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Morrykhana Moments at Roxburgh College 2019, 2020, 2021

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On the 10th June 2021 at 8:00 pm.

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Long Line Jacket \$75	Reversible Vest \$45	Long Sleeve Rugby \$40	Short Sleeve Polo \$35
			
Club Badge Keyring \$5	Club Cloth Patch \$12	Club Mug \$10	Club Logo Cap \$15

Apparel available to order...

Chambray shirts (pale blue) with club logo. \$39.

Navy Scarf with logo. \$17.

Club lapel badge. \$10.

Various 2017 National Rally badges.

This forum is the common portal to link all the clubs together and where Morris Minor owners



from all over the country can swap information, search for parts, and make new friends.

<http://www.morrisdownunder.com/forum/index.php>

President's Report – June 2021

Hi All,

What a magic day at the Morrykhana. The weather was perfect, the Morries glorious and our hosts amazing! Roxburgh College even had great door prizes to complement the food. I would like to point out that a certain HEK was the winning car but I feel a bit betrayed that I wasn't the winning driver! Congratulations to Alan Todd who does not get to drive a Morry everyday as is evident by the beautifully restored chassis he bought along to show us. More about that in the run report.

On a bit of an ironic note the Morrykhana was our last event before lockdown last year and again this year.



At the last meeting, we had Rob Smith with his animated gearbox talk which was very educational and I thought I had it until I saw a model of a modern gear box at the Roxburgh College and it all didn't make sense again. I might have to take one apart – oh no!

I recently went to an Association of Motoring Clubs (AOMC) meeting of which the MMCCV is a member and they have promised the Florence Thompson Tour will go ahead next year so a glimmer of light there. More in my AOMC report later in the Generator.

A passing comment that I noticed at the last meeting we had four past Presidents in attendance with Ross Carr.(1981),John Druery (2002 – 2005), , Wayne Cunningham (2006 – 2008), and Mark Parritt (2012 – 2016). I wonder how many other clubs command that sort of loyalty and longevity from their members? I would also like to thank them for all their work in keeping this club together. Back to HEK, Percy had loaned me the gizmo for oiling the steering column, so I found the hole under my sound deadener and then realised the cover boot was torn. Oiling I can do but replacing the boot seems to require a degree of skill to be able to tell if anything is worn-out or damaged. Another project!

I'm finding it a bit hard to look too far forward and I'm making plan B for the AGM if we are not able to meet at the club house. I think we should continue on Zoom if we have to but I will let everyone know closer to the time.

Hopefully see you at the AGM,

Braidy Davies, President.

APOLOGY TO CLUB MEMBER

It has been pointed-out that Trevor Sorbach's name was misspelt in the January 2021 issue of The Generator. The Club Committee hereby wishes to apologise to Trevor for any discomfort this mistake might have caused him.

Run Report - Morykhana - 2021

It was an early start in the Carr household on Sunday May 23rd. I had been terribly busy during the week and had not had time to clean the Morry for the Morrykhana. I had some breakfast and was out the door washing the car before 7am. This was not the real problem; the real problem was that it was minus 3 degrees and the water had frozen in the pipes. After approximately 15 minutes I managed to get the hose working and started washing the car. The warm water in the bucket was a nice relief for my freezing cold hands.

After a quick wash the Morry was looking great, I loaded the gear required into the ute and was about to chamois it off, when I found that the water on the car had frozen.

I started it up and let it warm up for a few minutes before heading off on my 300km round trip. I called in and fueled the old girl up along the way.

I made it to the meeting point at McDonalds just before 10am. Not long after arriving more and more fellow members turned up to have a chat and a coffee. By now the weather had warmed up somewhat and the day was looking good.

Percy & Cheryl led us to Roxburgh College from McDonalds without a hassle. Upon arrival we met up with a few more members who had driven directly there.

Neil welcomed us all to the College and gave us a quick briefing on what was where. We then headed out to start the first event.

The first event was Reverse Parking followed by driving up to a matchbox to see who could get the closest with the R/H/F wheel without running it over. I was incredibly lucky as no one ran it over and so I could start the fire at home that night to keep warm!

We then stopped for a superb BBQ lunch with desserts, supplied by the College. Having had elegant sufficiency, we all headed into the classrooms to have a look around.

Event three was, from a distance, to set a gap between 2 cones and then to drive up to them and between them without touching either cone.

The final event of the day was the reverse slalom.

With the points all tallied, we started off with the presentations, Ross Carr in 3rd place, Trevor Sarbach in 2nd place and in 1st place the winner iiiiiiiiiissssssssss ALLAN TODD. Allan took home the David Warren perpetual trophy to add to the mantel piece. All place getters were within 3 points of each other.

We said our goodbyes and headed off home. It was a great day out and thanks once again to Roxburgh College for having us there and supplying lunch.

The Morry travelled just under 300km for the day and the only issue I experienced was a fellow driver who was so busy looking at my car that he ran up the bum of the car in front of him, fortunately no one was hurt.

Hope to see you out and about soon on another club run.

Stewart Carr – May 2021

PS: See some mixed shots of the last three years Morrykhana's on the front cover of this issue and another on Page 9.

Membership Report – June 2021

Membership statistics are as follows...

There are 179 Financial Members plus 7 Life members.

93 Cars are registered on the Club Permit Scheme.

Should you have any Membership queries or suggestions do not hesitate to

Contact me on - 0419 517 363 or email - membership@morrisminorvic.org.au

Club Name Badges:

These are available for **\$15.00 per person**, contact me to order a badge. Come to a meeting in your Morrie, wearing your badge, and be in the running to choose a prize from the raffle table.

We have no new members this month.

An Urgent Reminder: Club membership fees were due to be paid no later than March 31st.

Thanks to those who have already renewed. For those members yet to submit their fees a Membership Renewal Form can be found on the back page of this issue.

Please note: The annual fee for those receiving an email copy of The Generator remains at \$25. For those receiving a posted copy, the fee is now \$60 to cover increases in printing and postal costs.

Feel Better & Get Well Soon

To any members of our Club who are unwell or recuperating, we hope you are back with us soon.
If you know of any member/s who are on the sick list, please let me know.

*** **HAPPY BIRTHDAY** ***

June Birthday Bunch

Pam Wood
Mac Reynolds
Geoffrey Nougher
Kim McKellar
John Irving

Peter Jackson
Laura Jennings
John Archard
David St George
June Miller

Richard McKellar
Don Woolfe
Marlene Edwards
Paul Bridgeford
Trudi Waltraud

Rob Sloan
Hendrika West
Norman Barrow
Douglas Gower

Craig Warner
Brian Glass
Lesley Dines
Jeanette Sherwin



Jim Gourlay - Membership Officer





Club attendees at Roxburgh College for Morrykhana 2021

This Merry Mob are gathered around the Morry that was, for many long years, owned by fellow club members Geoff and Bev O'Donnell and driven all over the countryside, by them as members of the Morry Touring Club, and has been seen at several National Rallies and Musters, and many club runs over the years. The car is now owned by club member Neil Cheney who, at Geoff's request, has undertaken to maintain the car's association with our club and to keep it in its largely original condition.



MMCCV Treasurer's Report May 2021

1/05/2021 - 31/05/2021			CM	YTD 2021-2022
<u>MMCCV Cheque A/C</u>				
Opening Balance	\$6,987.95	<u>Income</u>		
Net Income/Deficit	-\$431.43	Term Deposit Interest	\$0.00	\$0.00
Closing Balance	\$6,556.52	Club Raffle	\$60.00	\$130.00
		Events	\$130.00	\$140.00
		Membership Dues	\$335.00	\$1,310.00
		CPS / AOMC Book Sales	\$0.00	\$0.00
		Regalia Sales	\$0.00	\$22.00
<u>MMCCV Term Deposit A/C</u>		Badges	\$0.00	\$0.00
Opening Balance	\$8,482.34	Donation	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interest	\$0.00	Advertising	\$0.00	\$0.00
Closing Balance	\$8,482.34	Rally Badges/Merch	\$0.00	\$0.00
		Auction	\$36.00	\$36.00
		Library	\$0.00	\$0.00
		<u>Total Income</u>	\$561.00	\$1,638.00
<u>MMCCV ACCOUNTS</u>		<u>Expenditure</u>		
Cheque A/C	\$6,556.52	"Generator" costs	\$357.25	\$357.25
Term Deposit	\$8,482.34	Regalia	\$439.15	\$439.15
<u>Total Balance</u>	<u>\$15,038.86</u>	Postage	\$0.00	\$0.00
		Badges	\$13.75	\$52.25
		Suppers	\$54.78	\$90.23
		AOMC Handbooks	\$0.00	\$0.00
		Trophies	\$0.00	\$0.00
		Auditor Fee	\$127.50	\$127.50
		Stationary	\$0.00	\$0.00
		Refunds	\$0.00	\$0.00
<u>Unpresented Cheques</u>		BMC Experience subs	\$0.00	\$0.00
		CAV annual fee	\$0.00	\$0.00
		Rent	\$0.00	\$0.00
		AOMC	\$0.00	\$0.00
		Events	\$0.00	\$0.00
	\$0.00	Computer software	\$0.00	\$0.00
		Bank reversal	\$0.00	\$0.00
		Web site hosting	\$0.00	\$0.00
		Insurance	\$0.00	\$0.00
		Presentations/Prizes	\$0.00	\$0.00
		PO Box Rental	\$0.00	\$0.00
		Donations	\$0.00	\$0.00
		<u>Total Expenditure</u>	\$992.43	\$1,066.38
		<u>Net Income/Deficit</u>	-\$431.43	\$571.62

AOMC Meeting 24th May 2021 at the Veneto Club Bulleen.

This meeting was well attended with quite a few people having a meal at the club beforehand. There were two sets of speakers with the first being RACV's new Motoring Interests representatives Megan Ballantyne and Nicole Ballina. They wished to reassure the motoring community of the continuing support of the RACV to the car clubs. There was a lot of emphasis on the availability of grants for car club activities particularly if they are in regional Victoria. There is also an RACV historic collection which is open to clubs to visit by contacting liaison officer Megan Ballantyne. There were lots of questions from the floor about the grants which seem easy to apply for. One question about the Florence Thompson tour for female classic and veteran car drivers was resoundingly replied to in the affirmative albeit in a different format. I have offered to help organise this and will keep you up to date.

The second speaker was completely different and very interesting - Leon Sinnott from Beyond Blue. His personal journey with depression was moving and worrying. He listed the symptoms for depression and anxiety which are on the web site. The two most important point I got from this talk was that you need to set yourself up with a bit of 'me' time before you retire so that you have interests to fall back on. The second point was to admit when you need help, which can be the first step to recovery. When you ask someone 'are you OK?' be prepared to listen. If anyone in our club is having a hard time please find someone to talk to or contact Beyond Blue as they understand and have solutions.

The meeting moved on to more mundane things such as logbooks and the Club Plate scheme. Apparently, VicRoads ran out of logbooks so that the reminder mailouts were late. Everyone has experienced problems, and the feeling was not very complementary of VicRoads performance.

An interesting night.

Braidy Davies.



Coming Events Calendar 2021

June 2021

Run volunteer required

July - Sunday 18th

Midyear Lunch – Xmas in July

This year's lunch will be at the Tab Corp Park, 2 Ferris Road Melton South.

Bookings to be made through our Treasurer Katie.

A booking fee of \$10 must be placed with Katie no later than the June meeting night. (10/6/2021)

We will meet at the BP Servo on the Western Highway. Rock Bank at 11:00am for an 11:30am departure on a short drive to the lunch venue.

Those who wish can go directly to the Trotting track at Melton. Please be there by 12 Noon.

Lunch will be your choice from the Bistro Menu, so you can eat and be merry at you own cost.

Any enquires please contact Wayne at 0407 994 642.

August 2021

Run volunteer required

September 2021

Run volunteer required

October 2021

Mystery Run

Trevor Sorbach has volunteered to organise a MYSTERY Run. More details later.

November – Tuesday 2nd

Melbourne Cup Day Gathering

Be seen at what has become a regular event, Cup Day at Henry and Marlene's place in Whittlesea. Details later!

December – Thursday 2nd

Christmas Party

Christmas Dinner at the Veneto Club in Bulleen.

Happy birthday to you. Wish I was with you, I tapped. Had I ever been away for her birthday before? Surely not. I should have pushed back on the damn timing of this trip.

PING ! my phone chided me again that evening. No mountain to be seen during this dinner... just monsoonal rain sheeting the edge of the Bar. Raindrops hammering overgrown fronds that meekly stretched into the dining area. Our beers sweating condensation like an athlete in summer.

PING ! the Samsung insisted..." I'm buying it. Negotiated him down. Can you do pounds via work?" "Yep shore I cannot" my wet fingers clumsily typed

PING ! "Eh?" "Soz hun...auto correct"

PING ! "AHA ! Auto-correcting your 5th beer more like it" Emoji hashtag. Blue Luvheart. Middlefinger.

"Ummmmmm congrats I think! Happy Birthday beautiful! England heh? Are you going to see it before you sign anything? Luv u. What a birthday present". I diligently grovelled my way through the birthday absence.

PING ! "Nah. All good"

I studied the dinner table in front of me...Am I less likely to choke on the lychee or beer? I contemplated the stinger of the 6" mosquito sheltering under the palm frond that was gently stroking my beer glass. You buzz louder than a Morrie would I concluded. Eyeing the top shelf for an elusive cognaccy-looking label, I wondered what the farmers would think of importing a Morrie from England. Probably no word for Morrie in Burmese, so god knows what Joseph would translate to them.

A clear sky accompanied us the next day during miles travelled into neighbouring Mon State, toward a Ministerial delegation in provincial Mawlamyine. Serious rubber business today I noted, as I tried to picture Katie driving a Morrie, top down, sunnies on, warm soft smile with regal wave to onlookers. I bumped my head on the roof for the 20th time as we traversed yet another professional indigenous pothole. My minds image shifted to her beside a highway, steam emitting from a lopsided broken-down sad sack of British Imperialism. Is this all a mistake? Would she really like it? Will I be a Morrie-widower?

The formality and seniority of the ministerial meeting surprised me, but it was going well. Collaboration was looking positive.

BZZZZZZ. The silenced Samsung pestered me. BZZZZZZZ. While Joseph expertly interpreted the completely meaningless waffle I had just smiled across to my counterparts, I surreptitiously glanced down at the screen on my lap.

"all going well. Papers signed agreeing notice of intent to buy. Arranging deposit remit."

"K" I punched back and returned to smiling and nodding.

As Joesph continued on, I became nervous that he seemed to be saying a hell of a lot more than what I had said. Or Myanmar has 10 words translation to my one? I started examining expressions around the table a little closer.

BZZZZZZ, Samsung demanded. Again? BZZZZZZZZZZZZ. "Learning about import reg's. Seems all good"

I reached for my petite cup of green tea.

BZZZZZZ. It insistently resonated on the table top. BZZZZZZZZZZZ. Cup poised at mouth I glanced diagonally toward the screen.

"Cept for Asbestos". Tea dribbled down my chin as my head jerked involuntarily forward.

One eyebrow softly rose on the official opposite me, before he frowned, waved a hand behind him, and barked at Joseph.

"Mr Tony...he asks if tea too hot, need water?" Joseph translated. "Thank you, No" I hastily responded with my warmest smile. Tea is delicious. I just saw the rubber price on my phone! Good for farmers!"

(To be continued)

**GENERAL MEETING MINUTES OF THE MORRIS MINOR CAR CLUB OF VICTORIA INC.
THURSDAY 13TH MAY 2021
HELD AT THE HORRIE WATSON HALL, DEEPDENE AND ALSO VIA ZOOM**

The President welcomed the members present and online and opened the meeting at 8.08pm.

Committee members present: President: Braidy Davies; Vice President: Stewart Carr; Treasurer: Katie Hamilton; Secretary: Ed James; Editor: Rob Smith; Assistant Editor: Barb Went; Membership: Jim Gourlay; Club Captain: Mike Dobson; CPS Officer: Wayne Cunningham; Regalia: Alan & Liam Todd; and Librarian: Henry Edwards.

Attendance: Approximately 27 members were present with a further 5 members via Zoom.

Apologies: Marj Henshall, Barry Phillips, Jeff Brumhead, Phil Plumbe, Richard McKellar, Geoff Shepherd, Cheryl Scicluna, Sue Cheney, Brenda & Bob Stork and Barbara & Ken Urquhart.

Acceptance of Minutes

Minutes of the previous meeting held 8th April 2021 accepted on the motion of John Druery and seconded by David St. George.

President's Report: As per the Generator.

Secretary's Report: Various magazines, flyers and emails received. Most correspondence received has been included in the Generator. Various notifications of forthcoming events have been forwarded to the Acting Club Captain (Mike) for possible inclusion in future rallies. Some enquiries received about the sale of Morris Minors and/or parts.

Treasurer's Report: As per the Generator. Katie advised that we have a current operating balance of \$7,252.95. We have had \$36.74 interest paid on the term deposit account of \$8,445.60 bringing the new balance of the term deposit to \$8,482.34. This gives a combined balance of our accounts of \$15,735.29. The accounts have been audited.

Membership Officer's Report: Jim advised that we currently have 179 members and 7 Life members. We have 2 new members this month. New Membership cards will be provided on request.

Acting Club Captain's Report: This is Mike's last report as the Acting Club Captain but will continue as a Committee Member. Mike stressed the importance of members organising runs. The Morrykana has been arranged for 23rd May (need numbers for this) and in July we will have our Mid-Year lunch (Christmas in July for which a \$10 booking fee needs to be paid to Katie). Ed is to organise a run for June probably to the B24 Liberator Bomber restoration project in Werribee. Wayne advised that the Ballarat Tramway Museum is having an event on 19th September which we could organise a run to. He also suggested the Car Museum at Gembrook.

Editor's Report: This is Rob's second last meeting in this role as he is leaving the Committee at the AGM. Barb is taking over the role as Editor of the Generator with Rob's assistance.

CPS Officer's Report: Wayne advised that as per the Generator we presently have 93 cars on club plates. One member has sold his car so we have one less vehicle on the register.

Regalia Report: Alan advised that they have ordered more caps which will be sold for \$18 each. We need to do an order of at least 25 T shirts (new design) so will need to know approximate numbers for sizes from our members. We will sell for \$25 each. Alan is going through what we have advertised for the Regalia in the Generator and will amend as appropriate.

GENERAL BUSINESS

- 1. The Morrykana is being held at Roxburgh College on 23rd May. We need to finalise the numbers for this event;**
- 2. Our Annual General Meeting is planned for our next meeting , the last AGM was held in November. The minutes for this will be distributed prior to the forthcoming AGM. Nomination forms for Committee positions are available on our website and need to be received a week before the meeting;**
- 3. We are still looking for someone to be the Club Captain. Mike Dobson is acting Club Captain for the present but will cease to do this at the AGM;**
- 4. The Christmas in July event has been book for 18th July at the Melton Harness Track. A Bistro menu will be on offer with a fee of \$10.00 per booking. Wayne will need to know numbers by the June meeting. Details will be in the next Generator.**

Items for Sale:

Donated items were auctioned. A Morris Minor book donated by Katie Hamilton was purchased by Rob Smith for \$26. Front and rear badges donated by Chris Kemp were purchased by Henry Edwards for \$10. Mark Parritt has an extra wide wheel rim to give away.

Ross Carr is looking for a turn indicator that has a horn button on the end of it.

Please refer to the Generator for other items for sale.

Tips & Hints:

Barb Went advised that Thorpe (of the Morris Minor Co. of Australia) is going deaf so you need to send him emails rather than telephoning him. She is looking for advice about a trailer suitable for moving her 'Rice Bubbles' on.

Braidy had a problem with fitting a replacement oil filter. She advised not to get a REPCO one. RYCO filters are much better. Mark Parritt buys the RYCO filters online and said they are much cheaper.

Talk

Rob Smith gave a very informative and interesting talk on how gearboxes operate.

As Marcus was absent, Trish Smith was thanked for undertaking the catering role.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 9.02pm followed by the drawing of the raffle.

Ed James, Secretary

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING MINUTES
OF THE MORRIS MINOR CAR CLUB OF VICTORIA INC. THURSDAY 12TH NOVEMBER 2020
HELD VIA ON-LINE ZOOM SESSION**

The meeting was opened by the President Braidy Davies at 8.05pm and advised those present that there being at least 24 financial members present the requirements for a quorum had been duly satisfied.

Apologies: No apologies received.

Confirmation Previous Annual General Meeting Minutes

Minutes of the previous meeting held 9th May 2019 accepted on the motion of Ross Carr and seconded by Mike Dobson. PASSED

President's Annual Report

We have again had a great year. Activities and runs included:

- **A run to the Black Saturday Memorial at Strathewen followed by a BBQ at Sugarloaf Reservoir in Christmas Hills**
- **'Drive Back in Time' event at Beechworth**
- **Hamilton Annual Rally over the Queen's Birthday weekend**
- **BBQ & Trafficator School run by Rob Smith held at Henry & Marlene Edwards in Whittlesea**
- **The Mid-Winter Lunch at Donegans Farm**
- **Benalla Silo & Wall Art weekend and on the same weekend the Knox Car Club & Art Show**
- **The Day of the Morris Minor at Caribbean Gardens**
- **Mystery run through the Mornington Peninsula**
- **The Melbourne Cup gathering at Henry & Marlene's was as always a great event**
- **Mid-week impromptu run with lunch at the Eltham Hotel**
- **Christmas Party at the Veneto Club in Bulleen**
- **Pop up run to the Heide Gallery and Old England Hotel**
- **Australia Day at Westerfolds Park was a great event**
- **Morrykana at the Roxburgh College was again a great day**
- **Pop up mid-week run to the South Morang Hotel was well attended**
- **Come March 2020 the restrictions caused by COVID 19 came into force resulting in all meetings being held via Zoom and all events cancelled for the foreseeable future**
- **Thanks to everyone who organised a run.**

Various events occurred during the year at our meetings. These included:

- **The Collectors Corner gave people a chance to show off their collections of various types of memorabilia**
- **A free pizza gathering at our August meeting**
- **Stewart Carr spoke about fitting alternators to Morris Minors**
- **Brian and Sue Stokes holidaying in Australia gave a talk about the activities of the Morris Minor Owners Club in England**
- **Scott Anderson gave a talk on using 3D printing for automotive restorations.**

The Committee has been fantastic. It is always active and supportive but needs new ideas and help. We are looking for a Sub Editor to assist with the Generator production and a Club Captain to organise the runs.

Special thanks to all those who help without being asked – these people make the club! They include:

- **Anne Druery as the greeter**
- **Cheryl and Percy Scicluna with the raffle and Cheryl again as supper supporter**
- **Sue Cheney who has been a greeter, raffle person and supper supporter**
- **Bev O'Donnell another supper supporter**
- **Marcus Ball as supper creator**
- **John Druery as webmaster**
- **Henry Edwards as Librarian**
- **Wayne Cunningham as the Club Permit Scheme dude**
- **Stewart Carr, Mark Parritt and Phil Plumbe for being our AOMC representatives**
- **Mark Parritt and Richard McKellar as our National Rally delegates**
- **Percy Scicluna who has volunteered to go to Roxburgh College twice a week to assist the students**
- **All Committee members**
- **Anyone who has organised a run**
- **Run report writers**
- **Ordinary members.**

We also had the sad loss of member Jeremy Rodseth during the year.

Braidy Davies, President

Treasurer's Report for 2019-2020 Club Year

As this report is the end of Katies first term as Treasurer she thanked Neil Cheney for the excellent work he had done for the previous 6 years in this role.

Our accounts have been independently audited and the full audit report is attached. A summary of our annual accounts is as follows:

• Income	\$11,330.15
• Expenditure	\$12,330.82
• Current Operating Account Balance	\$ 6,009.45
• Investment Account Balance	\$ 8,370.10
• Total Cash Assets at Hand	\$14,379.55

The income and expenditure amounts have been adjusted to allow for a deposit of \$4,729.00 paid in error by members and as such repaid.

There were no known outstanding liabilities or debts against the club.

For the financial year of 2019-2020 the MMCCV Inc. recorded a provisional before tax deficit of \$997.67. This compares to the previous years before tax surplus of \$1,893.51.

The term deposit held by the Bendigo Bank was rolled over on 13 September 2020 and will mature on 13 April 2021.

Due to a substantial increase in the costs for the printing and postage of The Generator it has been found the cost per member is now approximately \$45 for the postage and printing. As the current Mail Membership fee is \$45 this fee does not raise revenue for any other Club expenses. Therefore the fee for Mail Membership needs to increase to \$60 per annum to cover these increased costs. Email Membership can still remain at \$25 per annum.

A motion was moved that the annual Membership fees for 2021-22 are to be:

Mail Membership: \$60 per annum. Email Membership: \$25 per annum.

The motion to accept the accounts and the Membership fees was moved by Braidy Davies and seconded by Neil Cheney. PASSED

Presentation of Awards

Jim Gourlay advised of Length of Membership Awards have been listed in the Generator and that they would be presented at a future meeting.

The Club Person of the Year was awarded to Rob Smith.

Club Appreciation Awards were awarded to Neil Cheney, Barb Urquhart and John Druery.

These awards will also be presented at a future meeting.

The President relinquished the chair to John Druery for the purpose of chairing the meeting and the election of office bearers for the ensuing club year.

Election of Office Bearers

The following positions having been declared vacant were filled, in each case by only one nomination received and therefore no vote was required:

OFFICE BEARERS

- | | | | |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| • President: | Braidy Davies | nominated by Katie Hamilton | seconded by Ed James |
| • Vice-President: | Stewart Carr | nominated by Braidy Davies | seconded by Ed James |
| • Secretary: | Ed James | nominated by Braidy Davies | seconded by Katie Hamilton |
| • Treasurer: | Katie Hamilton | nominated by Braidy Davies | seconded by Ed James |

ORDINARY MEMBERS

- | | | | |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| • Membership: | Jim Gourlay | nominated by Braidy Davies | seconded by Ed James |
| • Editor: | Rob Smith | nominated by Braidy Davies | seconded by Ed James |
| • Regalia: | Alan & Liam Todd | nominated by Braidy Davies | seconded by Ed James |
| • Ordinary Member: | Mike Dobson | nominated by Braidy Davies | seconded by Ed James |

No objections were received and the Acting Chair declared all the positions filled.

A nomination was not received for the position of Club Captain so this position will be left as vacant. Mike Dobson agreed to be Acting Club Captain until the position is filled.

Next Annual General Meeting

The next Annual General Meeting will be held on 13th May 2021.

Close of Meeting

The Acting Chair closed the meeting at 9.31pm. John Druery was thanked for undertaking the role of Acting Chair. The drawing of the raffle was undertaken at the close of the meeting.

Ed James
Hon. Secretary

NOTICE OF AGM MEETING

This is the official notification that the AGM of the Morris Minor Car Club of Victoria will be held on the 10th of June at 8pm at the usual venue, the Horrie Watson Pavillion, Deepdene.

The ordinary business of the annual general meeting is as follows—

- (a) to confirm the minutes of the previous annual general meeting and of any special general meeting held since then;
- (b) to receive and consider—
 - (i) the annual report of the Committee on the activities of the Association during the preceding financial year; and
 - (ii) the financial statements of the Association for the preceding financial year submitted by the Committee in accordance with Part 7 of the Act;
- (c) to elect the members of the Committee.
- (d) to confirm or vary the amounts (if any) of the annual subscription and joining fee.

The Annual General Meeting may also conduct any other business, of which notice has been given in accordance with these Rules.

APPENDIX 3 – Proxy for Annual/ Special* General Meeting

Each member is entitled to appoint another member as a proxy by notice given to the Secretary no later than 24 hours before the time of the meeting in respect of which the proxy is appointed.

FORM OF APPOINTMENT OF PROXY

I,

(name)

of

(address)

being Member No.....of The Morris Minor Car Club of Victoria Incorporated

appoint.....

(name of proxy holder)

of

(address of proxy holder)

being a member of that Incorporated Association, as my proxy to vote for me on my behalf at the annual/special* general meeting of the Association to be held on

.....

(date of meeting)

and at any adjournment of that meeting.

My proxy is authorised to vote in favour of/ against* the following resolution (insert details of resolution).

.....

Signed

Date...../...../.....

* delete as applicable



Trading Places – June 2021

email editor@morrisminorvic.org.au

or

Contact: Rob Smith: 0407 313 859



FOR Sale

1

A couple of old pre-loved Morris

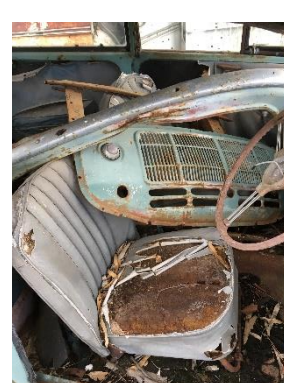
Two unrestored Morris Minor cars in various states of repair together with sundry parts.

One car has an engine and the other some good panels and lights, etc.

Both cars are located in Seymour and are from a deceased estate.

Asking price is **\$2,000 ONO** for the lot.

Please contact **Jenny** on **0408 803 832**.



WANTED TO BUY

2

4 Morry Wheels

In order to get a RWC I need to acquire 4 Morry wheel rims, for which I will buy tyres.

The mag wheels that are currently on the car are too wide and fouling the body so, I cannot get a RWC until I put standard wheels back on the car.

I am happy to go anywhere to pick-up and pay for them.

Please contact...

Geoffrey M Shepherd
PO Box 1112, South Melbourne,3205
Ph 0419 13 77 11

FREE FOR THE TAKING

1

A Morry Body Shell

Available FREE. A Morry Body Shell currently located in Box Hill/Surrey Hills, VIC.

A totally bare bodyshell, has some rusted areas but is actually pretty sound and straight.

Suited for welded repairs or for cuts to suit your restoration, or maybe to turn the rear end into a trailer, just like the one featured recently in The Generator.

The unit is presently set-up to roll on some small temporary castor wheels, which are not included in the give-away, so it can be easily wheeled out and hauled onto your trailer.



Contact Phil Plumbe in Surrey Hills Melbourne on Mobile 0413 270 172.

WANTED TO BUY

2

Morris Minor 1000

Hello, my name is Jedda McDonogh and I am looking for a very particular vehicle to buy.

I am after a **fully restored, original, unmodified four door Morris Minor 1000.**

It should be cream with red upholstery and I am prepared to be patient until a desired one comes up for sale.

Jedda McDonogh.

Please contact Jenny Wilsher at email jvet@bigpond.com

FOR SALE

2

Dismantled Morris Minor Series II.

Series II in dismantled condition but ripe for restoration.

Rescued from a deceased estate clearing sale and needs a new good home.

All original but mechanical condition unknown, spare panels and trim.

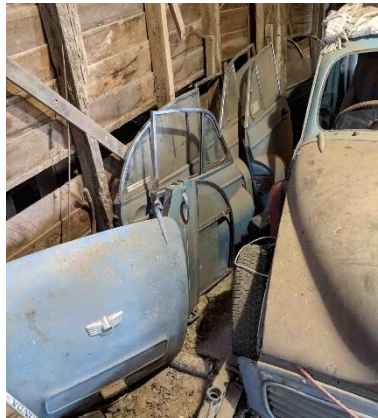
Victorian history, no rust.

The Car is located in Kyneton, Victoria and delivery might be possible.

Price \$750 ono.

Please contact Harry Hickling on Mob. 0419 011 092 or

Email him at harry.hickling@apvcorporation.com



FOR SALE

3

Sundry Morry Bits and Pieces.

Hello there,

My name is Susan Johns and, due to a death in the family, I have various Morry bits and pieces, including some engine parts, for sale. The stuff is available to view at my home in Balwyn. Prices are negotiable, make me an offer.

Please call me on **9836 1748** or email johnssusan1@gmail.com

FOR SALE

2

1958 Morris Minor Ute.

The Ute has had all rusted panels replaced and is now rust free.
It is fitted with a fully rebuilt Datsun 120Y engine and gearbox.
The Cylinder Head has been ported by Rams Head Service and is fitted with superior valve springs.
It has a slight Tighe cam, exhaust extractors, a Weber carburetor and a 3.9 ratio differential.
It has been fully upholstered and fitted with a sporty steering wheel.
It has been painted in 2 pack and is registered, with a compliance certificate, to August 2021.
Every nut & bolt is new. It has new moulded carpets, new battery, and a new wiring harness.
All the front end is new, and the rear springs have been re-bushed.
The car is fitted with a new petrol tank and larger front brakes, with all new rear brakes.

The asking price is **\$24,000.**

Contact me, **Terry Poole**, on Mob. **0407 285 626**
Or email tp695@hotmail.com





MORRIS MINOR CAR CLUB OF VICTORIA INC. 2021/22

A.R.N. A0001386N ABN 47 849 670 294

PO Box 354, Balwyn 3103

Renewal of Membership (Payment Due By March 31st)

Membership Number:

Title: Last Name:

First Name:

Please tick here if there are no changes from last year: []

Partner Name:

Children/s Name/s:

Address/Street:

Suburb: State: Postcode:

Applicant's Birthday: Partners Birthday:

Children/s Birthday/s:

Home Phone: Work Phone: Mobile Phone:

Email Address (PLEASE PRINT):

MEMBERSHIP RATES (One vote per membership which includes 2 adults plus any children involved in the club)

[] \$60.00 Magazine via Post [] \$25.00 Magazine via Email

Payment Amount \$..... Should you elect to receive your Club Magazine Electronically rather than by Post please tick the box above and be sure to also provide your email address.

Payment Method: [] Direct Bank deposit. BSB: 633 000 Account No: 1469 35168
Account Name: Morris Minor Car Club of Victoria Inc. Date Paid:/...../.....

In the reference field, enter: 'XXXX 2021 22 Renew' (where XXXX is your Club Membership Number)
[] Cash. [] Cheque/Money Order No:.....

VEHICLE INFORMATION

Please tick here if there are no changes from last year: []

How many Morris Minors do you own?..... How many are on the road?.....

Year: Model: Body Type: Rego Number:

[] Original. [] Restored. [] Modified. [] Daily Use.

Given Name of car: Colour:

You are [] or you are not [] a Club Permit holder with MMCCV Inc. Expiry Date:/...../.....

If more than one, would you please attach a list of your vehicles with details.

I hereby apply to renew my Membership of the Morris Minor Car Club of Victoria Inc. and I agree to be bound by the Constitution / Rules of the MMCCV Inc. for the length of time my Membership is current.

Signature: Date:/...../.....

This Membership Renewal form should be brought to the next general meeting of the club or it can be posted to:

The Membership Officer, MMCCV Inc. PO Box 354 Balwyn, Vic. 3103

It may also be emailed to the Membership Officer at membership@morrisminorvic.org.au

Phone enquiries can be made to the Membership Officer - Jim Gourlay, on 0419 517 363.

Office Use only

[] Receipt. [] Membership Book. [] Database Entry.
[] Membership Card. [] Detail Verification Sent.