

## ***Ashbourne Pub Run Jan 21<sup>st</sup> 2007***

Well what can I say about the weather but dodgy.

While cruising into the Mobil-city I was unsure that we would get any other riders to go on this ride.

All thoughts of cancelling were put to one side as we soon had 15 riders who wanted to go on a ride!!

It was also a great chance to get feed back from the people that turned up about their thoughts on the art work we has for SABERS.

As soon as we pulled the artwork out of my tankbag their eyes lit up and we could tell that we were on the right track!!

The name of our new club, SABERS was announced and the art work had the thumbs up ☺

We had a riders briefing and we were on our way.

As we were heading up South Road it was a little drizzly but by the time we got to Clovelly Park it was officially raining.

My thoughts turned to, oh my goodness I am an all weather rider but if it stays like this I am not going to enjoy this ride very much.

We got on to the Southern Expressway and by the time we got to the top the weather had taken a turn for the better as the sun was trying its best to pop its head through the clouds. The Mclarren Vale section to Ashbourne was very picturesque and would be an awesome ride in spring. It was difficult to see very much through the patches of fog we went though.

Once we had turned off the range road section and were heading to Ashbourne we were greeted by dry roads.

The pub meals at Ashbourne were great and the conversation around the table was awesome.

The meals were huge and were excellent. Again another luncheon location we would highly recommend.

After lunch it was a joy to ride up to Meadows via Bull Creek Road. Lots of bends in this section of the ride.

When we got to Meadows although we did stop near the bakery none of us could think about getting any of the yummy cakes that are available here.

It was here we said goodbye to the riders heading south and the others headed north via Hahndorf.

The weather although a bit damp in the morning managed to clear up for the mid morning and stayed like that for the rest of the day.

We had 15 riders and pillions turn up for the ride so it goes to show that we now ride in most conditions.

Awesome guy's and gal's ... see you next ride ☺