

MID WEEK LUNCH RUN REPORT

From Rodger Polkinghorne

Thursday 11 January 2024

Monthly Lunch Runs for 2024 started on 11 January with lunch at The Marion Club on Sturt Road Marion. The event was attended by 52 people which enabled us to have our own private room – a nice touch. This was the highest number of people to attend since the beginning of 2020 when we were cancelling lunch runs due to Covid. Fingers crossed that we will not have to go back to those days.

The meals at the Marion Club are always exceptional. Although the service was a little slow due to the high number of people in the main dining room the menu was comprehensive and the meals were up to the usual high standard.

There were not too many MGs in the car park especially roadsters because it was a warm day and there was no run. Ian and De Denny who drive the MGA at every opportunity were one of the exceptions and travelled a distance of one kilometre from home for the round trip to the Marion. The other roadster drivers were Bill and Kath Colclasure also Derek and Liz Laynes.

John Davies is organising a number of runs in 2024. Garry Chapman, Leigh Richter, Mike Greenwood and myself will also be organising lunches so we can expect some notable drives followed by some great lunch venues.

Thanks to everyone who came and supported the lunch.

Next mid-week lunch run will be on 8 February 2024 heading to The Gully Hotel. Morning tea will be at The Paradise Hotel at 10.30am and departing 11.30am. Everyone is welcome. Please book with Garry Chapman if you would like to come so the venues can be advised of numbers attending.

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Lunch Attendees:

Rob & Vari Booth	Subaru
Bill & Kathy Branson	Subaru
Alan & Sandra Cardnell	Subaru
Garry Chapman	Mazda
Bill & Kath Colclasure	MGB
Suzette Cook	Ford
Babs Crouch	VW
John & Sue Davies	Ford
Ian & De Denny	MGA
Lawrie Foody	Porsche
Robin & Maxine Gibbs	Mazda
Norm & Pam Hellings	Ford
Chris & Annette Kinney	Honda
Derek & Liz Laynes	MGB
Peter & Janet Lorimer	Scania
David & Cathy Maxwell	Toyota
Peter & Bronwyn Micklem	Lexus
Daryl & Jenny Pinch	Lexus
Andrew & Deb Pointon	MG HS

Rodger & Sue Polkinghorne	Mazda
Trevor & Helen Praitte	MG ZS
Neville & Marjorie Pridgeon	Ford
Leigh & Kaye Richter	BMW
Arthur Ruediger	BMW
Brian & Joyce Stopp	Hyundai
John & Helen Tamke	Kia
Brian & June Terry	Toyota
Di Williamson	Holden