

## Picnic in the Park, Putney October 20

It has been some time since we have had a club outing in the northern part of Sydney and so Putney Park, situated on the banks of the Parramatta River and amongst beautiful homes at the eastern part of Putney, was a very good choice



Some of us arrived reasonably early to guarantee a shelter close to the necessary amenities. As can be seen by the photos we managed to park all in a line with a total of nine Morris Minors and fifteen members in attendance.

We were all well fed with chicken and salad, with some just happy to enjoy a barbequed sausage on

a bread roll. Thanks to Sue Gould for organising the lunch and to Marion Chapman who once again supplied a lovely homemade cake for afternoon tea.

Putney Park is a beautiful spot to consider for any future outings; thanks to all who made the effort to attend this picturesque part of Sydney. While Ann and Andrew Gittens had a lengthy distance of about two kilometres to get to the park, some members travelled via the Mortlake Ferry, which is still operating a reduced schedule on weekends. Commonly known to locals as the 'Putney Punt', it began transporting vehicles across the Parramatta River in 1925 and remains the only ferry still operating in the Sydney metropolitan area.



A great day was had by all.  
Graeme Gould