



2022 UJN Annual Rally, Malaga Hotel, Waterval Onder

18-20th November 2022

The UJN chapter held their annual rally at Malaga Lodge, Mpumalanga from Friday 18th to Sunday 20th November 2022.

Two groups departed for the venue on Friday 18th, the first with Steven from the Total Garage at 10h00 and the second group from the BP Oasis N1 with Jan at 11h00.

Everyone arrived safely at the venue by 15h00 on Friday where they relaxed near the pool area outside, chatted and had some laughs over a few drinks and snacks. Everyone was handed a hamper, welcoming them, with lovely gifts, including a golf shirt with the UJN rally badge and a lucky draw number inside. A huge thankyou to Steven and Cherylee for taking the time and putting the hampers together.

Later that evening we all enjoyed a buffet dinner which was absolutely delicious.

We started Saturday morning with a buffet breakfast which included lots.... of cups of coffee.

After breakfast it was each to their own. A group went on a breakfast run to "The Woodsman" at Sabie while others went site seeing at the War graves and Kruger Hof Museum where Mike Stafford gave them a guided tour. Thankyou Mike. Some opted to go to Kaapsehoop for lunch and site seeing and others took a ride to Rustenburg and had some drinks at a pub. Members that went on the breakfast run all agreed that it was the most enjoyable ride that they had been on due to the twisties and lovely scenery on route.

Later that evening UJN gathered for the prize giving where members received fun awards as well as lucky draw prizes. Congratulations to Julian Middleton for receiving the Joburg North Outstanding member award for all the hard work that he does behind the scenes.

Some fun awards were the White stripe award for the member who experienced the most tyre malfunctions for the year - Adie Heynis, The Broken Mirror award for the member that dropped their bike, breaking the mirror - Adrian Walker, The Miller award for minor accident with damage to bike – John Harrison.

Malaga went out of their way with the supper, which was a buffet, all well-presented and absolutely mouthwatering. After a few drinks and lots of laughter with amazing company members started retiring to get some much-needed rest before the trip home the following day.

After breakfast on Sunday UJN departed for home to Joburg at 10h00. Fortunately, everyone arrived home safely, and we had an incident free weekend. We were blessed with decent weather to and from the venue which was a distance of about 650km.

A very big thankyou to the organizers, especially Irena.

UJN would also like to thank our President, Jan for a very successful rally.

Lastly, a big applause to the staff at Malaga for the service and run around that they gave UJN.















