

My Car Club visit to Alroy Tavern in Plumpton.



Wednesday 10 September was pretty bleak in Sydney. The rain arrived in the early morning and persisted most of the day, with the odd sunny break. Regardless, 30 members of My Car Club gathered at the Alroy Tavern in Plumpton for a delicious lunch.

Given the horrible weather most people brought their modern cars, though Peter and Rose were there in their Morris 1000 and Rob brought his lovely red Jaguar.



The Alroy Tavern is an interesting place. It was built around 1888 by an orchardist and fruit canner Thomas Bowring. It has an interesting and complex roof design and wraps around a courtyard where we had our lunch. It is currently owned by Blacktown City Council who have restored the property and leased it as a tavern. The surrounding gardens are also very attractive.

Although I have lived in Sydney most of my life, this is an area I had never visited. One of the great things about the MCC is discovering new places in your own city.

A big thank you to Mark Hertz for seeking out these places for the club to visit.

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