

To: Members of Australian & New Zealand Mercedes-Benz Car Clubs

From: 2022 National Rally Committee of Mercedes-Benz Club of South Australia

Communication 5: 2022 Rally Update - Don't forget to register!

NOTE: Club Presidents – please pass this communication to your members.

2022 National Rally & Post-Rally Registration

To register for the rally, please complete the rally registration form (attached or available from the rally web site).

Instructions for payment are on the registration form. Payment is required to complete registration. Receipts will be issued after payment is received.

Registrations for the rally will close on **31 DEC 2021**. Registrations for the post-rally will close earlier if the maximum number is reached.

Accommodation Bookings and Payment

We have arranged with accommodation providers to reserve a block of rooms. Participants should book with the accommodation providers direct and reserve rooms with a credit card.

Details on how to book accommodation for rally (Stamford Grand Adelaide, Glenelg) and post-rally (Barossa Weintal) are included on the registration form.

Rally Program

Here is some information on activities planned for Saturday.

A Show and Shine car display will be held at Wigley reserve, Glenelg on Saturday morning. It is only a few minutes drive from The Stamford Grand hotel to Wigley reserve. In addition to rally participants, SA club members will be invited to display their vehicles, so we should have a great selection of Mercedes-Benz cars on display. The public will be invited to view the event.

In the afternoon, there will be various options available (more details to be provided to participants next year).

In the late afternoon, we will travel by bus from The Stamford Grand at Glenelg to the d'Arenberg Cube (www.darenberg.com.au) in the McLaren Vale wine region. We will visit the museum and Salvador Dali art exhibition followed by a cocktail party at the top levels of the iconic Cube. At the end of the evening, we will travel by bus back to The Stamford Grand.

d'Arenberg was recently ranked the second best winery destination in Australia and number 31 in the world's top 50 wine destinations (www.worldsbestvineyards.com):

Australia's very own Willy Wonka of wine has turned his family's McLaren Vale estate into a veritable extravaganza, with feasts for all the senses just 45 minutes from Adelaide. Experiences at d'Arenberg are almost as flamboyant as winemaker Chester Osborn's wardrobe (he can easily be identified by his loud shirts, untamed grey curls and the odd hat), an estate brimming with personality that nonetheless respects a 109-year heritage that places it among the country's prestigious First Families of Wine.

Not to be missed!

Covid update on SA restrictions

The SA government has released the plan for changes in restrictions when SA reaches 80% and 90% vaccination.

When 90% is reached (expected before Christmas), restrictions that could prevent fully vaccinated people from attending and participating in rally events will be removed.

However, there may still be restrictions in place in April that could prevent non-vaccinated people from participating in the rally events.

Enquiries

Please email any enquires to rally.msa.mercedesbenz.club@gmail.com

All rally communications, rally registration form and flyers can be found at MBSCA rally website at <https://msa.mercedes-benz-clubs.com/2022-national-rally-2/>

Regards

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