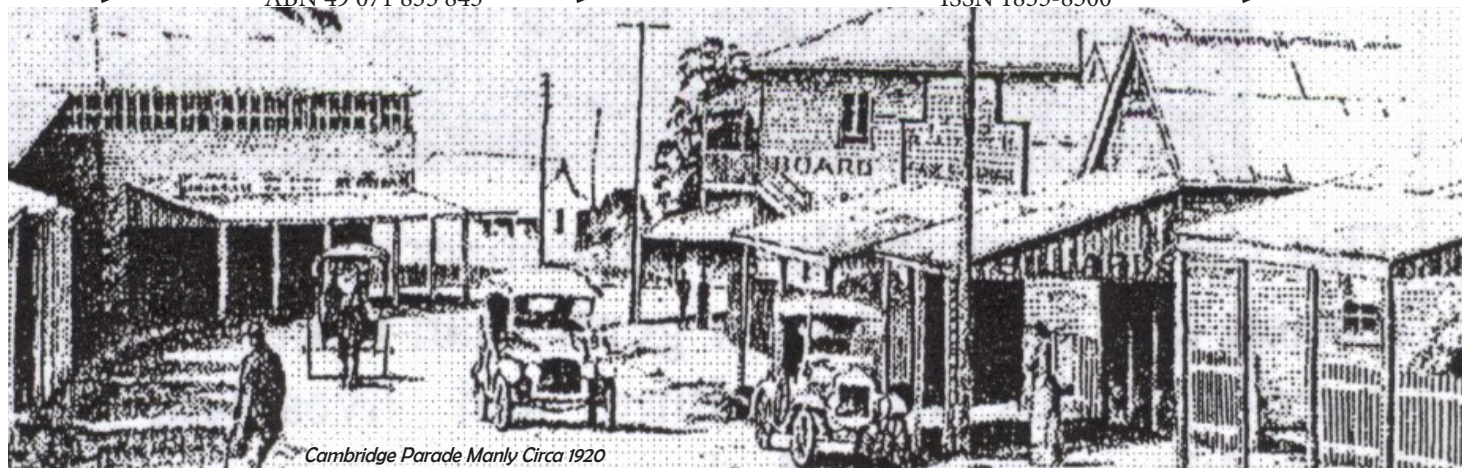


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NEWSLETTER

No 64, July 2014

From the Editor...

Hello everyone and welcome to the July issue of our newsletter.

I have just returned from a couple of weeks in South Australia visiting with my family - goodness, the winter weather down there is miserable! I am very happy to be back in Queensland where, even though the nights are cold, the morning sun streaming through my front windows always makes for a cheery start to the day. Unfortunately, I bought a most unwelcome souvenir home with me - a nasty cough and cold, so I have had a quiet week as I try to recover.

In this issue we have interesting stories about the old Wynnum town hall and the history of St Peter's church. Thankyou to Jill for providing these, not only does she do a wonderful job of keeping our resource centre organised but I can also rely on her every month to come up with lots of interesting bits and pieces for the newsletter! Don't forget also, our upcoming heritage tour to Brisbane's refurbished city hall in September - further details on page 5 of the newsletter. It should be a great day.

Wishing you all the best for the rest of July,

Sharee

July General Meeting...

Letters of a Lady:
the private correspondence of Lady Lamington, wife of
Queensland's 8th Governor
Ms Katie McConnel

Thursday July 17th, 7:30pm
Ambulance Museum Auditorium
(Cnr Cedar Street & Tingal Road, Wynnum)

A gold coin donation would be appreciated.
Raffle tickets also available: \$1 each or 3 for \$2

Bring and Buy Stall

Please bring along any donations for the stall. All proceeds go to supporting the resource centre.

Appreciation to

*Mim Carrington, Nena Robertson, and Roisin Burrell
for providing supper this month.*



Lady Lamington and her baby daughter, 1898



From the President...

Greetings... (and cheers that we are more than half way through winter!)...Actually, we can't really complain, as, on the overall picture, we have a very good climate here in south east Queensland. I keep reminding my cat Katy (who follows the sun around all day) that she should be grateful that I am no longer living in Mitchell, where it was minus three degrees the other day. Although I loved my time in Mitchell, I can quite easily be content with not being on call at the hospital on very cold winter nights!

A number of our members attended the public rally at the old Wynnum Central School on Saturday 28th June. The rally had two objectives – Firstly, to save the Men's Shed, and, secondly, to protect our parkland. Since the school was closed some time ago, a men's shed has been operating on the site and now has 127 members. The men meet on a regular basis to have fellowship and do the things that men like to do as a group. It provides fun, friendship and support to its members, and, in some cases, has changed their lives.

Brisbane City Council wants to close the shed, but is not prepared to offer an alternative venue for them. The interesting aspect of this is, that, although council has not decided the criteria for what groups are going to occupy the site, the men's shed does not meet the criteria! Funny that!

Council also wants to divide up the land on which the school is situated, for DEVELOPMENT, and keep only a 15 metre wide walkway, instead of the 40 metre wide parkland which was part of THEIR Neighbourhood Plan. The interesting thing about this is that the council is the body which approved their own application for this development! Thanks to all those members who showed up at the rally to oppose this motion.

Several countries celebrate their national day in July – Canada (1st), USA (4th), Venezuela (5th), Argentina (9th), France (14th), Spain (18th), Belgium (21st), Poland (22nd), Ethiopia (23rd), Liberia (26th), and Peru (28th). I can recall being in France one year on Bastille Day which was the National Day of France, and, boy, can they celebrate! What they are celebrating though is the beginning of the French Revolution, when, in 1789, the state prison, or Bastille as it was called, was stormed and razed to the ground.

The 4th of July has a special place in US history. Not only is it their Independence Day when, in 1776, the American Congress voted for independence from Britain, with Thomas Jefferson later signing the Declaration of Independence, but it is also the birthday, in 1872, of John Calvin Coolidge, the 30th US President. It is also the anniversary of the deaths of three US Presidents; John Adams and Thomas Jefferson on the same day in 1826, and James Monroe, five years later, in 1831.

John Adams (1735-1826) was the 2nd US President (1797-1801) and very active in the American Independence Movement.

John Calvin Coolidge (1872-1933) was the 30th US President (1923-9) and gained attention in 1919 by calling out the state guard during the Boston Police Strike, whilst the governor of Massachusetts.

Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826) was the 3rd US President (1801-1809) and also very active in the American Independence Movement. In 1803 he oversaw the Louisiana Purchase which doubled the land area of the country, and he authorised the Lewis and Clark expedition (1804-06) which was the overland expedition to the Pacific Coast and back.

James Monroe (1758-1831) was the fifth US President (1817-1825) who developed the principles of US foreign policy (later called the Monroe Doctrine), served in the American Revolution and helped negotiations in the Louisiana Purchase.

Looking forward to seeing you at our next meeting.

Jan Parnell



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Civic Centre
Shop 7/66 Bay Tce
Wynnum
(outside entrance to public
library)

Opening Hours
Monday - Friday
10am-12 noon
closed public holidays

Resource Centre Report – July 2014

- *From the June Newsletter - A Mysterious Shaft*
Members have identified the land, where the shaft was found, as originally belonging to the Sing family who cultivated a market garden. The shaft in question may have been for drawing water.
- *History Alive*
Many thanks to all members who came to Fort Lytton over the weekend of 7/8 June. The weather was fine and the crowds of people rolled in to enjoy the activities.



- *“Gravy Train”, Florence Street, Wynnum*
A visitor is seeking the origins of the café against the railway line. The building was in existence in the days of the horse and buggy. This early photograph of the building shows that there was a sign over the shop “Henry Hooper Real Estate Agent”.

“R G Hooper, Dentist” is next door, in the centre of the building (where Marie Truman traded until recently). And the newsagent of the corner of Tingal Road was C Heymer.



Does anybody know when the building was constructed and when the Gravy Train was first opened?

- *Moreton Bay Environmental Centre, located at Wynnum State School.*
The Society has been approached by the Centre to take part in their local history program, organised for school children, on six days during August to October.

Our claim to fame is being located adjacent to the 24 pounder Cannon No.60756, built in 1798 at Carron Ironworks, Falkirk Scotland, one of twelve cannons donated to the state by Queen Victoria in 1862.

- *Pavey Family*
Many of you will have heard of the early bakers in the district Matthew and Tom Pavey, of Mary(Berrima) Street. We are searching for the cause of death of two Pavey children, Charles Matthew Pavey, born in 1903 and died 1904 and sister Olive Daisy Elizabeth Pavey, born 1902 died 1909. They are the children of Walter Pavey.

Does anybody know of a local Pavey relative who may be able to help?

Till next time, *Jill* (Librarian)

Old Town Hall part of Wynnum's history

Story: JIM DUNN Research: MERV BEITZ

NEXT month the Waterloo Bay 50 and Over Leisure Centre, built at a cost of \$575,000 will be officially opened by the Health Minister, Dr. Edwards and will mark another step forward in the progress of the district and its people.

The new centre with its huge auditorium and stage, activities room and other facilities is a far cry to the building it replaces, the old Kianawah Hall, or town hall.

In March 1890 the Kianawah Division was divided into three wards. Ward 1 stretched from Lytton to Wynnum Creek, Ward 2 from Wynnum Creek to Darling Point and Ward 3 Darling Point to Tingalpa Creek.

Each ward had three members, giving the Board a total of nine men and true.

'HOME' NEEDED

The new board got down to business and in their wisdom decided, in April 1890, that a new "home" was needed.

Plans were accepted after much debate and the board agreed to J G Gross proceeding with the construction of the hall, clerk's office and clerk's residence on the reserve in Tingal Road at a cost of £820 (\$1640). Of this, the residence, still standing, was built for £255 (\$510).

Wynnum people were invited to celebrate the opening of their new Board hall and office and a grand concert and ball was organised.

The Master of Ceremonies was Mr John F Buckland, MLA and prices were: Concert 2/- (20 cents) and 1/- (10 cents), ball double ticket 5/- (50 cents), gents 3/- (30 cents) and ladies 2/- (20 cents). Supper was included.

One can imagine what supper would have meant. In those days "supper" was the "works", probably prepared by a special ladies' committee.



MANY PURPOSES

The hall served many purposes over the years – wedding breakfasts, dances, polling booth and what-have-you. It was pulled down in the first half of 1977 to make way for the new Leisure Centre.

That old hall saw many proposals put forward to give Wynnum its bayside look. From Board meeting records we find that the first public bathing enclosure was constructed at Jetty No. 1 by Dart and Greene for a total outlay of £75 (\$150). This was in January 1891.

The Kianawah Divisional Board changed its name to Wynnum Divisional Board on November 5 1892 with Mr T W Thomason as the first chairman.

Civic fathers began to realise that in the Esplanade they had a good thing and on April 20, 1895, Mr Johnston Smyth (later to become a councillor) was employed to care for the shade trees on the beach front at a yearly salary of £4/18/6 (about \$10). **The records don't say what Mr Smyth did for the rest of the time.**

SCHOOL FUNDS

It was in the hall on April 22 1895 that a well attended ladies' committee began organizing a bazaar – held in June – to raise funds for the building of the new East Wynnum (Central) School. A well attended concert held in the hall four days later raised £65 (\$130) towards the cost of the new school.

The records show that Mr A Cunningham acted as MC and items were rendered by Mr R J Scott, Mr J Abraham, Miss E Clowes, Miss Markwell, Mr James Ferry, Mr Norris and Misses E and L Pickett. Wynnum Central School became a reality in February 1896.

'DUST UPS'

They had a few verbal "dust ups" in the old hall. The move to build a bridge over Wynnum Creek saw tempers flaring. Around February 1898 the Wynnum Creek bridge issue ran hot. For many years the north and south banks of Wynnum Creek were only connected by a foot bridge of doubtful construction. After heavy rains and at high tides the low-lying areas on either side were impassable.

It should be remembered that all the foreshores in those days from Lytton to Lota were described on early maps as swampy, mangrove flats. There was no great need for any large movement near the beach.

Reclamation works in these areas brought the town fathers to the realisation that a proper traffic bridge was needed. But the cost and the positioning of same did not meet with whole-hearted approval from the ratepayers of Wards two and three. But the ratepayers of Ward One were just as fixed about that bridge. They fought back.

BUILT BRIDGE

A committee of 14 townfolk met on February 28 1898 to work out ways and means of raising £300 (\$600) privately to build a bridge.

In those days the main shopping area of the infant Wynnum was centred around the lower end of King and Fox streets.

The committee, being made up mostly of shopkeepers, wanted their share of trade from the increasing number of holidaymakers and day travellers who were then coming to the "Bay" following the construction of the railway.

An article in the Brisbane Courier, forerunner of today's Courier Mail, on June 14 1898 showed that the bridge was still very much a matter of public disagreement.

Mr John Cameron was reported as saying that the bridge near the mouth of the creek would subtract much from the space available for small boats to shelter and stop more movement upstream.

Eventually the bridge was completed under the supervision and expense of the Board.

Wynnum-Redlands Herald Wednesday 30 August 1978

Transcribed by Heather Langston

Upcoming WMHS heritage tour...



Enjoy a tour of the newly refurbished City Hall and browse the galleries at the Museum of Brisbane, currently featuring the Many Lives of Moreton Bay exhibition. Followed by refreshments at the Shingle Inn.

Join us for an interesting day out with great company and many memories to share.

Reserve this day in your diary now...

Saturday 27th September 2014

More details to come.

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Where was I? June 2014

Bill Benham Park is along the side of Bulimba Creek in Hemmant. Access is from Boolarra Street or Violet Street.

Bob Benham, a member of the Port of Brisbane Rotary Club has been campaigning for five years for this 6ha piece of land to be developed into a park.

Stage 3 is due for completion this month and will include a walkway, built over the floodplain, to allow fishing at high tide.



Where am I? June 2014



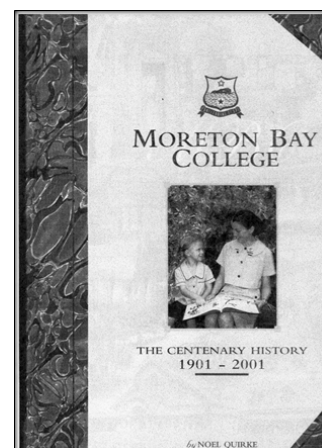
Jill Greenhill
Librarian

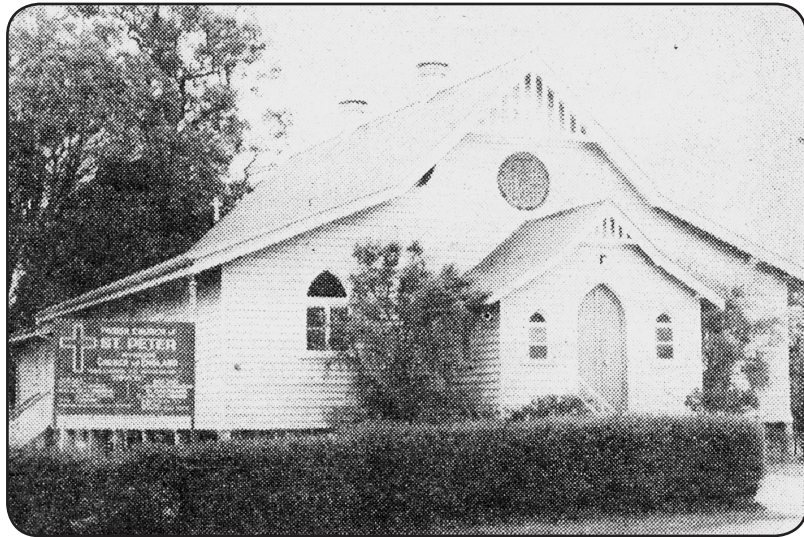
John and Ellen Coupland are looking for a copy of the following book:

Moreton Bay College: The Centenary History 1901-2001
By Noel Quirke

They are happy to pay for it.

Please contact John or Ellen on 38991326 or 0418700625





The year 1978 was a memorable year for **St Peter's Anglican Church** congregation in Wynnum. The contract for building the new St Peter's Church was signed on Friday 17 March 1978. The old church, built in 1899 and extended a few years later, had served the community well over the last seventy seven years.

Demolition of this church was documented in the February 2014 newsletter (page 8).

The Foundation Stone of the new \$192,000 St Peter's Church was blessed on Sunday 14 May 1978 by the Archbishop of Brisbane (Dr Arnott).

The Wynnum-Redlands Herald on 1 November 1978 had this news

ADDITION TO OUR SKYLINE

CROSS CAPS ST. PETER'S CHURCH BUILDING JOB

The placing of a stainless steel cross on the spire of the new St. Peter's Anglican Church on Friday morning was watched by scores of passers-by and staff and students of the nearby Wynnum Central State School.

The Herald photographer was on hand to obtain this graphic shot of workmen placing the cross, still in protective wrapping, in position.

A giant mobile crane was used to swing the cross from the ground onto the spire.

The Rector, Rev. Harry Taylor, was on hand to see that the cross was placed into its planned position.

LOCAL LANDMARK

The cross, 19 feet long, stands 50 feet from ground level and should prove a local landmark.

The new Church will be dedicated by the Anglican Archbishop of Brisbane, the Most Reverend Felix Arnott at 6.30 pm on Wednesday November 15. A large crowd is expected for the dedication service.

Many former Wynnum parishioners are returning especially for the occasion. Clergy from as far west as Mitchell and as far north as Biggenden, some of whom have served St. Peter's parish, are making the trip to be present.

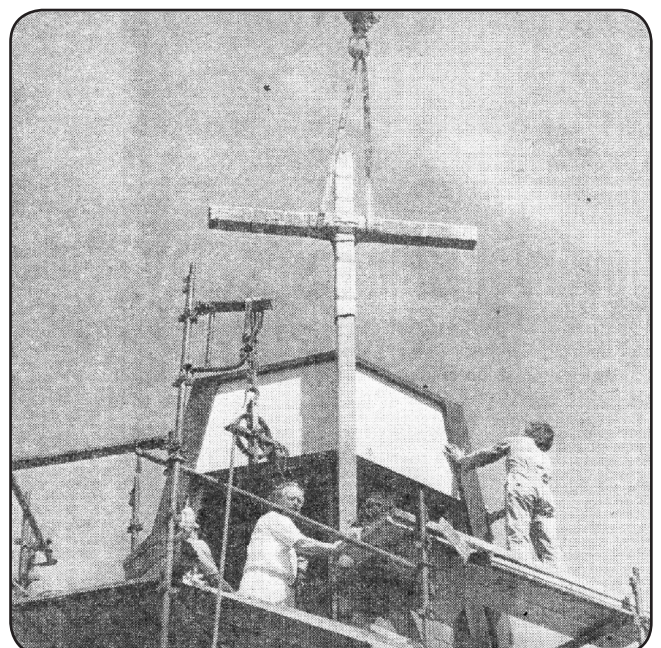
MEMORIAL TO RECTOR

The Baptistry in the new building is to be dedicated in memory of the late Rev. John Nommensen, a former Rector who served for over 30 years at Wynnum. Mrs Nommensen and her sons and families will be among those who will return for the event.

Rev. Taylor told The Herald that all the sanctuary furniture and many of the pews had already been donated, most being memorials to relatives of present parishioners.

"The completion of the church building project is the culmination of many years of planning", Rev. Taylor said. He said that everyone was invited to the service of dedication on November 15.

Invitations had already been sent to clergy of other denominations in the district and Anglican clergy in and near Brisbane.



*Wednesday November 1 1978
Transcribed by Heather Langston*

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Life Members:	Myrtle Beitz, John Davies, Jill Greenhill, Noela Stratton		
Late life members:	Merv Beitz, Jack Sands.		
Patron:	Cr. Peter Cumming.		

Supper Roster...

July		
•	Mim Carrington	0416076102
•	Nena Robertson	3396 2524
•	Roisin Burrell	0490039056
August		
•	Lyn Shanks	3396 3792
•	Jan Bird	3396 6690
•	Carol Astill	3396 5481
September		
•	Margaret Bullock	3396 3230
•	Jillian Mahoney	3393 1655
•	Deborah Tearle	3396 9697
October		
•	Lou & Anne Hall	0412634587
•	Marie Stokes	3390 5832
•	Ellen Copeland	3899 1326
November		
•	Myrtle Beitz	3396 4711
•	Margaret O'Neil	3348 3123



If you are unable to meet your rostered supper commitment for any reason, please contact our supper co-ordinator, Deborah Teale on 3396 9697

Many hands make light work!

Minutes of General Meeting of Thursday 19 June 2014

held in the Ambulance Auditorium, Corner Tingal Road and Cedar Street.

The meeting **opened** at 7.28pm. Thirty four members were present and three visitors, Cathy Beitz, Graeme Kennelly and Gary Parsons. Seven apologies were received.

President Jan opened the meeting and welcomed all present. She recalled some happenings on this day in the past.

Minutes of Previous Meeting held on 15 May 2014 were approved by Debbie Tearle, seconded by Melissa Champley.

Correspondence, inwards and outwards for May 2014, was presented by Lena McCreadie. The correspondence had been accepted and endorsed at the committee meeting held on Thursday 5 June 2014.

Daniel Cheverton gave a report on the planned Rally on Saturday 28 June at the former Wynnum Central School for the preservation of the Men's Shed and the original amount of land, as stated in the Wynnum Neighborhood Plan, for the green park.

Treasurer Sandy Liddle explained that a hiccup at the Bank of Queensland, was being rectified and our account would be in order by next month. The **Financial Report** was presented as follows, the account being approved at the June 5 2014 committee meeting:

Bank of Qld A/C No. 2013 9708

Opening Balance at 1May 2014	\$35,802.36
which comprises:	
<u>Working Account</u>	
Opening Balance at 1May 2014	\$ 7,204.94
Income: \$107.01	Expenses: \$2.50
Closing Balance at 31 May 2014	\$ 7,311.94
<u>Web-Saver Account</u> (including \$29.23 interest)	\$28,624.16
<u>TOTAL FUNDS at 31 May 2014</u>	<u>\$35,936.10</u>

Resource Centre Report:

The "Where am I" photograph was of the new park, Bill Benham Park, at Hemmant, which is adjacent to Bulimba Creek, accessible from Boolarra and from Poppy Streets. When the work is completed the park will have elevated fishing platform over the creek.

Those members who attended History Alive at Fort Lytton on Saturday and Sunday 7 and 8 Jun were thanked for their efforts.

Tours:

The next date to keep free is Saturday 27 September when the Society will visit the newly refurbished City Hall, the Clock Tower and the Museum of Brisbane. More details to come.

General Business;

Melissa Champley announced to the meeting that Life Member of the Historical Society, John Davies has become an Honorary Life President of the Wynnum Manly Rotary Club.

Speaker:

Local resident and Heritage Architect, Ben Gall gave an interesting and informative address on the recent renovation of Brisbane City Hall. He traced the development of the site from the 1899s, with the former skating rink and stable buildings, through to the recent excavations and refurbishments of the Hall today. The talk provided us with a useful introduction for the visit of the Society in September this year.

The Raffle was won by Graeme Kennelly, and the Members Draw and the Door Draw by Jill Greenhill.

The meeting closed at 8.45pm. Members retired to a delicious supper provided by Jan Aplin, Jan Parnell, Melissa Champley and Christine R-Westhouse.

Jill Greenhill (Minute Secretary)

Microfiche and Microfilm Resources...

We currently hold the following microfiche and microfilm resources in the Resource Centre.

Microfiche

Aldine History of Queensland 1888
Births Deaths & Marriages in Queensland
Pioneer Index 1829 – 1889
Federation Index 1890 – 1914
Commonwealth Electoral Roll
Wynnum Manly 1903 – 1989
Hemmant 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

Microfilm

Wynnum Herald 12.01.1946 – 12.07.1967
Queensland State Electoral Rolls 1860 - 1910

These are free for members to use and the friendly volunteers will be more than happy to assist you with use of the equipment.

Resources for Sale...

Author	Title	Year	Cost
Beitz, Myrtle	Mangroves to moorings revisited	2005	\$35
Davenport, Winifred & Mottram, Betty	Early shipping in Moreton Bay: June 1846 - December 1859, Volume 1	1998	\$5
Davenport, Winifred & Mottram, Betty	Early shipping in Moreton Bay: January 1860 – December 1863, Volume 2 (2nd ed)	2002	\$5
Nalder, Robyn	From sapling to kero tin: A peek at Gumdale's past	2004	\$15
Nock, Betty	History of music in the Wynnum and Manly area 1900-1997	1998	\$5
Nock, Betty	History of arts in the Wynnum and Manly area 1900-2003	2005	\$5

Please pop in to the Resource Centre or contact Jill Greenhill on 3393 3208 if you would like to purchase any of these items. Part proceeds of some sales go to supporting the Resource Centre.

Regular WMHS Volunteers and Helpers...

GENERAL MEETINGS:

Afternoon set up:

Col Brown, Jill Greenhill and Myrtle Beitz

Welcome at Door and raffles:

Ian Wheeler, Noela Stratton & Denise Cogill

Bring and buy:

Rensche Schep, Heather Langston, Christina Stevens.

Kitchen Coordinator:

Margaret Mack

Supper Coordinator:

Deborah Tearle

Supper Donations and servers: Jan Aplin, Jan Bird, Margaret O'Neil, Myrtle Beitz, Lena McCreadie, Ian Wheeler, Laurima Rabe, Noela Stratton, Eris Powell, Daphne Liddle, Nena Robertson, Alison Roff, Jan Parnell, Margaret Collins, Deborah Tearle, Lyn Shanks, Carol Astill, Lou & Anne Hall, Christina Stevens, Christina R-Westhouse, Ellen Coupland, Marie Stokes, Jan Bird, Jillian Mahoney, Roisin Burrell, Rensche Schep, Wendy Smith, Melva Hatchman, Mellisa Champley, Mim Carrington, Margaret Bulloch.

Raffle prizes: Sandra Wheeler

NEWSLETTERS: Compiler & Editor:

Sharee Cordes

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Ian Wheeler

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Volunteers on duty:

Ian Wheeler, Ian Kennedy, Noela Stratton, Dennis O'Neill, Col Brown,

Myrtle Beitz, Dawn Wilkins, Heather Langston, Margaret Bulloch, Rensche Schep, Roisin Burrell, Ellen Coupland.

Reesearch enquiries: Jill Greenhill and Ellen Coupland

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

Booklet: Jill Greenhill

Bookings: Sandy Liddle at General Meetings or resource Centre staff each weekday

ORAL HISTORY:

Sharee Cordes

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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.

Coming Events...

July 2013	August 2014	September 2014
<p>Thursday, 17th July 7.30pm JULY GENERAL MEETING Ambulance Museum Auditorium Cnr Cedar St & Tingal Road</p> <p>Speaker: Katie McConnel</p> <p>Topic: Letters of a Lady: the private correspondence of Lady Lamington, wife of Queensland's 8th Governor Visitors welcome. Cost: Gold coin donation</p>	<p>Thursday, 21st 7.30pm JULY GENERAL MEETING Ambulance Museum Auditorium Cnr Cedar St & Tingal Road</p> <p>Speaker: Desley Schafer</p> <p>Topic: to be confirmed</p> <p>Visitors welcome. Cost: Gold coin donation</p>	<p>Thursday, 21st 7.30pm JULY GENERAL MEETING Ambulance Museum Auditorium Cnr Cedar St & Tingal Road</p> <p>Speaker: to be confirmed</p> <p>Topic: to be confirmed</p> <p>Visitors welcome. Cost: Gold coin donation</p>
<p>Thursday, 31st July 10am MORNINGTEAATWYNNUMLIBRARY Wynnum Library, 66 Bay Terrace</p> <p>Speaker: Kate Harbison</p> <p>Topic: The Begining of the War to End all Wars</p> <p>The 'Great War' began in August 1914, but its roots are embedded in the past. Learn about the players, the moves and the events that set off the 'War to end all wars'.</p>	<p>Thursday, 28th August 10am MORNINGTEAATWYNNUMLIBRARY Wynnum Library, 66 Bay Terrace</p> <p>Speaker: Beryl Roberts</p> <p>Topic: Brisbane Place names</p> <p>Noted historian, Beryl Roberts, author of "Naming Brisbane", will discuss the origins of Brisbane's suburb names. Bookings not required.</p>	<p>Thursday, 25th September 10am MORNINGTEAATWYNNUMLIBRARY- Wynnum Library, 66 Bay Terrace</p> <p>Speaker: Kay Aberdeen</p> <p>Topic: Local Diggers</p> <p>Kay Aberdeen is conducting research into the men and women from Wynnum-Manly District who sailed off to World War 1. Come along and hear her talk about their lives and stories. Bookings not required.</p>

July 15th, 6-7pm: A Night at the JOL, The Johnstone Gallery. Ian Townsend leads a discussion about the Johnstone Gallery owned by Brian and Marjorie Johnstone.
 Free. State Library of Queensland, John Oxley Library. www.slq.qld.gov.au/whatson

July 29th, 11am-12: Basic Catalogue Search. This workshop provides researchers with an introduction to the searchable catalogue. Participants are welcome to bring their own laptop or tablet to use.
 Free. Queensland State Archives, Runcorn. email info@archives.qld.gov.au or phone 07 3131 7777

August 1st, 10am-12: Family Connections to WWI. State library staff will help you trace your family connections who served in WWI. Also hear about the Q ANZAC 100:Memories for a New Generation project and other commemorative activities that are planned and how you can contribute to the initiatives.
 Free. State Library of Queensland. www.slq.qld.gov.au/whats-on phone:3840 7810

August 3rd, 2-3pm: Personal Histories of Moreton Bay. Panel Discussion: An opportunity to hear from historians, authors and advocates for Moreton Bay and explore the Bay's historical significance, environmental evolution and the role the Bay and its islands play in the lives of inhabitants today.
 Free. Museum of Brisbane. www.museumofbrisbane.com.au/whats-on

August 7th, 1-3pm: Conservation Clinic. Do you have a rare book, artwork on paper, family heirloom, film or photograph that you want to know how to care for? Professional conservation staff provide one on one consultations to look at your treasures and offer advice. Bring a notebook to record the valuable advice you receive.
 Free. State Library of Queensland. www.slq.qld.gov.au/whats-on phone:3840 7810

August 17th, 10am-12: Brisbane's Rubbity Dubs. Join historian David Gibson to take a journey through the pub and club culture of Brisbane. This tour will explore the place of 'pub' and 'club' in the evolution of Brisbane Society from Colonial times to the present day.
 \$15 BLHN members, \$20 non members, Meeting location provided on request. info@brisbanelivingheritage.org ph:07 3223 6606

August 19th, 6-7.30pm: A Night at the JOL, Fashion Innovators - then and now. Ian Townsend leads a discussion with Dr Michael Mareudy and Clare Collyer about Queensland's unique fashion history and future.
 Free. State Library of Queensland, John Oxley Library. www.slq.qld.gov.au/whatson

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