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# Newsletter

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### **FROM THE EDITOR**

Sandy Liddle

Since the last newsletter, our oral history workshop has occurred. This was a fabulous event. The presenters were very knowledgeable and we all came away inspired and enthused to begin our oral history projects.

The next bus trip to Dayboro and the Tramway Museum is taking place on Saturday, 25 September. Further details are in the newsletter but it looks like being another fabulous tour. Bookings are now being taken.

The Lota House "Christmas in July" was a great success. It is lovely to see so many of our members coming along to these events. This year we had 2 tables. Maybe next year we can aim for three!

Following on from the reunion theme in the last newsletter, this month we have another reunion featured. Does anyone else have any reunions they have attended that they would like to tell members about? We would love to hear about them or, if you have a reunion coming up, why not let us know and we will advertise in the newsletter for you.

Until next month.

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# AUGUST MEETING DETAILS

# Thursday 19 August at 7.30pm

# **GENERAL MEETING**

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

Speaker: Topic:	<i>David Swift and Cara Downes</i> [National Archives of Australia] <i>National Archives collection with a focus on</i> <i>local history</i>
Speaker:	Brian Brandenburg
Topic:	National Servicemen's Memorial Dedication

Gold coin entry - covers hire of venue and Supper.

**Raffle:** This month's raffle prize is once again a mystery prize.



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 Lyn Shanks, Jan Bird and Carol Astill for providing your supper this month.

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Patrons:	Cr. Peter Cumming Paul Lucas MP.		

GENERAL MEETINGS:	Afternoon set up: Welcome at Door and raffles: Bring and buy: Kitchen Coordinator: Supper Coordinator: Supper Donations and servers: Raffle prizes:	Col Brown, John McIntyre, Jill Greenhill and Myrtle Beitz Ian Wheeler & Anne Hall Jan Aplin and Carmel Henderson Margaret Mack Deborah Tearle Betty Powell, Jan Aplin, Jan Bird, Margaret O'Neil, Myrtle Beitz Irene Morgan, Sherley Williams, Lena McCreadie, Shirley Houghton, Beryl Kennedy, Dawn Wilkins, Betty Mottram, Iai Wheeler, Lyla Feige, Sandy Liddle, 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, Ann Wentzel, Wave Oehlmann, Lou & Anne Hall Sandra Wheeler
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ORAL HISTORY:		Brian Brandenburg

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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.

# 2010 SUPPER ROSTER

Below is the 2010 supper roster. The 2011 supper roster will be published in next month's newsletter.

Deborah Tearle is currently overseas visiting her daughter and the latest addition to the family. **Anne Hall** has kindly offered to fill Deb's shoes in her absence. So, if you are unable to oblige on your assigned date of roster, if possible, please find a replacement or contact **Anne** on **0412 634 569**.

AUGUST:	Lyn Shanks Jan Bird Carol Astill	3396 3792 3396 6690	SEPTEMBER:	Jan Aplin Ann Wentzel Wave Oehlmann	3396 4728 3399 5175 3393 3445
OCTOBER:	Lou & Anne Hall Beryl Kennedy Ellen Coupland	0412 634 569 3396 6399	NOVEMBER:	Myrtle Beitz Margaret O'Neil Lena McCreadie	3396 4711 3348 3123 3396 4393

If you would like to volunteer to help out on supper roster in 2011 or would like to swap your assigned roster month to another one, please contact **Deborah** on **3396 9697** on her return or **Anne** on **0412 634 569** prior to Deb's return.

Your assistance is appreciated.

#### MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK

Anne Hall (on behalf of Deborah Tearle), Supper Coordinator



### FROM THE PRESIDENT

It is hard to believe that it is August already. It has been such a busy month so far. I missed the July meeting. I traveled to Glenmorgan via Dalby and Chinchilla with a visit to Roma, Surat and Goondiwindi. I had forgotten what a large state Queensland is and the distances we have to travel. The Warrego highway seemed to go on forever. The road was busy with large trucks and 'grey nomads' towing their caravans. The West has boomed with the mining industry. Dalby is a large town with traffic lights and parking meters. Unfortunately I was not able to visit Jimbour House, where Leichhardt began one of his explorations. At Roma I visited the Romavilla Winery, which was established in 1863, the oldest in Queesland. The "Big Rig" is also worth a visit. It contains a wealth of historical material on the oil and gas industry. At Glenmorgan I stayed in the Myall Park Botanic Garden. The garden was established by Dave Gordon and his wife, artist, Ruth Gordon. The garden contains many botanical species. It is possible to stay overnight. It was wonderful to sit by the fireplace and later go outside and view the stars. On the way moseum is well worth a visit.

Our next trip to the Tramway Museum and Dayboro is on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> September. The Dayboro Historical Society is putting on lunch for us at the showgrounds. There will be a choice of sausages, pattie, bread roll, coleslaw/salad, two desserts and tea and coffee. I promises to be a hearty meal. Afterwards we will have a look through the town. The Information Centre contains a wealth of material, there is also an Art Gallery and Museum. The Dayboro area has a Wynnum connection to the Crouch and Larsen families. We will tell you more about that later. Afterwards we will visit the Dam at Lake Samsonvale before returning to Wynnum at 4.30pm. We have engaged Brian's Buses for the trip. The company comes with an excellent reputation.

On Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> July the WMHS had an Oral History Workshop which was led by Dr. Helen Klaebe from QUT. The workshop gave us some outlines on how to collect and collate our local history collection. We also learnt a lot about the most recent technological innovations on storing and presenting information. There will be a follow up meeting in early September. Anyone wishing to be involved please see myself or Sandy. Congratulations to Sandy for organising this successful workshop and to our members for providing a wonderful lunch.

Recently there has been some discussion about the "fire bell" from the old Wynnum Fire Station. At present it located at the Capuchin Friary. The friars have asked the WMHS to find a home for it. A few weeks ago I rang the area controller of the Fire Brigade. He was delighted with my enquiry and offered to transport the bell from its present location and restore it to its former condition. The committee of the WMHS has been invited to the Wynnum Fire Brigade Museum where the bell could be located to discuss this proposal. I will keep you informed of the outcome of our meeting. Many thanks to members who have come up with suggestions for the bell.

At our next meeting I will be the spot speaker for the night. I am going to talk about the National Service memorial at Darling Point. The memorial was erected to commemorate the four Wynnum National Servicemen who were killed in Vietnam. This is an appropriate time to give this talk as it is a day after Vietnam Veterans' Day formerly known as Long Tan Day. I recently visited Long Tan for Anzac Day and as a National Serviceman and a Vietnam Veteran I will be able to give you some background to the four National Servicemen and their memorial. Thanks to Gerry Cunneen for bringing this to my attention. Gerry has also made a DVD of the dedication ceremony last year. My talk will be followed by speakers from the National Archives.

I hope to see you all at the following meeting.

Brian Brandenburg, President



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

# NEWS FROM THE RESOURCE CENTRE - August 2010

• A question was asked last month – who was the trader on the site previous to Pete, The Furniture Man?

Pete, the Furniture Man closed his shop at 121 Bay Terrace, between "Dollars and Sense" and Hargreaves Real Estate, in June 2010. "Chemist Warehouse" moved in, in July 2010.

Peter Benson owned the furniture shop prior to 1989, for in 1989 he sold to Kevin and Jenny Eustace. Pete bought the shop back again from the Eustaces in 1998.

In earlier days the site is said to have been the home of BCC (Brisbane Cash and Carry), Hepburns (a clothing store) and the original shop of George Sands (Ironmonger) before George moved to the corner of Bay Terrace and Edith Street.

Any more ideas??

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- The granddaughter of **Blanche PRYCE** is seeking her obituary, printed in the Wynnum Herald in late 1980's to early 1900's. Does anyone remember Blanche?
- An old cup has been found at Pleasantville, the "Hurlock Cup", presented by Mrs F Hurlock.

The winner of the "Minor Junior Aggregate" for "9.11.47 - 28.12.47" was " I. Toplis".

Does anyone remember a Mrs Hurley or know to what "Minor Junior Aggregate" is referring?

A request from Lynette Bosanquet (nee Gregory)

"I am looking to find any old photograph or any information of my great grandfather **John GREGORY** who resided in Wynnum at Tingal Road. He was a store keeper in 1914, (retired storekeeper in 1927), at the corner of Tingal Road and Pine Street, near the railway overpass. He died in 1935 and with his wife Elizabeth and two daughters and his second wife Jane, is buried at the Hemmant cemetery.

John Gregory was a keen lawn bowls player." Can anybody help?

- A house named "Ebenezer" is said to have been located on the Esplanade. The **Driver** family lived in this house at one time. Does anyone know of the location of this house or more about the Driver family?
- The Mercy Heritage Centre, located at All Hallows Convent in Ann Street, Brisbane, contacted the Society enquiring about the "Nun's Bathing Boxes at Wynnum". Apparently there were three seaside places where bathing boxes were constructed for use by the Sisters of Mercy, Wynnum being one of these. We were able to assist with a photograph of the local Nun's Bathing Boxes, formally located off the Esplanade at the foot of Pine Street.

Find out more about the Sisters of Mercy at <u>www.mercyheritage.com</u>.

Till next time, Jill Greenhill *Librarian* 

# July 2010

### WHERE WAS I?



The Capuchin Friars, a Catholic religious order arrived in the Wynnum district in 1945 and were invited to take responsibility for the Parish of Wynnum by the then Archbishop of Brisbane Rev James Duhig.

They built a new school which opened in 1952. St Laurence Seminary, initially an old weatherboard house built on 11 acres of land at the northern end of Tingal Road, was opened on 19 April 1955 to cater for the academic needs of students in the pursuit of philosophical and theological studies.

A new brick two-storey building was opened 27 April 1958.

From 1970 the building was the training centre for novices, who then moved to Sydney in 2000.

By 2002 the building was no longer needed and the building and grounds were sold for housing development. In 2004 the Capuchins purchased this house at <u>92 Walnut Street</u> and renovated it to become Our Lady of the Angels Friary and the new home of the Friars in Wynnum.

# WHERE AM I?

# August 2010



Have your answers ready for the next meeting.

# 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.

### FEATURE ARTICLE: Reunion of Moreton Bay College students in London

John Iley Green's great granddaughter, Neredah Baxter nee Coupland, organised a reunion luncheon in London recently. Neredah's mother, Zoe Coupland nee Greene, was the eldest child of Harold Greene (the youngest of John Iley Green's eleven children). Neredah was head girl at Moreton Bay College in her last year and following a degree at QU moved to England to pursue a teaching career. Neredah has two sons and lives with her husband in London.

#### Neredah wrote:

"The first ever Reunion for Moretonians living in the UK took place on June, 26 at The Amphitheatre Restaurant, Royal Opera House, Covent Garden, London.

### The following attended (see photo)



(L) to (back) Helene Fawcett nee Strachan Su Mason-Shakspeare Neredah Baxter nee Coupland Lorna Boyle nee Cooper Alycia Vardy (R) to (back)
Janet Sutton nee Dalzell
Cassandra Williams nee Watts
Katherine Kerridge,
Nerida Burnie
Kylie Winter nee Hendry

It was a splendid reunion with all the girls wishing to repeat the Reunion next year. After a delicious three course lunch the girls were able to look into the auditorium where the rehearsal of Verdi's Simon Boccanegra had just finished and the stage was being set for an evening performance of Bizet's Carmen."

Neredah told us the school crest was printed on the menu and the table flowers were in the school colours. Reminiscences followed Neredah's prepared talk and the ladies declared their favourite teacher to be Miss Oriel Handley.

# **BAYSIDE GARDEN CLUB – EXTENDED TOUR INVITATION**

Bayside Garden Club invites the Historical Society to join them for their extended tour.

<u>Dates</u>	Mon 16 - Sat 23 October 2010
Destination:	Macksville Mid-Coast NSW
<u>Cost</u> :	\$660 which includes Pick-up and Return to Wynnum
	Accommodation at the "Mid-Coast" Motor Inn
	Meals
	Daily Tours

The Garden Club are a friendly group - many of them belong to the Historical Society! Their tours are always every enjoyable. Why not accept their invitation?

More details (and brochure) from Jill Ph: 3393 3208

# HERITAGE BUS TOUR - DAYBORO via the TRAMWAY MUSEUM 25 September 2010

Bookings are now open for the next heritage bus tour to Dayboro via the Tramway Museum. The "all you can eat" lunch is being organised by the Dayboro Historical Society and will consist of:-

Chicken, beef and pork sausages Rolls Hamburger patty Salad Dessert Tea/coffee

The cost of the tour is **\$30.00** per person (payable prior to the day) and lunch is an additional **\$12.00** per person (payable on the morning of departure).

Bookings are currently being taken at the Resource Centre or at the next meeting.

Please note: Visitors are also welcome to come on the bus tours.

# 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 off 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.

# Wynnum Manly Historical Society Inc.

# MINUTES OF GENERAL MEETING 15 July 2010

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

Before the meeting officially opened, members were shown photos of the recent tour to Nanango.

The meeting **opened** at 7.30pm. 52 members were present. 8 apologies were received and there were four visitors, Fay Davis, Jeannelle Maree and Virginia and Dennis Jorgensen from Townsville.

Former President, Noela Stratton chaired the meeting.

Minutes of Previous Meeting held on 17 June 2010 were moved by Eris Powell and seconded by Nena Robertson.

**Correspondence inwards and outwards, for June 2010,** was presented by Len McCreadie. The correspondence had been accepted and endorsed at the committee meeting held on Thursday 1 July 2010.

**Financial Report for June 2010,** was presented by Anne Hall for Sandy Liddle. <u>General Account</u>: Opening Balance at 1 June 2010 \$6,746.49 Receipts: \$2,236.61 Expenses: \$1,857.69

Balance at 30 June 2010	<b><u>\$</u> 7,125.41</b>
Plus un-presented cheque	\$ 145.00
Investment Account	\$25,000,00

Total Funds:

<u>\$25,000.00</u> **\$32,270.41** 

#### **Resource Centre:**

The mystery photograph this month was of the Capuchin Monastery at 92 Walnut Street.

**Tours:** The Garden Club offered members places in their tour to Macksville in October 6 days for \$660, all found.

The next tour is to the Tramway Museum and Dayboro on Saturday 25 September 2010.

**Oral History:** Two places are still available for the workshop on Saturday 31 July which will commence with morning tea at 9.30am.

#### General Business:

More names were needed for the "Learn-to-play-Croquet" event and BBQ to be held on Sunday 8 August starting at 10.00am.

Ken Fenton suggested the **Fire Station bell** be mounted on a trailer, given a plaque, and taken to shows, fetes.

**Spot Speaker**, **Nena Robertson** gave a detailed account of the origin and running of the annual Wynnum Eisteddfod.

Speaker, Jill Greenhill traced the owners of Wyvernleigh, Manly and the lives of these people.

The Lucky Door Prize (\$5) was won by Jan Aplin, the Membership Draw (\$5) by Janice Pittam and the Raffle by Wendy Smith.

A delicious supper was donated by Minnie Bowman, Nena Robertson and Shirley Davies.

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 <i>Wynnum Manly</i> <i>Hemmant</i>	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		

# **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

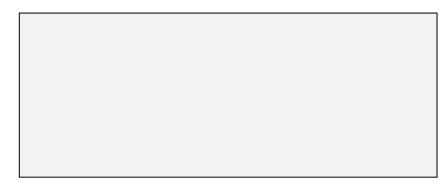
August 2010	Septembe	September 2010		October 2010	
Thursday, 19th 7.30	pm Thursday, 16th	7.30pm	Weekend of 8, 9, 10		
AUGUST GENERAL MEETING	SEPTEMBER	GENERAL MEETING	WYNNUM SPRING FAIR		
Where: Ambulance Museum Auditor Cnr Cedar St & Tingal Road	Where. Ambulanc	e Museum Auditorium r St & Tingal Road			
Speakers: David Swift & Cara Downes National Archives collection focus on local history		lvised	Come along and visit our stall at the annu Wynnum Spring Fair.		
Brian Brandenburg National Servicemen's Men Dedication					
Visitors welcome.	Cost: Gold coin do	onation			
Cost: Gold coin donation					
Thursday, 26th 10a	am Saturday, 25th	8am – 4.30pm	Thursday, <b>21st</b>	7.30pm	
MORNING TEA AT WYNNUM LIBR	ART	TAGE TOUR & TRAM MUSEUM	OCTOBER GENERAL	MEETING	
Where: Wynnum Library 66 Bay Terrace	The bus will depar Civic Centre, Wynnu	t at 8am SHARP from the um.	Where: Ambulance Muse Cnr Cedar St & T		
Speaker: Ian Kennedy	Come and join us tour.	on another great heritage	Speakers: To be advised.		
Topic: A trip down memory lane	Tours are open however numbers a	Tours are open to members and visitors however numbers are strictly limited.			
Cost: Free	Cost: <b>\$30.00</b> per	Cost: \$30.00 per person		Cost: Gold coin donation	
	Lunch: Additional \$	12.00 per person			
	Bookings now oper the Resource Centre	n at the next Meeting or at e.			
	Thursday, <b>30th</b>	10am	Thursday, 28th	10am	
	MORNING TEA	AT WYNNUM LIBRARY	MORNING TEA AT WYNI	NUM LIBRARY	
	<i>Where:</i> Wynnum 66 Bay Te		<i>Where:</i> Wynnum Library 66 Bay Terrace		
	Speaker: Noela Stra Topic: The Bell	atton	Speaker: Felicia Khoury Topic: Wynnum North S	state School	
	Cost: Free.		Cost: Free.		
	Cost. Free.		Cost. Free.		

Calendar of other community events of interest			
August 2010	September 2010	October 2010	
<ul> <li>Friday, 13<sup>th</sup>10am – 1pm</li> <li>FINDING YOUR ANCESTORS AT SLQ, QSA &amp; NAA</li> <li>Where: State Library of Qld Auditorium 2, Level 2 South Bank.</li> <li>Join experts from the National Archives, Qld State Archives and State Library of Queensland to find out about some of the key resources each holds to help you in your quest to discover your ancestors.</li> <li>Bookings essential through QTIX or phone 136246.</li> <li>Cost: \$14.50 (includes morning tea).</li> </ul>	Wednesday, 15th Saturday, 18th10am – 11amUNDER SURVEILLANCE: SECURITY RECORDS SINCE WW1Where:National Archives of Australia 16 Corporate Drive Cannon Hill.Discover records of security surveillance held at NAA from the establishment of the first Queensland Intelligence Officer during WW1 to accessing your own ASIO record.Bookings:Ph: 3249 4226 or Email:Cost:Free.	Tuesday, 19th       10am – 12 noon         GETTING STARTED         Where:       Queensland State Archives Compton Road Runcorn.         Learn about the Queensland State Archives collection and how best to find the information you are seeking. This seminar, will provide you with the basis you need to start your research at QSA. The seminar includes morning tea and a short tour.         Bookings:       Ph: 3131 7777         Cost:       Free.	
Wednesday, 18th 10am – 11am Saturday, 21st DEVELOPING FOREIGN RELATIONS: 1901-1950 Where: National Archives of Australia 16 Corporate Drive Cannon Hill. This seminar looks at the development of Australia as a nation in its own right. Bookings: Ph: 3249 4226 or Email: events@naa.gov.au Cost: Free	Tuesday, 21 <sup>st</sup> 10am – 11am         ADVANCED ARCHIVES SEARCH         Where:       Queensland State Archives Compton Road Runcorn.         Learn how to get the most out of the Qld State Archives online catalogue. This session will provide more advanced techniques to assist you to locate records of interest and will provide some useful tips for finding what you want.         Bookings:       Ph 3131 7777.         Cost:       Free (tea and coffee available at end of session).	<ul> <li>Wednesday, 20th 12.30pm</li> <li>MISSING! GERMAN HERITAGE OF QUEENSLAND</li> <li>Where: State Library of Qld Auditorium 2, Level 2 South Bank.</li> <li>German immigration from the 1840s to the present has had a significant influence on Queensland history and culture. Yet only traces of German heritage remain in our public collections and a comprehensive history is yet to be written. Anna Haebich and Mark Schuster discuss the reasons for this absence and describe some of the significant heritage that has survived. Notable is Mark's private collection of German musical heritage and other items from the Toowoomba region. Ways to preserve and promote Queensland's German heritage will also be addressed.</li> <li>Cost: Free – no bookings required.</li> </ul>	
		Saturday, 23rd     TBA       COMMUNICATIONS: POSTMASTER- GENERAL TO TELSTRA       Where:     St Joseph's College3 258 Gregory Terrace Brisbane.       Further details available from Brisbane History Group.	

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