







# A MESSAGE FROM NEALE

Here we are again. The ninth Daniher's Drive is upon us. To all the new faces joining us for the first time, a very warm welcome. And to those returning, it's wonderful to have you back on this journey.

The Drive is more than an event on the calendar. It's a chance to come together, to connect and to thank the incredible towns and people who have stood shoulder to shoulder with us in the fight against motor neurone disease (MND).

This year, the Drive Committee has planned something truly special. A journey *Through the Trees to the Seas*. Over four days, you'll travel through the rolling hills and forests of the Macedon Ranges, the lush, green valleys of the Yarra, and the breathtaking coastlines of the Mornington Peninsula. Along the way, there'll be unforgettable stops, community events and, of course, those special moments that make the Drive special.

This year has been a milestone for me and my family. Being named Australian of the Year has been a deeply humbling honour. It's taken me across the country, meeting so many Australians from all walks of life, and given me the platform to spread the vital message that research is our best hope to beat this Beast.

It's the research funded by your passion and generosity that will one day turn hope into a cure.

While I've had the privilege of traveling far and wide, nothing compares to the feeling of coming home to the Drive. The FightMND Army is strong and growing, but the Drive is family. The bonds you'll make, the stories you'll hear and the spirit you'll share over the next four days are what make this event truly unique. Whether MND has touched you directly or you simply believe in the cause, your presence here means everything.

To our incredible partners and sponsors, thank you. Your support is the backbone of this event and makes all we do possible.

And to all of you, thank you for your commitment, your generosity and your spirit. This event is filled with fun, hope and energy because of you. Your efforts fund vital research, and your passion fuels the hope that no one else will have to face MND alone.

From all of us on the Drive Committee, stay safe and enjoy the journey.

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# **NEALE DANIHER AO**

FightMND Co-founder and Patron



# CEO WELCOME

Welcome and thank you for being part of Daniher's Drive 2025: *Through the Trees to the Seas.* Thanks to Dr. Seuss for helping with naming this one!

This is my second year behind the wheel as CEO of FightMND - so I've switched from L plates to P plates...and still have 'most' of my demerit points (lost a few for accidentally dropping a Beanie in the Yarra during Big Freeze). And as you've no doubt picked up already, I like to really work a metaphor. But this event is a journey that's about more than kilometres. It's about community, commitment and hope.

This year's route will take us from the stunning forests of Marysville (vanilla slice anyone?), across the waters by ferry from Sorrento to Queenscliff (seagull poop on the head anyone?), and down to the beautiful beaches of Torquay (selfie with Patrick Dangerfield maybe?). The scenery will take your breath away, but it's the people you meet along the way who will leave the biggest impression.

Since the very first Drive in 2015, this event has helped push Australia to the frontlines of MND research globally. Your support has helped fund 34 promising drugs, 15 clinical trials and provide support for Australians affected by MND.

I'd like to take this opportunity to thank our major partner, Chemist Warehouse, who is back for 2025.

Their continued support over the years has seen the Chemist Warehouse team and their loyal customer base donate more than \$1.7 million to FightMND.

While we're thanking our wonderful partners, I'd also like to thank our raffle partner Jayco, and our night event sponsors CMV Truck and Bus and Bayside Coaches. And let's not forget our other great supporters Shell Reddy Express, Hertz and The Card Network. The Drive wouldn't be possible without them.

A huge thank you also goes to our Drive Committee, the true engine behind Daniher's Drive. Their hard work and commitment behind the scenes year after year ensures the event keeps growing and improving. I'm sure you'll bump into most of them across the journey, and you'll no doubt be infected by their incredible enthusiasm and great passion for making this such a fun event. But it's you, the teams, the drivers and the fundraisers who give this journey its soul. Without you there is no Daniher's Drive. So, thank you for being here. For showing up. For backing the people who live with this disease, those who care for them and those working to stop it.

Let's hit the road and take another giant step in the fight to defeat MND.

Drive safely,

MATT TILLEY
FightMND CEO



# YOUR IMPACT

invested into developing Australia's

first National MND clinical care guidelines

For more than 10 years FightMND has driven towards its vision of a world free from MND. The contribution of our supporters has made a considerable difference in research outcomes and improving the lives of people affected by MND.

From the start we've known how important people are in the fight against the Beast. After all, our tagline is 'It takes people'!

Thanks to you, we can continue to invest in research and projects supporting Australians affected by MND.







invested into 9 care

research projects.







# **COMMUNICATING** ON THE DRIVE

With 250 participants in this year's Drive, staying in touch is important.

Before we head off, make sure you have access to and are following the below channels. FightMND will provide updates here when important information

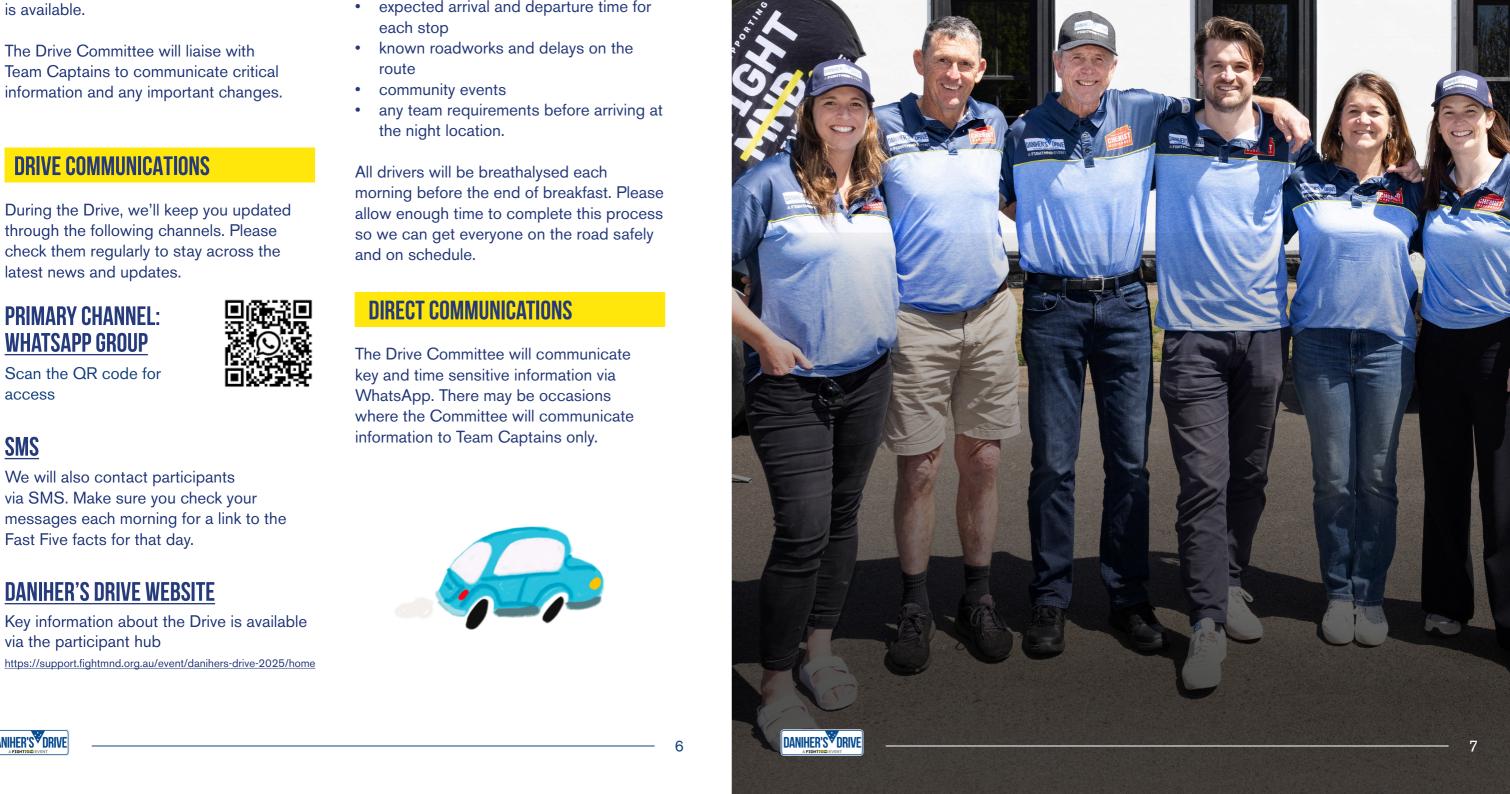
Key information about the Drive is available via the participant hub

# **MORNING BRIEFINGS**

There will be a 30-minute briefing every morning at breakfast. At least one member of each team must attend the briefing. Preferably the first designated driver for the day.

The morning briefing includes information about:

- any changes to the itinerary
- expected arrival and departure time for



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# BEHAVIOUR ON THE DRIVE + REPORTING AN INCIDENT

Daniher's Drive is one of FightMND's most significant fundraising and public events. As we prepare for this year's Drive, we kindly remind all participants to review and adhere to the expected behaviours outlined in our Terms and Conditions.

Your cooperation ensures a safe, respectful, and successful event for everyone involved.

Team Captains, we're relying on you to champion these behaviours within your team. At FightMND we're appreciative of your support and contribution to this year's Drive. We want to make these four days memorable for you and enjoyable for everyone meeting us along the way. To ensure this, we must be mindful of our behaviour in the wider community.

As a Daniher's Drive participant, you are representing and championing FightMND. Throughout the Drive you'll wear the FightMND brand with your polo, cap, car decals and other materials. At all times participants must be aware that you are an ambassador for FightMND and adhere to this Risk and Responsible Behaviour Policy. Failure to do so may result in your removal from Daniher's Drive.

## Represent the FightMND brand

As a participant, you are an ambassador for FightMND and Daniher's Drive. Please always act ethically, responsibly and with respect.

## **Uphold FightMND values.**

All participants agree to align and uphold the FightMND values of urgency, integrity, efficiency, boldness and community.

# Respect each other and local communities.

Always maintain and exhibit mutual respect for local communities, Drive participants, volunteers and FightMND staff. We work to ensure Daniher's Drive is an event free from bullying, harassment and discrimination. All participants agree to immediately report any incident, either experienced or witnessed, to the nominated FightMND incident manager.

# Avoid excessive alcohol consumption.

All drivers must obey all VicRoads alcohol, safety and speed protocols. Participants must refrain from drinking alcohol in public premises or unlicensed venues. Licensed venues will adhere to Responsible Service of Alcohol requirements. You may be asked to leave the premises if you do not follow the venue's requirements.

We kindly ask that you avoid the excess consumption of alcohol throughout the Drive and adhere to all Responsible Service of Alcohol requirements.

## Strict no drugs policy.

Avoid any illicit substance use across Daniher's Drive.

#### Share your experience.

We encourage you to share your Daniher's Drive story, photos and videos with the world. But we do kindly ask that all posts are respectful and appropriate. Content including, but not limited to, nudity, swearing, racism, homophobia, sexually explicit language, abusive language, unsafe driving practices, language condoning or encouraging illegal practices or otherwise unacceptable wording/content will be removed.

# **VEHICLE AND DRIVER REQUIREMENTS**

Your vehicle must meet road safety standards and be checked thoroughly before the start of the Drive.

- Each team must have at least one member with roadside assistance cover.
- vehicle repairs during the Drive. Please note that common parts may not be available in every area that the Drive route goes through. Teams should consider carrying any mechanical items that are specific to your vehicle.
- Anyone driving during Daniher's Drive must have blood alcohol reading under 0.05. Drivers on a provisional licence must have a blood alcohol reading of 0.
- The Drive will travel through areas with little, or no, mobile phone signal. We strongly recommend that each team has at least one Telstra mobile.

# **FUNDRAISING**

Participants must meet the minimum fundraising targets before the start of the Drive on 9 October. For teams of up to four people the minimum fundraising target is \$5,000. Teams with more than four people must fundraise an additional \$1,500 per team member.

# **EVENT ROUTE AND DRIVING RULES**

Daniher's Drive is not a race or a time trial. All road rules apply and speed limits must be obeyed at all times.

The Drive course has been set by the Drive Committee. It does not take the most direct route between destinations. But that's part of the fun! We look forward to taking the scenic route with you all.





# **SHARING YOUR DRIVE!**

We love seeing your Daniher's Drive journey. Whether it is photos or video, we encourage you to share your Drive experience on social media. Don't forget to use the hashtags #DanihersDrive2025 and #FightMND and tag us on the following social media:

**FACEBOOK** 

@FightMND

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@FightMND

INSTAGRAN

@fightMND

# **WHATSAPP**

WhatsApp will be our primary communications channel on the Drive, this group is also a great place for you to chat and share photos, videos and stories of your experience on the Drive. Details to join this group are provided on page 6.

# RESPECT AND RESPONSIBILITY

Before you post make sure that your posts are respectful, appropriate and follow the FightMND social media and community guidelines.

Any content displaying illegal or unsafe behaviour will be removed. More information about inappropriate social media content can be found in the risk and behaviour policy. If you're not sure whether your post is appropriate, reach out to a member of the FightMND team.

# PHOTOGRAPHY AND VIDEO DISCLAIMER

Please note that by participating in Daniher's Drive you agree to have your image captured by our official photographers and videographers. The resulting photos, video and audio recordings may be used by FightMND in news materials, promotional materials, on our website and other collateral.

Furthermore, media will be attending stops along the Drive, which will involve some photography and filming. If you do not wish to have your image recorded, please let a FightMND team member know. While we cannot guarantee your image will not be captured, we will do our best to ensure it is not used.

# **DANIHER'S DRIVE GAMES**

Get into the spirit of the Drive and bring the fun! Rally your team, fire up your creativity and join the Daniher's Drive Games.

Here's how to play:

 Download the Deckle App and register your team.



- Nominate your "Games Master" your one team member to manage the app and upload your photos and videos.
- Follow the prompts in the app to capture all the laughs, challenges, and unforgettable moments along the way
- **Game PIN:** 1857

Show off your team spirit, get a little silly, and most of all, enjoy the ride. Glory awaits!











# ITINERARY

#### **DAY 1 - THURSDAY 9 OCTOBER**

7:00 am **Daniher's Drive 2025 Departure** 

Heidelberg Golf Club

8 Main Rd, Lower Plenty VIC 3093

10:30 am **Community Event** 

Assumption College

39 Sutherland St, Kilmore VIC 3764

Enter via Gate 1

12:30 pm Pit Stop

The General

Strath Creek, 8 Glover Rd, Strath Creek

VIC 3658

1:15pm Lunch

Flowerdale Estate

2285 Broadford-Flowerdale Rd, Strath Creek

VIC 3658

3:30pm **New Team Mixer** 

\*\* Exclusive opportunity for our Daniher's Drive teams

who are new in 2025! Four Pillars Gin Distillery

2A Lilydale Rd, Healesville VIC 3777

6:30pm **Dinner** 

Pepper's Marysville

32/34 Murchison St, Marysville VIC 3779

## DAY 2 - FRIDAY 10 OCTOBER

8:00 am **Breakfast** 

Pepper's Marysville

32/34 Murchison St, Marysville VIC 3779

10:15 am **Community Event** 

Warburton Bowls Club

3455-3457 Warburton Hwy, Warburton

VIC 3799

12:30 pm Lunch

Helen's Hill Estate

16 Ingram Rd, Lilydale VIC 3140

2:30 pm **Convoy photo** departing Helen's Hill Estate

16 Ingram Rd, Lilydale VIC 3140

**Trivia and Fundraising Gala** 7:00pm

Silverwater Resort

17 Potters Hill Rd, San Remo VIC 3925





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#### **Nearest emergency departments:**

The Northern Hospital Emergency Department, open 24/7

185 Cooper St, Epping VIC 3076

Ph: (03)8405 8000

Goulburn Valley Health Emergency

Department, open 24/7

Graham St, Shepparton VIC 3630

Ph: (03) 5832 2322

Kilmore District Hospital, open 24/7 1 Anderson Rd, Kilmore VIC 3764

Ph: (03) 5734 2000



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#### **Nearest emergency departments:**

**Epworth Richmond Emergency** Department, open 24/7 62 Erin St, Richmond VIC 3121 Ph: (03) 9426 6666

Phillip Island Health Hub - Urgent

Care Centre, open 24/7

50 Church Street, Cowes VIC 3922

Ph: (03) 5951 2100





# ITINERARY

#### **DAY 3 - SATURDAY 11 OCTOBER**

7:30 am

**Breakfast** 

Silverwater Resort 17 Potters Hill Rd, San Remo VIC 3925

8:30 am

**Daniher's Drive Go Kart Grand Prix** 

Group 1 - 8:30am

Group 2 - 9:00am

Group 3 - 9:30am

Phillip Island Go Karts

381 Back Beach Rd, Ventnor VIC 3922 Go Karting groups will be provided in advance. One representative from each team will compete.

1:15 pm

**Ferry** 

Group 1 - 1:15pm

Group 2 - 2:15pm

Searoad Ferries

Sorrento, Esplanade, Sorrento VIC 3943 Ferry groups will be provided in advance.

7:30 pm

**Legends of the Land Down Under Gala** 

RACV Torquay Resort,

1 Great Ocean Rd, Torquay VIC 3228

#### **DAY 4 - SUNDAY 12 OCTOBER**

9:30 am

**Breakfast** 

RACV Torquay Resort,

1 Great Ocean Rd, Torquay VIC 3228



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Nearest emergency departments and hospitals

Lorne Community Hospital, open 24/7 Albert Street, Lorne VIC 3232 Ph: (03) 5289 4300

Frankston Hospital Emergency
Department, open 24/7
2 Hastings Rd, Frankston VIC 3199

Ph: (03) 9784 7777





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#### **ACC HIGGINS**



#### **Team captain name:**

Peter MacLeod

#### **Team members names:**

Wendy MacLeod, James MacLeod, Louise MacLeod, Wes Heritage and Tanya Heritage

#### Reason for attending:

School friend of Neale Daniher and we are proud supporters of Fight MND

#### **ANNIE'S MOTLEY CREW**



#### Team captain name:

Annie Phyland

#### **Team members names:**

Ian McClure

#### **BAYSIDE COACHES**



#### Team captain name:

**Geoff Vickers** 

#### **Team members names:**

Andrea Campbell, Ross Campbell, Arlene MacLeod and Joanne Verrall

# **BREWMANITY-DEE'S**



#### **Team captain name:**

**David Neitz** 

#### **Team members names:**

Paul Hopgood, Clint Bizzell

#### CONSUMPTION



# Team captain name:

Mark Spencer

#### **Team members names:**

Brendan Carey, Martin Ryan, Ron Humme and Russell Dickinson

#### Reason for attending:

School mates of Neale Daniher

#### **CRUISING**



# Team captain name:

Rob Hutchinson

#### **Team members names:**

Wendy Hutchinson, Joan Bulpit and Samantha Farmilo

#### Reason for attending:

Being warmly greeted each morning by people we hardly knew, and despite their close association with the beast. was an inspiration

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#### DAD'S ARMY



#### Team captain name:

Tracey Telford

#### **Team members names:**

Amanda Elmer, Sarah Dunn, Rob Falkingham and Angela Skyes

#### Reason for attending:

Amanda lost her dad Harvey to MND in 2013. We also lost his mum to MND when I was 5. Sarah lost her dad to MND

#### **DRIVING DIVAS**



## Team captain name:

Gai Williams

#### **Team members names:**

Sheryl Gannon, Lyn Gorman and Vanessa Marett

#### Reason for attending:

Gai lost her business partner to MND

#### **DRIVING US CRAZY**



#### **Team captain name:**

Chrissie Japp

#### **Team members names:**

Shauna Young, Catherine McCorkell and Hayley McKechnie

#### Reason for attending:

To help raise awareness & support people in rural areas along with family members that have been affected by MND. I lost my dad Peter Meehan to MND in 2009

#### **DYNAMIC DEMONS 43**



#### Team captain name:

Guy Rigoni

#### **Team members names:**

Andrew Leoncelli, Geoff Brereton, Clint Rigoni, Matt Garoni, Rodney Ord and Billy Nadi

#### Reason for attending:

Played footy under Neale as coach and he is a close friend

#### **EVAGREEN (OLD)**



#### Team captain name:

Wayne Evans

## **Team members names:**

Caroline Green

# **Reason for attending:**

Wayne's father diagnosed with MND, was carer for Dad, Dad passed away 2019

#### **FAWLTY TYRES**



# Team captain name:

Liana Muises-Khoury

#### **Team members names:**

Alex Muises-Khoury

#### Reason for attending:

Liana's father passed away in 2013





#### **FINGERS**



#### **Team captain name:**

Iain Findlay

#### **Team members names:**

Samantha Findlay, Jenny Maher and Danny Maher

#### Reason for attending:

lain is on the fundraising committee for FightMND and wants to help the Daniher family

#### **FOOTY 2 FIGHTMND**



#### Team captain name:

Mel Tiffen

#### **Team members names:**

Kathryn Ratcliffe

#### **Reason for attending:**

Kathryn's family has the SOD1 gene

#### GOOLWA RSL DEFENCE GALS (SA)



#### Team captain name:

Debbie Drew

#### **Team members names:**

Natalie McBeath, Cathie Woods, Chris Eime and Karen Stringe

#### Reason for attending:

We have lost many friends to MND over the span of the last 8 years

# MATE'S CREW (VIC)



#### Team captain name:

Brooke Smalley

#### **Team members names:**

Lorraine Smalley

#### Reason for attending:

Lorraine's husband and Brooke's dad passed away 3 years ago from MND

#### MCCOOL KIDS



# Team captain name:

Mike McShane

#### **Team members names:**

Georgia McShane, Jackson Paine, Richard Davies, Brendan Wright, Shaneika Sutherland, Bianca Galjar, Brianna Benedetti, Jenna Morcom, Danielle Calogero, Lexi Duncan, Mark Walkely, Peter Greelish, Rick Brockwell and Russell Gordan

#### MICHELE WITH ONE L (NSW)



#### Team captain name:

Ryan Springall

#### **Team members names:**

Michele Springall and Alicia Krywyn

#### Reason for attending:

Michele is my mother and is living with MND. Joining us on the epic drive is Alicia, my aunty and Michele's sister. Michele is our family champion and matriarch and not to be messed with!

#### **HOODWINKERS**



#### **Team captain name:**

Jack Dunlop

#### **Team members names:**

Paul Dunlop, Shane Dunlop and Josh Dunlop

#### **Reason for attending:**

Jack lost a good mate in 2018 (diagnosed 2016). His brother-inlaw was diagnosed in Aug 2023 and is now nonverbal. A close friend's only daughter, diagnosed at 28 in Aug 2022, is now 30, in a wheelchair and nonverbal

#### IAN'S SKODA



# Team captain name:

Gareth Roberts

#### **Team members names:**

Gabriela Roberts

#### **Reason for attending:**

Gareth's father passed away from MND in 2013

#### **LORNA'S COBRAM CREW**



#### Team captain name:

Warren Hicks

## **Team members names:**

Simon Hicks, Matthew Beasley, Ben Rampling, Kade Beasley, Jake Bush, Dean Pullar and Gary Ennals

Reason for attending: Warren and Simon's mother Lorna Hicks passed away from MND in 2002 hence the team's name Lorna's Cobram Crew associated with mum

#### **OLD CRACKERS (NSW)**



#### Team captain name:

Jacinta Ives

## **Team members names:**

Wendy McCrone and Sharon Gordon

#### Reason for attending:

Jacinta's husband passed away before Christmas and he felt strongly about FightMND. Sharon's husband and Wendy's first cousin lan died in 2022 from MND

#### **PLONKIES AND DIRTMEN**



# Team captain name:

Rob Gibson

#### **Team members names:**

Anne Gibson, Patrick Davoren, Kelly Moroney

#### Reason for attending:

Rob's and Anne's daughter, Kim, has MND

#### **ROBYN'S ROLLERS**



# Team captain name:

Mark Guthrie

#### **Team members names:**

Matt Noonan, Michael Teague and Brett Stanley

#### Reason for attending:

Friends of Neale Daniher



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#### ROLLICKING ROWDY



#### **Team captain name:**

Darrel Fenton

#### **Team members names:**

Peter Lawrence, Michael McMaster and Mike Hirst

#### Reason for attending:

We are looking forward to the upcoming Drive to catch up with all of the previous members we have met but also to introduce ourselves to the first timers supporting this fantastic cause

#### **SLIM JIM**



#### **Team captain name:**

Lee Vincent

#### **Team members names:**

Meli Murray, Karen Cameron, Raelene Joyce and Di Timms

#### Reason for attending:

I love the idea of educating people about MND and raising money to help find a cure. Mel and Di lost their dad's to MND. Mel's dad is Brian aka Slim Jim

#### SHADY LADIES



#### Team captain name:

Jan Daniher

#### **Team members names:**

Ruth Hobson, Jane Simpson, Helen Jaensch and Kath O'Connell

#### **Reason for attending:**

To reconnect with fellow participants who have become like family, united in raising funds for MND research and care

#### **SMOKINWHISKY**



#### Team captain name:

Jason Smith

#### **Team members names:**

Russell Watson

## **SHOWBAGS**



#### Team captain name:

Julie Teague

#### **Team members names:**

Jen Tancheff, Catherine Kerwin and Sheona Carter

#### Reason for attending:

We have been inspired by the courage and generosity of Neale Daniher and his family, who continue to face this devastating disease with strength and humour

#### **SOVEREIGN FINANCIAL**



# Team captain name:

**Andrew Lawler** 

#### **Team members names:**

Sarah Connolly, Jerome Smith and Leigh Marriott

#### Reason for attending:

We're proud to be part of a movement that brings hope, connection, and the drive for a cure. It's more than a fundraiser it's a family

#### STAWELL GOLD DIGGERS (VIC)



#### Team captain name:

Jodie Scantleton

#### **Team members names:**

Tony Scantleton, Karen Leithead and Jim Leithead

#### Reason for attending:

Jodie's mother and Karen's father both passed away from MND

#### TEAM AUTOMOBILITY



#### Team captain name:

**Jeff Watters** 

#### **Team members names:**

Adrian Mullens

#### Reason for attending:

My company manufactures wheelchair access vehicles and has many MND clients



#### Team captain name:

**Bec Daniher** 

**TEAM BREW** 

#### **Team members names:**

**Drew Howell** 

#### Reason for attending:

Bec's dad, Neale, is living with MND

#### **TEAM EMMA (VIC)**



#### Team captain name:

Emma Vulin

#### **Team members names:**

Matthew Broderick

#### **TEAM JPB (VIC)**



#### Team captain name:

**Neill Batchelor** 

#### **Team members names:**

Helen Batchelor, Anne Fazakerley and Geoff Fazakerley

#### Reason for attending:

We are doing this in memory of our beloved father and father-inlaw who passed away from MND in 1997 when so little was known about the disease

#### **TEAM MEZ**



# Team captain name:

Al McKelvie

#### **Team members names:**

Terry Rasmussen, Adrian Noble and Peter Hayes

#### Reason for attending:

Mel's mother-in-law Mary, affectionately known as 'Mez', and wife of founding member John passed away in 2017 from MND. Adrian's uncle and aunt have both passed from MND. Peter's wife's aunt passed from MND in 2017





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#### **TEAM MICROBIOLOGY**



Team captain name:

Peter Traynor

#### **Team members names:**

Ingrid Stuth

#### **Reason for attending:**

Peter was classmates with Neale at Assumption College

#### **TEAM MONICA HAYES**



#### Team captain name:

Geoff Fary

#### **Team members names:**

Darren Hellmann, Mick Doyle and Peter Evans

#### **Reason for attending:**

Geoff's wife Monica Hayes died from MND in 2016

#### THE 1000'S



#### Team captain name:

Yvonne Della

#### **Team members names:**

John Della, Barry Young, Nicki Lever

#### Reason for attending:

Yvonne lost a workmate to MND and now has a friend who has been diagnosed with it

#### **UNI BLUES**



#### Team captain name:

Brian Blood

#### **Team members names:**

Chris McInerney and Tim Rourke

#### Reason for attending:

We love the camaraderie of the trip plus the weekend is a great reminder of the good times we shared with the beautiful people we have lost

#### **YA PETER'S QUADDIE (VIC)**



#### Team captain name:

Matt Meehan

#### **Team members names:**

Michael Meehan and Jennifer O'Loghlen

#### Reason for attending:

Jennifer's dad had MND in 2007-2009 and sister has done the drive many times. Matt's sister, Chrissie Japp, has also done the drive for many years

#### **DANIHER BOYS 2025**



#### Team captain name:

Terry Daniher

#### **Team members names:**

Anthony Daniher and Chris Daniher

#### Reason for attending:

Brothers of Neale Daniher

## THE 3 MUSKETEERS (QLD)



# **Team captain name:**

Tracey Fitzpatrick

#### **Team members names:**

Lachie Pitman, Kathy Kerr

#### THE REVERENDS DISCIPLES



## **Team captain name:**

Penelope Collins

## **Team members names:**

Seamus Hounihan, Simon Lowrie and Fleur Lowrie

#### TROPICAL NORTH VICTORIANS



# Team captain name:

Ross Elliot

#### **Team members names:**

Adrian Adams

#### Reason for attending:

We have been a part of the FightMND family since 2016 when Ross participated in Daniher's Drive with a mate named Cos. Inspired every day by Neale & his amazing family







# OUR PARTNERS

The FightMND team would like to extend our deepest thanks to our 2025 Daniher's Drive partners. Their involvement and support ensures we can take the battle against the Beast on the road.

This year, the fan-favourite Wellness Van is back. And they are bringing plenty of cheer from Chemist Warehouse's most-loved brands. Special thanks to INC, Hydralyte, Rexona and Wagner for joining the journey and backing the cause.

FightMND is proud to have Chemist Warehouse as a long-time partner and thanks their dedicated team for continuing to go the distance.

# **GOLD PARTNER - CHEMIST WAREHOUSE**



For nearly a decade, Chemist Warehouse has stood proudly beside FightMND, and we're excited to have them back as our Gold Partner for Daniher's Drive. As Australia's largest pharmacy retailer, with more than 500 stores nationwide, their support has helped raise over \$1.7 million in the fight against Beast.

Daniher's Drive is a cause close to the heart of the Chemist Warehouse team. Year after year, they bring incredible energy to the road, helping raise awareness, building connections and championing the mission to find a cure for MND.











# **PARTNERS**

# **NATIONAL RAFFLE PARTNER - JAYCO**



Jayco is once again hitting the road with Daniher's Drive in 2025, generously donating the major prize for this year's raffle.

This year's prize is the 2025 Jayco Discovery 19.61-3 Outback Caravan valued at \$85,990. Featuring a spacious interior, premium finishes, and the latest in Jayco technology, it's the perfect choice for families seeking memorable Aussie adventures in style and comfort.



We're incredibly grateful to Jayco for their continued support and commitment to helping us go further in the fight against MND.

# **NIGHT EVENT SPONSORS**

# **CMV TRUCK & BUS**





CMV Truck & Bus has been a proud supporter of Daniher's Drive since 2019, and we're thrilled to welcome them back for their seventh year on the road. In 2025, they return as the sponsor of our always-popular Trivia and Gala Auction on Night 2.

A family-owned and operated business since 1934, CMV Truck & Bus brings over 90 years of experience in the commercial vehicle industry. With a strong focus on service, sales, parts, and maintenance, they're committed to delivering excellence across every part of their business.

We're grateful for their continued support and partnership in helping us drive towards a future free of MND.

# **BAYSIDE COACHES**



Founded in 1995, Bayside Coaches is one of Melbourne's premier and highly regarded providers of charter-only coach services.

First supporting the Drive in 2017, we're thankful to welcome Bayside Coaches back as the sponsor of our first night on the road.

# **SUPPORTERS**

Thank you to our 2025 Daniher's Drive Supporters.

















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