

THE MORRIE MAG

**Official Newsletter of the Morris
Car Group of Ipswich**



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MEETINGS, FEES, MEMBERSHIP COUNT

Our meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month at 7.30pm in the Councillors Office, Raceview Shopping Centre, Raceview.

MCGI currently has 24 paid memberships, covering 39 individuals.

GROUP AIMS

The aims of the group are:

- to foster the preservation and active use of all models of Morris vehicles produced between 1948 and 1971;
- to provide a forum for the exchange of general information and technical advice; and
- conduct a variety of motoring and social activities.

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Minutes of the Morris Car Group of Ipswich Meeting

Meeting Date: 14 February 2012

Meeting opened at: 7.45pm

Attendance: As per attendance sheet

Apologies: As per attendance sheet

Previous minutes were read and accepted.

Moved: Dave

Seconded: Trevor

Correspondence

EMAILS

- Car Inc Minutes from 27 November meeting
- Greg Hall – website
- Ipswich Embroiderers – shirts
- Gaynore Stoessel – Christmas Party photos
- Tina re: Events for Meeting
- Ken and Linda Brooker
- Scott Smith – Public Liability Certificate

LETTERS

- Toowoomba Old Machinery Society – Event Invitation
- Marburg Show Committee
- 2013 National Rally Committee
- Canungra Hotel – venue promotion

NEWSLETTERS/BROCHURES FROM

- Morris Register of Queensland
- The Mini Mag from Mini Owners Club of Queensland
- Minor Torque from MMCC of NSW
- BSMMCC
- The Polishers Rag from DD Veteran and Vintage Motor Club
- Morris Car Club of SA
- Minor Report from Central Victoria MMCC
- MM CC of Tasmania
- Austin Motor Vehicle of Qld
- Crank Case from Inverell Antique Motor Club
- Good Oil News from Ipswich Veteran & Vintage Vehicle Club
- TDMG

Correspondence Accepted

Moved: Tertia

Seconded: Leonie

Treasurers Report

Treasurer's report was presented at the meeting. Current bank balance is available to members on request.

Treasurer's Report Accepted

Moved: Ken

Seconded: Andrew

GENERAL BUSINESS

Events

MMCCQ Club Run – Lockyer Valley Cultural Centre - 19 February

Members choice to attend. Tertia to send details of the run to members by email.

Car Inc Birthday BBQ - 26 February

Start 11am, followed by a BBQ BYO lunch and drink. If wet it will be at Scott and Debbie Smiths house at 4 Burnell Court, Toowoomba. Tertia to forward details to members by email.

Toowoomba Old Machinery Society – Machinery Expo – 3-4th March

“All Things British” No members present were interested in attending. No action required.

Wedding 11 March

Offer to do a wedding in Dayboro, between 1-3 hours from 12.30pm. Members expressed concern about the distance. Tertia to email BSSMMCC to see if they can do it.

Northern Districts Show and Shine 18 March

Redcliffe Showgrounds - No members present were interested in attending. No action required.

Morris Register of NSW – Centenary of First Morris Car – 19-26th April

Rally in Canberra 19th to 22nd, then additional rallies until 26th

Some members present thought this event had merit. To be discussed at a future meeting.

Tertia to send details to members by email after the next meeting.

Marburg Show Committee – 28 & 29 April Invitation

Held on Friday 28th and Saturday 29th April. Vehicle displays are on the Saturday. Members present expressed an interest in attending. Tertia to email organizers to secure our inclusion.

Tweed Valley Vehicle Restorers Club – 5 & 6 May Invitation

To be discussed at a future meeting. Details on the Website under Events.

Toowoomba Rotary – 6 May David Hack Classic Meet

To be discussed at a future meeting. Details on the Website under Events.

Coming Events

(These are listed further in the Newsletter)

Fundraising

BBQ Update – Bunnings - In Tina's absence, Tertia explained that Tina had expressed our interest to Bunnings for late June.

Marketing and Group Promotion

The Advertiser - Leonie advised that the free advert in The Advertiser was requested for every week but was dependent on advertising space.

Meeting closed at 8.30pm



FEBRUARY / MARCH BIRTHDAYS

18 February – Leone Waters
27 February – Ray Lomax

Please email or phone Tertia to update your birthday so that we can include you in the newsletter!

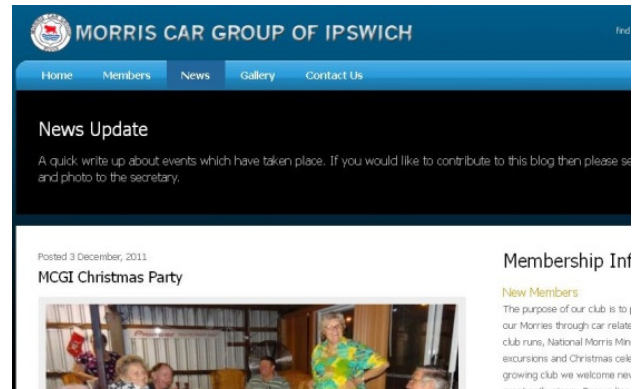


“I figured you should have breakfast in bed on your birthday. Can you reach the stove okay?”

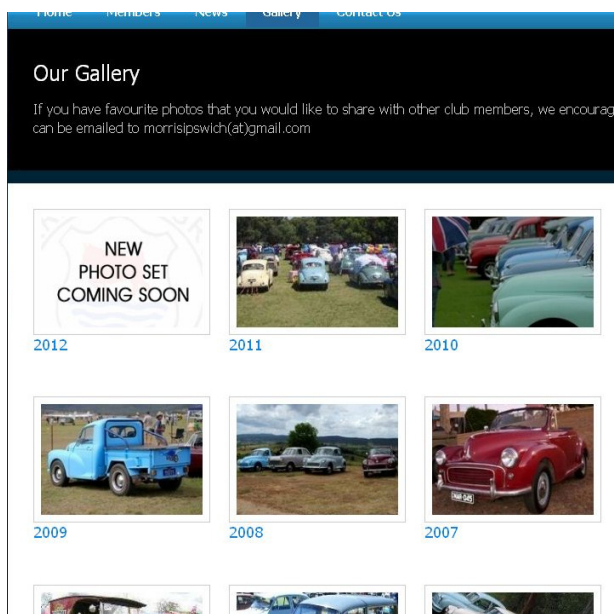
WEBSITE UPDATE



After nearly a year of planning and organizing, the MCGI finally has a great website! A temporary one was in place for a few months, until Greg Hall from TDMG offered his assistance in the redesign.

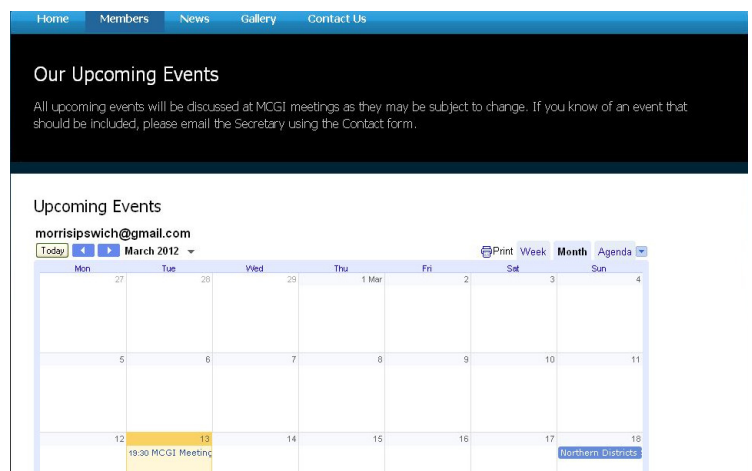


We now have fantastic internet presence where we can blog about runs, show tonnes of photos and have an automatically updating link to our Events calendar.



We could not have done it without hours and hours of volunteered time from **Greg Hall**, from the Toowoomba & Downs Morris Group.

Please accept a HUGE thank you from the MCGI!!! You are a star!



The new website is located at the old address: <http://morrisipswich.org>

If you would like to contribute to the site with photos or a blog post then just email Tertia on morrisipswich@gmail.com.

APPAREL

Club Shirts can be purchased from Ipswich Embroiderers, Cascade Street, Raceview. Shirts are \$32 each, plus \$5 for an embroidered name and \$5 if you would like a pocket. Details and photos are on the website.

Inside every older person is a younger person wondering what the hell happened

UPCOMING EVENTS

A reminder to all members that the MCGI Events calendar is updated regularly and available on the website. More details of all the below events can be found by using the online calendar.

Highlighted events are CONFIRMED club activities, decided at each meeting.

March 2012	April 2012	May 2012
13 th – MCGI Meeting	1 ST – CLUB RUN Darling Downs Zoo	5/6 th – Tweed Valley Invitation
25 th – Ormiston Swap	6 th – 9 th - EASTER	5 th – Ipswich Street Parade
	10 th – MCGI Meeting	6 th – Twmba Rotary David Hack Day
	15 th – Shannons @ Willowbank	8 th – MCGI Meeting
	22 nd – BSSMMCC Ipswich Gardens	13 th – Greenbank Swap
	22 nd – Gold Coast Swap	20 th – Ebbwvale & Gatton Swaps
	28/29 th – CLUB RUN Marburg Show	26 th – Pine Rivers Rock & Roll
		27 th – GCSR Mudgeeraba Swap
		27 th – Qld Vintage Swap - Capalaba
		27 th – Goomeri Pumpkin Festival
June 2012	July 2012	2013
10 th – THMEC Border Swap	8 th – Gold Coast Antique Swap	29 th March – National Rally
12 th – MCGI Meeting	10 th – MCGI Meeting	19-26 th April– Canberra Rally
17 th - MGCCQ Open Day & Swap	15 th –RACQ Motorfest	
17 th – Redbank Plains Swap	28 th – Nambour Swap	

The MCGI is planning a run to the Darling Downs Zoo on **1 APRIL 2012**. We will be stopping at Maa Maa Creek for morning tea, and would like to reach the zoo by 10.30am to ensure we are inside for the Lion Feeding at 11am. BYO Lunch at the Zoo. We extend an invitation to all the other clubs to join us on this day. If you would like to come please contact our Events Coordinator, Tina, on 0413 279 349.

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