



# 2ND ANNUAL AGM

Well as we all know, the big news of the last quarter was the 2nd Annual AGM. So that being said we'll kick off with some pics and comments from around the forum by various members.

As people began to arrive, they went to the place of "The Great Gathering"



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Then as the food and booze, (I mean soft drinks, lol), started to flow. Some people shone, whilst others, not quite so.

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QLD	189
NSW	109
ACT	7
VIC	116
TAS	4
SA	15
WA	54
NT	2
INT'L	11
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>507</b>





# AGM Cont'd



**Below images.** Then there were activities like Darts. Before some spat the dummy.



**Images to the right** Are of the Harrietville hotel lounge just prior to the formal part of the AGM.



## Presentation to Rusty

### Editors Note

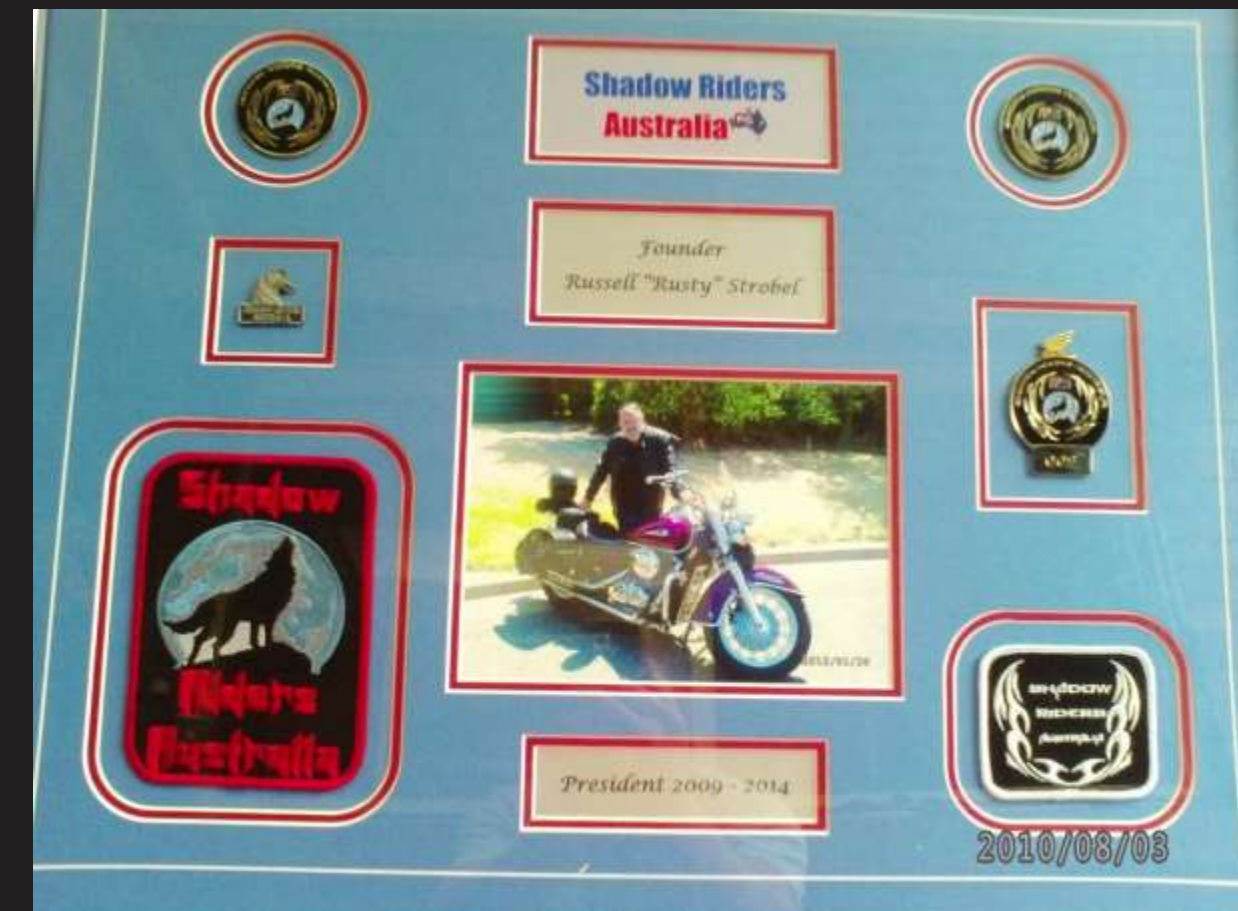
At the Bright AGM we saw the passing of the role of president from our much loved founder of SRA Rusty Strobel to the new President George. As a result there was a new non elected position of Founder & CEO created to acknowledge the role & services provided to SRA by the man who created this great club.



Presentation to Rusty Strobel for his years of service to & founding of SRA. A well deserved accolade.



With part of the proceeds of the recent SRA raffle, we were able to make a presentation to Rusty to honour him as the founder of Shadow Riders Australia and also for his position as President of Shadow Riders Australia from the beginning in 2009 until 2014.



Editors Note

Well as per usual the QLD mob had many a good ride & event to choose from. But the over riding event to be noted was the resignation of MRC the QLD SC. I think I speak for all our members in thanking MRC for his service to our club in that role.

That having being said, we welcome the new SC for QLD, Docfeather to the role. I'm sure the QLDers will continue to excel under his leadership.



**WOODFORD MEET & GREET APRIL 6 2014**

Was a lovely sunny day for our Meet & Greet at Woodford on the 6<sup>th</sup> of April . A good attendance it was . We had plenty to talk about ,bikes, bikes oh yeah bikes .lol. The day was called by Docfeather to get some ideas happening now that he has taken on State Co-ordinator. Plenty was talked about and a few ideas were kicked around for the AGM next year . Good to have a new member rock up ,Kevin on the mighty 400 . Also in attendance ,which was great was Steve Coe and his lovely wife PAM . PIC BELOW



AS the AGM approached our co-ordinator MRC resigned his post and Docfeather has now taken the reins. Since Mark's first input into the group of QLD riders he has done great things for us . Organized us well and we all have had great times together. THANKS MATE.

PIC RIGHT

Our Nanango meet for Christmas 2013 went off well. 18 riders were in attendance. Spinal as usual trekked from Bundaberg with Collie in tow. Mac got back in the saddle after a long absence and rode big k's from G/Coast. Good numbers came down from Toowoomba some new so was great to finally catch up. As usual the Ipswich crew and sunshine coast riders put in a good tum up. Lunch was had at the RSL. A good eating and meeting place for these rides. PIC BELOW.



Editors Note

Another great turn out by the Vic guys. Well done to the organizers in Vic once again.



**WOODFORD MEET & GREET APRIL 6 2014**

Was a lovely sunny day for our Vic mob ( well at least for 15 mins lol ), as they headed out to Sheperton to the motor museum, followed by the car & bike show at the local show grounds. The meet up was a bit staggered due to peoples start point, but this a small quote from the forums. "Well at Nagambie Steve showed up. He waited at the top of the Springvale Road on ramp and declared that Paul didn't show up. (Paul was at the bottom and they didn't see each other). Others also arrived and after morning tea it was off to Shepparton to the motor museum." And there's more, "And soon enough our friends from over the border in Albury turned up. Hi David, Andrea, Lucille and Tony and their friends."



Another good turnout by our Vic membership, as can be seen. They filled up two tables at the local establishment before consuming all the available food. Then off to take the obligatory group shot.



Editors Note

The NSW fella's were out and about checking out some of the bike & hotrod shows in NSW.

Some of the other news in NSW was the stepping down of the SC Johnboy Longbottom & the introduction of a SRA first. In the form of dual SC's. One for the north, Wendy Witch (AKA Tracey) & Bluedog (Tony) for the south.. We thank John for his service to SRA, & welcome The new dual SC's to there role.



Krankit Car & Bike show in Newcastle, Sunday 6th April 2014

Krankit 2014 was a bit wet but still was a great turn out of cars and bikes. Just about every make was represented. Heaps of hot rods. Fraser Bad Bone Racing started up their drag bike, needed ear plugs and be upwind, ground shaking!!!

Below:- Fraser Bad Bone Racing Drag Bike:



To the right we see a custom bike along with some old vintage machines



## Editors Note

Whilst a good portion of us were gearing up for the AGM in Vic. The boys out west had there own week-end away, A mini AGM of sorts if you like. They had there own Dart board, ( which was won by WA ). Great drinking contests, ( also won by WA ) along with many other activities. Well done to the WA boys.

Also we have a new state coordinator in WA. We welcome 56George to the role & thank Angel ( Jayne ) for her service to SRA as the out going SC.



## An Overnighter at Denmark



**Top right**  
The two dart champions. Phil & Greycshadow



**Left**  
Drinking champions. Starting from the Left. Roughy, Greycshadow & Phil. Just not to sure about the straw thou.

**Bottom right**  
So here are the intrepid trio who ventured down to Denmark for our 1st overnight run. Well a 1st with SRA for me ( Roughy ), anyway since I've been a part of this group. This is actually at the last stop of our trip heading home where we went our separate ways. It was still another 150km back to Perth. We've done close to 600km by this stage as you can see from the expression on Phil's face.





## New positions to SRA

As the AGM in Bright came to pass, we found that we now have new faces in our elected positions as well as some old faces. So all elected positions are now listed below.

### National Positions

- Founder/CEO - Russell (Rusty ) Strobel
- President - George Tapai
- Nation Secretary - George Tapai
- National Communication Officer - Louie, aka The Fly

### State Coordinators

- QLD SC - Docfeather
- NSW SC/north - Tracey, aka Wendy Witch
- NSW SC/south - Tony, aka Bluedog
- VIC SC - George Tapai
- SA SC - Langers
- WA SC - George Tawhiti, aka 56george

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Louie ( NCO )