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We are a DGR (Deductible Gift Recipient), donations \$2 and over apply

September/October

Presidents Report:

Our AGM was held at the Southside Bowls Club, on the Tuesday, 18th October, attended by 24 of our members of GMT. Prior to the meeting we enjoyed a morning tea, thankyou to the lovely ladies for putting this together.

We were able to gain ongoing financial sponsorship of our six cars, which certainly enabled us to maintain our affordable fees to the community. We are extremely grateful to the ongoing support to our community. GMT 333—also found the bollards in a shopping centre, thankfully was still driveable and has now been returned to its former glory. The committee decided to purchase the GMT 777, GMT888, GMT999 number plates for the future expansion of the service.

Our container used during the flood event has now been purchased and used as a storage unit for furniture and equipment not in current use. The committee have decided our next venture needs to be a secure home for GMT. The initial plans for a GMT Hub with shed space for fleet cars, driver's cars, office space, reception area and training room was born.

Recent engagement of IT support has allowed GMT to gain a new Facebook and Web page, ensuring all who want to find us, can.

Note:

- No committee meeting will be held in December. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday the 17th of January.
- GMT will be taking a break from Friday 16th December through to Monday 8th January.

Thankyou Bev Goodall

Statistics for Sept/Oct 2022

Car Stats for September:

Car 111 - 3618klm, 94.05hrs

Car 222 - 2747klm, 66.4hrs

Car 333 - 2684klm, 58hrs

Car 444 - 3704klm, 101.23hrs

Car 555 - 3975klm, 98.25hrs

Car 666 - 3884klm, 88.15hrs

Car Stats for October:

Car 111 - 4823klm, 113.35hrs

Car 222 - 2518klm, 66.3hrs

Car 333 - 3956klm, 103.05hrs

Car 444 - 4194klm, 99.23hrs

Car 555 - 3677klm, 85.32hrs

Car 666 - 3728klm, 89.2hrs

Committee Members For 2023

President - Bev Goodall

Secretary - Sally Carkeet

Treasurer - Tracy Edwards

Fleet Manager - Allan Gate

Assistant Secretary - Eileen Holzapfel

Phil Pyott

Fay Bowring



Administration Hours:
257hrs

Car Cleaning:
20hrs

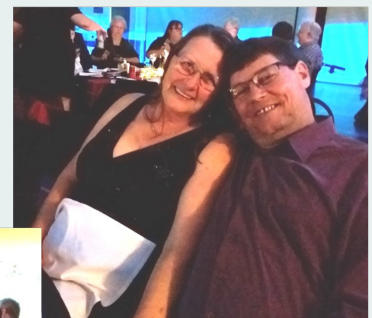
Awards

Certificate of appreciation was presented to Fay at our AGM for her outstanding contribution to Gympie Medical Transport. Fay has supported the organisation since its inception in the role as treasurer.



2022 Chamber of Commerce Awards

GMT was nominated again this year in Business of the Year Not for Profit Category 2022. We were successful in being chosen as one of the finalist. Unfortunately we were not successful.



Humbled by Recognition

“Humbling,” was the term our secretary Sally, of GMT, used to describe our nomination for 2022 Gympie Chamber of Commerce Not for Profit Business of the Year. We were nominated last year and were awarded Runners Up. GMT has also been successful in winning the local Australia Day Group Award 2022 through Gympie Regional Council.

Over the past eighteen months we have endured a couple of major issues, flooding and one of our cars being written off. When a contributor heard about this, said, “Would \$30,000 buy a new car?” That’s how valuable the community sees us as being.

Bev said it has been suggested that roughly a third of the community rely on the service to take them to out of town medical appointments. This is an incredible number of people.

GMT are always on the lookout for more volunteers, especially drivers. But if driving is not your thing, we are keen to have a fundraising co-ordinator come on board.