

# PONTIAC CAR CLUB QUEENSLAND

## TOURING RUN PROFILE No.14

### BRISBANE VALLEY 2

This is a full day run of medium distance. It caters for Brisbane, Ipswich, southside and Toowoomba members. It mainly focussed on the southern Brisbane Valley, but does reach Toogoolawah.

#### Start Point :

Caltex, Warrego Highway, Blacksoil

Sector distances and times :	km	min
Caltex Blacksoil to Fernvale	18	15
Fernvale to Lowood	7	7
Lowood to Lowood Circuit	10	11
Lowood Circuit to Coominya	10	9
Coominya to Esk	27	25
Esk to Toogoolawah	19	15

#### Route :

Warrego Highway to turnoff, Brisbane Valley Highway to Fernvale, turn left at Forest Hill (Lowood) Road near school, turn left into old railway station complex and park in this area. Turn left from parking area into Main Street, right at Michel Street, then second left at Park Street. Right at Prospect Street (Forest Hill Road). Follow this past Mount Tarampa Road and McCarthy Road, to Daisy Road, turn right onto 'front straight'. After doing 'lap' around circuit, turn right into Irwin Road, then left at Mount Tarampa Road. Head north through Mount Tarampa, then join Coominya Connection Road. Continue straight ahead into Coominya (alternative trip to Atkinsons Dam, 2km north on left). Head through town and continue east, then north on Coominya Connection Road to Brisbane Valley Highway. Turn left and head into Esk, then continue north to Toogoolawah.

#### Cautions :

Brisbane Valley Highway takes some time to negotiate. A passing lane is located soon after, and can be travelled slowly to help the regroup. Catch up is also possible at Fernvale, usually by travelling slowly through the congested town and market site.

#### Timetable :

Caltex Blacksoil 0830 for 0900  
Lowood 0925 to 1015 (morning tea)  
Lowood circuit 1030 to 1045 (including lap)  
Coominya 1100  
Esk 1130  
Toogoolawah 1145

#### Food :

Late Breakfast at start point servo  
Morning Tea at Lowood, bakery and other shops open 7 days  
Lunch : Exchange Hotel at Toogoolawah, 11 Cressbrook Street. Numbers required, book for 12 Noon. Note change of ownership after this, no longer advisable. Golf Club may be a possibility.

Toilets are located at servos, Lowood and Esk public parks (near old railway station)

History :

6/5/12 - 2012 Touring Run, 36 cars (24 Pontiacs), 76 people for lunch

Photos :



Blacksoil Caltex around the back



Lowood car park, plenty of room



MG Corner at Racetrack. Park both sides of Daisy Road



Doing lap of track (Dunlop Straight)



Exchange Hotel, Cressbrook Street