

For those of you that don't know Janine, Tracey and A.D. Ryan's Bar and Restaurant below is a brief summary of some of the work they do and have done because they love to...

Janine & Tracey have been the owners of A.D. Ryan's for the past 10 years. During this period they have formed a large committee of people that raise money all through out the year. Some \$225,000.00 has been raised over the past 10 years which have been distributed to many charities as well as an annual Xmas Hamper Donation to 7 families within a 8km radius via Primary Schools to families in need.

Some of the Charities that have received these funds are:

- Challenge for Children
- Royal Children's Hospital Appeal (Annually)
- Jordan McCarthy Foundation
- R.S.L's. Anzac Day (Annually)
- Anglican Church Diamond Creek (Annually)
- Cancer Council Victoria (4 Annual events per year including Daffodil Day, Biggest Morning Tea, Shave 4 Cure, Movember)
- T.L.C for Kids
- Bali Bombings
- Tsunami

And most recently Black Saturday Bushfires where monies were directly donated to families and local C.F.A.'s.

All monies donated are given directly to the areas that the money is raised for with no personal gain to any persons involved except for the personal feeling of giving and giving back to the community.

The committee which is also known as "No Undie Sundie" generally runs an account which tries to carry a credit of \$4000.00 for emergencies of need in particular for local families suffering difficulties with cancer or the likes. This money is raised daily via a jug on the bar.

Ruckus ~ Mick and Mere's Abrey lost many friends as well as friends homes and venues through the Black Saturday Bushfires. Their generosity has been second to none over the past 15 years playing at many venues for free or at a minimal cost to raise money for what is needed.

Once again, Mick & Mere's are showing their generosity in performing at A.D. Ryan's Fundraiser on Thursday 24th February and heading on this road trip up North.