

# **RESTORE & RIDE MAGAZINE**

## November- December, 2017

## Coffs Harbour and District Motorcycle Restorers Club Inc

Safe riding throughout the year



The lunch spot, Brushgrove Pub on the Clarence Valley Club's Grafton Rally,



Panorama of the Rusty Iron Rally on Saturday Morning

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#### Rally Committee 2018

Nominations to be called.

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#### **CLUB MEETINGS:**

3rd Thursday of each month 7.00pm at Sawtell Bowling Club, Sawtell. Come early for a meal at the bistro.

#### LIFE MEMBERS:

Don Sonter, John Budds\*, Pete Richmond, Bill Baker, Ned O'Brien. \*Deceased



I was speaking with the Treasurer the other day who pointed out that there were still some 20 members who were in arrears with their dues. Now this is a problem as these members don't have registration on their bikes, have no membership card to show the machine examiners for inspection and reregistration and due to the Club's Constitution should have their membership cancelled which then requires a repeat of the full application process to become members again. (See the fees section later in the magazine.)

Now at first this seems a matter solely for the Treasurer, until the mailing and email lists for magazine distribution are examined. Only three of those in arrears have sent in an email address to receive the magazine, and with the exception of another two, most of them have not contacted Jeff and Laura McKenzie to be put on the mail out list for magazines. So while the last three editions of the magazines have had articles regarding fees, most of those in arrears are not seeing these articles! So for those of you who are receiving the magazine, if you know members who are not, can you encourage them to send in their email addresses or contact Jeff and Laura with regard to getting mailed copies.

The ride calendar has some shorter rides than normal in recognition of the hotter weather coming. It is also the end of the "rally season" with Hat Head in early November and then a few months off until the next major rally being Taree in March. If you have any suggestions for types of rides, destinations for rides or overnight or longer rides, please send them in or the calendar will become a bit stale!

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## Out and About

## Grafton, Clarence Valley, Rally, 25<sup>th</sup> -27<sup>th</sup> August.



The organisers should be proud of themselves: great weather, great choice of roads, excellent marshalling and a super lunch venue. The Brushgrove Pub supplied both choice and quality at very reasonable cost. Because of a fatal accident on the highway near Tyndale police were diverting

traffic and this led to much congestion on the Lawrence vehicle ferry. I've used this ferry many times but never with two ferries operating in tandem. Thankfully the highway had reopened when it was time to return home.

Rob Pop and I were keen to visit our senior member, Bill Baker, so I asked Terry Ryan if we were going anywhere near Maclean and he assured me that we would pass his door! We spent an hour or two with Bill and wife Val and both were in fine fettle. The ride back down the eastern side of the island to the Brushgrove Pub for judging and lunch was



Pub for judging and lunch was A BSA with an "identity crisis" most enjoyable. My only disappointment with the day was the meagre attendance of our own club members. After all, Grafton is our nearest club!

Report and photos by Ned O'Brien



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A category winning Rudge at the Grafton Rally.

## Stuart Points' Men's Shed Bike Show. 2<sup>nd</sup> September.

### Thanks For Coming – Ride Safe! Says Stuarts Point Men's Shed

### 130 Motorcycles Roll-In Stuarts Point Men's Shed Fundraiser

A short time ago, on September 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2017, Stuarts Point Men's Shed staged their inaugural annual Motorcycle Show to raise money for a much-needed floor-slab extension at their shed.

On that day, the sun shone down through a cool breeze in the rear carpark of Stuarts Point Workers Club. The low rumble of old and new motorcycles percolated quietly under <u>Little Ripper</u> <u>Band</u> playing the Neil



Young song "Unknown Legend", the chorus goes like – "Somewhere on a desert highway – She rides a Harley-Davidson – Her long blond hair, fly-ing in the wind The chrome and steel she rides,
colliding with the very air she breathes
The air she breathes."

You had to be there to know what a great day was shared with barbeque lunches, friends and families, beer, a rock-band and fine old and new motorcycles. And, there were no cars, the cars parked right away from all the bikes.



Every member of Stuarts Point Men's Shed is blown away by the amount of support shown by the motorcycling public. Estimates are of around 130 machines that came and went on the day. The Men's Shed message to all the riders who rolled-up is - "<u>Thanks for coming. Ride safe! – We hope to see you all again next year</u>."

The motorcycle show organisers say they have learned a few things on this first event. They will be tweaking-up the system for an even more comfortable and better show next Spring.

The pool of 26 nominations for prizes was low due to the perfect weather and the fact that nominated bikes needed to stay put for two hours. After all, on



such a perfect day, why not go for a ride?! But those who did nominate for the prizes raised around \$500 for the shed. The winner in the Most Popular Old Bike and Overall Most Popular Motorcycle was the stunning 1000cc 1957 Ariel Square Four (see pictures), winning a two-day luxury holiday for two at Grassy Head Getaway. The Most Popular Modern Motorcycle went to the immaculate 1988 Yamaha TDR250 (see picture), winning a three-day luxury holiday for two at Stuarts Point Holiday Park.

The Men's Shed Barbeque took over \$1000, so, after all the costs are taken the shed will have pulled in a bit over \$1100 on the day. This income is very welcome, and now plans for the new floor-slab are beginning to take shape.

But the best part of it all was the day itself, families, fathers, mothers and grands all turned up for a day of days, to see and to talk motorcycles. Kempsey Shire Council kicked-in with traffic-control signage for the day, and a big thank you also goes out to the volunteers, and all the members and management of the Stuarts Point Workers, Recreation and Bowling Club for hosting this great event. "Thanks to you all for supporting the Stuarts Point Men's Shed Motorcycle Show". It is also important to express our deep gratitude to all the newspapers, community radio stations and media networks who helped to get the word out to our community.

Report and photos by Mark Merritt on behalf of the Stuarts Point Men's Shed.



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# Overnighter to Stuarts Point, the Rusty Iron Rally and Stuarts Point Mens Shed Bike Show, $1^{st} - 3^{rd}$ September.

We rode down on Friday afternoon and booked into our cabin overlooking the sparkling blue water of the Macleay River and were joined by an "Adelaide blow-in" and Pat and Brenda Holt from Northern Rivers. A pleasant evening was had by all, with a few beers and a meal from the Stuarts Point Bowling Club. On Saturday, it was off at 8.00am to ride over to the Rusty Iron Rally and catch up with riders from Natureland, Port Macquarie and some more Coffs Harbour riders.



There was a good showing of older machines with four from the "teens". It was then back for the Stuarts Point Mens Shed bike show and we were joined by a few more of our members. There were about 120 bikes with a great atmosphere, helped by cold ales, high quality steak sambos and a good band keeping the audio going. The vintage section of the show was won by a



"Squariel" from Port Macquarie and then the modern section by a single cylinder Yamaha, very tidy! Rob Pop tried to leave but the "trusty CZ" wouldn't



play, even though new member Gary, gave it a little bit of a battery charge. For the overnighters, it was then back for fish and chips washed down with a beverage at the cabins. In the morning the CWA put on a brekkie at the caravan park and we watched the dolphins frolicking in the river while we dined. It was

home via Scotts Head, and passed some more of our members heading South for a Sunday visit to the Rusty Iron Rally.



## Bowling at Comboyne, (Not "Bowling for Columbine"!) 10<sup>th</sup> September.



A great ride down on a chilly but sparkling blue-sky day. Comboyne Bowling Club did the "bowlers" from Port Macquarie, Taree, Natureland and Coffs clubs proud, with an outstanding example of hospitality; a scrumptious \$2 morning tea and then a \$5 luncheon buffet of equal quality. The bowling was torrid and Coffs Harbour (Skipper, Jenni and members, Nick and Phil aided by the skills of Taree member, Bob Young), worked its way into the Grand Final. With our hands on the trophy and 3 bowls up, Neil Parker from Natureland, rolled last and placed his bowl on the jack to snatch victory from our grasp. A pleasant ride home except for the echoes of David Flint of Natureland Club singing "We are the Champions"!

## Northern Rivers Rally, Evan Head, 15<sup>th</sup> -16<sup>th</sup> September

It was a great rally held under blue skies and riding the river flats and the hills of the coastal hinterland. The Friday ride was well supported with over sixty bike riders heading out around the district and back to the Wardell pie shop for a snack. The Friday night sausage and rissole sizzle was so well patronised that the cooks had to go back onto the hotplates to cook a second serve.



The evening set the tone of good fellowship for the remainder of the rally. The Saturday morning breakfast and pre-ride gathering packed out the carpark of the Evans Head Bowling Club. There was even a special photo shoot for the forty or so entrants that had come down from Queensland for the rally! (They carried a few trophies back north of the border too!) The ride was out





to Casino for morning tea and then via back-roads to Tregeagle school for lunch. It was judging by the entrants and a difficult job, but one that leads to an appreciation of the hard work that has gone into some bikes and variety of models and brands. The dinner was well subscribed, with a monster cake cut

in commemoration of the 25<sup>th</sup> rally. Despite there only being half a dozen Coffs Harbour members, Justin Williams won the best bike 1950-60 with his very tidy Norton and Jenni Sparks won longest distance travelled to the rally. Supplementing the Coffs crew were long distance members, Craig Coombs and Julie James who travelled up from Gloucester. A great rally and one that needs to go on the calendar for next year and congratulations to all the Northern Rivers executive and helpers that made it such a success.



## Events Calendar for November

Wednesday, 1st	9.00am to ride the "Old Highway" and Waterfall Way to the Swiss			
weunesuay, ist	Patisserie in Church Street, Bellingen.			
Friday, 3 <sup>rd</sup> - Sunday,	Natureland's Hat Head Rally. Book a bed in the Creek Street house			
5 <sup>th</sup>	with Rob Popplewell on 6653-4532.			
Saturday, 4 <sup>th</sup>	6.30am leave from the Caltex to ride to the Hat Head Rally and			
Sucuracy, 1	register for the rally.			
Sunday, 5 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am from the Caltex to ride the 'old highways" to Nambucca then			
	Wirimbi Road and Rodeo Drive to River Street Café in Macksville to			
	meet those returning from the Hat Head Rally			
Tuesday, 7 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am at Marion Grove Café for morning tea.			
Wednesday, 8 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am at the Caltex for an "old bike" ride via Mt Browne, Island Loop			
,,	and Coramba then up to Bucca Road at Nana Glen and back via			
	Bruxner Park to the Botanic Gardens in Hardacre Street.			
Sunday, 12 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am from the Caltex via Orara Valley Way to Grafton and then via			
	Southgate to the Lawrence Ferry and onto Brushgrove Pub for Lunch.			
	Return via Ulmarra Ferry and over to Southgate and Orara Valley Way			
	home.			
Sunday, 12 <sup>th</sup>	Show and Shine at CEX Coffs Harbour in rear carpark Arrive at 8.00am.			
Tuesday, 14 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am from the Caltex to ride the "Old Highway" to North Beach			
	Café.			
Wednesday, 15 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am at the Caltex to ride the "Old Highways" and Yellow Rock Road			
	to the Honey Place at South Urunga. Note: Yellow Rock Road has been			
	partly resealed and the cow traffic is down with the main problem is			
+h	going too fast over cattle grids.			
Thursday, 16 <sup>th</sup>	General Meeting at Sawtell Bowling Club at 7.00pm. Join in a meal			
a state	from the Bistro prior to the meeting.			
Saturday, 18 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am from the Caltex via "Old Highways" to Kempsey, then to			
	Telegraph Point and via Pembroke to stay at Long Flat for the night			
	with camping and rooms at the Pub. The return trip will be via			
	Pappinbarra Hall to lunch with Taree, Natureland and Pt Macquarie			
Sunday, 19 <sup>th</sup>	clubs 9.00am from the Caltex via "Old Highways" to Kempsey, then to			
Sulludy, 19	Telegraph Point and via Pembroke to Beechwood and to Pappinbarra			
	Hall to lunch with Taree, Natureland and Pt Macquarie clubs.			
Tuesday, 21 <sup>st</sup>	9.00am at the Butterfly House, Bonville.			
Wednesday, 22 <sup>nd</sup>	9.00am from the Caltex down the "old highway" to the Butter Factory			
Wearlesday, 22	at Bellingen. The more adventurous to go via South Arm Road.			
Saturday, 25 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am at the Caltex to ride the Orara Valley Way to the Coutts			
	Crossing Show and Shine.			
Sunday, 26 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am from the Caltex and head up to Bucca Road via Bruxner and			
	then over to the Sunken Chip, then up the highway to Benfield's Roses			
	and back to the Golden Dog, Glenreagh to meet Natureland.			
Tuesday, 28 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am for morning tea at Lance's Boambee home.			

Wednesday, 29 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am at the Caltex to ride up to Bruxner Park Road and through to		
	Bucca Road and Nana Glen to the Idle Inn for morning tea.		

## Events Calendar for December

Sunday, 3 <sup>rd</sup>	9.30am at the Caltex for a ride to Dorrigo via the "old highways and
	Waterfall Way, then onto the Bald Hills road to Hernani then return
	via Tyringham and North Dorrigo for lunch at the Dorrigo Hotel.
Tuesday, 5 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am at Sawtell Surf Club for morning tea
Wednesday, 6 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am at the Caltex to ride up via Orara Valley Way and then out
	onto the Pacific Highway via Kungala Road and down to Red Rock for
	lunch.
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup>	High noon for Club Christmas Party at Bongil Bongil National Park (via
	Williams Road, Bonville.) for lunch. Food, tea, coffee & fruit juice
	is free, but BYOG.
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup>	Morning tea at the Coffs Harbour Surf Club at 9.00am.
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup>	9.00 am from the Caltex to the Box Car Café in Lowanna.
Sunday, 17 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am from the Caltex and down the "Old Highways", Wirrimbi Drive
	and Rodeo Drive to Bowraville and Wilson Road to Macksville and
	Upper Warrell Creek Road and then down the Highway to Eungai Rail
	and then the Old Highway to Smithtown Pub for lunch.
Tuesday, 19 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am for morning tea at the Mackenzie's home
Wednesday, 20 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am at the Caltex to ride to Coramba and then via East Bank Road
	and turn right into Bucca Road and back to Coffs Harbour via Bruxner
	Park. Brunch will be at the Chill Out Café in Earl Street. (Up behind
	Coles on Harbour Drive)
Thursday, 21 <sup>st</sup>	General Meeting at Sawtell Bowling Club at 7.00pm. Join in a meal
	from the Bistro prior to the meeting.
Sunday, 24 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am at the Caltex for a short ride to Glenreagh for morning tea
	then via Kungala Road to the Highway and south to Red Rock for
	lunch.
Tuesday, 26 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am at Marion Grove Café for morning tea.
Wednesday, 27 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am at the Caltex for a ride to the Coramba Bakery for brunch.
Sunday, 31 <sup>st</sup>	9.00 am at the Caltex for a New Years Eve ride to Dorrigo for lunch.

## Events Calendar for January

Tuesday, 2nd	9.00am to ride the "Old Highway" and Waterfall Way to the Swiss
	Patisserie in Church Street, Bellingen.
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	9.00am at the Caltex for morning tea at the Ulong Café.
Sunday, 7 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am from the Caltex to ride the 'old highways" to Nambucca then
	Wirimbi Road and Rodeo Drive to Macksville then via the highway to
	the Scotts Head turn-off and via Grassy Head to Stuarts Point for lunch
	at the Bowling Club.

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Tuesday, 9 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am at Marion Grove Café for morning tea.
Wednesday, 10 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am for ride South down the "old highway" to the Boat Shed Café
	at Riverside Drive, Nambucca Heads.
Sunday, 14 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am from the Caltex via Orara Valley Way to Grafton and then via
	Southgate to the Lawrence Ferry and onto Brushgrove Pub for Lunch.
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	being going too fast over cattle grids.
Thursday, 18 <sup>th</sup>	General Meeting at Sawtell Bowling Club at 7.00pm. Join in a meal
	from the Bistro prior to the meeting.
Sunday, 21 <sup>st</sup>	9.00am from the Caltex and down the "old highways" to Nambucca
	and then to Bowraville for morning tea and then via Wilson Road and
	Congarinni Bridge to Taylors Arms for lunch.
Tuesday, 23 <sup>rd</sup>	9.00am at the Butterfly House, Bonville.
Wednesday, 24 <sup>nd</sup>	9.00am from the Caltex down the "old highway" to the Butter Factory
	at Bellingen. The more adventurous to go via Short Cut Road and
	South Arm Road.
Sunday, 28 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am from the Caltex and head up to Bucca Road via Bruxner and
	then over to the Sunken Chip, then up the highway to Benfield's Roses
	and back to the Golden Dog, Glenreagh to meet Natureland.
Tuesday, 30 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am at Total Gardens Café on the Coramba Road, West Coffs.
Wednesday, 31 <sup>st</sup>	9.00am at the Caltex to ride up to Bruxner Park Road and through to
	Bucca Road and Nana Glen to the Idle Inn for morning tea.

## Other Up and Coming Events

3 <sup>rd</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> November	Natureland's Hat Head Rally. (Entry will be added to the magazine when it becomes available)	
3 <sup>rd</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> November	Panther Rally, Southern Highlands.	
12 <sup>th</sup> November	Show and Shine at CEX Coffs Harbour, in carpark.	
25 <sup>th</sup> November	Coutts Crossing Show & Shine.	
25 <sup>th</sup> February	Scotts Head Festival, Show and Shine	
1 <sup>st</sup> -4 <sup>th</sup> March	Taree Rally, Happy Hallidays Caravan Park, Diamond Beach.	

## Distinguished Gentlefolks Ride, 24<sup>th</sup> September

A beautiful ride up to Grafton in the early morning to meet up for the Distinguished Gentleman's ride at the Shopping World in Grafton. There was a

relatively small but keen crew of Coffs participants, some of whom rode up and others who trailered. A short ride took us out towards



Copmanhurst before returning towards Junction Hill and going to the Grafton Clay Pigeon Shooting Club on the Lawrence Road. Riders were treated to morning tea and given the opportunity to test their skills with the over and under shot gun. A truly 'gentlefolk sport"!! Thanks



must go to Barry, President of the Shooters' club and his supporting members, who directed proceedings without incident. It was then up to the Ulmarra ferry and back into Grafton for lunch at the Crown Hotel. A great day and Mark Smidt, from Clarence Valley club, deserves accolades for his organization as do all the participants for raising \$2,568 for men's health.

Some of the Participants out on the Range







Geoff (Clarence Valley) and "Rocket Man" Meldrum (Coffs Harbour).both give ducks a 50:50 chance. (See previous page)

While Col (Northern Rivers left) could be let loose in a duck reserve with not fear of any ducks being harmed

## Breakfast at Bongil Bongil and Ride to Ebor, 8<sup>th</sup> October.

A group of about a dozen enjoyed a hearty breakfast prepared by Rob assisted by Graeme and Dave from Sydney The early start didn't deter many and it was nearly 100% club registered bikes in attendance. Despite being amply sated, a group of 8 set off and had a pleasant ride to Dorrigo for a late morning tea and a chat before the call of chores summoned the crew back down the mountain. A good test run for the Christmas party venue and the shelter shed should provide us with



sufficient shade and shelter should the weather turn foul.



Justin with the Northern Rivers Rally, 1950-60's winning bike and buddy, Barry, another "Norton Hard-Case" from Natureland.(see rally report earlier)

## Port Macquarie Show and Shine, 15<sup>th</sup> October.

Despite a wet Saturday in Coffs, the weather came good for the ride down to Port Macquarie and the sun shone hot on the show. There were 34 bikes from the 60 strong Port Macquarie club alone and the quality was very



high. The club bikes were supplemented by a great selection of bikes of all ages and heritages from other entrants, and the vintage and veteran sections in particular were excellent. It was also well worth a walk around the car park as



there were some potential prize winners among the spectator bikes. After a day of relaxing chats and the hospitality of the Settlers Inn, the judges had made their decisions and trophies were presented at about 2.00pm. Of particular note was a perpetual trophy named in honour of the late Brett Poole, an active member and co-founder of the Port

Macquarie club. The trophy was presented by Brett's son for the best club bike. To top the day off, the ride home was done in the dry! Congratulations to John Butler and all the workers from Port Macquarie club for a great day.



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## **Club Regalia**

Sloppy Joes	\$30 each	available in L, 2XL and 4XL sizes
T-Shirts	\$25 each	in red or black No XL in black
Polo Shirts	\$35 each	black with gold neck bands All sizes
Polo Shirts	\$25 each.	In 'outlaw' black!
Base-ball Caps	\$10each	
Number Plate Atta	chments	\$10. 'Coffs Harbour'

Ring Rob Popplewell on 6653 4532 for your orders or go to a fitting at a Tuesday morning tea at his house. All items returnable if they don't fit!

## Membership Renewal

If you have not paid your membership for 2017-18, then your bikes are not registered!!!

The Club's constitution also roughly states that "If you are two months in arrears then your membership lapses and you get the sack and have to go through the application process again!" Traditionally the club has not enforced this rule.

The current fees are \$40 a member (as per the decision of the AGM) or \$50 for a couple.

The fees can be paid in cash to the Treasurer, by cheque in the mail to the PO box or by direct credit to the Club's account but make sure you put your name on the Payee section. The account details are:

C.H. & D.M.R. Club Inc. BSB: 533-000 Account Number: 36013 S-11 Make sure that you put your name in the Payee advice



## Minutes of General Meeting, 21<sup>st</sup> September 2017

Chairperson: Bob Rushbrook

Meeting opened: 7:05 PM

Attendance: 23 as per attendance book

Apologies: T Swinton, E Oremek J Blaxland, G Newton, W Wardell, M Merrit,

**Visitors:** 7 as per attendance book

Minutes of previous meeting: Moved Acceptance: R Rushbrook Seconded: N Locke Carried.

Business arising: None

#### Treasurer's report:

S11 Acc \$ 1891.18
S11.1 (Rally) Acc \$ 2707.76
F.T. Dep \$ 6511.56
P.C. - \$ 124.85
S98 Share Acc \$ 150.00
Moved: Rob Popplewell Seconded: G Maddeford

#### Accounts for payment:

Rob Bunnings for Gas Bottle \$23:90 and Jeff for Stamps \$20

Correspondence IN: Nil

Correspondence OUT:

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General Business:

- Natureland Rally Rob has the usual accommodation booked. Can accommodate up to 8 persons see Rob if keen to share the house
- 8 October BBQ a Bongil Bongil 8:00am start
- 10 October change of venue for Hidden Link Café now closed
- CHMC Meeting at end of October end of Log book trial, RMS to advise of outcome
- Moved by that Robs costs be re-imbursed for travel to Mudgee
- Panther Rally be added to calendar 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> November 2017 at the Southern Highlands
- Chrome Shop has gone into receivership, please collect your goods.
- Moved that an agenda item be added to the agenda but not minuted Member Welfare
- Outstanding Memberships letters to be sent to all members who have outstanding fees.

## Magazines IN:

- 1. Macquarie Towns Motorcycle Restoration and Preservation Club
- 2. Bike Torque September
- 3. Leading Link Clarence Valley Historic & Enthusiasts Club
- 4. Taree Tales
- 5. The Throttle Lever
- 6. Classic Clatter
- 7. The Historic Motorcycle
- 8. Classic Torque
- 9. The Bush Telegraph

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## Captain's report:

- Walcha Challenge coming on the October long weekend
- Military Muster cancelled
- Robs Breakfast at Bongil Bongil and then on to Ebor
- All club rides were well subscribed



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#### Membership:

- 2 nominations for membership were received
- 1 nominations accepted
- 2 nominations held over

#### Rally Business: Nil

Next meeting: 19 October 2017

Meeting Closed: 8.00PM

## Minutes of General Meeting, 18<sup>th</sup> October 2017

Chairperson: Bob Rushbrook

Meeting opened: 7:12 PM

Attendance: As per attendance book with 23 members and 3 visitors.

**Apologies:** Nick Hiller, Jenni Sparks, Terry Swinton, Nigel Locke, Glen White, Chris Pearson and Darryl Young.

Visitors: Darren Bissaker, David Bustard, Chris Burkard.

Minutes of previous meeting: Not Available- Held over to next meeting.

Business arising: None

Treasurer's report: S11 Acc \$4380.48 S11.1 (Rally) Acc \$ 1772.23

F.T. Dep \$6680.35 P.C. - \$ 155.35 S98 Share Acc \$ 150.00

Moved: Rob Popplewell Seconded: M. Carpenter

#### Accounts for payment:

Breakfast at Bongil Bongil being \$65 from petty cash.



## Correspondence IN:

- 1. Insurance Certificates from Arthur J. Gallagher
- 2. Thank you letter from Coffs Harbour Men's Shed.

## Correspondence OUT:

1. Letters and emails to unfinancial members

## General Business:

1. Revision of Club signatories on BCU accounts to reflect the current executive, being R. Popplewell, R. Rushbrook, J. Sparks and the vice-president.

### Magazines IN:

- 11. Macquarie Towns Motorcycle Restoration and Preservation Club
- 12.Bike Torque October
- 13. Leading Link Clarence Valley Historic & Enthusiasts Club
- 14. Classic Clatter
- 15. The Historic Motorcycle
- 16. Classic Torque
- 17. Inverell Motorcycle Restorers Club Inc.
- 18. Newcastle Classic Bikes

## Captain's Report:

- 1. Valla Café-8 club bikes and 3 full regos.
- 2. Bowraville/Taylors Arm- Ned O'Brien
- 3. Lowanna- 4 club bikes and 3 full regos
- 4. Bongil Bongil-About a dozen bikes mostly club bikes.

### Membership:

- 2 nominations for membership were received Don Adams and David Bustard.
- 2 nominations accepted Darren Bissaker (mem # 130) and Chris Burkard (mem # 129).

Rally Business: Nil

Meeting Closed:	7:40 PM	Next meeting:	16 <sup>ti</sup>	<sup>h</sup> November,	2017
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## The Market Place

Walden Miller Leather Jeans. Size 38 inch waist, in used good condition, free to good home. Ring Rob: 6653-4532



Yamaha XJ 600cc, 1984 with 33,000kms and on full rego until May, 2018. Comes with owner's manual and in good condition. \$3,200 negotiable. Ring Mark: 0422 634 350

#### Honda 250 XL 1983.

Running condition, but would need work and a tidy up for club or full rego. \$1000 negotiable. Ring Mark: 0422 634 350

#### **Triumph Collection**

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1946 Tiger T100 500cc rigid \$25,000

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1951 T100 C rigid, with full race kit, \$22,000

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Near Coffs Harbour, Ring Vance 6655-4275 or 0411-617-145

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