Minutes of General Meeting

of 16 November 2006

held in the Ambulance Museum Auditorium Corner Tingal Rd and Cedar St.

Meeting opened at 7:30pm. 48 members and 3 visitors were present. 3 apologies were received.

Minutes of Previous Meeting held on 19 October were moved by Jill Greenhill, seconded by Minnie Bowman.

Correspondence, inwards and outwards, accepted and endorsed at the committee meeting on Thursday 2 November 2006, was presented by Lena McCreadie. Financial Report:

General Account: Opening Balance: \$12,221.56.

Receipts: \$ 1863.Expenses: \$ 3873.91.Closing Balance: \$10.210.75

Investment Amount of \$15,000

Report was accepted and endorsed at the committee meeting held on Thursday 2 November 2006.

Resource Centre. Members were shown the completed transcribed "Wynnum Building Register 1919 – 1923". Details of the present proposed re-development of the Wynnum Civic Centre were given and of the invitation in March 2007 to the official opening of the business in the Old Post Office.

Heritage Tour. There is a waiting list for the Tour to Russell Island on Sat 25 November..

General Business:

Brian Brandenberg spoke of his petition to save Manly Swimming Baths.

Society is sponsoring Ron Hargreaves's application for a grant for a plaque at Hargreaves Bunyas in Manly Rd. Members were invited to attend the funeral of member Mavis Wegner's mother on 17 November.

Speakers: Bill Borg gave a history of free masonry and details of the local Masonic temple at 2 Tingal Road. Noela Stratton told us of the life of the late David Lloyd, founder of the Ambulance Museum.

Nena Robertson provided a history and activities of St Peter's C/E in the times of Rev Nommenson.

The Lucky Door Prize was won by Margaret O'Neill, the Raffle by Eris Powell and the Membership Draw by Noela Stratton.

Evening closed at 9.25pm and members and guests were provided with a delicious supper donated by Jan Bird, Margaret O'Neill and Myrtle Beitz. Jill Greenhill

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WYNNUM MANLY HISTORICAL SOCIETY Inc.

NEWSLETTER February 2007

Thursday 15 February - 7.30pm in the Old Ambulance Building (33 Tingal Rd / Corner Cedar St)

Guest Speakers:

Brian Brandenberg

"The Manly Pool"

Jill Greenhill

"Bothwicks and the Meat Works of Murarrie"

Do you have any personal memories?

Gold Coin entry - covers hire of Hall
Bring and Buy Stall - Please bring your unwanted gifts,
cakes, fruit, vegetables to support the Resource Centre.
Thanks to Penny McCauley, Ian Wheeler and Eris Powell
who will be providing your supper.

Please invite a friend to attend

WILLIAM MORRISON GUNN (1895 – 1970)

"William Gunn was born at (Walsherdon), Mackay Queensland on 19 April 1895. He was educated in Brisbane. The family moved to Manly, Qld in 1912. Father, W M Gunn of Ipswich, was a police officer.

With his two brothers, William enlisted in the first world war with the 2nd Australian Light Horse at Gallipoli where he was wounded. After recovering he served in Palestine until 1917.

William married Edith Ann Curtis, daughter of Joseph and Ellen Curtis of Manly on October 29 1921, a daughter member of the well-known Curtis family. They had two children, Morris and Elaine. William was in business in Manly (Grocer?). The family resided in Kingsley Terrace, Manly.

In April 1944 he entered Queensland Parliament as labour member for Wynnum and retired on 28 May 1966.

William was a tireless worker for the Wynnum Manly district and during his term of office many major improvements occurred in his electorate. He played bowls, being a member of Wynnum Bowling Club and Manly Ring Bowls

He was a kind and compassionate man of integrity and was very much aware of the great virtue of true humility."

Information donated by: M Healey, Tingalpa

New Members



We would like to welcome, to the Society, the following new members:

- Rae Antony
- Patricia Gilbert
- John Godfrey
- Carol Astill



Resource Centre Report January 2007

- Who is the oldest person, still alive, born in Wynnum/Manly District?
- There was an earth tremor in Queensland in 1946 and an 8 km lake disappeared. Where was this lake?
- Where was the hospital in Jane (Benalla) Street Manly?
- What was the name of the Roller skating Rink? Tingal Road or Charlotte Street?

Jill

Where am I?



Give your answer, and any details, to Jill

Ph: 3393 3208 or Email: leslieg@powerup.com.au or Deliver to Resource Centre.

The Annual General Meeting 2007 will be held on Thursday 15 March at the Ambulance Museum Auditorium after the General Meeting. Nomination forms are inserted in this newsletter. Can you help, or persuade a friend to volunteer. Nominations will close on Thursday 1 March 2007.



Our Newsletter is sponsored by: Cartridge World Shop 5/143 Tingal Rd Wynnum



Heritage Tour Saturday, 24 March

Canungra

Depart Civic Centre 8.00 am - Return 4.30 pm



- See the unique Mundoolun Church
- Visit graceful Auchenflower House
- Taste the Albert River Wines
- · Walk through Lahey's tunnel
- · Lunch at the Outpost Café, Canungra
- Explore the Kokoda Army Museum and be guided around the camp to the various memorials.

Cost \$25

(Lunch additional)
Bookings: at Resource Centre or
Contact Jill Greenhill Ph 3393 3208

Membership Fees Due

Don't forget that your Annual Subscriptions are now due. Could you please return the attached plastic bag, with your payment, to Treasurer, Jan Parnell or to the Resource Centre.



Remember our Regular Meetings . .

Third Thursday: 15 February 2007 Old Ambulance Building 7.30pm

Last Thursday: 22 February 2004 Wynnum Public Library 10am:

TBA

Resource Centre: Mon to Fri 10 – 12 noon 7/66 Bay Terrace (Outside Wynnum Library)