



Queensland Rover News

The monthly newsletter of the Rover Car Club of Queensland

July 2018



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Something Rover to sell? Speak to Frank Thorndike on 5545 2247 or Neale Webb if you have photos.

What's on?

- **19th August** - RCCQ Lunch at Fox and Hounds, Wongawallen - see details in this issue and download flyer from our website.
- **23rd September** - All British Day, Tennyson.
- **2nd December** - RCCQ Christmas Party - Walkabout Creek - more details to come

What better way to start a beautiful Sunday morning than jumping out of bed, into the Rover and joining other club members for breakfast ?

Yes, I know - many of you can think of much better ways to start your Sunday - and on a cold morning it can be hard to argue against staying under the blankets !

Those of us who went to Cafe 63 at Stafford on Sunday 22nd July thoroughly enjoyed the chance to get together and catch up. The food was very good (and inexpensive) and the service was great. We must do it again!



From left: *Craig Barraud, Neale Webb, Sandy Webb, Jon Lowe, Max Thorne, Ross McCormack, Gary Bickford, Mark Denino.*



Rover Car Club of Queensland Inc.

Date 226.6.2018 Held at :Grange BCC Library

**Minutes of
General Meeting**

Meeting opened at 8.00 pm Minutes taken by Neale Webb,

Apologies received from : Robert Johnson, Brian Kewin.

New Members present:

Visitors: -

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- That the minutes of the previous meeting as read be confirmed –

Moved by Jon Lowe
Seconded by Stuart Blackley
Carried.

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- That the incoming correspondence be received - *No incoming correspondence was received.*

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Seconded by
Carried. Any outgoing correspondence was noted.

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- That the Treasurer's Report be accepted *No report was presented.*

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Seconded by
Carried

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- That accounts due for payment be paid - *No accounts were presented.*

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Carried

- Details of accounts passed for payment

Description	Amount	Payable To

General Business :

- There was discussion about up-coming Roves:

Coffee/breakfast at Cafe 63, Stafford.
Pizza and Movie Night, 24th July
Lunch at Fox and Hounds, 19th August.
All British Day, 23rd September

- Wayne Tupicoff showed a slideshow of photos from the recent Northwest Rally held in Gunnedah.

Meeting closed at 8.55 pm



Our August Rove -

I say! A frightfully British day out, what?



19th August

Lunch at

Fox and Hounds Country Inn

7 Elevation Drive

Wongawallan

Please note -

if you are driving a Rover and arrive before 11.30 am,
you have a good chance of being able to park at the front

Pay as you go for drinks, pay at the end for your food.

***The restaurant will need to know numbers,
so please RSVP to:***

Ross McCormack on 0403 040 334 or Neale Webb on 0412 290 259

Club members Rick and Rita Thurgood received well-deserved recognition for the pains-taking restoration of their 1949 Rover P3 Sports Sedan when the RACQ selected the car to be displayed in the foyer of their Brisbane Head Office.

The car is one of a pair, one white, one black, purchased together new from Annand & Thompson in Brisbane.

Rick discovered the white car, sad and decaying, under a mango tree and rescued it, intending to restore it "one day".

After some years the project was finally started and the remarkable result is now there for all to see.



Congratulation to Rick and Rita for saving yet another British classic.



General Meeting Dates 2018

(4th Tuesdays)

27th February

27th March

24th April

22nd May

26th June

24th July

28th August

25th September

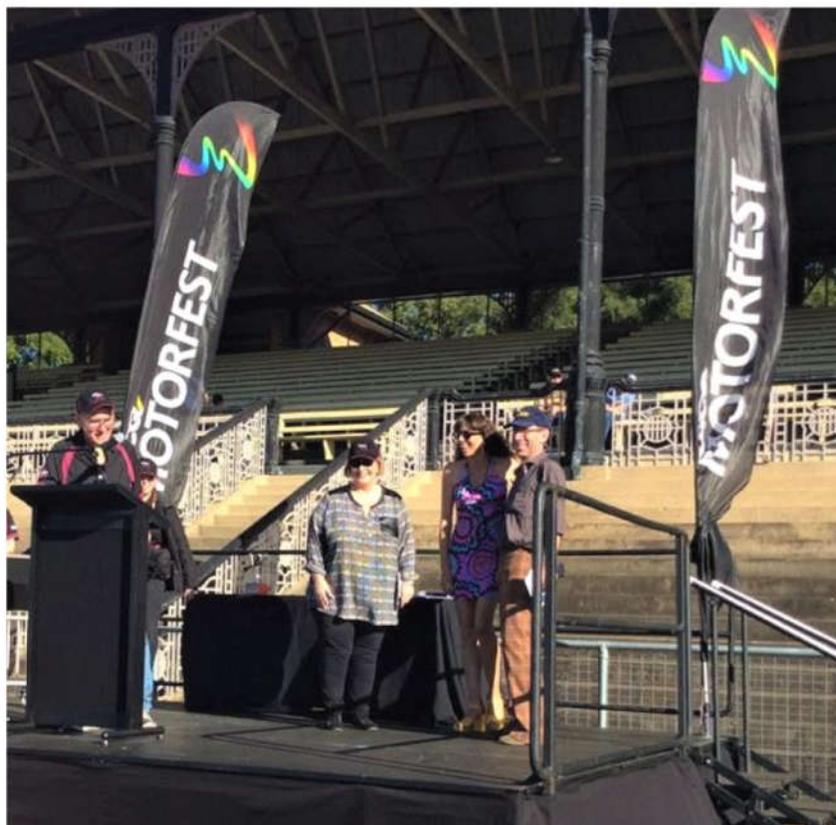
23rd October

27th November - *this is also the AGM*

No General Meeting is held in December

At the recent RACQ Motorfest in Ipswich, among the more than 400 cars displayed were two RCCQ cars - President Gary Bickford's 2004 Rover 75 and the P6B of Colin and Karen Moss.

Karen and Colin won the award for the "Best Dressed For The Era of the Car". Congratulations to Karen and Colin for their award and for giving our club some welcome publicity!





Expression of Interest - Rove 2020

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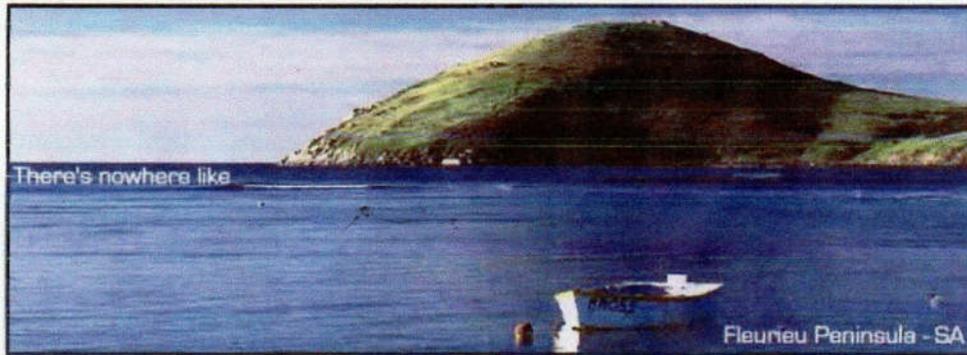


You are warmly invited to join your friends of the Rover Car Club of SA to Rove 2020 which will be held on our beautiful Fleurieu Peninsula centred in historic Victor Harbor, over the weekend of October 23 to 26, 2020.

Situated on one of the world's most stunning coastlines, the former whaling town of Victor Harbor is a relaxed seaside retreat with a historic main street and a coastline dominated by a huge rock outcrop called the Bluff. Offshore is Granite Island, connected to Victor Harbor by a causeway, strewn with giant granite boulders and home to a colony of penguins.

Things to do and activities abound when you stay in Victor Harbor. Ride the iconic Horse Drawn Tram across to Granite Island; catch one of the heritage Steamranger trains that travel along the scenic coastline; investigate the South Australian Whale Centre and the Encounter Coast Discovery Centre.

Explore the natural surrounds with miles of sandy beaches, rugged cliffs, cliff top trails, coastal bikeways, flora and fauna parks. Alternatively, explore the antique and fashionable shops in Victor Harbor, or the gourmet cafes and restaurants or award winning wineries. Spot seals, penguins, pods of dolphins, pelicans and a wide variety of other native wildlife. The choices are many.....



Come along and join us in 2020, we'd love to see you, just fill out the form below and tear/cut it off and hand to Paul Tol at Shepparton, or if you wish "snail mail" to the above address or scan and email to: paul.tol@optusnet.com.au or you can telephone Paul on: 0428 107 121

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Yes, I/we are interested in coming to ROVE 2020 on SA's Fleurieu Peninsula.

Name(s)

Address

..... Post code

Email

Telephone Mobile

Club

Car

Number of attendees

If you are interested in joining a Post Rove, please indicate by ticking the box.

We look forward to welcoming you in Victor Harbor in 2020