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AUGUST IS FAMILY HISTORY MONTH

To acknowledge Family History Month a "Teatime" display has been mounted in the glass cabinet in the foyer on the first floor at the Lionel Bowen Library. Thanks to members Lee Bevan, Helen Fatouros, Judith Flitcroft, Judy Ford, Lindsay Harden, Linda Heavener, Cheryl Humphries, Eileen James, Linda McIntosh, Margaret Morscheck, Roslyn Van de Sandt and, Dianne Walker for lending family memorabilia for this lovely display. Thanks to Lindsay, Dianne and Helen for working on the display.

Please take the opportunity to view Cape Banks "Teatime" which will be on display until the end of August.

It is with great sadness that we report the passing away of **Jan Glasby's** sons, Andrew and Mark. Both young men passed away within days of each other in May. Our thoughts and deepest sympathy are extended to Jan and her family from all Cape Banks FHS members at this sad time.



July meeting:

Our presenter of 'Landscapes of the Dead; cemetery conservation' was Chris Betteridge. Chris made an unusual subject very interesting.

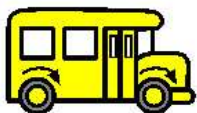
Thanks to Linda McIntosh for looking around for some cheaper insurance for us on the Cape Banks Research Rooms.

100s Club: Thank you all who have supported this fund-raiser. The winners so far are:

Week 1: Robert Young, Week 2: Bob Lopresto, Week 3: Geoffrey George, Week 4: Rhonda Horne

Special Offer for Family History Month from Joy Murrin Full NSW Transcriptions \$18 a saving of \$2 for each full transcription. This offer is available from 1-31 August 2018 with no limit on number of orders. Voucher code: FHM2818

JOY MURRIN Family History Services Website: <http://www.joymurrin.com.au/>



Bus Trip: The next bus trip will be **the Strathfield Heritage bus trip** that was postponed from earlier this year. New Date: **Friday 31st August 2018, Time: 8.45am**

Meeting Place for Bus: Cnr. Wild Street and Anzac Parade, Maroubra Junction (usual place)

Cost: \$15:00, **Date for Final Payment:** Friday 24th August 2018.

Sign on Sheet: At Cape Banks Research Rooms or advise Secretary of your interest if unable to come to the rooms.

Other details: Bus will take approximately one hour to travel to Strathfield where we shall pick up Cathy Jones from Strathfield library and start a two hour tour of Historical Strathfield.

At approximately 12:00pm after the tour we will go to a park for lunch so please bring a picnic lunch and tea/coffee as there will be no morning tea break.

Future Bus Trip to State Records at Kingswood: Thursday 25th October, Time: 9:00am – 3:00pm

Membership Renewal Forms for 2018-19, AGM info and nomination for committee forms will be attached to the September issue of Kith & Kin. Only financial members will be eligible to vote at our A.G.M. on 12th October so please complete your renewal form before that date.

Worth a look:

- The University of Tasmania has a wonderful course (The Diploma of Family History) that is of assistance with learning about family research. It is taken on-line in a format that is easy to do. There is some reading, but everything is available on-line. You also have free access to Ancestry (Library edition). The cost of the units varies but HECS assistance is available to Australian students.
- The British Government Registry Office has a new service available. The Government Registry Office has extended its pilot service of birth and death registrations in PDF format. Check the website for details: <https://www.gro.gov.uk/gro/content/certificates/default.asp>
- Icemetry: a fantastic new app that is free from App store and very easy to use. When you enter the surname and first name (optional) details appear including a map button that shows exactly where the grave is located. It has Australian cemeteries: Mona Vale, South Head and Waverley. It also appears to have Canadian cemeteries included.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

AUGUST

4th Writers' Circle: 11.00am – 1.00pm

10th Monthly Meeting: "Kiwis Can't Swim; Researching New Zealand" – Pauline Weeks

18th 19th Century Bounty and Assisted Immigration Workshop 11:30am – 1.00pm

31st Bus trip to Strathfield (See this newsletter for details)

SEPTEMBER

1st Writers' Circle: 11.00am – 1.00pm

4th General Meeting: "The Flag's Up!" Peter Poland of the Woollahra History and Heritage Society will talk about the first 20 years of the South Head Lookout Post 1790-1809

14th-16th NSW and ACT State Conference at Batemans Bay

22nd UK Interest Group: 11.00am – 1.00pm

29th Discussion Group: "Flowers and their significance in the lives of our families": 1.30pm – 3.00pm

OCTOBER

6th Writers' Circle: 11.00am – 1.00pm

12th General Meeting and AGM

25th Bus Trip to State Archives and Records 9.00am – 3.00pm

27th UK Interest group

ROSTERS 2018

AUGUST

Sat 11th C Humphreys, L Bevan

Wed 15th M Dennis, C Humphreys

Mon 20th L Harden, H Fatouros

Sat 25th J Galpern, L Potter

Wed 29th J Gallagher, L Potter

Mon 13th L Harden, H Fatouros

Sat 18th D Walker, L Bevan

Wed 22nd H Brombey, V Little

Mon 27th J Robertson, R van der Sandt

SEPTEMBER

Sat 1st H Brombey, E James

Mon 3rd M Morscheck, R Horne

Wed 5th J Gallagher, V Little

Sat 8th C Humphreys, L Bevan

Mon 10th L Harden, H Fatouros

Wed 12th M Phillips, E McLaughlin

Sat 15th D Walker, L Bevan

Mon 17th L Harden, H Fatouros

Wed 19th M Dennis, C Humphreys

Sat 22nd J Galpern, L Potter

Mon 24th J Robertson, R van der Sandt

Wed 26th H Brombey, V Little

Sat 29th M Phillips, E McLaughlin

OCTOBER

Mon 1st **CLOSED**

Wed 3rd J Gallagher, V Little

Sat 6th H Brombey, E James

Mon 8th L Harden, H Fatouros

Wed 10th M Phillips, E McLaughlin

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