

## 17<sup>th</sup> National Morris Minor Rally Albury Wodonga First Two State Nationals 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> April 2015

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## Rally Bulletin Number 5 – July 2014

Hello and welcome to the Number 5 Bulletin of the 17<sup>th</sup> Morris Minor National Rally 2015.

The Mighty Morris Muster for 2014 is now over and we have farewelled our guests from Melbourne, Sydney, Geelong, Canberra and enjoyed meeting up and farewelling another successful Muster. Now the planning and count down continues to the National Rally commencing on 3 April 2015.

- 1. Registration Costs In response to a query about the registration costs of \$100 for registering for the Nationals, we felt we should mention to registrants and future registrants just what this is used for. For the National Rally, we have booked and secured the two best and largest venues in both Albury and Wodonga, the Civic Centre in Albury and The Cube in Wodonga and we are required to pay deposits and booking fees for both venues before the Nationals. This and other administrative publication and advertising costs need to be paid well before the Nationals and this is the major reason for the registration fee which is similar to previous National Rallies. The Albury Wodonga Morris Minor Car Club does wish to emphasis however that the National Rally is not a profit making function and we wish to give value for money to people attending the Nationals which includes the best possible venues for functions.
- Runs We have now decided on our run for the National Rally and we are well down the track dealing with caterers and related arrangements for each of the functions. More details will be provided in future Rally Bulletins.
- 3. Venues In response to the survey which overwhelmingly supported an informal Friday night function, we have arranged for this to take place (at the SS&A Club, Albury). The Saturday night dinner will take place in Wodonga at The Cube, Wodonga. The Sunday night dinner will take place at the Albury Civic Centre. We are close to deciding the venue for the Monday farewell breakfast and further details will be provided in the next Rally Bulletin.
- 4. **Scrutineering** We have decided this year that each Rally entrant will be responsible for putting their vehicle in the correct class for that vehicle. The rules have been posted on the

Rally website from May 2013 and we would ask both entrants and club rally delegates to take note that this year entrants will be responsible for the category in which cars are placed. There will be no formal scrutineering of cars before judging at the concourse and the responsibility is that of the entrant and or club rally delegates as to the category in which the vehicle is entered. Entry tags will be colour coded for the different categories of vehicle.

We expect to have concourse entry forms, memorabilia and meal forms available for Rally entrants approximately 6 months before the Rally to give everyone advance notice. We should also be able to provide much more detail about each aspect of the Rally to maximise participation and enjoyment and to make this a truly memorable and successful 17<sup>th</sup> National Rally.

As the saying goes "all it needs is you". Let us have your entry form as soon as possible – we look forward to seeing you all at Albury Wodonga at Easter 2015.

Regards Peter Lenne – Rally Secretary Laury Soyer – Rally Website Co-ordinator