

The Monthly Journal of the  
**Northern Rivers Classic Motorcycle Club Inc.**

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 See below



**February**

**2022**

# Classic Torque



## Jack McIntosh

28th October 1950—8th January 2022

the club members send their condolence to Val  
 and to Jacks Family

Refer to Presidents report on page 2  
 And page 3

### ***Our Club:-***

The objectives of the NRCMC are to encourage the restoration, preservation, and riding of older motorcycles. Through its various activities, the club promotes classic motorcycling and the links to a bygone era with several organised monthly rides as well as our involvement in displaying our bikes at charity functions etc.

The club endeavors to cater for families and all members partners and children are most welcome to attend any meetings or outings. Membership of the club is for those who have an interest in restoring and riding classic motorcycles .

***Some special dates , coming up soon.***

**08th February 2021—first club meeting for 2022 –CANCELLED**

**08th March 2022— club meeting - TO BE CONFIRMED**

**31st March 2022.** last date that your Membership Renewal forms with fees will be accepted.

**Club rides**—all going ahead , with same conditions as per 2021 refer also to page ...

**Note :** if you receive this Newsletter by post, check/confirm that any activities listed here are STILL on..  
 Emails will be sent out advising the status of events prior to the date advertised, check your inbox..

## From the President's chair

It is with a heavy heart that my first job as president was to inform you all of the passing of Jack McIntosh and of his funeral details.

On behalf of the executive, committee and members I offer our condolences on the passing of our loyal club member Jack McIntosh; rest in peace.

Many members attended his funeral, most taking part in Jack's last ride to the cemetery. To those who attended, I pass on Val's and the family's thanks. Their hearts were uplifted to see so many club members paying their last respects.

I also received emails and phone calls from members to express their regret of being unable to attend Jack's funeral, this also shows members feeling for Jack, all either speaking or writing of their regard for Jack.

Jack was a member who always did things in the background stepping in to assist with club activities wherever he could. His cheerful nature and willingness to assist were a great help to me in the preparation and in the day to day running of club activities.

I remember when I first purchased the pink fluoro vests and at the Evans Head rally asking him if he would wear one as tail-end Charlie on our weekdays' morning rides. He looked at me and said, "Why not, I think they are a great idea". I then said that some members wouldn't wear them, his reply still makes me laugh, well he said, "they would be boys among men wouldn't they" and took the vest putting it on. On his return from the first morning ride he told me that he was amazed at how well they stand out, hands above the other colours.

He was a friend for many years and I for one will miss him.

Keep up right Mary Walker

## As Nominated and elected at the last years Dec 2021 AGM The following are the new committee and office holders for 2022

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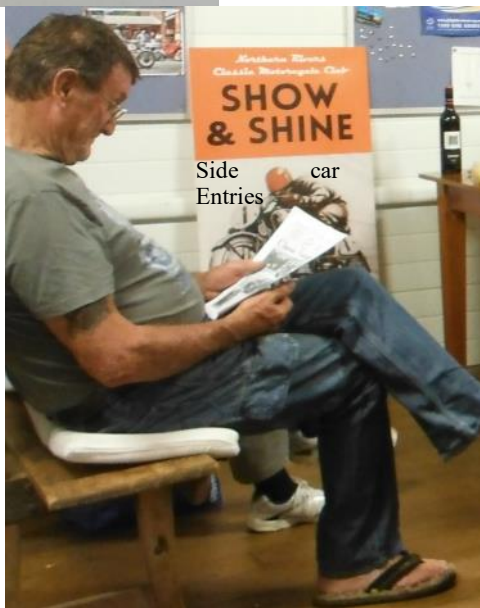
**Jack Ahearn Restoration Trophy—Judges** John Cafe P: 02 66244280

Brian Riordan P: 02 66215535 Eric Wilson P: 0266243157



Jack McIntosh

August 2020 —  
Sunday rego day  
at Bryson & Marys place



Side car  
Entries



Jacks Shoe Repair , too much kick starting  
Bryson to the rescue with Gaffa tape



2019 NRCMCC SHOW & SHINE  
Ian Mackie presenting Jack with Trophy  
For best side car unit



JACK Marshalling  
At 2018 CLUB  
RALLY on one of his favourite  
BMWs & orange vests

Sad to hear as Jack was a real character and always enjoyed catching up with him.  
We cannot be there but please pass on our best wishes to Jack's family, he will be missed.  
Regards, Barry & Jan



Attending the Inverell Rally 2018 with  
NRCMCC members Neil Williams,  
Jack McIntosh, Nancy & Col McAndrew

*Jack McIntosh*



Rego day Dec 2019 at Shed Boss

I had a lot of respect for Jack and counted him as a friend and great ambassador for the classic bikes especially in the Kyogle area. He was a great help with Tony my son and me over last 10 + years building our Honda collection. Passed him many times while we both worked with the truck's he was a very good fast driver could never catch him loaded or empty. I was always a pleasure to meet and talk with him.  
Jim Butler



Today we farewelled our club mate and good friend Jack Mc Intosh. Was well attended by family friends and his fellow club members with approximately fifty bikes of all makes and ages taking a last ride with Jack to his final resting place at the lovely peaceful Kyogle cemetery. Jack you were a gentleman a friend a true biker and a bloody good bloke. RIP Legend  
John Mazzer

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### Application for renewal of current membership for 2022

Type of membership: Single:  Dual:  (a second application is required for dual membership)

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Residential Address : \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have club historic plates yes / no

If yes, plate number and renewal date

Plate number	Payment date
	/ /22
	/ /22
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	/ /22

Forward this COMPLETED and SIGNED application to:

NRCMCC Inc PO Box 7058 Lismore Heights 2480

or email to [members@nrcmcc.org](mailto:members@nrcmcc.org)

or hand to the Membership Officer at the next available club meeting.

"Fees for 2022 are due by 31 March 2022 - please deposit your fees into the club's account at the Greater Bank."

\$40 single \$60 Dual

BSB 637000

Account No.781711446

Please use your first & last name as the reference

I hereby apply for renewal of membership of the Northern Rivers Classic Motorcycle Club Inc. I understand that I am required to attend a minimum of three NRCMCC events per membership year and I agree to be bound by the Constitution and Operating Rules of the club, available at [www.nrcmcc.org](http://www.nrcmcc.org). I will ensure that I am a properly licenced operator of any vehicle that I use to participate in club activities and that I am responsible for the road worthiness and currency of the registration of that vehicle.

**INDEMNITY STATEMENT:** In consideration of joining, I acknowledge that there may be risks associated and I understand that I participate at my own risk. I agree that the committee of the Northern Rivers Classic Motorcycle Club Inc and its associated organisation and sponsors shall in no way be held responsible for loss or damage to a participating machine, its parts or accessories and personal effects and that any member joining and thus riding in any event, or passenger taking part shall comply with registration and road rules and I hereby waive the right of action by law against the committee, its associated organisation, its sponsors, agents or representatives.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Renewal Form submitted date:	Payment date:	Payment type:
Email handed in post	amount \$	cash cheque EFT

## Membership Renewal Information for 2022

### 1. Membership Renewal form:

A fully completed Application for renewal of current membership form is required for all membership renewals. Refer to previous page for Renewal form

### Fees for 2022

As passed at 2021 Dec AGM , the fees for 2022 unchanged at 2021 rates.

Membership type	membership fee
Single	\$40.00
Dual	\$60.00

### The club's bank accounts at the Greater Bank is:

Membership fee account: BSB 637000 acct number 781711446 Ref: *your last name*

Payment of 2022 fees and return of your membership renewal application can be done by one of the following 3 methods.

#### Method 1: EFT – the club's preferred option

Email a completed membership renewal form to the club Membership Officer at [members@nrcmcc.org](mailto:members@nrcmcc.org). Then direct deposit your fees to the club's accounts as above. You MUST add your last name to all payments. If you don't use online banking you can pay over the counter at any Greater Bank branch in Casino, Lismore, Ballina, Grafton & Tweed Heads.

#### Method 2: Snail Mail.

Post a completed membership renewal form with cheques/money orders (no cash in the mail), made out to NRCMCC Membership

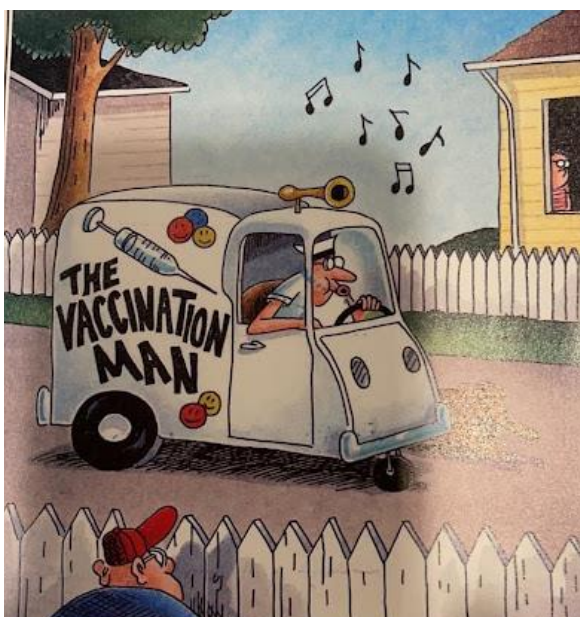
#### Method 3\*: In person at a monthly meeting - the club's least preferred option

Complete a membership renewal form beforehand and hand it to the Membership Officer at the next available club meeting. Then pay the Treasurer your fees - cash, cheques or MOs.

\*Please Note that Covid 19 restrictions may still be with us in 2022 and there may not be any meetings held before 31st March 2022. Therefore your ability to pay and submit your form by Method 3 may not be an option. You should use method 1 or 2 in order to pay & submit your form by 31st March 2022.

**Membership renewal and fee payments for 2022 are due by 31 March 2022.**

**Membership is NOT complete until both renewal form and fees are received by the Club.**



Slowly he would cruise the neighbourhood waiting for that occasional careless child who confused him with another vendor



**NRCMCC Market:** You can advertise here 'For Sale', 'Wanted', 'Swap', 'Advice needed', 'to Give away', etc - ie, any deal you can imagine to do with motorcycles.  
**Please contact the editor** - details on the 'Club officials' list somewhere in this newsletter.  
 Unless otherwise arranged, advertisements will be maintained for two issues.

**Our Club Rides:-** Some information on coming NRCMCC club rides.

**Sunday & Wednesday Rides for February - All going ahead**

Please note that all attendees will need to sign on and BYO mask.

**13th Feb 2022 NRCMCC Annual Memorial Club Ride. - POSTPONED FROM 2021 because of Covid**

This ride is an opportunity for all members and their families to come together on an annual basis to travel to a

location and remember members that have passed on.

**Leaving from Norco Rural 107 Wilson St Lismore**

**Stands up at 9am.** This ride is an annual event that will be held at the same time each year.

**Where To:** Travelling as a group to Razorback Lookout at Evans Head for a remembrance gathering. Following the remembrance gathering the group will travel back down the hill to the Evans Head fish Co-Op and catch up informally and share memories. Fish and Chips are available from the Co-Op.

Members may travel to this event by car if they need to.

**13th March—Sunday ride** to Toonumbar Dam , then onto Kyogle for Coffee or Tea

For further information go to the clubs web site , advisable to read before going on any rides,

### **Motorcycle Events and Rallies organized by other Motorcycle Clubs or Groups**

**2022 Inverell Motorcycle Restorers Club Rally is now CANCELLED**

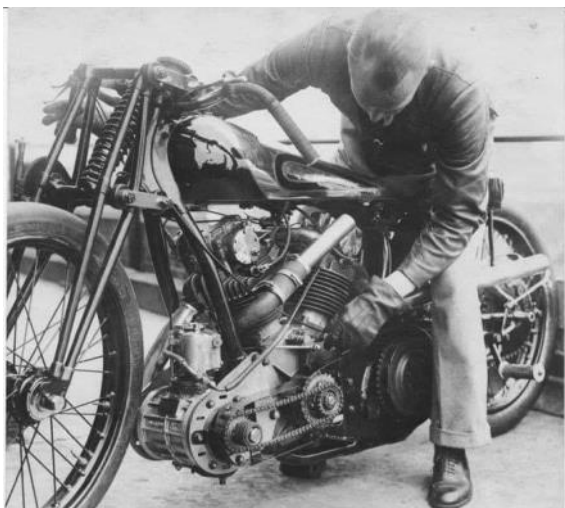
**20th February 2022—**The 2nd North coast Classic Motorcycle Show & Swap Show undercover at Alstonville Showground.

Note if you are attending this event please use your Log book

3rd– 5th March Taree and District Vintage & Classic Motorcycle Club Rally

Contact the T&DV&CMCC for all details

**Other Club events** Please note That the NRCMCC is not responsible for The events & Rallies as organised by other clubs or groups . And dates {and events} given to us and shown here may change without notice. So if you are attending another club event just check you have their Up to date info. Especially in theses Covid 19 times.





## Zucchini Pickles

2kg zucchini thin sliced      4 small onions thin sliced  
 ¼ cup salt                      4 cup white sugar  
 2 teaspoon turmeric          4 teaspoons mustard seeds

2 cups white vinegar

2 teaspoons celery seeds OR 2 cups thin sliced inner celery & leaf.

Wash & thin Slice zucchini & onions

Cover with water, add salt stir and stand for 2 hour or overnight –

Drain well, rinse well and drain in colander

Bring remaining ingredients to the boil, pour over zucchini & onion

Stand for 2 hours then bring to the boil for 5 minutes

Pour into hot sterilised jars

excellent on cheese and biscuits, meats and with salads.

When eaten the remaining pickling liquid is a fine salad dressing

Keep cooking Mary

Murphy showed up at Mass one Sunday & the priest almost fell down when he saw him. Murphy's never been to church in his life.

After Mass, the priest caught up with him & said, " Murphy , I am so glad ya decided to come to Mass. What made ya come?"

Murphy said, "I got to be honest with you Father, a while back, I misplaced me hat & I really, really love that hat. I know that McGlynn had a hat just like mine and I knew he came to church every Sunday.

I also knew that he had to take off his hat during Mass and figured he would leave it in the back of church. So, I was going to leave after Communion and steal McGlynn's hat."

The priest said, "Well, Murphy , I notice that ya didn't steal McGlynn 's hat. What changed your mind?"

Murphy replied, "Well, after I heard your sermon on the 10 Commandments I decided that I didn't need to steal McGlynn's hat after all."With a tear in his eye the priest gave Murphy a big smile and said;" After I

talked about 'Thou Shalt Not Steal' ya decided you would rather do without your hat than burn in hell, eh ?" Murphy slowly shook his head. "No, Father, after ya talked about 'Thou Shalt Not Commit Adultery '

I remembered where I left me hat."





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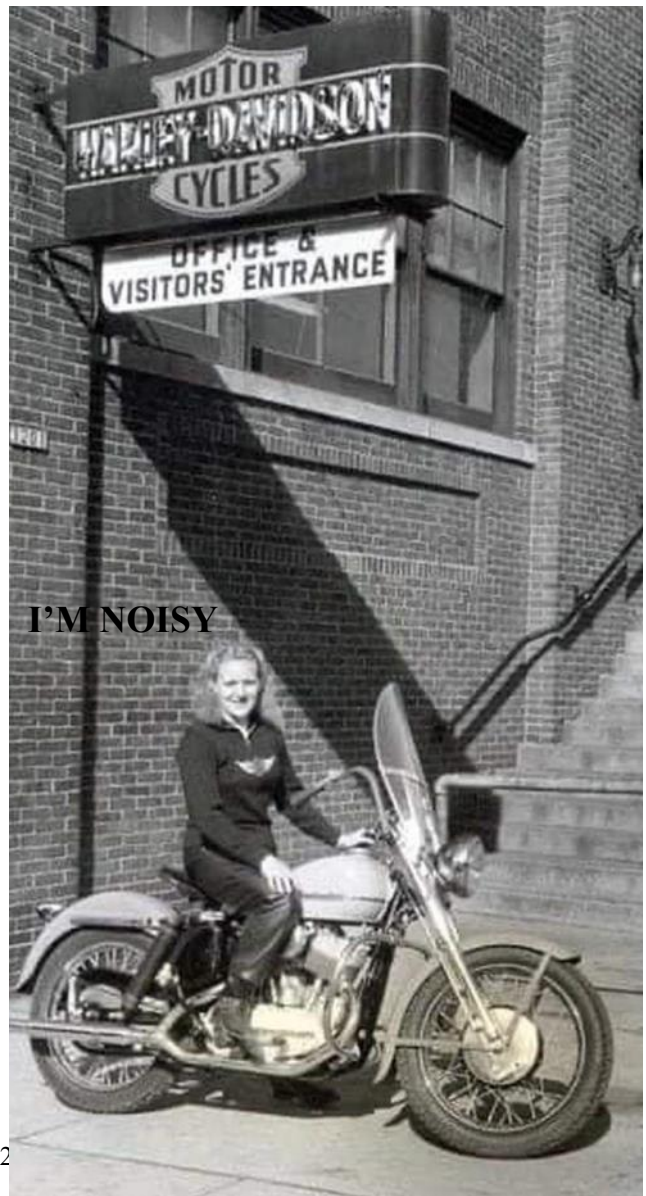


**A QUIET MAN  
IS A THINKING MAN.  
A QUIET WOMAN IS  
USUALLY MAD.**

When you spend £32 million on  
your grandsons wedding



and his wife starts bitching  
about you to Oprah



**I'M NOISY**



Pulling up at the traffic lights while on my way to work , I noticed an old chap riding a motorcycle , he pulled up alongside me and promptly fell over complete with bike . Being an upstanding citizen I jumped out of the car to see if he was ok . When I asked him what happened he said " I dunno , it's been doing this ever since I took the sidecar off . "



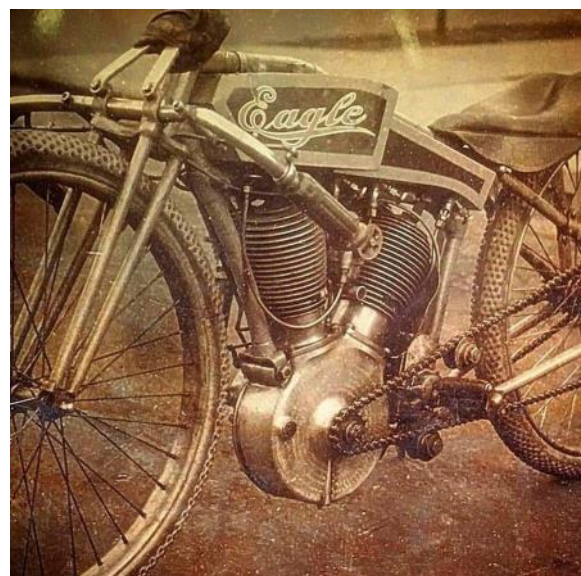


I found \$20 in a parking lot and thought to myself, What Would Jesus Do?  
So, I turned it into wine.



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