

Nissan Club Christmas Party 2010

Christmas is the time of year where we all get together and share the Christmas cheer. So that's what the Nissan club did, at East Beach Caravan Park in Kiama on the 4th and 5th of December 2010. Despite having not as many people as originally hoped, those of us present enjoyed ourselves very much. To all those who didn't come - you missed out on a great weekend, lovely weather and a relaxing holiday.

Some people chose to come down on Friday, others Saturday and few day trippers arrived just for lunch and Santa's appearance on Sunday. On Friday and Saturday (during the day) there were no planned activities, so people could do as they pleased. This meant swimming at the pool and at the beach, exploring all the rock pools on the side of the beach, playing tennis, or simply sitting around with friends. For the little ones there was a great play ground to play in.



The pool



Tennis courts



Playground



The action started on Saturday night when we all went down to the BBQ shed near the beach for Christmas Carols. It started about 5.00pm for happy hour, with carols playing in the background. No real singing from the audience, unfortunately. We missed Glenys & family leading us along. We ate and chatted till about 9.30pm and then wandered back to our various accommodations for the night (tent, caravan, or cabin).

Sunday Morning was spent relaxing or doing more activities. The adult's slept in, ate bacon & eggs for brekky, and read the paper. The pool and tennis courts opened at 9.00am for those who fancied more swimming or a game of tennis. There was also the option of exploring the rock pools and blow holes to the side of the beach, those where very fun to see.

We started our lovely lunch at about midday. Hats off and compliments to our organiser this year, Kathy. It was a fantastic spread including ham, chicken, fresh prawns, salads, rolls and many other delicious foods. We all ate our lunches surrounded by lovely decorations such as fairy lights, a Christmas tree full of candy canes, Christmas table

cloths and many other beautiful things. Lunch was enjoyed by everyone as we sat around and socialised. Desert followed including huge fruit platters, Christmas cake and custard.



Santa made his appearance and the Nissan club kids weren't the only ones welcoming him. Some other children staying at the caravan park greeted him as well.

Santa threw lollies at all the kids and they all stashed them away in their pockets before parents could confiscate them for the trip home. The kids weren't the only ones enjoying Santa's lollies.



Santa came and sat with the tree and handed all the kids under twelve a pressie. Photos were taken and even Chris Chapman had a photo with Santa!

There was a wide variety of pressies including boogie board, beach towels, special books, soccer balls, clothing, fairy costume and other toys. The kids thoroughly enjoyed playing with them on the lawn as soon as they had said goodbye to Santa.



Overall it was a great weekend enjoyed by all. There was great organisation, yummy food, beautiful location but best of all friendly people and a great atmosphere. Thanks to all that attended and helped out.

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