

Celebrating 25th Anniversary of the Rawson Caravan Park

and proud to have attended 21 years during the first 25 years of Rawson Caravan Park's history.

(Missed years: 1986, 1988, 1990 & 1992 with the bi-year bookings)

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Rawson shop
The Pool
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Top memories:

The Pig
The cow
Frank's balloons
The Market
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The rain!
Climbing
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The Webbers!
The Germans!
Tent Kitchen
More wood!
More wine!
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Tent poles!
Talk nonsense
Bread Lady
Di's Dad
Di's drivebys
Other campers
Erica chips
Jaffles
nibbles
..... and
Great mates!

| | 1985 | 1986 | 1987 | 1988 | 1989 | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 |
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| Jan | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| Feb | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| Mar | Lake Charm | Lake Charm | Warwick & Ted & Rae | Metung & Rae's | Gaz & Rae & Warwick | Snob's Creek & Rae's | Gaz & Rae | Mirboo North & Rae's | Gaz & Rae | Gaz & Warwick | Gaz & Rae & Warwick | Gaz & Rae | 1997 | Rae | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 & Rae | 2004 | Glenn & Emily | 2006 & Rae | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | . |
| | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | movie | . | . | . | . | movie | . | . | . | . | . | movie | . | movie | . | . |
| Apr | Move in (N/A) | 1st Easter (Missed) | 2 | 3 (Missed) | 4 | 5 (missed) | 6 | 7 (missed) | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | . |
| May | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| Jun | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | school trip | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| Jul | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| Aug | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| Sep | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | Last flow | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| Oct | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| Nov | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| Dec | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |

Rawson Visits

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Listed above are each of the Easter visits by the Gang, with the initial year's being allocated a spot every 2nd year.

1986 was the first official Easter that the Park was open for business.

2010 represents the **25th ANNIVERSARY of the Park, on 4th April 2010.**

Numerous other visits other than Easter, have also been attended by members of the team.

All photos and movies are Gaz's unless otherwise stated on the hyperlinks.

History: The area was owned by the MMBW (Board of Works) with the building of the Thompson Dam up until 1985.

Dianne moved in on 4th April 1985, but final settlement of ownership occurred in June 1985. The first official Easter that the camp was open for business, was Easter 1986, approximately one year later. Initial bookings were very popular, and an alternating 2-year booking arrangement was enforced.



The Gang:

Frank, Warwick, Rob, Glenn.
Rae
Robyn, Gary, Robin, Sue, Wayne,
Lorraine, Betty, Jenny, Kathy



The next Gang!

Tarin, Perry Daniel, Sally, Lori, Emily
Scott, Bradley, Blair, Claire, Adam, Erin
Michael, Megan, Emma (and Bonnie!).
(Missing in 1993: Kirsten and Bree)



and in 1991:

Bradley, Emily, Bree, Erin, Adam
Tarin, Perry, Lori, Sally, Megan, Kirsten, Scott
and Claire on knee.
(Missing: Michael, Daniel and Blair, Emma)

Life Pre Rawson: 1976: Hall's Gap, 1977: Bright, 1978: Snowy River, 1979: Deddick River 1980: Snowy River,
1981: Wilson's Prom, 1982: Lake Bolac, 1983: Rosebud, 1984: Tootgarook, 1985: Lake Charm

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