



# Marley's Mail – May 2024



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Jonathon in MBL 67 at Piggott

## Happy Birthday

Brandon Doherty – 4<sup>th</sup>

Sean Pinto – 5<sup>th</sup>

Brian Higgs – 10<sup>th</sup>

John Lord – 12<sup>th</sup>

Alex Booth – 12<sup>th</sup>

Ash Treasure – 28<sup>th</sup>

Ricky Holland – 31<sup>st</sup>

Enjoy celebrating your special day!

### What's Gone Wrong?

A driver has gone the wrong way on farm and run over a post. **Please be reminded to always ask questions when you are unsure or if you are new to a farm.**

A driver has reversed up too far and backed into a concrete curb. **Please ensure that you don't back up too far and get out before you reverse back too far.**

A driver has damaged his lead trailer by backing into a pole. **Please be reminded to always ensure that both sides are being looked at by a spotter.**

### Reminders

**Mobile Phone Usage:** Mobile phone usage while driving a truck is distracting, illegal, dangerous, and stupid! It can result in fatalities and criminal and civil action against negligent drivers. Please consider the use of a dock and set phone up to avoid having to touch it while driving. For example, if you listen to podcasts, set it up prior to driving so that it plays automatically. If you need to touch the phone, do it when you get to site or when you have a rest. If you want to answer phone calls, consider a Bluetooth earpiece.

**Incident Reporting:** Please ensure you report all incidents to management and take photos. No matter how minor the incident may be.

**Timesheets:** Please be reminded that it is a requirement to hand in your timesheets daily. Please have your timesheets in from the previous week by Tuesday morning by the very latest.



Ricky unloading at Milnes

Marley's Transport has won the TruckSafe John Kelly Memorial Award at the Trucking Australia Gala Award's Dinner in Canberra. Georgie & Madison were there to receive the award.

Marley's have now been with TruckSafe for 25 years and we thank everyone involved in the business to achieve this award. This award has been achieved through ensuring safety and integrity are a part of our core values. Let's keep maintaining our hard work!



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Welcome new members to team Marley:  
Taylor Lyford – Driver  
Jimmy Singh – Driver  
Pedro Robson – Driver

### Special Thanks

**Rod Warner** – Celebrating 2 years on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of May.  
**Steffan Lajh** – Celebrating 2 years on the 11<sup>th</sup> of May.  
**Brent Hasson** – Celebrating 3 years on the 10<sup>th</sup> of May.  
**Paul Gibbons** – Celebrating 5 years on the 27<sup>th</sup> of May.  
**Tyler Jacob** – Celebrating 5 years on the 27<sup>th</sup> of May.  
**Warren Shewan** – Celebrating 8 years on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of May.  
**Matt Dejong** – Celebrating 18 years on the 1<sup>st</sup> of May.

*We thank you for your commitment and dedication to the Marley team over the years!*



When everything seems to be going against you, remember that the airplane takes off against the wind, not with it.  
Henry Ford

## Checklist & Tips for Winter Driving

As autumn is coming to an end and the winter season begins in June, it's time to think about your vehicle safety. No one wants to break down, especially not in the cold or rain!



Visit your mechanic - get a routine inspection and undertake a service on your vehicle.



Fill your windscreen reservoir and check that your windscreen wipers.



Inspect your tyres and tread.

Check your battery and lights.

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