Wynnum Manly Historical Society Inc.

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Cambridge Parade Manly Circa 1920

Newsletter

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DATE CLAIMER: Heritage bus tour 30 June 2012



The next Heritage Bus Tour will be to the Sunshine Coast.

Does anyone know of any interesting places to visit on the Sunshine Coast? If so, please let *Jill Greenhill* or *Jan Parnell* know.

Mark 30 June 2012 in your diary and further details will be available in the near future once plans are finalised.

If you wish to get in early, bookings are now being taken at the Resource Centre or at the next general meeting.

Future bus tours

Have you been on any good bus tours recently? We always welcome suggestions for new places to visit so why not have a say in where you would like to go.

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APRIL MEETING DETAILS

Thursday 19 April at 7.30pm

APRIL GENERAL MEETING

Ambulance Museum Auditorium (Cnr Cedar Street & Tingal Road, Wynnum)

Speaker: Brian Rough

Topic: Early Queensland military units

Speaker: Jill Greenhill

Topic: Leisure on the foreshore:

From goats to fairyfloss

Gold coin entry – covers hire of venue and Supper.

Raffle: The theme of this month's prize is Anzac Day. All prizes are kindly made/donated by Sandra Wheeler.



Tickets are only \$1.00 each or 3 for \$2.00.

Bring and buy stall - Please bring your unwanted gifts, cakes, fruit, vegetables, plants, etc to a meeting or leave at the Resource Centre. All proceeds from this stall go to support the Resource Centre.

Appreciation to **Daphne Liddle, Laurima Rabe** and **Alison Roff** for providing your supper this month.

2012/13 COMMITTEE MEMBERS

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Late life member: Merv Beitz

Patrons: TBA

REGULAR SOCIETY VOLUNTEERS AND HELPERS

GENERAL MEETINGS: Afternoon set up: Col Brown, John McIntyre, Jill Greenhill and Myrtle Beitz

> Welcome at Door and raffles: Ian Wheeler & Noela Stratton Bring and buy: Jan Aplin and Carmel Henderson

Kitchen Coordinator: Margaret Mack Supper Coordinator: Deborah Tearle

Jan Aplin, Jan Bird, Margaret O'Neil, Myrtle Beitz, Sherley Supper Donations and servers:

Williams, Lena McCreadie, Ian Wheeler, Shirley Houghton, Lyla Feige, Laurima Rabe, Minnie Bowman, Noela Stratton, Beth Hume, Eris Powell, Daphne Liddle, Nena Robertson, Alison Roff, Jan Parnell, Margaret Collins, Deborah Tearle, Lyn Shanks, Shirley Jeffries, Thelma Crouch, Carol Astill, Anne Wenzel, Lou & Anne Hall, Christina Stevens, Christina R-Westhouse, Ellen Coupland, Marie Stokes, Jan Bird, Jillian Mahoney, Heather

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Langston.

Sandra Wheeler Raffle prizes: Myrtle Beitz Speaker Coordinator:

NEWSLETTERS: Sandy Liddle Compiler & Editor: Ian Wheeler

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McCreadie, John McIntyre, Nena Robertson, Sherley Williams

RESOURCE CENTRE: Volunteers on duty: Minnie Bowman, Ian Wheeler, Sherley Williams, Ian Kennedy,

John McIntyre, Noela Stratton, Dennis O'Neill, Col Brown, Myrtle

Beitz, Dawn Wilkins, Jan Aplin

Information Sources: Lloyd Kelk, Jack Sands and Kate Harbison

TOURS: Planning & Coordination: Jan Parnell, Jill Greenhill and Lena McCreadie

Booklet: Jill Greenhill

Bookings: Sandy Liddle at General Meetings

Resource Centre staff each weekday

ORAL HISTORY: Vacant

Can you help in any way? If so, please let us know. We are always looking for willing members to help in any way possible.

2012 SUPPER ROSTER

APRIL:	Daphne Liddle Laurima Rabe Alison Roff	3396 8921 3348 8037 3396 7094	MAY:	Noela Stratton Sherley Williams Lyla Feige	3396 0069 3396 0084 3396 2147
JUNE:	Christina Stevens Jan Parnell Heather Langston	3396 9174 3396 6001	JULY:	Minnie Bowman Nena Robertson Christina R-Westhouse	3893 0527 3396 2524 3901 0484
AUGUST:	Lyn Shanks Jan Bird Carol Astill	3396 3792 3396 6690 3396 5481	SEPTEMBER:	Jan Aplin Anne Wenzel Jillian Mahoney	3396 4728 3399 5175 3393 1655
OCTOBER:	Lou & Anne Hall Marie Stokes Ellen Coupland	0412 634 587 3390 5832 3899 1326	NOVEMBER:	Myrtle Beitz Margaret O'Neil Deborah Tearle	3396 4711 3348 3123 3396 9697

If you would like to volunteer to help out on supper roster or would like to swap your assigned roster month to another one, please contact **Deborah** on **3396 9697**.

Your assistance is appreciated.

MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK

Deborah Tearle, Supper Coordinator

THIS MONTH IN ...

1924

The foundation stone of **Nazareth House** was laid on 13 April 1924 at 3.30pm.

Reference:

Nazareth use. (1924, March 29). The Brisbane Courier (Qld.: 1864 - 1933), p. 8. Retrieved April 6, 2012, from http://nla.gov.au/nla.news-article20685643

1927

This excerpt from *The Brisbane Courier* on 26 April 1927 describes the Anzac Day Service in Wynnum that year:-

The twelfth Anzac commemoration service held at Wynnum South tonight was one of the most largely attended of any yet held. The Star Theatre, in which the service took place, was filled to overflowing, and stirring addresses were delivered by the Rev. H. C. Wilson, B.A., .Messrs. W. A. Barnes and W. H. Barnes, M.L.A. A citizens' choir rendered special music, under the baton of Mr. A. R. Hooper, the following items being included, "The Heavens are Telling," "Be not Afraid," "Blest are the Departed," "And the Glory of the Lord," and "Hallelujah." Alderman W. L. Dart presided, and delivered a suitable address. As representative of the local sub-branch of the Returned Soldiers' League, Mr. J. J. M'Connel conveyed to the meeting a message, stating that his comrades desired to express their appreciation and thanks for the very solemn and appropriate commemoration service that had been carried out that night. He also stated that the league desired to pay a tribute to the citizens of Wynnum in meeting year after year on Anzac Day to pay homage to their deceased comrades of the Great War. During the service vocal and instrumental items were rendered by Mrs. Gunderson, Mrs. Marion Wilson, and Mr. P. Taylor. The Wynnum Band and Boy-Scouts paraded through the streets to the hall, and the band, under the baton of Mr. Chas. Wood, assisted in the service. At 9 o'clock Bugler Harold Walmsley sounded the "Last Post," which was followed by the choir singing, "Blest are the Departed.

Reference:

WYNNUM. (1927, April 26). *The Brisbane Courier* (Qld.: 1864 - 1933), p. 15. Retrieved April 6, 2012, from http://nla.gov.au/nla.news-article21096483

FROM THE PRESIDENT

April 2012



Greetings.

"Summer ends, and Autumn comes, and he who would have it otherwise would have high tide always and a full moon every night".

Hal Borland (1964) "Sundial of the Seasons"

2012 is almost one third over, and here we are already in April. The Romans considered this month sacred to Venus, and its name is thought to have been derived from that of her Greek equivalent Aphrodite. A more plausible derivation connects it with the Latin "aperire", meaning "to open", in reference to the unfolding of buds at this season in the Northern Hemisphere. The modern Greek word for spring (anoixis "opening") provides a good analogy. Here, in the Southern Hemisphere, we are inclined to welcome some relief from the hot summer months.

Already this year, in the wider sphere, we have seen two significant historical events take place. Our Queen, Elizabeth II, celebrated 60 years since her accession to the throne on 6 February 1952. The only other British monarch to celebrate a Diamond Jubilee was Queen Victoria in 1897.

Also, we saw the LNP achieve a landslide victory in the recent Queensland elections. A good result for them, but an unhealthy result for democracy in Queensland, as there is such a weak opposition.

Our Society started off well with its first trip for the year to Beaudesert. Although numbers were a little disappointing, we enjoyed the open garden at Bromelton House, the Beaudesert Museum and the visit to Tamrookum Church. On the way home, as a special treat, we sampled dragon fruit scones at the Dragon Fruit Farm, Tamborine Village.

Already, we are starting to plan our next trip in June ... probably somewhere on the Sunshine Coast. Although the Society does at times subsidise these trips, we do try to make ends meet. Therefore, it is important to get as many as possible attending. This year has seen a further increase in the cost of bus hire (but what hasn't gone up!), so I would encourage as many as possible to attend, and support the Society. We will do our best to make it an enjoyable time.

If this year is anything like last year, when we had a glut of natural disasters, riots, etc., we need to be conscious of John Lennon's famous line "Life is what happens to you while you're busy making other plans".

On that note, whatever the news brings, I think it's safe to make the prediction that, with the London Olympics, and the Queen celebrating her Diamond Jubilee, 2012 will be an interesting year.

Best wishes and here's to an exciting and fulfilling year ahead for the Wynnum Manly Historical Society.

Jan Parnell, President

Sponsorship and support of the WMHS - Thank you to CMK Financial Solutions



Carl and his staff at CMK Financial Solutions very kindly provide the use of their printer (at no cost to the Society) every month to allow us to print our monthly newsletter.

The Wynnum Manly Historical Society would like to thank and acknowledge CMK Financial Solutions for its ongoing support and sponsorship.

For all your financial needs and advice, contact **Carl** on phone 1300 882 910.

NEWS FROM THE RESOURCE CENTRE - April 2012



Resource Centre address

Civic Centre Shop 7, 66 Bay Tce Wynnum

(outside entrance to Wynnum Public Library)

Resource Centre opening hours

Monday – Friday (except Public Holidays)

10am - 12 noon

New additions to our collection:

Look on the small table, behind the window display board for new additions to our collection.

This month President Jan and I attended the launch of the book :

"Beginnings and Endings" (Bulimba and Tingalpa Districts) 2012 written by our member Janice Pittam. Congratulations Janice.

This is the second book written by Janice. In 2004 she published "Cattle, Pig, Coal Trains and Chicken too" There she had collected some of the Oral History of the Murarrie and Tingalpsa district and combined this with findings in old newspapers. In her new book Janice adds to the former findings but still encourages readers to do more research, especially now that the old newspapers can be read on the internet.

• School Children seeking information

Last month I mentioned visits from mothers of Grade 3 pupils of Moreton Bay College for Boys, seeking information. The students had to identify what they feel to be the key happening/s that made a significant contribution to development in this area. I asked for your ideas – none were received!!

What would you identify? I will ask at the next meeting. (Jill on 3393 3208).

Local Map 1937

Barry Wilson of Rivernmouth Action Group (RAG) provided us with the map (on the left) which you can see at the next General Meeting.

Very interesting is the concentration of houses to the east of the railway line with the isolated dwellings to the west, which would have been small farms and small holdings.



An Article from "The Brisbane Courier" 13 December 1930.

An unknown person put this article under the Resource Centre door.

Rural Manly. Well cultivated Holdings Prosperous Fruit Growing District

"Sixty five years ago (1875) then Manly district was bush . . . one of the earliest pioneers of the district was the late Mr J Emmott . . .in the first days of settlement sugar was the main crop, but the settlers found that the climate and soil were admirably suited to growing tropical fruits . . water was obtained by boring almost anywhere in the district and most of the holdings have bores or wells . . in the near future the farms will have the advantage of Brisbane water supply and also electric light".

Listed are the early farmers of Manly – Emmott, Hardie, Young, Jones, Bruce, Mrs Bugg, Hindes, McCulloch, Walker, Platt, Elliott, Steele, Austin, Hogg, Marshall, Woodey, Locherry, Tyas, Wickham, Howell, Nickols, Heers and Turpin.

Do you know any persons with those surnames – maybe descendants? Let me know.

The future of "Fisher's Hotel", Fox Street, Wynnum
 A large appartment block, with shops beneath, is planned for the site.

The plans have been drawn up for a five-storey building in an area of Wynnum where three storeys are allowed. Plans have yet to go to council for approval!



Till next time, Jill Greenhill Librarian

WHERE WAS I? March 2012

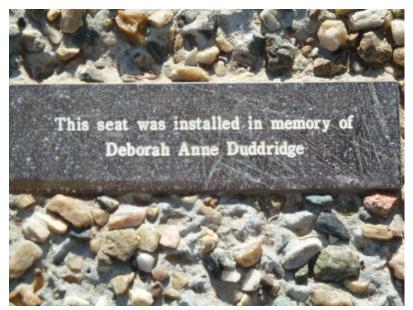


Memorial seat on the Wynnum
Esplanade near the "Whales" Waterpark
and children's playground.
This area is also named W. Poole
Playground. Does anyone know more
about W Poole?



Mervyn Payne was a member of the RSL Harmonica Band. He and Vera used to rest here on their walks along the Esplanade. Merv died in about 1996 and the family donated the plaque remembrance of their parents.

WHERE AM I? April 2012



Where can you find this seat?

Can anyone remember Deborah Anne Duddridge?

Let me know!

Jill Greenhill, Librarian

Sponsorship and support of the WMHS - Thank you to Cartridge World Wynnum



Did you know that **Cartridge World Wynnum** very generously sponsors and supports the Wynnum Manly Historical Society?

The Society would like to thank and acknowledge Cartridge World Wynnum for its ongoing support and sponsorship.

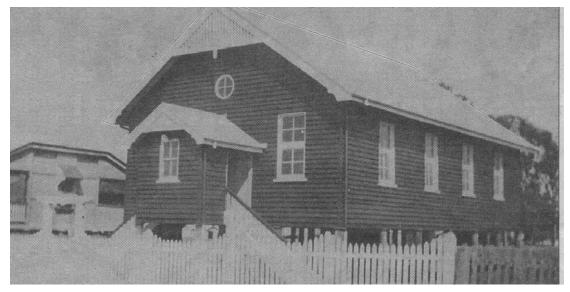
Don't forget - for all your toner and cartridge needs, visit or contact **Chris** at Cartridge World Wynnum.

Assembly Testimony commenced at Wynnum in 1895 in the holiday home of Mr and Mrs Charles Payne who met with Mr and Mrs David Craig. David was the station master at Manly (or Lindum).

In 1897, Hugh Irvine moved his business from Bulimba to Bay Terrace, Wynnum and a small gathering of the Saints commenced in Mr Irvine's home above the shop. Those attending included Mr and Mrs H Irvine, sons Sam and Bert, Miss Sarah Irvine, (later to marry Arthur Payne) and Mr and Mrs David Craig.

As more people attended, the meeting was moved to the back of a shop belonging to a Presbyterian lady on the site of the Bank of New South Wales (now Westpac site). The next move was to the Gordon Club in Florence Street and meetings continued there until 1918, when a move was made to the School of Arts in Bay Terrace.

In 1924 a piece of land was purchased in Clara Street and a Gospel Hall was built. There were 114 persons in the Fellowship.



Gospel Hall in Clara Street 1924 - 1962

Sunday Schools for the children were conducted under the house of Mr F Walsh and in the garage of Mr Lew Abraham of Wynnum North. This led to the thought of another Gospel Hall at Wynnum North and in 1960 a Hall was completed. Another hall was opened in Gumdale in 1963.

When the church was considering building a new hall, during the time of lightening development in Wynnum, the property at Preston Road came up with a larger area of land and was purchased in 1960.

In 1962 the old wooden Hall was moved to the Preston Road property. The new brick Hall, capable of seating 400 persons was officially opened on 27 April 1963 by Nr Enoch Coppin – the New Zealand Author-Evangelist and Bible Teacher.

Wynnum Herald Wed1 May 1963 reports on the:

"Official opening of the new building in Preston Road. 450 persons present. Building cost £20,000. The old wooden church building behind the hall was moved bodily form Clara Street and has been used until the opening of the new hall. Now the hall will be used for Youth activities. There are four Sunday schools, at Manly, Lota, Gumdale and Preston Road."



Gospel Hall now stands in Preston Road, the old timber building at the rear.

WYNNUM SOUTH, FRIDAY, JULY 18, 1941

F.J. WATSON Dispensing Chemist

A chemist's high standard of service is assured by the close attention he pays to the purity, potency and ability of the materials that he uses in dispensing of your doctor's prescriptions; it is further assured by his long and thorough training. And just such a chemist is Mr. F.J. Watson, of Bay Terrace, Wynnum Central. He is indeed a thoroughly reliable and fully qualified chemist to whom you can entrust the accurate dispensing of any doctor's prescription.

Watson's Pharmacy was established only two years ago (1939), but already as principal has earned for himself a name that has become inseparable from what Wynnum and Manly residents recognise as a thoroughly reputable chemist's service. Prior to being taken over by Mr. Watson the business was conducted by Miss Taylor.

Mr. Watson's Pharmacy is equipped for the better display of goods and more efficient service to the public. All prescriptions are dispensed by Mr. Watson himself; they are checked and rechecked to ensure absolute accuracy and all drugs are guaranteed 100 per cent pure.

The pharmacy incorporates a cosmetic department where there is a wide range of all beauty aids, perfumes, lotions, etc, from the world's foremost manufacturers. Toilet articles of every description are carried as well as all the recognised brands of patent medicines.

A reliable and high standard of service is the keynote of Mr. F.J. Watson's success, and the name he enjoys to-day as a chemist is your guarantee of first class service in every medical need at his pharmacy, which is noted for courteous service and individual attention. For medical necessities, you cannot be too careful; but if you purchase your requirements here, you do so with the knowledge that you are receiving the best.

F.J. Watson's Pharmacy pays special attention to its photographic department. They carry full stocks of photographic supplies and there is a splendid same day developing and printing service. The pharmacy's telephone number is 102. Any requirements of clients can be delivered by a messenger. The pharmacy's available for prescriptions day and night.

Mr. Watson is a member of the Wynnum Golf Club.

WYNNUM GASWORKS Mr. Sanderson – Manager

The Wynnum gasworks has for nearly fifteen years (since 1926) satisfactorily supplied the people of this centre with gas for cooking, lighting, heating and industrial purposes at very reasonable rates. Gas is an essential service to the civic and industrial expansion of every community, and its importance only exceeded by a fresh water supply. It is doubtful whether there is a sundertaking more completely equipped to serve the public than the Wynnum Gasworks, or one more willing to aid in every way possible the growth and improvement of the district which it serves.

Gasworks performs a service of national importance, and particularly is realized in these serious days through which we are passing. Apart from the main product gas, several byproducts such as coke, tar, benzol, ammonia and others are produced. Coke is used extensively in heavy industries for the production of armaments of all kinds; benzol as a substitute for petrol; ammonia is converted to sulphate for fertilizers, etc., and tar is the source of naphthalene, a great number of dyes and also of high explosives which are so essential to the running of this war. Therefore it behoves every citizen to support an industry which is so vital to the continued existence and prosperity of any nation.

The Wynnum Gasworks has been vigilant in keeping abreast of the period and from time to time has continued to add scientifically correct devices for the manufacture and distribution of gas. Especially is attention paid to purification, which, under present equipment, provides a clean, pure gas unexcelled anywhere.

Many labour saving devices are on view at the company's showrooms in Florence Street, including the latest lighting units, cookers, hot water systems, refrigerators and gas fires – an important function of the latter being that they ventilate while they warm. Particularly is gas an advantage in its application to cheap and efficient refrigeration, and it is interesting to note that one of the world's greatest refrigeration manufacturers has changed its output to gas operated models exclusively.

The Wynnum Gasworks, with Mt. Sanderson as manager, has always taken the view that it is selling not so much a commodity as a service. As a public utility undertaking, it regards it as a responsibility to make the service of gas contribute in increasing measure to the health, comfort and prosperity of the community.

Wynnum Manly Historical Society Inc.

MINUTES OF GENERAL MEETING 15 MARCH 2012

(held in the Ambulance Museum Auditorium, Corner Cedar Street and Tingal Road)

The meeting **opened** at 7.35pm. 41 members were present and 10 apologies were received.

Visitors, Roisin and Alan Burrell were introduced and said that they are going to join the Society.

President Jan Parnell told us tales of happenings on the Ides of March way back to 1560. Jan then introduced new members Elaine and Alan Rogers, Fred Clark and, later, Daniel Cheverton.

Minutes of Previous Meeting held on 16 February 2012 were approved by Anne Hall seconded by Thelma Crouch.

Correspondence inwards and outwards, for February 2012, was presented by Lena McCreadie. The correspondence had been accepted and endorsed at the committee meeting held on Thursday 1 March 2012.

The Financial Report, was presented by Sandy Liddle.

General Account: Opening Balance at 1 February 2012 \$ 6,722.73

Receipts: \$835.42 Expenses: \$174.45

Balance at 29 February 2012 \$ 7,383.70

 Investment Account
 \$25,000.00

 Total Funds:
 \$33,383.70

Resource Centre:

Member Janice Pittam was complimented on the launch of her new book. An article on Manly in the 1930s was recently left at the Resource Centre, donator unknown. A map of the area in the 1930's has been donated by Barry Wilson. The new plans for the Wynnum "Fisher's Hotel were shown and left on display. The City Council book which helps one find out about the history of one's house was available for members. Due to technical problems, members could not be shown the pictures of the Merv and Vera Payne memorial set located near the "Whales" playground in Wynnum Central.

Tours:

On Saturday 24 March the Society will be visiting the <u>Beaudesert Shire</u>. Seven more bookings are needed to cover the costs of the tour.

Tangalooma O'Nite Trip. Members were asked to show their interest for a tour to be arranged.

The General Meeting was temporarily closed and the **Annual General Meeting for 2012** was conducted. (See separate report.)

After a short break the General Meeting for March was resumed and **Guest Speakers** Fred Clark and Vicki Mynott gave an illustrated account of the two Roads to Cleveland accompanied by a dazzling array of stage coaches.

The **Lucky Door** Prize (\$5) was won by new member, Elaine Rogers, the Membership Draw (\$5) by Christina R-Westhouse and the raffle by visitor Mavis Wagner.

The meeting closed at 9.10pm and members and guests were provided with a delicious supper by Margaret Collins, Thelma Crouch and Debbie Tearle.

Jill Greenhill, Minute Secretary

MICROFICHE AND MICROFILM RESOURCES HELD BY WMHS

Do you know that the Wynnum Manly Historical Society holds the following resources in the Resource Centre for members to use for free? The friendly volunteers on duty will be more than happy to assist you with use of the equipment.

	Microfiche		<u>Microfilm</u>	
	Aldine History of Queensland	1888	Wynnum Herald	12.01.1946 – 12.07.1967
	Births Deaths & Marriages in Queensland Pioneer Index Federation Index	1829 – 1889 1890 – 1914	Queensland State Electoral Rolls	1860 - 1910
	Commonwealth Electoral Roll Wynnum Manly Hemmant	1903 – 1989 1903 – 1982		
	Peter Spicer's Moreton Bay Diaries	1828 – 1949		
	Queensland Post Office Directories	1868 – 1949		
	Queensland Government Gazette	1859 – 1869		
	Queensland Land Records	1856 – 1859		
	St Helena Diary	1897 – 1910		
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RESOURCES FOR SALE

For those of you who cannot make it into the Resource Centre, below is a list of books which the Society has for sale. If you would like to purchase any of these books, please contact **Jill Greenhill**. Some of these authors offer a part donation to the Wynnum Manly Historical Society from book sales to Society members. This is a good way to help support your Society.

Author	Title	Publication year	Cost
Beitz, Myrtle	Mangroves to moorings revisited	2005	\$ 35.00
Beitz, Myrtle	A quick tour around Wynnum, Manly, Lota	2006	Donation
Davenport, Winifred & Mottram, Betty	Early shipping in Moreton Bay: June 1846 - December 1859, Volume 1	1998	\$ 20.00
Davenport, Winifred & Mottram, Betty	Early shipping in Moreton Bay: January 1860 – December 1863, Volume 2 (2nd ed)	2002	\$ 20.00
Nalder, Robyn	From sapling to kero tin: A peek at Gumdale's past	2004	\$ 15.00
Nock, Betty	History of music in the Wynnum and Manly area 1900-1997	1998	\$ 5.00
Nock, Betty	History of arts in the Wynnum and Manly area 1900-2003	2005	\$ 5.00

SHIRTS AND BADGES

Why not own a smart maroon WMHS polo **shirt** - only \$22. Or a maroon WMHS **spray jacket** - \$35.00. Or a maroon WMHS warm fleecy **zip up jacket** for winter - \$35.00.

Polo shirts in all sizes available now in the Resource Room so come and try one on. .

Do you have the new badge -\$10.

Contact Jill (3393 3208) to order.

Calendar of WYNNUM MANLY HISTORICAL SOCIETY events

April 2012		May 2012		June 2012	
Thursday, 19th 7.3	0pm Thursday	Thursday, 17th 7.30pm		Thursday, 21st	7.30pm
APRIL GENERAL MEETING		MAY GENERAL MEETING		JUNE GENERAL MEETING	
Where: Ambulance Museum Audito Cnr Cedar St & Tingal Road		Where: Ambulance Museum Auditorium Cnr Cedar St & Tingal Road		Where: Ambulance Museum Auditorium Cnr Cedar St & Tingal Road	
Topic: Leisure on the foreshore: From goats to fairyfloss Speaker: Jill Greenhill	Topic: Speaker:	TBA TBA		Topic: TBA Speaker: TBA	
Topic: Early Queensland military Speaker: Brian Rough	vunits Topic: Speaker:	TBA TBA		Topic: TBA Speaker: TBA	
Visitors welcome.	Visitors v	velcome.		Visitors welcome.	
Cost: Gold coin donation	Cost: Go	old coin donati	on	Cost: Gold coin doi	nation
Thursday, 26th 1	0am Saturday	, 19th	10am – 12 noon	Thursday, 28th	10am
MORNING TEA AT WYNNUM LIB	RARY HEI	HERITAGE WEEK CELEBRATIONS		MORNING TEA AT WYNNUM LIBRARY	
Where: Wynnum Library 66 Bay Terrace	Where:	Civic Centre 66 Bay Terrace Wynnum	e	Where: Wynnum L 66 Bay Tei	
Speaker: TBA		Come and join in the Society's Heritage Week celebrations. Meet some of our earliest Society		Speaker: TBA	
Topic:		ts and members		Topic:	
Cost: Free.	Cost: Fr	Cost: Free.		Cost: Free.	
	Thursday	∕. 31st	10am	Saturday, 30th	ТВА
			VYNNIIM I IBRARY		BUS TOUR
	Where:	MORNING TEA AT WYNNUM LIBRARY Where: Wynnum Library		HERITAGE BUS TOUR SUNSHINE COAST	
	vviiere.	66 Bay Terrace) Э		
	Speaker:	TBA			ble in the near future.
	Topic:	·		Cost: TBA	
	Cost: Fi	ree.			



We now have a Facebook page? Search for **Wynnum Manly Historical Society** and "**Like**" us.

You can also follow us on Twitter @WynnumHistory.

Calendar of other community events of interest

Wednesday, 18th &

Saturday, 22nd

10am - 11am

UNDER SUSPICION:
INTERNMENT IN AUSTRALIA

April 2012

Where: National Archives of Australia

16 Corporate Drive Cannon Hill

Motivated by insecurity, Australia interned many foreign-born residents during World War I and World War II. Investigation and case records of internees tell sad stories of broken families and hardship, but some also of disloyalty. Listen to various stories.

Cost: Free

Bookings essential on 3249 4226 or

Brisbane.events@naa.gov.au

Sunday, 22nd 9am – 12.30pm

BRISBANE'S MILITARY HERITAGE: WALKING TOUR

Where: Walking Tour

Remember our ANZACs and explore Brisbane's fascinating military history on this guided walking tour. Includes morning tea at the MacArthur Museum.

Note: this tour needs a minimum of 18 participants to run.

Bookings via BLHN phone 3223 6606

Cost: \$23.00

Sunday, **22nd 10am – 4pm**

OPEN DAY AT THE COMMISSARIAT STORE

Where: Royal Historical Society of Qld

Commissariat Store William Street Brisbane

There will be a wide variety of activities throughout the day including talks on quirky inventions and innovations, resourceful convicts, ingenious ways to detect forgeries and much more. There will also be a book launch of "Boss Badger and the Brisbane Trams" written by David Burke.

Cost: **\$10.00** for adults; **\$8.00** for concessions, and children under 12 are free.

May 2012

10am - 12.30pm

INNOVATIONS AND INVENTIONS

Where: State Library of Queensland Auditorium 2, Level 2

South Bank

Staff from the Queensland State Archives, National Archives of Australia and the State Library of Queensland have delved into their vast collections to source information about innovations and inventions. Come along to this shared presentation and hear stories about creative, imaginative and historically interesting problem solvers

Cost: Free

Wednesday, 9th

Bookings: Phone 3840 7896

Monday, 14th 10am – Noon

A QUARTET OF HERITAGE

Where: Walking Tour

Explore Coorparoo's Heritage Precinct including the 4MBS Radio Museum, Queen Alexandra House and more.

Bookings via GOLD phone 3403 8470

Cost: \$10.00

Wednesday, 16th & Saturday, 19th

10am – 11am

THE BOER WAR: AUSTRALIA'S FIRST WAR

Where: National Archives of Australia

16 Corporate Drive Cannon Hill

The Boer War was the first war Australia fought in with colonial contingents and then as a nation. With concentration camps, attacks against civilians, and a 'scorched earth' policy, it set a standard for war in the 20th century. Revisit the Boer War after 110 years.

Cost: Free

Bookings essential on 3249 4226 or

Brisbane.events@naa.gov.au

Wednesday, 6th 2pm - 4pm

A QUEEN'S COLONY

June 2012

Where: Walking Tour

Take a closer look at the 'QLD' in Brisbane's heritage ... stroll past Old Government House, Parliament House, the Queensland Club and more. Tour concludes at Museum of Brisbane where participants can continue to uncover the past within the 'Cabinet of Curiosities' a new exhibition from the collections of Brisbane's Living Heritage Network.

Cost: \$10.00

Bookings: Phone 3403 8470

Wednesday, 6th 10am – 12 noon

SEMINAR FOR QUEENSLAND DAY

Where: Queensland State Archives

Compton Road Runcorn

Come and celebrate Queensland Day with a seminar and tour of the Archives.

Cost: Free

Bookings essential on 3131 7777.

Saturday, 16th & Wadnesday, 20th

Wednesday, 20th 10am – 11am

LOCAL HISTORY: RECORDS OF REGIONAL QUEENSLAND

Where: National Archives of Australia

16 Corporate Drive Cannon Hill

Discover a wealth of records useful for researching local history. Find out how post and telegraph, migrant groups, military and investigation files reveal unique histories, using the Warwick/Stanthorpe district as an example.

Cost: Free

Bookings essential on 3249 4226 or Brisbane.events@naa.gov.au Wynnum Manly Historical Society Inc. PO Box 318, Wynnum. Q. 4178

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Membership application forms are available from the Resource Centre, Civic Centre, 7/66 Bay Tce, Wynnum.

Membership costs per year (1 January to 31 December):-

Single \$15.00 Family \$25.00

High School student

\$5.00

PLEASE NOTE: There is a joining fee of \$10.00 per person which covers the cost of a membership name badge.

Deadline for newsletter submissions: By Sunday, 6 May 2012 for May 2012 issue.