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Newsletter of Riley Motor Club Qld Inc August 2011

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Next Meeting:
Thursday, 11th August 2011.
BRISBANE SPORTING CAR CLUB ROOMS
UNIT 16 / NEXUS BUSINESS PARK
23 ASHTAN PLACE

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Minutes From Previous Meeting

Minutes of the OGM of the Riley Motor Club, Qld., Inc. held at the Brisbane Sporting Club, Ashtan Place, Banyo, Thursday 14th July, 2011.

Meeting opened by President Ken Lonie at 8.00pm with 9 members and guests present.

Apologies: Alan & Sheila Hill, Ross & Di Phillips, John & Eve Romer, Ian Henderson, Brian & Lyn Jackson, David Shock, Dorothy Cameron, Del Thomson.

Minutes from previous meeting:

Moved, Ken Lonie, seconded by Wendy Lonie, that minutes be accepted. Carried.

Business arising from minutes:

Nil.

Committee members:

Simon has resigned from the position of editor. Robin Hull nominated Bill Short to fill the position. Seconded Lin Thomson. Elected un-opposed. Discussion regarding magazine ensued.

Due to illness, Ross is currently unable to continue as treasurer. Ray Burrows nominated Linden Thomson to fill the position as required. Seconded Robin Hull. Elected un-opposed.

Inwards correspondence:

1. Membership applications from Ross Jennison & Ross Hillier.
2. Newsletters - Blue Diamond, Gazette, Riley Rattles, The Crank
3. Invitation to Beaudesert & District Restored Auto Club's 35th Anniversary Tour, 17th & 18th March 2012.
4. Invitation to RACV concours & picnic 21-23 October.
5. QMHC affiliation receipt.

Outwards correspondence:

1. QMHC affiliation fee.
 2. Letter to the Victorian Riley Club regarding spare parts pricing.
- Moved by Matthew French seconded by Bill White that the inwards correspondence be received and the outwards endorsed. Carried.

Treasurer's report February 2011

Balance as per Bank Statement, May 2011 **\$8096.25CR**

Balance as per Bank Statement, June 2011 **\$7381.02CR**

Moved by Ken Lonie that the report be accepted. Seconded Linden Thomson. Carried

Club captain's report:

July 17th run to Boonah airstrip, with lunch at the Dugandan pub as per magazine.

28th & 29th August there is a fly-in at Caboolture.

Spare parts report:

Bill Bunt in Townsville has a 1½ available.

Pathfinder bushes under way.

Many rubber parts being produced by the Victorian club.

Parts purchased from John Payne will be available by tender, to close 6th September.

Registrar's report;

Nil Report.

2012 rally report: Ross & Di are no longer able to continue on the rally committee; however general arrangements are well in hand.

Editor's report: Nil.

Website co-ordinator's report:

Has moved to new platform

General business:

1. Card to be sent to Ross expressing the club's best wishes for a speedy recovery.
2. Committee members required for national rally committee.
3. Interstate clubs have agreed to cost plus 10% for parts exchanged between the clubs.
4. Robin Hull raised the issue of a club shed (club house). Robin moved that he approach council's on the clubs behalf regarding land. Seconded Bill White.
5. Bill Short has invented a tool to create the steel frame for the roadster.
6. Ken reported that the Monaco engine is being assembled and should be back on the road in the next week or two.

Secretary's Email: mgwfrench@bigpond.com

Meeting closed: 9.30pm

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Club Captains Report

July Run

A small group made the run to Boonah for the July 17run. Linden and Brian kept the Riley flag flying with the Pathfinder and the RMB.

The weather was better than perfect and made even better by the setting at the grass airstrip at the Boonah airfield.

As luck would have it the local aviation group, "Flying Tigers" had a Fly in of very interesting recreational and home built heavier than air machines.

Riley pilots Brian, Linden and Ian showed us their flying skills with chief pilot and good friend Ian McGregor.

It is just a rumour that Brian got lost in the circuit. Then onto a very good counter lunch at the Dugandan Hotel.

This rounded up a very pleasant day.

August Run

For the second month in a row, August will also have a aviation flavour. This will take form of a “Festival of Flight” based at the Caboolture Airport on Sunday 28th August.

This event is a Fly In, run by the Qld Vintage Aeroplane Group. The Fly In will celebrate the 80th year of the Tiger Moth.

It will include examples of many famous aircraft including Mustang, Fiat, Wirraway, Antonov, Winjeel and many others.

Food is available on site, including breakfast.

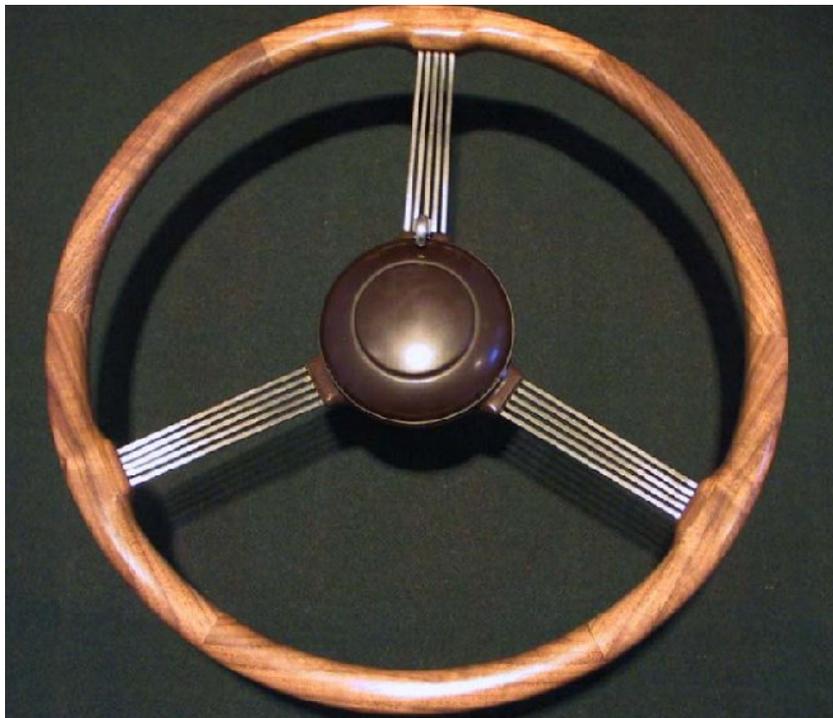
Cost is \$10 per person or \$20 per family.

Come and witness the sights, sounds and aromas of a bygone aviation era.

I suggest we meet at 9-30am Sunday. The airfield is on the Northern side of the Bribie Road, immediately after turning off the highway.

GETTING THE JOB DONE

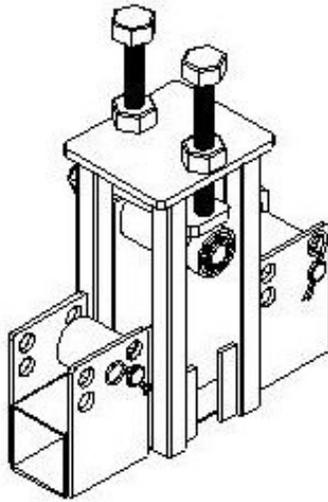
A nice piece of timber work courtesy of our Norwegian cousins



A solution for those doing a bit of steeling out.

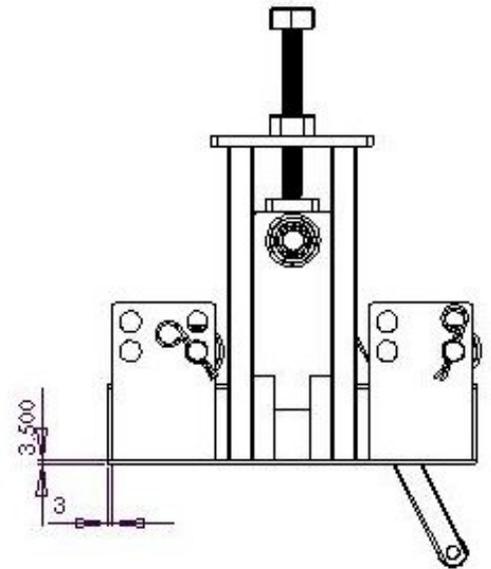
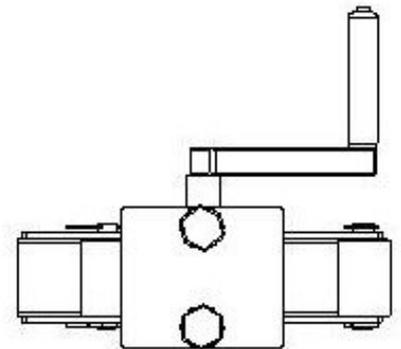
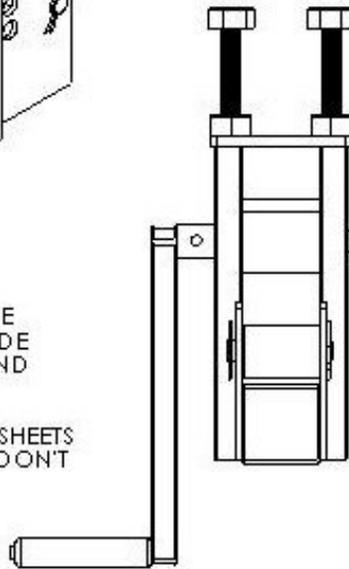
A simple set of rolls for rolling square tube up to 25mm. If you would like a set of free detailed plans, email the editor.

ROLLERS FOR SQUARE TUBING



NOTE:-
THESE DRAWINGS ARE INDICATIVE
ONLY AS THE ORIGINAL WAS MADE
FROM ANYTHING LAYING AROUND
MY SHED.

THE SCALES ON THE FOLLOWING SHEETS
VARY SO THAT THE ITEMS FIT ON. DON'T
SCALE FROM THE DRAWINGS.



COURTESY OF BILL SHORT

An interesting web site for the would-be restorer: <http://www.rmileyrestoration.com/>

An excellent site for anyone doing up a Riley. Although the car is an RMF it is relevant to all Riley restorations.

Editors Note

As this is my first edition I have concentrated on simply getting the Torque Tube out. I am afraid it is a little on the skimpy side but I am hoping that the next edition will be a lot healthier, but that depends on you. We need plenty of literary contributions from all and sundry. Anything in the way of interesting tips, stories, events etc. I don't mind put it together but without your help I don't have the time to track down all the content.

So if you want a good magazine, please contribute.

PARTS LIST.

These are the parts that were bought from John Payne.

The parts are up for tender by the club. Anyone interested in any of the parts are asked to submit a closed tender. Tenders need to be submitted by 8th September to:-

Ken Lonie
44 Benecke Road
Maleny Qld 4552
kenlonie@bigpond.com

Riley Motor Club of Queensland Inc							
Used Parts List - 5/07/2011							
MODEL	DESCRIPTION	P No	NO	PRICE	TOTAL	LOCN	NOTES
RMB	Pushrod		8		0.00	B1 AH Shed	Bundled
RMA	Pushrod		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB, RMH	Valve Guide		8		0.00	B1 AH Shed	Packaged
RMA, RMB	Torsion Bar Tube and nuts Assy	H54, H38	1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Upper Inside Fr Sus Pin Assy	H26, 27, 29	2		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Steering Arm	H9	1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Fr Shock Ab Mtg Early Type	H48	1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Fr Shock Ab Mtg Later Type		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA	Fr Hub Assy		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Steering Pinion and Coupling		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA	Gearbox Output Flange		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA	Tailshaft Flange		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Steering Rack Clamp		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA	Thermostat Housing		2		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMB	Fan, Pulley, Shaft		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA	Crankshaft Pulley		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA	Piston		2		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMB	Water Manifold		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA	Breather Pipe		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA	Oil Breather Pipe		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMB	Oil Filler Casting and Pipe Assy		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA	Hot Spot Tube and Casting		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMB	Clutch Rod, Lever, Cross Sh, Fork		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA	Radiator Outlet Pipe ?		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	

RMA	Rocker Shaft Assy		2		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Water Pump Hsg and Shaft etc		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMB	Fan and Hub Assy		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Clutch Uni Block		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Water Pump inc Impellor Assy		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA	Thermostat Bypass Pipe		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Inlet and Exhaust Valves		25		0.00	B1 AH Shed	Various
RMA, RMB	Radiator Mounting Rubbers		2		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMA	Bell Housing Bottom Cover		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMB	Bell Housing Bottom Cover		1		0.00	B1 AH Shed	
RMB	Generator		1		0.00	Simon S	
RMB	Starter Motor (Lucas Special Eq)		1		0.00	Simon S	Spun Cad PI Casing etc
RMA, RMB	Jack		1		0.00	Simon S	
RMB	Generator		1		0.00	B2 AH Shed	
RMB	Generator (Lucas Special Equip)		1		0.00	B2 AH Shed	Spun Cad PI Casing etc
RMA, RMH	Starter Motor		1		0.00	B2 AH Shed	
RMA	Generator		1		0.00	B2 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Upper Front Susp Arms		4		0.00	B2 AH Shed	One Set ?
RMA, RMB	Lower Front Susp Arm		1		0.00	B2 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Tie Rods and Outer Tie Rod Ends		2		0.00	B2 AH Shed	Both Tie Rods Bent
RMA, RMB	Front Shock Abs and Lower Mtg		2		0.00	B2 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Rear Shock Abs Assy		2		0.00	B2 AH Shed	Lever Type
RMA, RMB	Steering Rack Assy		2		0.00	B2 AH Shed	
RMB	Fr Hub, King Pin, Back PI Assy		2		0.00	B2 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Clutch Pedal, Lever, Rod		1		0.00	B2 AH Shed	
RMA	Inlet Manifold		1		0.00	B2 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Chrome Door Trims, Rods, Braces		1		0.00	B2 AH Shed	One Bundle (from two cars?)
RMB	Con Rod		3		0.00	B2 AH Shed	
RMA	Con Rod		2		0.00	B2 AH Shed	
RMB	Cardan (Drive) Shaft		2		0.00	B2 AH Shed	One with Output Flange
RMB	12" (Finned) Brake Drums		2		0.00	B2 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Windscreen Frame		5		0.00	B3 AH Shed	Various - two with glass
RMA, RMB	Side Window Glass		6		0.00	B3 AH Shed	Various
RMA, RMB	Windscreen Bare Glass		2		0.00	B3 AH Shed	Various
RMA, RMB	Windscreen Centre Mullion		2		0.00	B3 AH Shed	Various
RMA, RMB	Framing Wood Pieces		1		0.00	B3 AH	Various Pieces Pre Cut

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RMA, RMB, RMH	Head Light Rim - Narrow		5		0.00	B4 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB, RMH	Head Light Rim - Wide		3		0.00	B4 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Head Light Semi Sealed Beam		1		0.00	B4 AH Shed	One only orig pattern lens
RMA, RMB, RMH	Head Light Semi Sealed Beam		7		0.00	B4 AH Shed	Later Lens
RMA, RMB	Head Light Sealed Beam		1		0.00	B4 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Butlers Fog Lamp Body		9		0.00	B4 AH Shed	Some with reflectors ?
RMA, RMB	Butlers Fog Lamp Lens		8		0.00	B4 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Butlers Fog Lamp Rim		5		0.00	B4 AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Torpedo Side Light Body		6		0.00	B4 AH Shed	From memory no lamp holders
RMA, RMB	Torpedo Side Light Lens		4		0.00	B4 AH Shed	
MG, Morris	Tail Light		2		0.00	B4 AH Shed	MGA type not Riley
RMA, RMB, RMH	Head Light Body		4		0.00	B4 AH Shed	Two with inner rims
RMA, RMB	Butlers Lamp Rim Clip, spring, etc		2		0.00	B4 AH Shed	Pack of bits - say two sets
AM	Indicator Light Assy - Orange		3		0.00	B4 AH Shed	After Market
AM	Reflectors		4		0.00	B4 AH Shed	After Market - two pairs
RMA, RMB	Rear Window Glass		3		0.00	AH Shed	
RMB	Radiator		1		0.00	AH Shed	2 1/2" Core
RMA	Radiator		1		0.00	AH Shed	2" Core
RMA	Steering Wheel - Round Spokes		1		0.00	AH Shed	Damaged
RMB	Steering Wheel - Round Spokes		1		0.00	AH Shed	Damaged
RMB	Steering Wheel - Square Spokes		1		0.00	AH Shed	Damaged
RMA, RMB	Starter Handle		3		0.00	AH Shed	One Shortened 6"
RMA, RMB	Window Regulator Front		1		0.00	AH Shed	L or R ?
RMA, RMB	Window Regulator Rear		1		0.00	AH Shed	L or R ?
RMA, RMB	Spare Wheel Comp Lid		1		0.00	AH Shed	
RMB	Front Engine Support Cradle Assy		1		0.00	AH Shed	
RMA	Sump		1		0.00	AH Shed	
RMA	Flywheel		1		0.00	AH Shed	
RMA	Diff Carrier		1		0.00	AH Shed	
RMB	Bell Housing		2		0.00	AH Shed	
RMB	Timing Cover		1		0.00	AH Shed	
RMA, RMB	Grill Assembly		3		0.00	AH Shed	
RMB	Engine Pipe and Sliding Flange		1		0.00	AH Lean To	
RMA, RMB	B' Pillar		2		0.00	AH Lean To	
RMA, RMB	Rear Bumper Assy (ex blades)		1		0.00	AH Lean To	
RMA, RMB	Hood Bow		7		0.00	AH Lean To	
RMB	Radiator Stay		2		0.00	AH Lean To	
RMB	Brake Rods		3		0.00	AH Lean To	
RMB	Bonnet Operator Rods		4		0.00	AH Lean To	
RMA, RMB	Assorted Interior Trim Pieces		12		0.00	AH Lean	

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RMA, RMB	Spare Wheel Comp Lid		1		0.00	AH Lean To	
RMA, RMB	Bonnet Sides		5		0.00	AH Lean To	Various
RMA, RMB	Outer Quarter Panel with Vent		1		0.00	AH Lean To	Drivers Side
RMA, RMB	Inner Quarter Panel		1		0.00	AH Lean To	
RMB	Sump		1		0.00	AH Lean To	
RMB	Front Mudguard		2		0.00	Tomago St	One with Torpedo Light
RMB	Rear Mudguard		5		0.00	Tomago St	
RMB	Windscreen Winder		1		0.00	Tomago St	
RMB	Front Bucket Seat		3		0.00	Tomago St	One in poor condition
RMB	Back Seat and Squab		1		0.00	Tomago St	
RMB	Front Quarter Panel with Vents		2		0.00	Tomago St	One with Torpedo Light
RMB	Door Lining		1		0.00	Tomago St	
RMB	Petrol Tank		1		0.00	Tomago St	
RMB	Front Windscreen Metal Panel		1		0.00	Tomago St	
RMB	Boot Lid		3		0.00	Tomago St	
RMB	Bonnet Centre Panel		3		0.00	Tomago St	
RMB	Door		11		0.00	Tomago St	Two with Handles
RMB	Bonnet Top Panel - Left Side		1		0.00	Tomago St	
RMB	Floor Pan		2		0.00	Tomago St	One with Rear Floor Plate
RMB	Steering Column - Outer		3		0.00	Tomago St	
RMB	Steering Column - Inner		2		0.00	Tomago St	
RMB	Front Scuttle (Platework ?)		1		0.00	Tomago St	
RMB	Engine Mount ?		1		0.00	Tomago St	
RMB	Fire Wall Panel ?		1		0.00	Tomago St	
RMB	Assorted shaped timber		1		0.00	Tomago St	
RMB	Running Board		2		0.00	Tomago St	
RMB	Engine Bay Side Panel		6		0.00	Tomago St	
RMB	Front Mudguard		2		0.00	Bill Short	
RMB	Running Board		2		0.00	Bill Short	
RMB	SU Carbs (pair)		1		0.00	Bill Short	Reconditioned by Jack
RMB	Gearbox without top cover		1		0.00	Bill Short	Top cover at Bill Whites (Box 11)
RMB	Tyre and Rim		2		0.00	Bill Short	
RMB	Rolling Chassis 1950/51		1		0.00	Robin Hull	New front shocks, good hood, etc
RMB	Gearbox (Reconditioned)		1		0.00	Jack Warr	
RMB	Cylinder Head (Reconditioned)		1		0.00	Jack Warr	New valves, guides, etc
RMB	Long Motor complete		1		0.00	Bill White	Condition unknown
RMB	Short Motor (no head)		1		0.00	Bill White	Condition unknown
RMB	Torque Tube and Diff Assembly		1		0.00	Bill White	
RMB	Rear Axle Assembly incl Hubs		2		0.00	Bill White	
RMB	Air Silencer/Filter		2		0.00	Bill White	One with new filter
RMB	Water Pump and Manifold Assy		1		0.00	Bill White	
RM	Front Chassis Extension		2		0.00	Bill White	
RM	Assorted Door Linings and Trim		1		0.00	Bill White	
RM	Bundle of Rods, Stays		1		0.00	Bill White	
RM	Misc Small Panels		1		0.00	Bill White	
RMB	Gear Box Cover/Floor Panel		1		0.00	Bill White	
RM	16" Dress Rims (set of 4)		2		0.00	Bill White	One set rusty
RM	Timber 'A' Pillar		2		0.00	Bill White	Unused
RM	Wood Window Frames, Dash, etc		1		0.00	Bill White	Many and various

RMB	Twin 1 1/2" SUs		1		0.00	Bill White	Poor Condition
RM	Misc Small Parts - bolts, rubbers		1		0.00	Bill White	Bucket 01 (incl new pedal rubbers)
RM	Misc Bonnet Hinges, Door Hinges		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 02
RM	Tail Light 'D' Bodies, Lenses etc		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 03 - Parts of at least 6
RM	Horns, Armrests		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 04
RM	Arm Rests, Cables, 6 Hub Caps		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 05
RM	Brightwork incl Door Handles		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 06
RM	Assorted Piping and Rubbers		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 07
RM	Assorted Instruments and Fittings		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 08 - Includes RM Rev Counter
RM	Small Brackets and Badges		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 09
RM	Misc Bkts, Vve Spr, Guides, etc		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 10
RMB	Oil Filler, Gbox Top, Wtr Manifold		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 11
RM	Fuel Filler Pipes/Caps, Grill Cap		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 12
RM	Coils and Distributors inc Rotors		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 13
RM	Petrol Pumps and Parts		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 14 - Parts of at least 7
RM	Rubber Hoses, Eng Mounts		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 15 - Poor Cond
RM	Voltage Regulators		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 16 parts of at least 6
RM	4 Door Locks, 2 Boot Locks, etc		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 17
RM	Misc Handbr, Horns, Cables, Reg		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 18
RM	Su Carbs and Parts		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 19 - Mostly RMA
RM	Pedals, levers, bkts, cables, rods		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 20
RMB	2 Generators, pipes, castings, fan		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 21
RM	Spring Shackle Bolts, Head Studs		1		0.00	Bill White	Bucket 22
RM	Alum castngs, RMA CI plates, fan		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 23
RM	Assorted Chassis and Body Bkts		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 24
RM	Bumper Blades, OverRiders, Parts		1		0.00	Bill White	Box 25

THE 2011 RILEY MOTOR CLUB QLD ELECTED COMMITTEE

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