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**NEW MORRIS  
MINOR  
RELEASE  
DETAILS**

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## NEW RELEASE

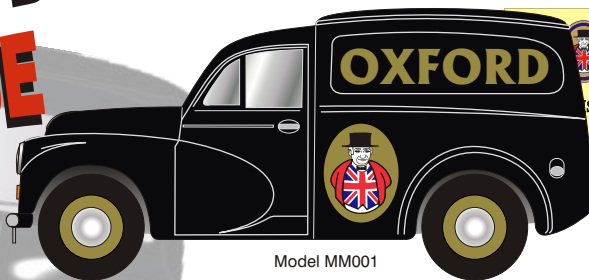


Set 14

For all our bus collectors here's a Triple Bus Set featuring the RT, Routemaster and Thornycroft Bus. The collection of three models will be seen at several gift outlets over the next few months. The Thornycroft is particularly nice with Pears advertising on the front destination panel. You can use the buses in your multipurchasing, the set counts as three models.

# NEW MODEL RELEASE

## MORRIS MINOR VAN



Model MM001

**Limited Edition**  
NOVEMBER 2005  
OXFORD'S MINOR FIRST RELEASE  
MR TAFF 123456  
01 N<sup>o</sup> of xxxx

**NEW  
RELEASE**

We have two new vans scheduled for release between now and Christmas and we are giving everyone the chance to pre-order the first releases of each model. These will come in a special gift box and each certificate will carry your name. The first van for release will be the Morris Minor, and the model will carry the Oxford logo and is the first release in the range. We will only build exactly the quantities required. The model costs £9.95 plus £1.95 p&p and will be sent out to you separately in November. You can find some more details on this model on Page 6.

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# JIM BEAM



# JIM BEAM




Back in Globe 48 we released a Model T (DR008 - 2003) for the Jim Beam Bottle Club of New Zealand and here's a further release.

On the back door of this model you will find the date 2005.

The birth of Bourbon dates back to the 1700's (Dusty remembers it well!), the rich flavour of Kentucky bourbon was discovered when a batch of corn whiskey was aged in new white oak barrels that had been charred by fire. In 1795 the recipe and distillation process was perfected by Jacob Beam. This time the logos appear on a Bedford.

**NEW  
RELEASE**




**Limited Edition**

**JIM BEAM 2005**

Model DR016      No.      of 1,050

Thousands and thousands of Victory Thanks flags flew over Trafalgar Square on 10th July 2005, WWII National Commemoration Day. The Royal British Legion received over 115,000 flags each bearing messages of heartfelt thanks to all those men and women who valiantly served their country during the Second World War. Once again we supported their campaign with the release of this model, with donations that went to their fund raising campaign. We showed crates full of THANKS being carried by our Chevrolet. Only limited quantities of this model still available.

**Limited Edition**

**THE NATION'S BIGGEST  
THANK YOU**

Model C072      No.      of 5,000



## **THE NATION'S BIGGEST THANK YOU** FOR VICTORY IN 1945

**NEW  
RELEASE**

**WWII ANNIVERSARY APPEAL BY THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION**



A low run edition specially released for the Clogher Valley Show for 2005. The show is an annual event and has run for many years in County Tyrone. A small edition of 500 pieces for this model with just 250 pieces available for club members. This product is certificated by Pasture Promotions.

**150T Clogher Valley  
Edition 500 pieces**

**2005 VINTAGE DISPLAY 2005**

**CLOGHER VALLEY SHOW**

FORD MODEL T VAN - OXFORD DIECAST REF. No. 150T

To commemorate the 2005 Vintage Display at the Clogher Valley Show, County Tyrone. This Code One Oxford Diecast Model has a certificated Limited Edition production run of only 500 models.

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**CERTIFICATE NUMBER**  
**335**



This RT is on Route 230 on the way to Northwick Park Station and would have been running during the 1960's . The advertising on the side is for the Red Rover which enabled the holder to travel anywhere on Central Area buses, trolleybuses and the Underground (Twin Rover) for a fixed fee on one day only. We show some tickets

**NEW RELEASE**



here from the late 1960's/early 70's, one is dual pricing so was evidently just prior to decimalisation. We presume the name came from the route of the "Red Rover" London to Liverpool night coach service from the late 1700's although this service only lasted until the coming of the railways in the 1840's. During a recent trip to London I saw their new Oyster card which has recently been introduced - it just doesn't have the same ring to it - I would have much preferred the name Red Rover. Anyway a nice addition to the range RT015.

## A word from Michael

After a lot of consideration we have decided to reduce the size of the Globe in preparation for the new postal rates that will hit us next year. If we continued with the same A4 size then the cost of sending out the Globe would almost double which would make it uneconomical. The new size will also enable us to add some extra pages at appropriate times of the year.

The Morris Minor first shown here is a little beauty as is the second van that will be available hot on its heels. With a further promise of a new casting in the first quarter of next year - lots to look forward to!

Until next time

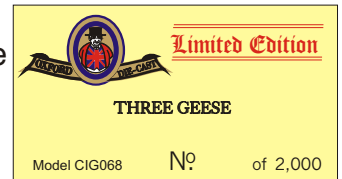
Take care

Michael

**NEW RELEASE**



We've just had Three Nuns then Three Swans and now Three Geese. The third in a series of three! Quite a few members asking for repeats of the early more popular brands on different models after the recent Woodbine release. My recent trip to Egypt and ride on a camel has just given me an idea!



On one side of the van is shown Nelson and on the other side HMS Victory



**TRAFALGAR**  
1805-2005  
Nelson played a vital role in securing Britain's freedom 200 years ago, both stopping the terrifying threat of invasion by Napoleon's France and establishing British naval supremacy for the next century. Even losing an arm and being

© Limited Edition of 10,000 pieces

**NEW RELEASE**



In preparation for the 200th anniversary of the Battle of Trafalgar, we are releasing a Bullnose and a commemorative medal which comes in a presentation pack. On the reverse side of the Bullnose is shown HMS Victory.

# GLOBE 69 RELEASES



**NEW OXFORD  
TOOLING**

**CODE SET 15**

**Limited Edition**  
**BURY**  
Model F020 N° of 1,100



**GO TO TOWN WITH *Crown***



**Limited Edition**  
**TETLEY TEA**  
Model CS034 N° of 1,500

**Limited Edition**  
**LONDON TRANSPORT  
CROWN WALLPAPERS**  
Model RM082 N° of 2,000



**Birmingham City Police**



**Limited Edition**  
**ROYAL BERKSHIRE  
REGIMENT**  
Model GR017 N° of 1,500

**Limited Edition**  
**BIRMINGHAM CITY  
POLICE**  
Model P007 N° of 1,500



**GIRL'S OWN**



**Limited Edition**  
**JAMESON**  
Model DR015 N° of 1,500

**Limited Edition**  
**GIRLS OWN**  
Model CC033 N° of 1,500



CC031 Dan Dare Edition 1,500



CC032 Tiny Tots Edition 1500



VW016 DIXON OF DOCK GREEN Edition 2,000



CC030 Edition 1,500



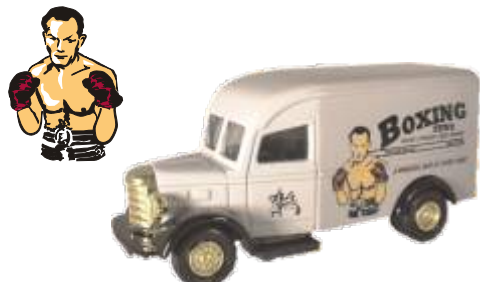
BED014 Railway Lorry Country Services Edition 2,000



GR016 Royal Tank Edition 1,500



BED015 Tullamore Dew Edition 2000



MAG015 Boxing News Edition 2,000



DR012 CHARRINGTONS Edition 2,000



RT014 YOUNGS Edition 2,000



CC029 SCHOOL FRIEND Edition 2,000



CODE MINIPOL



Model No MAG016 Edition 2,000



Model No CS033 Edition 1,500



Model No RM081 Edition 2,000



Model No P006 Edition 1,500



Model No F019 Edition 1,100

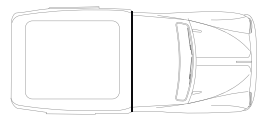
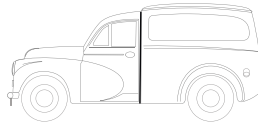
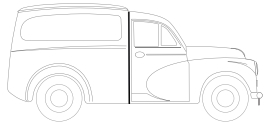


Model No CIG067 Edition 2,000

# MORRIS MINOR



The first of our new releases will be the Morris Minor Van which is scheduled for November. There'll be quite a few variations to the model with several different components to change the look and styling. The first release will appear in the Oxford livery and we will limit production to orders received. These will be presented in a special presentation gift box and be despatched separately around mid November. To order this model you need to ensure that we have your correct details as we will print your name and membership number on the certificate. There is only limited space on the certificate so a long surname means no middle name can be printed, but we will do the most we can to accommodate your requirements. We will require the order form completed and sent to us detailing this otherwise we can't be responsible for any errors.



## COMMEMORATIVE PLATES

8th or 9th April



CODE VJ PLATE



CODE VE PLATE



Charles & Camilla

CODE ROY8TH CODE ROY9TH

Earlier this year we ran a promotion for the Daily and Sunday Express for the wedding of Charles and Camilla. As you will recall there was some confusion with the change of dates at the last minute - which caused us a bit of a headache. The majority of plates produced were dated the 9th April, but some of the earlier production was dated the 8th April. We have some of both left - first come first serve.



1:87 Scale

£5.95

PRICE DROP



MODEL NO 13042



This A40D is part of the 1:87 scale range and is 13 cm long and has opening front showing the full engine detail. It really needs to be seen to be appreciated. We've got 100 to release at just £5.95. What's more you can buy them in your 6 for 4 and 4 for 3 purchasing. Just add £1 extra

# LAND ROVER SERIES III 109

More Land Rovers in single packs this time the AA, Post Office and Ambulance. These cost £4.95 each, but you can include them in your six for four and 4 for 3 purchasing and mix and match them with your Oxford models. The models are nicely detailed with poseable wheels.



CODE: LRAA



CODE: LRPO



CODE: LRAMB



**A six piece 1:72 scale set with models that can't be obtained elsewhere.**

**Lotus Europa  
Capri  
MGB  
Morgan  
VW Microbus & Boat**

**Orange  
Silver  
Yellow  
Black Roof Down  
Split**

The set comes in a lovely gift pack and is perfect as a present.

## THE HISTORY OF TAFF AND OXFORD DIECAST

I was only back on the shopfloor for a day before I was asked (told) to help the stock controllers sort out some stock reporting. This soon became my speciality and for a few years I would be called in to perform various exercises. All I was asked to do was to get the information, which may sound easy, but nobody wanted to volunteer 'bad news'. The control systems were 'out of control', the computer system couldn't get to grips with the problem, so I was asked to come up with some facts. Mettoy had a contract to produce Fisher Price Toys which had lasted a few years, but was now coming to an end. All I was asked to do was to summarise the stock position, unlike others I had time to do this, but initially I was not being helped by various individuals who were somewhat evasive. I decided it would be better to check the stocks after hours when I would be undisturbed. This took far longer than I expected as the stock of raw materials, metalwork, plastic components, specialist parts and packaging were spread over two large sites and hidden amongst stocks for Corgi products and a whole range of other contracts, I thought I'd finished, but then by chance some more stock appeared hidden in J shed a storage location in the docks. What I found horrified me and the whole exercise took me a few weeks, during which time a senior manager called me into the office and disciplined me for not reporting the information as quickly as I should. I was told to attend a production meeting at 2.00pm the following Tuesday. I worked on the numbers all weekend and finalised my report. I attended the meeting at 2.00pm as requested, but was told they had more important things to discuss and to come back an hour later. This I did and as I entered I was surprised to see the Divisional Director who had arrived early for another meeting, along with the Production Manager, Stock Controller and several others. I was told to be quick, so I announced to the meeting that when the contract finished in two months time, they would have 600 pallets of redundant stock worth £250,000 that would need to be written off. Initially they picked holes in my numbers, but I had every detail tied up. No they couldn't make any more Xylophones as they had 100,000 red bars and 0 blue bars and no boxes. I also pointed out that they were still moulding components that they didn't require. The office was stunned and they poured over my numbers. A special meeting was called and the seriousness of the situation was drummed home to everybody by the Divisional Director. There was almost a riot when the meeting was told that no further stocks could be purchased without my signature, that included the Production Manager and Stock Controller. Finally as I now knew more about the stock than anybody else, it was my task to arrange for it to be sold and maximise the scrap value - that's gratitude for you.

# CARS & CARAVANS

A series of cars and caravan releases to wet your appetite at £5.95 each plus 50p towards p&p. We are also offering **STAR BUYING** when you can buy the lot at £24.95 plus £2.95 towards p&p for the set of six packs - that's six cars and six caravans - twelve models in total.

## 1:43rd Scale

CODE CP023



CODE CP021



CODE CP026



CODE CP024



**Star Buying  
Get the lot  
for £27.90**

CODE CP025



CODE CP022



# “The beginning of the end”



Each set comes boxed with a news report £5.95 each

FROM OUR **SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT**

SC001 Edition 2,500	SC002 Edition 2,500	SC003 Edition 2,500	SC004 Edition 2,500	SC005 Edition 2,500	SC006 Edition 2,500
SC007 Edition 2,500	SC008 Edition 2,500	SC009 Edition 2,500	SC010 Edition 2,500	SC011-Edition 2,500	SC012 Edition 2,500