

PONTIAC CAR CLUB QUEENSLAND

TOURING RUN PROFILE No.11

BRISBANE VALLEY

This is a full day run of long distance, derived from the Watts Bridge airshow run. It caters for northside, Sunshine Coast, Brisbane, Ipswich, southside and Toowoomba members. It can be organised as two separate runs, which meet together for lunch.

Start Points :

1) Southern Leg

Caltex, Warrego Highway, Blacksoil

2) Northern Leg

BP, Bruce Highway, Burpengary

2nd Meet Points :

1) Southern Leg

Main Street of Esk

2) Northern Leg

Main Street of Kilcoy

Sector distances and times :

km min

1) Southern Leg

Caltex Blacksoil to Esk

59 40 (Fernvale is 15 min)

Esk to Somerset Dam

28 25

2) Northern Leg

BP Burpengary to Kilcoy

60 45 (Woodford is 25 min)

Kilcoy to Somerset Dam

24 20

3) Joint Leg

Somerset Dam to T'goolawah (via Mt Beppo) 28 30

Route :

1) Southern Leg

Warrego Highway to turnoff, Brisbane Valley Highway to Esk, continue north to Esk-Kilcoy Road (on right), then to Somerset Dam peninsula picnic area (2km beyond Dam wall).

2) Northern Leg

Bruce Highway north to turnoff, D'Aguilar Highway to Kilcoy, continue west to Kilcoy-Esk Road (on left), then to Somerset Dam peninsula picnic area

3) Joint Leg

Somerset Dam peninsula picnic area to south along Esk-Kilcoy Road, turn right at Mount Beppo Road, follow to Brisbane Valley Highway at Toogoolawah. Turn left, then right to head into main street (Cressbrook). Pub is on corner of Fulham, the main intersection.

Cautions :

1) Southern Leg

Care needed at Brisbane Valley Highway turnoff as group may take some time to negotiate. A passing lane is located soon after, and can be travelled slowly to help the regroup. At Esk, park in main street between bakery and newsagent.

2) Northern Leg

Care required at Caboolture to ensure correct route taken to Woodford. Take the Caboolture exit, but stay on right hand side, avoiding the Caboolture and Bribie Island

exits to head north. If miss, head north to Pumicestone Road, exit and head across to Caboolture to rejoin D'Aguiar Highway.

Timetable :

1) Southern Leg

Caltex Blacksoil 0830 for 0900

Esk 0945 to 1015 (morning tea, Toowoomba connection)

Somerset Dam 1040

2) Northern Leg

BP Burpengary 0830 for 0900

Kilcoy 0945 to 1015 (morning tea, Sunshine Coast connection)

Somerset Dam 1035

3) Joint Leg

Somerset Dam 1130

Toogoolawah 1200

Food :

Late Breakfast at start point servos

Morning Tea at Esk and Kilcoy

Lunch : Club Hotel (middle pub) corner of Cressbrook & Fulham 07 5423 1330. Numbers required for pub lunch, book for 12 Noon

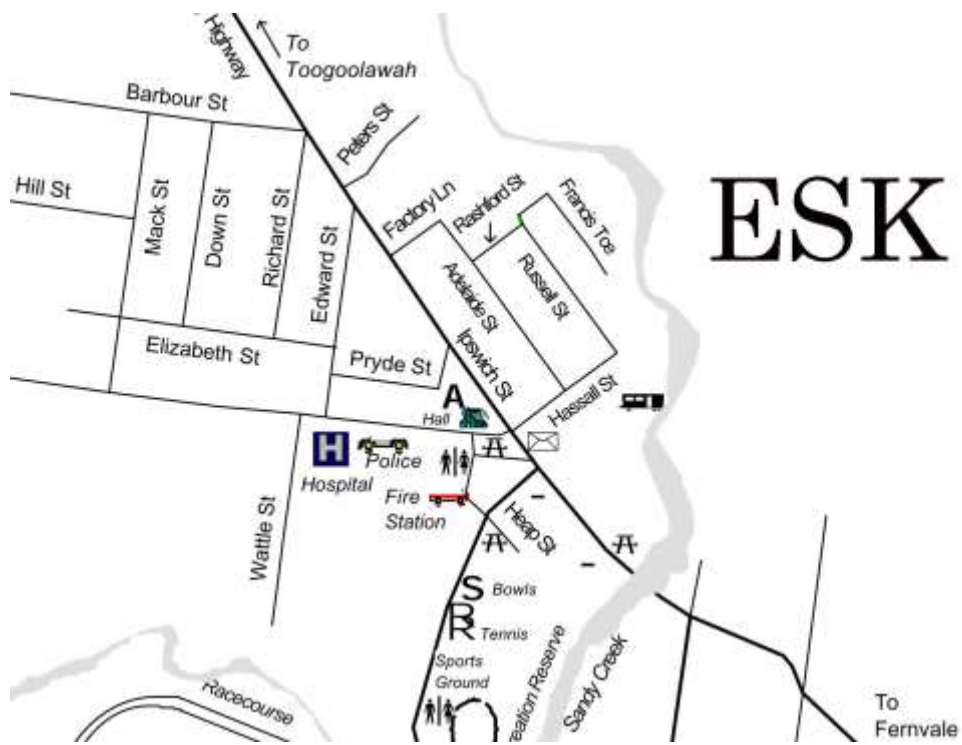
Toilets are located at both servos, Esk public park (near old railway station)

History :

28/8/11 - 2011 Touring Run, 10 cars (9 Pontiacs), 21 people for lunch

Maps :





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Toogoolawah showing Mount Beppo Road coming in from east. Pub is on corner of Cressbrook and Fulham, the main intersection in Town.

Photos :



Esk main street



Esk main street



Somerset Dam Peninsula area



Picnic area



Cars at end of Peninsula



Mount Beppo Road near Toogoolawah



Toogoolawah parking



Outside pub