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(The Committee meets every fortnight-
at the Clubrooms - if you have any
queries then contact a C!tee member.)

CALENDAR OF EVENTSFEBRUARY

- 21st Sat *Working Bee at Mt. Cotton - all day - for further details contact President Steve Austin 245 5265.
- 22nd Sun *Club MOTORKHANA - Toombul Shopping Centre - 12 noon \$5 entry. Bitumen surface. Don't forget your licences. Enter on the day.
- 27th Fri CLUB'S PRESENTATION OF TROPHIES DINNER - come and join us or make up a party at the La Gondola Reception Lounge 281 Sandgate Rd., Albion. 7.30p.m. This is not a BYO. Fixed Entree(served at table); Smorgasbord Main Course; choice of dessert (served at table); coffee/tea choc's (served at table). Sounds great \$22 a head. PLEASE RING BY THIS TUESDAY NOON either Jan or Reg Tomkinson on 376 5657 (w) or 376 4304 (H).

MARCH

- 1st Sun Grafton Hillclimb - \$25 Phone Mrs. Chris Kelly 066-449654.
- 6th Fri Club members are invited to Christian Autosport Club of Australia Touring Assembly. Starts Sunnybank K. Mart 7.30. \$3-\$4 entry.
- 8th Sunday *Club RACE MEETING - 1st meeting for the year. At Lakeside Promoted by Mt. Cotton Hillclimb Lt. Workers needed contact Event Secretary Joan Appleby 857 1561.
- 14th Sat PROCESSION for St. Patrick's College Shorncliffe. M.G. roadsters wanted. Start 10 a.m. over by 11.30 rest of day can be spent picnicing and swimming etc. with the group. We need 11 cars. Please ring ASAP Peter or Delia Rayment 300 3148 (H). if available..to save our phone bill!! Roadsters because we have to escort 'Carnival Queen' entrance.
- 15th Sun *Working Bee at Mt. Cotton
- 20th Fri * CLUB NIGHT RUN - leaves the clubrooms 8p.m. Set by the terrible combination of Rob Ritchie & Barry Vanderburg. Bring your UBD, Pen/pencil, torch navigator etc. etc. Enter on the night.
- 22nd Sun * Club HILLCLIMB at Mt. Cotton - sup. regs. available at Clubrooms or contact Event Secretary Joan Appleby 857 1561.

Swap Meet - see details further in magazine

APRIL

- 5th Sun *AUSTRALIAN TOURING CAR ROUND LAKESIDE
- 17th Fri to 20th EASTER - M.G. CAR CLUB'S NATIONAL MEETING - PERTH
- 25th Sat *Working Bee at Mt. Cotton
- 26th Sun * Club HILLCLIMB at Mt. Cotton

MAY 30th & 31st AUSTRALIAN HILLCLIMB C'SHIPS HERE AT OUR MT. COTTON

HELP NEEDED -officials, flaggies, catering etc.

* M.G. Car Club points scoring events - towards the perpetual trophy see list in this magazine, further.

EDITORIAL

Dear Members,

Wonderful to see the amount of help received at the Motor-show this year. It certainly made the display most successful. Which goes to prove the old saying - many hands make light work.

We apologise to members for the late arrival of your Octagon this issue but with waiting for so many people along the chain, in organising the printing of the magazines cover etc, time just got away.

Anyway at least you were forwarned of the two main coming events - namely the Motorkhana this Sunday 22nd and the Presentation of Trophys Dinner on the 27th - so all you have to do now is get yourselves into gear and be there.

For club members who have not paid their dues so far this year, please do so ASAP as we can't be sending you your Octagon on a 'freebee' basis for much longer

You will notice a few changes in the Annual Pointscore system and at any time you want a copy of this we shall endeavour to keep some in the Clubrooms. Young Mal Spiden has said he will keep score again for us this year - thanks Mal.

Only weeks to go before we head off to the wild west and W.A. and the National Meeting at Easter of the M.G. Car Clubs.

- looking forward to the events in Perth, but not so much to the drive. Had a phone call from John & Val Geoff of Perth during the week and they've offered us a place to stay whilst we're in Perth - much appreciated - that's getting into the spirit of it all.

Well hoping to see a fair number at the P.of T.N. on the 27th till next magazine bye.

Peter & Del . Rayment.

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MEMBERSHIP IN THE M.G. CAR CLUB FELL DUE 1st JANUARY, 1987

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CLUB TROPHY
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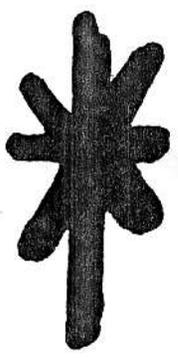
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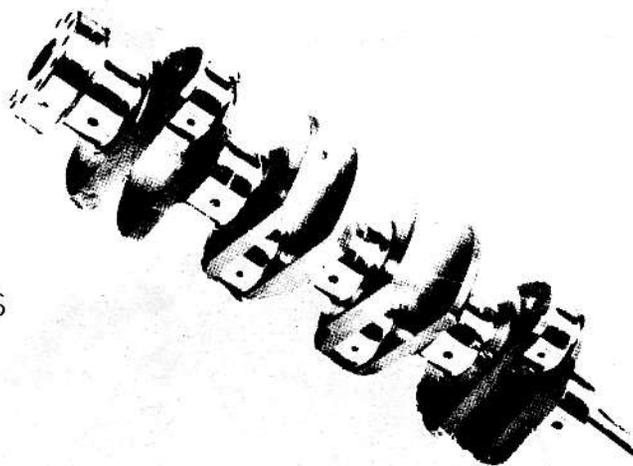
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This does not allow for running cost. Such as paperwork and other overheads. So as costs can be maintained at a lower level we need Minor/ Major SPONSORS.

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BODS & BENDS

Congratulations to Brian & Diane Cossor on the arrival of a son
-- Trent Brian on the 18th January. The three of them are well.

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So far this year we've seen quite a few new members join the ranks, and would like to welcome the following to the Club, we hope their association with us is long and fruitful;-
John Middleton - MGA, Andrew Mladenovic - Triumph TR4, Colin Ruffell - Elva F. Junior, Graham Harvey - Commodore, William Mallon - Esocrt, Anthony Gliddon - Van Diemon, Rodney Walker - MGB Mk I, Rod Bailey - Mazda, with a couple of 'old members' rejoining the pack i.e. Barry Vanderburg - Nissan (MGA Twin Cam -- in pieces) and Tony Scott - Mazda.

We look forward to seeing you at our club events.

NEW MEMBERS NEW MEMBERS NEW MEMBERS NEW MEMBERS NEW MEMBERS

Following is a copy of a letter received by the Club Secretary regarding the recent Fundraising night held at Jeanne & David Robinson's home on Wednesday 28th January. The Robinson's rumpus room was packed with ladies for the demonstrations whilst upstairs the men natter and nogged with a few movies thrown in.

We wish to thank David & Jeanne for the use of their home and also thank all who attended/gave us an order on the night.

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29th January, 1987

The Secretary...

Dear Sir,

I would like to report to the Committee that the fundraising Tupperware/Nutri-Metics night held on Wednesday 28th January, was supported by Club members and friends and proved to be a great success.

The prizes we earned from the night are listed below;-

Willow Esky; Willow Water Cooler; Multi-Purpose Torch; Tupperware containers; Nutri-Metics Gift Pact to the approx. value of \$80 -\$100.00.

It was the general opinion of the members on the night that the gifts be used for raffles either at the Australian Hillclimb Championships or other Club functions, or one large professional raffle.

It was proposed that all proceeds from the raffles be put towards construction of new Canteen at the Mt. Cotton Hillclimb site, as this would in itself generate more funds for the Club.

I would like to take this opportunity to offer my services to organise catering for the three days of competition at the 1987 Australian Hillclimb Championships. cig

Yours sincerely

Jeanne Robinson.

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MEMBERS NOTE - Jeanne's offer to organise the catering has been accepted by the Committee and we therefore request that anyone who is willing to help her on those days please contact her now with your home phone number and time and day that you will be available.

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DON'T FORGET THE CLUB MOTORKHANA

TOOMBUL SHOPPING CENTRE

SUNDAY 22nd FEBRUARY -12p.m.

BITUMEN COURSE

If you don't want to run then perhaps you'd like to help time?!

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P.O. Box 73,
CALOUNDRA 4551
071-916796

The Secretary,
M.G. Car Club (Queensland Centre)
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Ref: T.V. Segment approx. 6.40a.m. 4.8.86 Channel 9 Brisbane.

I missed the beginning of the above segment, not knowing if it were your Club or N.S.W. (It was actually Gold Coast's Club Ed.)

My late husband and I once owned a Black 1937 2½ Litre, 4 door M.G. Saloon, with 7 wire wheels, in approximately the years 1950 - 1956.

We had to dispose of it, as we couldn't keep up on his wages, the garage bills - He was unable to repair anything -

This car was disposed of in Woolloongong, N.S. Wales, sold to a dealer, as a trade in.

To my knowledge, at that time, her sister car, which we anted to buy for me, was in a dealers yard on Paramatta Rd., probably Ashfield.

Perhaps you can forward this letter to your sister Club in N.S.W. to see if it is still on the road -

The history of this car I can remember - We bought it in excellent condition from the racing drivers Alec Meldrum and Russell Aldrick Canberra. They traded it in on a purchase by a John Snow, a Canberra (writers emphasis Ed) land owner -

For better consumption of petrol, my husband had the manifold changed to that of a Citroen.

I do have, in my photo album a photo of this car, unfortunately only a black and white snap -

If you can locate the owner of this car I would send him the snap or perhaps your Club, as this car was even then rare, it truly was the Rolls Royce of Sports Cars.

I saw about a month ago at Cairncross Park, an M.G. outing, and I should have then made myself know to a member - (that was our Club Ed.)

Hoping to hear from you, if you can locate "Girlie" as she was called by me still giving her best to some luck owner -

My brother I am sure could furnish good pictures for the Riley Club - The Rolls Royce Club of Sydney has our family car - in my case, it was a case of Champagne tastes on a Water income! and a husband who would go into a garage saying "There is something wrong with it, let me know when you find it" - A Walking Father Xmas to a garage - I went without many household conveniences to satisfy his desires to drive this car -

Yours sincerley,
(Mrs) M.E. Gomie

MOTORSHOW 1987

The M.T.A.Q. Motorshow held at the R.N.A. Showgrounds proved successful again this year.

The main theme for our display was "AUSTRALIAN HILLCLIMB CHAMPIONSHIPS 31st MAY". Several ways were used to draw the public to the display. Firstly of course were the cars, which were on display and these were as follows;-

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Ivan Tighe's Kaditcha; Bob Mander's Bowin P6; Ian Peter's Elfin FF; Norm Singleton's Alfa; Terry Corbett's Escort; Rod Bailey's Mazda.

Besides these interesting cars a video, prepared by Club member Tony Jay, had members of the public spell bound/ goggled eyed as they watched the action at previous hillclimbs.

Also as a 'take-away' memento, the public could take home a leaflet advertising the Club's coming events + a diagram of Mt. Cotton and verbal tour of same.

The display was manned all the time and we thank all members who helped. We only hope that of the 60% that said they would come - 30% turn up - boy! WHERE WILL WE FIT THEM ALL !!!!!?

Club Members who helped were - Joan & Vince Appleby, Ian Peters and family, Steve Austin, Terry Corbett, Peter & Delia Rayment, Tony Jay, Barry Smith, Peter Gilbert, Giles Cooper, Reg Tomkinson, Keith McConnell (and Alan for the photos), Dean Tighe, Norm Singleton Gary, Brian, & Veronica Cossor, David Robinson, Bruce Horey, John & Kevin Heffernan, Linden & Michele Cooper, Rod Baily brother and boys. With plants being supplied by Don Bland.

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SANTA PARADE

Before Xmas the Club received more public exposure when it was invited to provide cars for Berklee who were having a Santa Parade which would travel from Mooloolaba to Maroochydore.

Club Members and friends who provided cars were - Ian Connell MGB (who just happened to be down from Bundaberg); Len Melrose MGB (hooray - it's back on the road again); Scott Ramsay MGA (with finance Kay keeping a keen eye on him); Peter Rayment MGTC; Delia Rayment MGB; Peter Kerr MGTC (who had the honour of driving Dick Johnson); Alison Kerr MGA; and Roroy Camm; MGB.

In the parade besides Santa and Dick Johnson, to draw the public's attention were several bikini clad models.

Thank you to Club members who participated - that reminds me I must contact Berklee as they promised us T/Shirts didn't they.(D).

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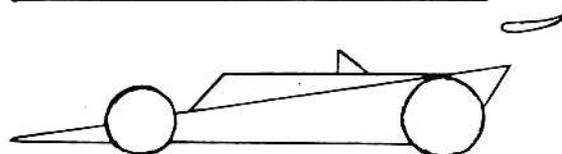
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Saturday 21st Feb

Sunday 15th March

Saturday 25th APRIL

Anytime from 7am

We need you.

Ring Committee for
further details.

HELP NEEDED

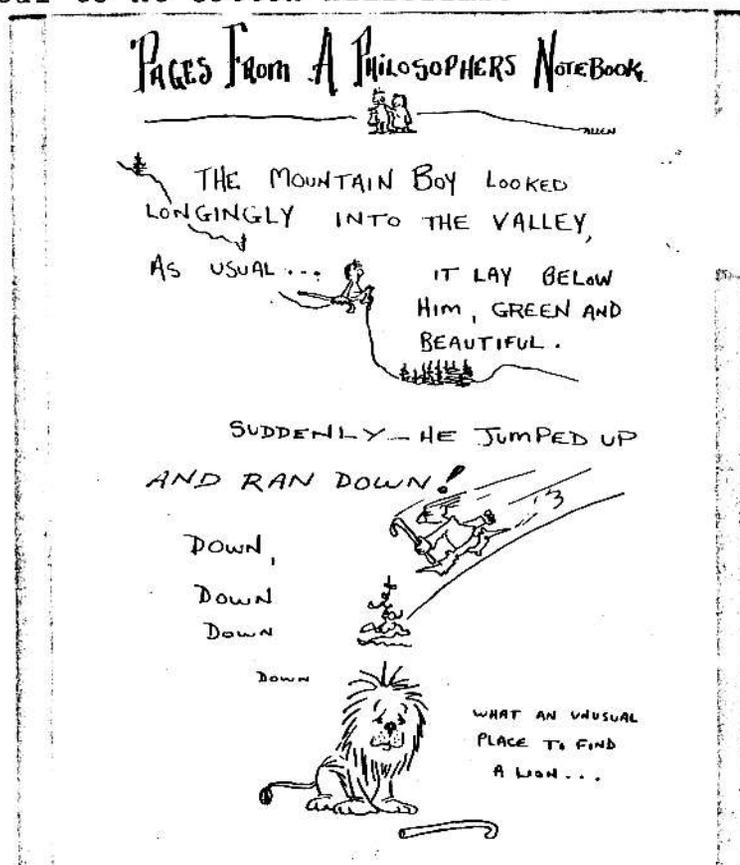
WANTED

We have started this little section to collect objects and services required to improve the our HILLCLIMB without having to outlay large amounts of \$'s that we do not have available. Perhaps you can help or your relations or next door neighbour. Some we will have to pay for but time donated free can be a large saving.

Please contact your committee members or your secretary if you can assist in any possible.

Large plastic buckets with lids.
 Concrete truck
 Bobcat/backhoe/dozer/low loader for dozer.
 Tipper truck for carting nut shells
 Truck load of soil so plants can be grown in tyre walls.
 Two wash basin S traps
 Surplus Besser Blocks
 Paint for repainting all things requiring painting for AHC
 Concrete Truck
 Tennis court line machine
 Welder suitable for use with generator.
 Large capacity generator for use at AHC for 3 days.
 Metal Power meter box with lid.
 Butcher who like to sell or donate at cheap! prices
 Person willing to quote on mowing Hillclimb circuit
 track edges on a regular basis and be reliable.

Lets hearfrom the members/competitors what you feel would be benefical to Mt Cotton Hillclimb.



JANUARY NIGHT RUN RESULTS

<u>PLACE</u>	<u>DRIVER</u>	<u>NAVIGATOR</u>	<u>CAR</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>QUES</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1	Rob Ritchie	Barry Vanderburg	MGB	0	5	5
=2	Dean Tighe	Dave Robinson	Honda city	0	10	10
=2	Alan McConnell	Mal Spiden	Mazda	0	10	10
4	Phil Hutchison	Graham Harvey	Telstar	0	15	15
5	Darryl McNeill	Shane Lambly	MI1 Escort	5	20	25
6	Len Melrose	Damien Wilson	MGB	6	25	31
7	Leonie Ivanins	George Porter	MGTD	21	20	41
8	Peter Gilbert	Mick Stephensen	Falcon	24	30	54
9	Barry Smith	Bruce Stephenson	Torana	0	115	115

Set by Peter & Delia Rayment. And Clocked in and out by Ann Thomson.
Thanks Ann.

NEXT NIGHT RUN 20th March...set by Rob Ritchie & Barry Vanderburg...

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M.G. MIDGET Contact Andrew Crawford on phone 397 5532 (H).

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St. Patrick's College,
SHORNCLIFFE. 4017

11th February, 1987
The M.G. Auto Club
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Dear Members,
The annual fund-raising event for our College for this year, takes place on Saturday, March 14th. Over the past years, the parents of the College have accomplished many feats regarding this event. The Carnival has been introduced with a procession through the district of Sandgate. The second feat is that a "CARNIVAL QUEEN CONTEST" in which the local young ladies participate, is in the fifth successive year. Although many people attend this happy function, the costs involved are tremendous. If it is by any means possible that you, dear members, would allow the use of your sports vehicles for the young ladies to ride in, in the procession, the college Carnival Committee would be only too happy to make a donation to your Auto Club. There are eleven young ladies.

At 10am.

The Procession will depart Flinders Parade, Sandgate (the lead vehicle being stationed 5th Avenue) it will proceed upwards in 5th Avenue, through Sandgate, around the Town Hall, and continue to Park Parade Shorncliffe. The time for all to be dispersed is approximately 11.30a.m.

We do hope your decision in this matter will be favourable.

Thanking you most sincerely,
Joan McGrath
P. & F. Association Co-ordinator.

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Our Committee has decided to help the St. Patrick's College if it can, but it all depends on our Club members. Please give Peter or Delia Rayment a ring if you would like to participate in this procession. It is their intension to make a fun day of it, as after the procession is over they envisage finding a good picnic spot, having lunch and then going for a swim afterwards. So those who wish to participate please phone 300 3148 (H). A.S.A.P. as we need 11 cars.

HELP WANTED M.G. ROADSTERS HELP WANTED M.G. ROADSTERS.....
FOR PROCESSION 14th MARCH SHORNCLIFFE Phone 300 3148 if available.

CLUB JOTTINGS

You might have noticed that Mt. Cotton Hillclimb Ltd. is promoting our events at the present time. This is a stop gap while the Club's incorporation is going through the appropriate channels, in the intrim this move is to protect the members from any litigation.

MISSING PERSON!! Well not really but would anyone know the address of club member Geoff Russell as his magazines keep coming back - please let Secretary know.

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POINT SCORE

Hereunder is listed details of our club's various perpetual trophies and how to obtain them.

CLOSED TOURING ASSEMBLIES (NIGHT RUNS) or any other notified events.

Points allocated to both Driver and Navigator on basis of outright position for first 7 placegetters. Refer Table A.

.....Points gained are Best T Type)
 transferred to the Best MG) Where
 Ladies Award) Applicable
 Best All Rounder)

MOTORKHANA - Club motorkhanas held during the year. Run over 5 classes as per the Queensland Motorkhana Code.

- Class A - Production vehicle with wheelbase 1800mm to 2150mm
- B - " " " " 2151mm to 2380mm
- C - " " " " 2381mm to 2650mm
- D - " " " " greater than 2651mm
- F - 1/Motorkhana Specials
- F - 2/Production vehicle with a fiddle brake
 (not a hydraulic hand brake)

Points allocated for positions in various classes as per Table B.A

.....Points gained are Best T Type)
 transferred to the Best MG) Where
 Ladies Award) Applicable
 Best All Rounder)

SPEED TROPHY

Points allocated from club hillclimbs plus Iron Man Sprints and any other notified events.

To be eligible for this trophy the competitor must actively participate at a minimum of two (2) Official working bees and it is the competitors responsibility to ensure that he has signed the WORKING BEE REGISTER to ensure that there is no confusion over his/her eligibility to this trophy.

Points allocated as per position in varous classes as per Table B.

- Plus 2 for Fastest Time of Day, overall.
- Plus 2 for breaking a club record.
- Plus 1 for equalling a club record.

Points gained are transferred to Best T Type)
 Best MG) Where
 Ladies Award) Applicable
 Best All Rounder)

Points for Working Bees shall be 3 points per working bee with a maximum of 12. These will be added to your speed trophy points and carried to Best All Rounder.

MARQUE SPORTS CAR SPEED TROPHY

Eligible: Marque sports cars as listed in CAMS Manual.

Points and events as per speed trophy.

POINT SCORE

LADIES AWARD

Points gained from all events. To gain award, competitor must have competed in a least 1 Closed Touring Assembly, 1 Motorkhana and 1 Speed event.

BEST T TYPE

Points gained from all events.
2 points for all Social Events.

BEST M.G.

Points gained from all events.
2 points for all social functions.

BEST ALL ROUNDER

Points gained from all events. To gain award competitor must have competed in at least 1 Closed Touring Assembly, 1 Motorkhana, and 1 Speed Event.

RACING DRIVERS TROPHY

Point score system to be advised.

CONCOURS

Class placings plus 2 points for Outright (However determined) These points will go to M.G., Ladies, Best T Type and Best All Rounder.

RALLY TROPHIES - For Navigators and Drivers.

Points allocated for outright positions	1st	10 points
	2nd	9
Points can be scored from "Open" Rallies only,	3rd	8
that is not from events excluding any particular	4th	7
grade of driver (Novice, Clubman, Recognised or	5th	6
Classified)	6th	5
	7th	4
To be included in Rally Trophy will be	8th	3
Sprint Rallies with the following points	9th	2
being awarded:	1st	5 points
	2nd	4
	3rd	3
	4th	2
	5th	1 and 1 if competing.
	10th	1 competing 1 point

TABLE A

1st	10 points	
2nd	8	
3rd	6	
4th	4	
5th	3	
6th	2	
7th	1	Plus 1 for competing.

TABLE B

1st	10 points
2nd	8
3rd	6
4th	4
5th	3
6th	2
7th	1

CAMS CORNER CAMS

PERSONAL ACCIDENT INSURANCE 1987

Personal Accident Insurantee rates have not increased for 1987. However, pursuant to Federal Government legislation enacted in September, 1985, we are no longer permitted to offer insurance for medical expenses. Only Medicare and registered health funds, may do so. We were able to offer that benefit until the end of 1986 as we had an existing contract in place. In your next bulletin to clubs, I should be obliged if you would include an appropriate announcement to that effect.

We have asked new underwriters for quotations on increases in both the capital benefit and the weekly benefit. When these are to hand, it may be that some variation to premium, and thus to the fees charged, will result.

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SCRUTINEERS SCHOOL! CLUB MEMBERS WANTED FOR THIS SCHOOL

Club Secretary, Please circulate the following amongst your members.

To organise a scrutineering training system as proposed by S.A.P. in 1986.

- Proposed System (1) For panel members to give a lecture to Car Club members at arranged time & place.
- (2) Car Club members to sit for examination.
- (3) Car Club members passing to become "Scrutineers in Training" and issued card by CAMS.
- (4) After scrutineering 4 events and gaining signatures by reigning Chief Scrutineers apply to S.A.P. and S.C. for upgrading to Scrutineer.
- (5) Upon grading as "Scrutineer" be issued with scrutineers card by CAMS and must scrutineer at minium of 4 events per year to retain status.
- (6) Chief Scrutineers? Schoold at later date depending on numbers and talent available.

SCRUTINEERS SCHOOL SCRUTINEERS SCHOOL SCRUTINEERS SCHOOL!!!!!!!

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RULE 203 Penalties to effect all licences

if any member is unfortunate enough to have a CAMS licence suspended this counts to any licences to which your name is attached.

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CLUB JOTTINGS

THANK YOU TO THE ADVERTISERS WHO HAVE SUPPORTED OUR NEW COVER & INSERT PAGE FOR THE OCTAGON. We envisage bringing out another insert page by June and would ask anyone interested to contact our Secretary David Robinson on 848 0221 (H)

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TROPHY WINNERS FOR 1986

These will be presented at our Dinner Friday 27th February
La Gondola Reception Lounge, 281 Sandgate Rd., Albion. Book
your reservation now for a scrumptious meal and social evening.
Contact Jan or Reg Tomkinson on 376 5657(W) 376 4304(H)

<u>AWARD</u>	<u>RECEIPANT</u>
RACING DRIVER	T B N
TOURING ASSEMBLES(NIGHT RUN)	
DRIVER	Peter Rayment
NAVIGATOR	Delia Rayment
MOTORKHANA	Alan McConnell
SPEED TROPHY	Steven Pocock
MARQUE SPORTS CAR SPEED TROPHY	John Broadbent
LADIES AWARD	Colleen Tallar
BEST T TYPE	Peter Rayment
BEST MG	Peter Rayment
CONCOURS	Albert Budworth
RALLY	
DRIVER	T B N
NAVIGATOR	T B N
BEST ALL ROUNDER	Alan McConnell

& OF COURSE IF THE COMMITTEE SEES FIT THERE IS THE
MOTHERS HELP TROPHY ?

THE M.G. CAR CLUB
of Queensland

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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP FORM

The Membership Secretary,
M.G. Car Club of Queensland,
G.P.O. Box 1847,
BRISBANE.Q. 4001

NAME IN FULL.....
(Please Print)

ADDRESS.....

.....Post Code.....

OCCUPATION.....Phone No/s (W).....(H).....

PARTICULARS OF VEHICLE

Make.....Model.....Year.....Reg. No.....

Engine No.....Cubic Capacity.....

I, the undersigned, hereby apply for membership in the M.G. Car Club of Queensland. This application is subject to the acceptance by the Executive Committee and extended on condition that I will agree to abide by the Rules of the Club.

Dated.....Signed.....

Attached please find cheque/cash for - \$23 Annual Membership
- \$ 9 CAMS Basic Licence
- \$12 Country Membership
(outside 160km of Brisbane)
- Family Membership
(on application)

NOTE: Prices subject to change. Please confirm before posting.

Proposed byNO. Q.....

Seconded by.....NO. Q.....

THE OCTAGON

The M.G. Car Club of Queensland was formed in November, 1954 by a group of motoring and M.G. enthusiasts.

The Club has prospered under the M.G. name and is one of the oldest Clubs in Queensland.

M.G. Car Club occupies rooms at 18 Nash Street, Rosalie, Brisbane and has an active local and country membership.

Local members are well catered for by events organised by the Committee.

Types of events include night runs, motorkhanas, rallysprints, rallies, hillclimbs, concours and picnic runs as well as natter get together nights at the Clubrooms each Friday night at about 8 p.m.

Country members as well as local are well catered for by a newsletter which reports on events and things of interest.

A large range of perpetual trophies are available to be won by members for various events concluding at a social presentation night.

M.G. Car Club of Queensland operates the Mt. Cotton Hillclimb situated 30 km from Brisbane. It is a bitumen track set in a bush setting on which Club, State and National Championships have been held.

Probably the best part of being a member of this Club is the friendly and informal atmosphere that prevails.

It is not essential to own an M.G. to be a member because most events run by the Club cater for all types of cars from road going (sedan or sports) to all out racers in various classes. Your friends are welcome to join as well.

The Committee and Members invite you to join in the fun of -
MOTORSPORT.