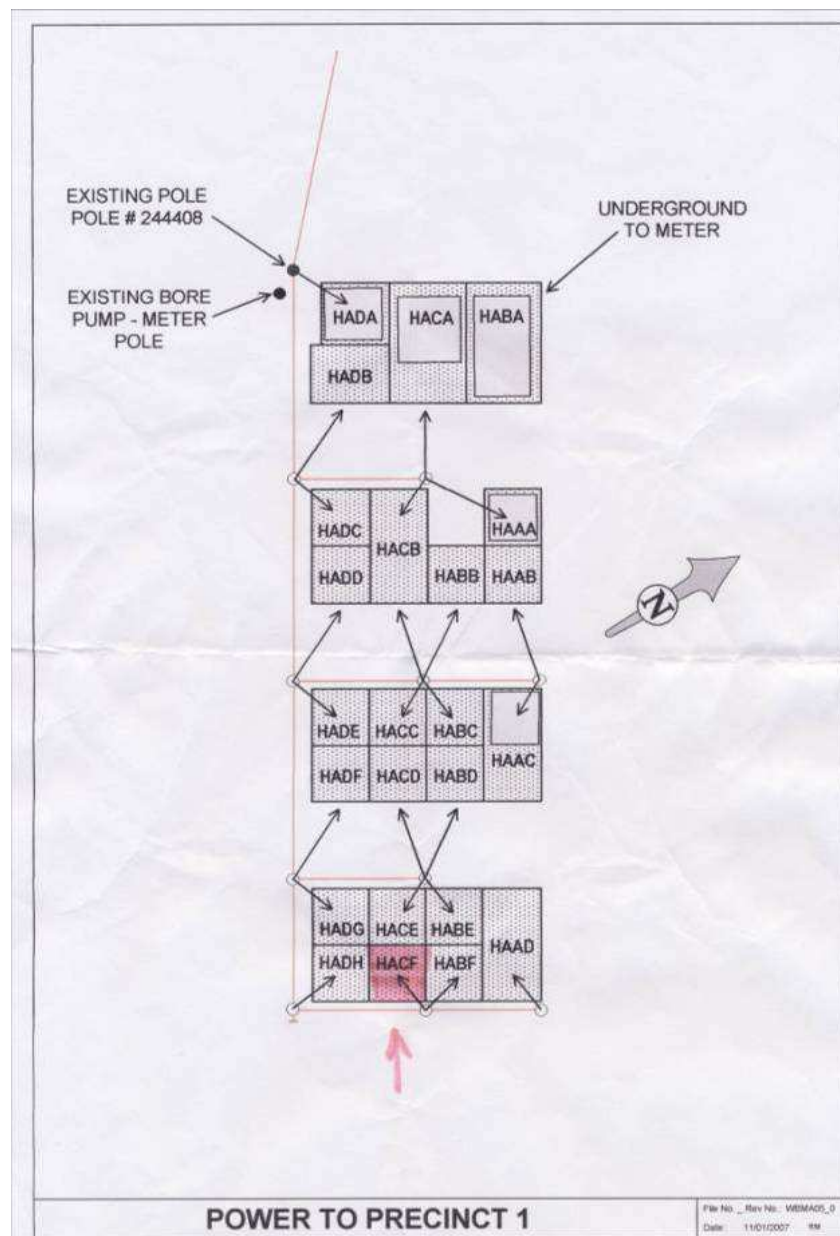


SEQGC Training Facility

We have been advised by the BOM of Watts Bridge that the erection of our training facility cannot go ahead with the roller doors in our design. The water board will not allow roller doors attached to any structure within the clubhouse area. If this had been in the Watts Bridge by-laws this would have saved everyone a great deal of time.

Following a meeting with some members of the BOM on Sunday, we have 2 options before us. We can develop our Training Facility without the roller doors or accept an offer to move to a new location in the hangar area.

The SEQGC AGM will be held at Watts Bridge on our flying weekend in July where further discussion over the options will take place. Following is the plan layout with the proposed new site highlighted in pink. The site is 20m x 20m and is aligned approximately with the windssock on the southern end of the main runway.



Burren Junction Reunion

As many are aware, the normal flying weekend in June is usually held over the long weekend. Over the last number of years members have attended the fly in at Raglan. This year we will be going to Burren Junction. It will likely be cold south of the border at this time of the year so make sure you have plenty of winter woollies. If you haven't already booked accommodation then you will no doubt be camping.

Burren Junction Reunion

A Gyro reunion will be held at Burren Junction NSW, on the 6/7/8 June 2009

Burren Junction has been an institution for many gyro pilots from the early 70s with many doing their training and first solo there. The airstrip is an unlicensed "ALA" with a smooth dirt runway and plenty of camping areas.

This will possibly be the largest gathering of gyros ever in OZ with early indications of around 50 or more aircraft over the weekend.

Anyone contemplating buying a machine this will be a good chance to inspect every type of gyro available.

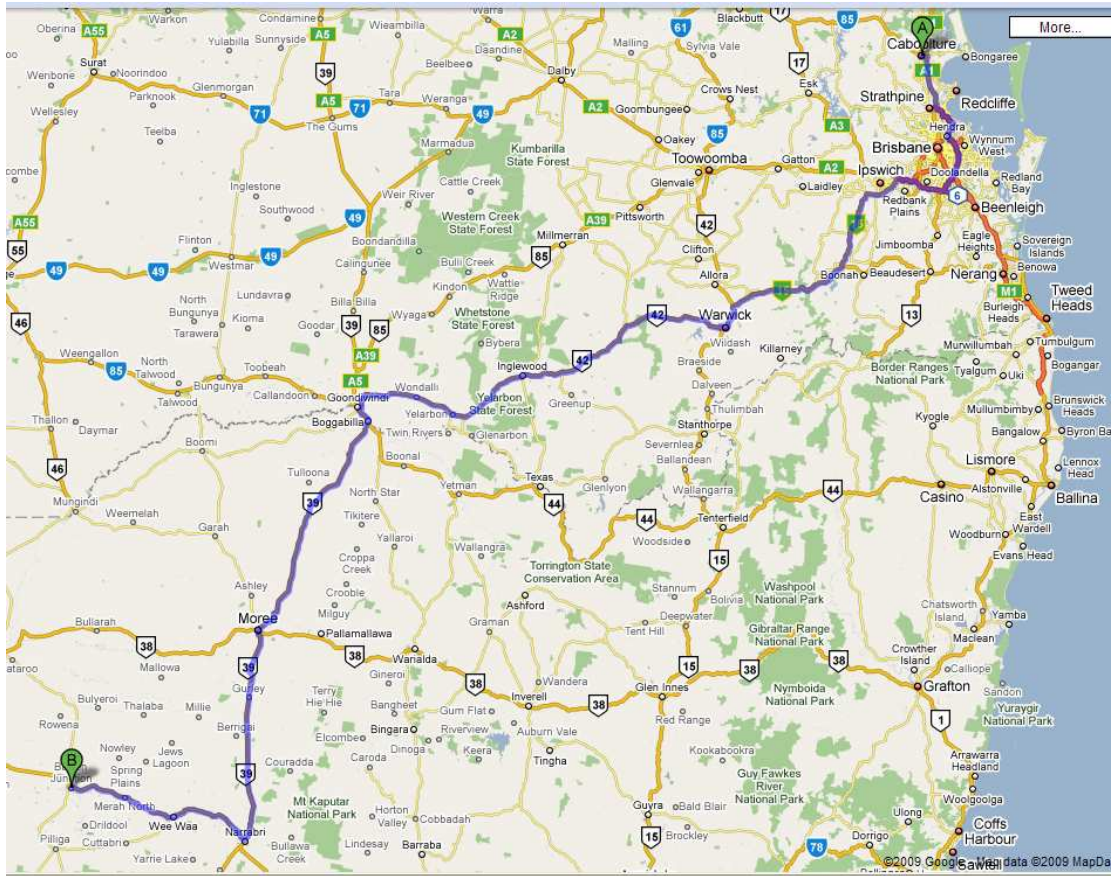
Need to get a new (or old) machine registered? Burren will be the place with TA's on site to get you under way with a minimum of fuss.

Need to do a biennial flight review? Instructors on site all weekend.

Camp at the airstrip or if you don't want to rough it Junction City hotel has rooms and cabins, 0267961440.

This weekend is about safe fun flying, with no competitions. Burren is about 95 K's west of Narrabri NSW, Co-ordinates S 30 09.5, E 148 58.5.

Further information, Murray Barker 0412957122, Rod Milnes 0267961302.



If you need to know more, contact Murray or email on murraysbarker@bigpond.com

LOTTO

For those in the lotto syndicate, another win in January of \$108.55 and another in March of \$107.85.

The wins are getting **bigger** so it's only a matter of time before the big one comes home. Are you paid up???



FLYING WEEKENDS WATTS BRIDGE

June	Burren Junction 6 th , 7 th & 8 th
July	Watts Bridge 11 th & 12 th + SEQGC AGM
August	Watts Bridge 8 th & 9 th

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