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NEWSLETTER

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We are pleased to announce the opening of our Research Rooms in our new location at the **Coast Centre for Seniors** from Tuesday 9th March 2021.

We are located in the Frangipani Room at 2 Curie Avenue, Little Bay. See the photograph below for further information. We will have all-day access to the rooms on Tuesdays and Saturdays with the rooms open for research from 10:00am to 3:30pm.

There is no further information about when monthly Friday night meetings might resume at this stage as Randwick City Library website advises that rooms used by hirers are still unavailable.

COVID SAFE CHECK IN

Everyone who attends the centre must sign-in using the provided QR Code for a COVID Safe Check In. These are located at all entrances to the centre. This will assist the centre in the event of the need to undertake COVID-19 Contact Tracing. The QR Codes are for use with Smart Phones using the Services NSW QR App. All businesses in NSW are now required to have one available. Hand sanitiser is provided throughout the complex.

Bookings to attend the Research Rooms are no longer required. We will continue to follow current government advice.

The committee is committed to ensuring the safety and well-being of our members and look forward to welcoming you back.

Regards,
Cape Banks FHS Management Committee



The Cape Banks Family History Society celebrated Christmas and the end of the year with a lovely lunch organised by Margaret Morscheck and held at the South Coogee Bowling Club. It was a very happy event after a difficult year. Below are some photos taken of the occasion.



Congratulations to Fiona Archinal who was very happy to win the **'Kith and Kin'** award for 2020. Well done Fiona!

Our journal 'Kith and Kin' won the Nick Vine Hall award for a journal in Category A for smaller societies in 2020. This was awarded from the Australian Federation of Family History Organisations Inc. Congratulations to Lindsay Harden, the Editor.



The **Australian Heritage Festival** is back for 2021. From 18 April – 19 May 2021. The theme will be 'Our Heritage for the Future'. This year the plan is to celebrate our heritage, our communities, our diversity, and creativity in bringing heritage to life at historical locations, in nature, in performance and digitally. All Australian Heritage Festival events must be COVID safe, and there is a toolkit for all organisers to make them so. The event calendar goes live in February on the Australian Heritage Festival website, allowing events to be located. The address is: <https://www.nationaltrust.org.au/ahf/nsw/>

Jan Richardson, a Visiting Fellow at Griffith University Qld is seeking information about **female convicts who ended up in Queensland**. None of them were transported there but travelled there after receiving Tickets-of-Leave, marrying or other changes in their circumstances. If you can provide assistance or information to Jan Richardson, it would be much appreciated. Contact: jan.richardson@griffith.edu.au

The NSW & ACT Association of Family History Societies is planning their conference for Saturday 11th September this year. While it will be hosted by the Port Macquarie group this year, it will consist of on-line events which you will be able to watch in the comfort of your own home. You might like to check details at: <https://www.pmdfhs.org.au/2021-nsw---act-conference.html>

The Australasian Federation of Family History Organisations (AFFHO) have planned a conference with the name **History in Paradise**, from 1st to 5th August 2021. It will take place in one of the most historical places in the Southern Hemisphere – beautiful Norfolk Island. It will be hosted by Norfolk Island Museum. For details check the web address: <https://affhocongress2021.com/>
Registrations are now open. Early-bird price is available until 28 February 2021, if not sold out before.

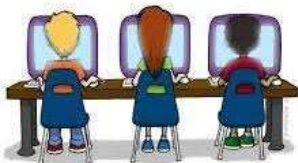
Max Dupain and La Perouse: The Caltex Story

Iconic Australian photographer Max Dupain was commissioned by Caltex in the 1950s to create a portfolio capturing Kurnell and La Perouse. This series of black and white photographs can be explored at the La Perouse Museum and compared to the La Perouse we know today. The museum is open Wednesdays and Fridays 10am – 2pm and on the weekends from 10am - 4pm. This exhibition finishes on 14th March.

<https://www.randwick.nsw.gov.au/community/whats-on/events/2020/december/max-dupain-and-la-perouse-the-caltex-story>



Websites:



Irish Research:

- Irish Civil Records: <https://www.irishgenealogy.ie/en> Images for Civil Death records from 1871 to 1877 are now available online. Over 15.5 million register records are now available to the public to view and research online on the www.irishgenealogy.ie website. The records now available online include Birth register records – 1864 to 1919; Marriage register records – 1845 to 1944 & Death register records – 1871 to 1969.

Cemeteries:

- Find a Grave: <https://www.findagrave.com/> - World's largest gravesite collection. Over 190 million memorials created by the community since 1995.
- Deceased Online: <https://deceasedonline.com/> - Central database for UK burials and cremations.
- Commonwealth War Graves Commission: <https://www.cwgc.org/>
- BillionGraves: <https://billiongraves.com/>

Source: Who Do You Think You Are? - December 2020

Wales Research:

- Welsh Parish Records: <https://www.thegenealogist.co.uk/welsh-parish-records/>, <http://familytr.ee/myhwalesblog>, <http://www.ancestry.co.uk/cs/recent-collections>

– 8 million Welsh Parish records have been added to Ancestry, MyHeritage and TheGenealogist. The Wales collection is already on Findmypast.

Norway Research:

- Norway Church Records: https://www.myheritage.com/records/Norway/all-records?awaid=101248&awgid=0&awbid=0&awcr=at106619_a172287_m12_p15300_cAU&awc=1609_8_1611796854_f6f4dc28094dfba5f4677a556d5f802c&utm_source=partner_awinus&utm_medium=partner&tr_ad_group=101248&utm_term=101248&utm_content=0 - more than 42.2 million historic church records for Norway, covering the years 1815 to 1938.

UK Research:

- British Slave-ownership database: <https://www.ucl.ac.uk/lbs/> - Search the website for biographical information about slave owners, and details and whereabouts of the plantations, and so learn more about the legacies of colonial slavery, the land and wealth involved, the owners - and the background to the lives of enslaved people.

Source: Family Tree UK - December 2020

Holocaust Research:

- Arolsen Archives: <https://arolsen-archives.org/en/>
- Yad Vashem: <https://yvng.yadvashem.org/>
- Every Name Counts: <https://www.zooniverse.org/projects/arolsen-archives/every-name-counts>

Source: Who Do You Think You Are? - January 2021

Who Do You Think You Are? UK currently showing on Friday nights on SBS at 8:35pm.

- Episode 1: Daniel Radcliffe
- Episode 2: Naomie Harris
- Episode 3: Jack and Michael Whitehall
- Episode 4: Kate Winslet
- Episode 5: Katherine Ryan
- Episode 6: Paul Merton
- Episode 7: Sharon Osbourne
- Episode 8: Mark Wright



Library Roster

March 2021

Tuesday 2nd

Duty Librarians orientation day

Tuesday 9th

10:00-1:00 M Morscheck, R Horne

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Tuesday 16th

10:00-1:00 H Fatouros, M Dennis

1:00-3:30 H Fatouros, L Heavener

Tuesday 23rd

10:00-1:00 L Potter, C Humphreys

1:00-3:30 J Gallagher, V Little

Tuesday 30th

10:00-1:00 M Dennis, C Humphreys

1:00-3:30 L Bevan, C Humphreys

Saturday 6th

Duty Librarians orientation day

Saturday 13th

10:00-1:00 C Humphreys, L Bevan

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Saturday 20th

10:00-1:00 TBA, TBA

1:00-3:30 D Walker, R Nicol

Saturday 27th

10:00-1:00 R van der Sandt, TBA

1:00-3:30 R Horne, L Bevan

April 2021

Tuesday 6th

10:00-1:00 TBA, TBA

1:00-3:30 M Phillips, E McLaughlin

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10:00-1:00 M Morscheck, R Horne

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1:00-3:30 H Fatouros, L Heavener

Tuesday 27th

10:00-1:00 L Potter, C Humphreys

1:00-3:30 J Gallagher, V Little

Saturday 3rd

10:00-1:00 M Phillips, E McLaughlin

1:00-3:30 L Harden, H Fatouros

Saturday 10th

10:00-1:00 C Humphreys, L Bevan

1:00-3:30 C Humphreys, L Bevan

Saturday 17th

10:00-1:00 TBA, TBA

1:00-3:30 D Walker, R Nicol

Saturday 24th

10:00-1:00 R van der Sandt, TBA

1:00-3:30 R Horne, L Bevan

Please advise if you can assist on the following days & times each month.

1st Tuesday 10:00-1:00, 3rd Saturday 10:00-1:00, 4th Saturday 10:00-1:00.