

# **General Rules Concerning LROCT Club Activities**

## **Trips and Functions**

1. All official Club activities, trips and functions shall have the approval of the Committee of Management or at a General Meeting prior to the commencement of each event.
2. All members, their guests and visitors shall obey directions from the Organiser or Trip Leader.
3. Members shall advise the Organiser or Trip Leader of their intention to participate in a club activity, function or trip as early as possible.
4. Vehicles participating in Club activities should meet certain minimum standards with regard to equipment:
  - a. vehicles shall be fitted with suitable rated recovery points at the front and rear (tie down points and tow balls are not acceptable).
  - b. vehicles shall carry recovery equipment suitable rated to recover that vehicle.
  - c. vehicles should have a fitted 5 watt UHF radio for communication between vehicles.
  - d. If the Trip Leader deems a vehicle is unprepared for an activity he may refuse that vehicle's participation.
5. When using power tools or recovery equipment members shall wear prescribed or recommended personal protective equipment. It is strongly recommended that any members using a chainsaw on a club trip should have a chainsaw license.
6. Trail bikes and firearms are prohibited on all club events unless permission has been obtained from the Committee of Management.
7. Alcohol is not to be consumed during a club trip until all organised driving activities for a particular day have ceased unless approved by the Trip Leader.
8. Animals are not permitted on trips except at the discretion of the Trip Leader.
9. When answering the call of nature please take a shovel and bury the waste.
10. Rubbish shall be deposited in rubbish bins or taken home.