

## MOWOG Day - March 31

Two Morris Minor events in two days may seem a bit much, but for David Nunn and myself it was just another outing after the Inaburra Car Show the day before. We set off, headed for Riverstone on a fairly



chilly morning and were the first to arrive from our club.

A hot coffee went down well and not before too long other Morris Minors, along with a few Austins, started to arrive. Mark Sullivan, Ray Selby and Terry Cullen arrived in convoy, followed by Marian and Kerry Jones who had travelled from the northern beaches. Len Jones was staying in Sydney and decided to make a day of it by catching the train to Riverstone, then Shanks' Pony to the outing! Well done, Len.

"Let the fun begin" was the call, so we all lined up for the various games and events with the vehicles. There were... throw the spark plugs into the hub cap; fan belt throwing (which was similar to quoits); throw the pens into the basket; and netball goal shooting.

In the meantime, those who wished tried their skills at driving around a paddock in their vehicle, attempting to break each other's times in several events. It is amazing to watch some drivers handling their Morris in such a way that they should have taken up rally driving as a sport!

After all the fun had eased, we sat

down to a well deserved lunch of sausages, salads and bread rolls, which were cooked and prepared by the Picnic Club.

Many thanks to the members of the Picnic Club who provided an enjoyable and entertaining day.

On a sad note, this may well have been the last MOWOG Day :( Many MMCCNSW members have attended over the years and MOWOG Day is an event that all who have attended will cherish.

Graeme Gould

Photos: Graeme Gould, Mark Sullivan

**PS** (from Ray Sambuco) Big thanks must also go to all members who helped out to make today come together and especially to the Shields family for once again

opening the gates to allow MMPC to hold MOWOG day at the Riverstone homestead.

Would also like to thank A40 CC and MMCCNSW who came along, participating in our monthly outing and keeping the BMC legend going.



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Right: highlight of the day - gymkhana in the classic cars!



David Nunn (above) and Mark Sullivan (right) try the old spark-plug-in-the-hub-cap trick...

