

Minutes of Sydney General Meeting 27th March 2019

Meeting opened - 8:15 pm

Attendance -14 members, 2 visitors

Apologies - Wayne Luxford, Dennis Quinlan, Jim Cummins

Visitors - Peter Dawes has a VF750 Honda under restoration, Colin Hazel - guest speaker

New Members - nil

Minutes of Previous Meeting - David Delapp read the minutes. Proposed Barry Newall, seconded Colin Leeke.

Matters arising - Konrad Dover gave a review of recent Shannons auction where past member Terry Reily's bikes and car were sold.

Presidents Report - flowchart covering the Historic Vehicle Scheme and Classic Vehicle Scheme to be published next Clatter. Have prepared a list for suppliers and services in Australia and will now expand to worldwide suppliers of interest for classic motorcycling.

Vice President Report - Nothing to report

Treasurer - \$16,270.16 in cheque account plus the \$10,000 term deposit

Secretary - Usual magazines have been received from other clubs, mail from Motorcycling NSW covering removal of a director and ballot for upcoming election has been passed on to Damien Olbourne our club MCNSW rep.

Invitations received to Gloucester bike festival 4th and 5th May 2019.

Emails from MCNSW regarding scrutineer courses to be run.

emails from County Inn motels promoting the Southern Highlands and themselves as motorcycle friendly

Events - Rylestone Ramble organised by Trevor Murray another outstanding success with around 20 participants all now looking forward to the Dungog Dawdle later in the year.

Peter Wolfenden reported on a successful Velo/Vincent Rally at Oberon which had 17 bikes (3 Vincents, the rest Velos) attend, included a run up to Mt Panorama. It was on the same weekend as the Rylestone Ramble.

Peter Boros reported on MacQuarie towns ride to Wisemans Ferry to which this club is invited to all events.

Peter Dawes commented that the Gloucester bike festival 4/5 May is a great event and encouraged members to attend.

Library - No Report

Machine examiners - Nothing new to report

Editor - no official report, but April Clatter has been issued and well received by members

Membership - previously emails have been sent to unpaid members with a fair response, but still 40 or 50 not paid, not too many renewals coming in now. Non renewed members will be removed from next Clatter mail out.

Program Officer - Dave Lewis is planning a speaker bimonthly and videos for the other months. Speaker on Lapidary tonight, ideas sought for possible speakers.

Welfare - nothing to report

General Business- Colin Leeke cleaning out his shed and may have some items at next meeting.

Discussion point raised by Ian Wood and Barry Newall on the attendance requirements in the club's code of conduct and whether they can be enforced and if not whether they should be changed

David Delapp had a tyre bead lifter to display.

Meeting Closed 9:10pm, whereafter David Lewis organised guest speaker, Colin Hazel to give an interesting and enthusiastic talk on minerals, lapidary and gem cutting.

Next Meeting 24th April 2019