"We wish you a Merry Christmas, we wish you a Merry Christmas." Yes folks "Tis The Season to Be Jolly" and by jove do we need to be!

It's been a funny old year again and **Meg** and I have been watching from afar as we tucked ourselves up in the garage and made sure we were nice and cosy.

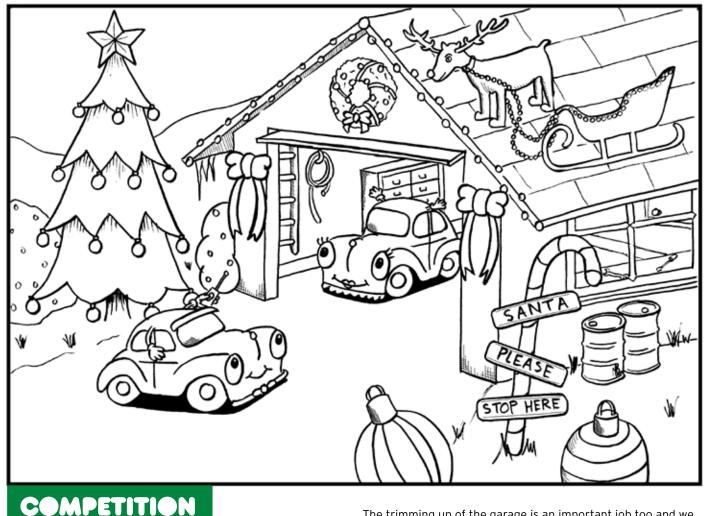
We have kept ourselves ship-shape and happy and have watched lots and lots of films connected with **Morris Minors**, so it has been fun all the way. Now it's nearly Christmas, we have let the radiator's go and it's time for some serious mince pie munching!



We hope you will have fun this **Yuletide** too and it would be lovely to hear what you are up to and how you plan to spend Christmas

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Why not join in the spirit and send in your adventures on the back of a Christmas bauble of course via **Rebecca.hay@mmoc.org.uk**. **MUG**



How festive are we then folks? As you can see from our

old mucker Michael Barnes's fine and dandy cartoon, the garage is looking a lot like Christmas.

The **Clumsy Pickle** as he likes to be known is a bit of a superstar when it comes to drawing and he has captured us looking very festive and ready for the big day.

We are quite traditional in our garage and it's turkey and all the trimmings, washed down with plenty of vintage oil all the way!

The trimming up of the garage is an important job too and we hope you like our efforts so much, that you decide to colour in this cartoon with your best felt tips and glitter.

As always, it's just for fun, but we do have some rather fine metal and cloth badges to give away to the people who send in the best and brightest..

It's all a bit of fun, so have a go and if you want to send it to the garage, feel free, just send in and we might reward you. Please send via **Rebecca.hay@mmoc.org.uk**

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Christmas means a chance to stuff your radiators until they are fit to bursting!

And boy, do **Meg** and I intend to do just that. Our favourite is **Christmas pudding**, because it's so tasty and yummy.

Meg makes ours every October, to give it chance to mature nicely for the big day and I have to say, it is pretty fantastic. Now while I drool over the pud, why don't you do something great and enjoy some fun puzzles which are connected to Christmas foods.

There is a **wordsearch**, **a colouring in and a find the** ... It is all for a bit of fun as usual, but it should keep you happy as the turkey cooks and the sprouts boil.

If you are proud of your work, then why not send in to us via

Rebecca.hay@mmoc.org.uk and who knows what might land down your chimney....

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Shortbread Carrots Milk Candy Canes Christmas Pudding Fruitcake Stuffing Turkey Eggnog Gingerbread Hot Chocolate Chestnuts





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I SPY SOME CHRISTMAS FOOD!

How many did you find?



Ho, ho, ho - it's time for some cracking **Christmas** gags to get the tinsel twirling. Here is the **Mug** and **Meg** selection box, but if you can do better, then why not send in some of your own in, via **Rebecca.hay@mmoc.org.uk**

> WHAT DO SANTA'S LITTLE HELPERS LEARN AT SCHOOL? THE ELF-ABET!

WHAT DO YOU GET IF YOU CROSS SANTA WITH A DUCK?

A CHRISTMAS QUACKER!

HOW DID SCROOGE WIN THE FOOTBALL GAME? THE GHOST OF CHRISTMAS PASSED!

WHAT DID THE BEAVER SAY TO THE CHRISTMAS TREE?

NICE GNAWING YOU!

WHAT GOES "OH, OH, OH"? SANTA WALKING BACKWARDS!

WHY WAS THE SNOWMAN LOOKING THROUGH THE CARROTS? HE WAS PICKING HIS NOSE!

WHAT DO SNOWMEN WEAR ON THEIR HEADS? ICE CAPS!

WHAT DO YOU GET WHEN YOU CROSS A SNOWMAN WITH A VAMPIRE? FROSTBITE!

WHY IS IT GETTING HARDER TO BUY ADVENT CALENDARS?

THEIR DAYS ARE NUMBERED!

WHO HIDES IN THE BAKERY AT CHRISTMAS? A MINCE SPY!

WHAT DO SNOWMEN HAVE FOR BREAKFAST? SNOWFLAKES!

I am sure there are plenty of Morris Minors out there. If you are under 16 then why not fill in the Join Us coupon so I can keep in touch.

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OK folks, you have filled in the Join Us coupon and sent it in. But before Meg and I get in touch we need you to do some work and send in your competition entries, jokes or letters to the address at the top of the page. THANKS