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#### COVER STORY:



2005 MINI MEET PHOTO P. CHRISTIAN

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**“98 KOVU” GETTING READY FOR A RUNNING DAY, KOVU WAS BUILT BY STEVEN STUART PICTURE BY P.CHRISTIAN.**

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**THE 2005 N.S.W. MINI MEET WAS HELD AT OUR TRACK IN DURHAM STREET DURING THE WEEKEND OF OUR RUNNING DAY IN MAY 2005. THE LAST TIME OUR CLUB HELD THIS EVENT WAS IN 2001.**

**A NUMBER OF MEMBERS REPRESENTING A VARIETY OF CLUBS WERE PRESENT FOR THIS EVENT AND ALL SAID THEY WERE VERY HAPPY WITH THIS CLUBS ORGANISATION AND RUNNING OF THIS EVENT. THE FOLLOWING IS A PICTURE STORY OF THIS WEEKEND....PLEASE ENJOY.**



**ONE OF THE MANY LOCOS PRESENT WAS THIS BEAUTIFULL C38 CLASS.**

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**A WONDERFUL VIEW OF 3203 GETTING “ALL STEAMED UP”**



**VISITING LOCOS IN THE PARKING BAY, NOTE THE SCALE MODEL WAGONS. BOTH PICTURES P. CHRISTIAN.**

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**AROUND THE WORKSHOPS: CHRISTIAN FAMILY, PETER AND FAY ARE THE ONLY ORIGINAL MEMBERS LEFT IN THE CLUB AND ARE THE CORNERSTONE OF THE SOCIETY. THIS WORKSHOP IS ALWAYS BUSY FIXING AND REPAIRING OUR ROLLING STOCK AND LOCOMOTIVES.**

**PETER IS 1 OF 2 BOILER INSPECTORS FOR OUR CLUB AND SO HAS A GREAT DEAL OF HANDS ON EXPERIENCE IN THE CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTANACE OF THE STEAM LOCOS IN THE BATHURST MINATURE RAILWAY CLUB THE OTHER BOILER INSPECTOR BEING ALEX GRAY.. WHO WE SHAL GET TO IN ANOTHER ISSUE....**

**CURRENT PROJECTS IS COMPLETION OF A PASENGER WAGON TO GO BEHIND A NEW BATTERY ELECTRIC 4 WHEEL LOCO BASED ON THE N.S.W.G.R. X 200 CLASS RAIL TRACTORS... SHOULD BE GREAT WHEN THEY ARE FINNISHED.**



**588 AND 1590 ARE PRODUCTS OF PETER CHRISTIANS WORKSHOP.**

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### GENERAL NEWS SECTION

WE HAVE A FEW BOOKINGS COMING UP IN THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY THE FIRST BEING ON THE 12<sup>TH</sup> THEN THE 16<sup>TH</sup> AND 17<sup>TH</sup> BEING OUR RUNNING DAY DON'T FORGET THE A.G.M. IN MARCH ALL MEMBERS ARE REQUESTED TO ATTEND IF AT ALL POSSIBLE THIS WOULD BE APPRECIATED.

MORE LOCO PICTURES ARE REQUIRED FOR FUTURE ISSUES OF THIS NEW ONLINE VERSION OF THIS MAGAZINE. WE ARE ALSO CONSIDERING MAKING A "FOR SALE" SECTION ON THE B.M.R.S. WEBSITE... [WWW.BMRS.ASN.AU](http://WWW.BMRS.ASN.AU) SO MEMBERS COULD ADVERTISE THEIR OWN FOR SALE OR WANTED ITEMS FOR **F R E E**.



FRED TAYLOR DRIVING ALEX GRAY'S "9201" ...NICE HUH?

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LOCOTECH PAGE: THIS ISSUE... "588 LIZZY"

AS ITS NUMBER MAY SUGGEST "LIZZY" WAS COMPLETED IN 1988 AND IS THE LARGEST STEM LOCO REGISTERED WITH THE BATHURST MINIATURE RAILWAY.

DETAILS:

LENGTH: 1225 mm

WIDTH: 455 mm

HEIGHT: 845 mm OVER STACK

WHEEL ARRANGEMENT: 0-4-2

TIME TO BUILD: 2 YEARS

MODELED ON: FREELANCE NARROW GAUGE LOCO



**BRENTON CHRISTIAN DRIVING "588 LIZZY"**