

Historical Society of the Northern Territory

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FUTURE EVENTS

Wednesday 1 March - NT Library - 5.30pm-7pm

Conversations with Clare Martin: the Art of Politics & Life in the Territory
With Clive Hyde and Colin Wicking

Saturday 4 March - HSNT Bookstall at Parap Markets

Depending on the weather, Janie will be holding a book stall at the markets.

Wednesday 8 March - NT Library - 5.30pm-7pm

Conversations with Clare Martin: Living in the 70s and the Making of a Government
With former Chief Ministers Paul Everingham and Marshall Perron

Wednesday 15 March - NT Library - 5.30pm-7pm

Conversations with Clare Martin: A Larrakia Perspective of Living on Country
With Bill Risk and Lorraine Williams

Wednesday 22 March - NT Library - 5.30pm-7pm

Conversations with Clare Martin: Art as Political Commentary
With Chips MacKinolty and Therese Ritchie

Sunday 26 March at 3pm - Historical Society's AGM

The Historical Society will be holding its AGM at History House. Please come along and support us. Drinks and nibbles will follow the AGM. If you are interested in being on our committee, a nomination form along with the agenda are at the end of this newsletter. The AGM Minutes 2022 are attached. If you wish to view the Audit Report, please let us know and we will email you a copy. History House is located at 1/16 Charlton Court, Woolner. Charlton St is off Bishop Street (look for pink Middis Lighting). Turn into Charlton Street then first right into Charlton Court. History House is at the bottom of the court.

Seeking missing HSNT Occasional Papers

The HSNT is in process of digitising all its publications but we have some missing ones. If you have one of these occasional papers below, could we please borrow it to digitise or you digitise it for us. Contact Brian Reid email: bandreid@bigpond.com or mobile: 0429 389 840

- Manning, Brian. Labour History (1/2007)
- Nelson, Des. Trip to Cobourg Peninsula. (2/2007)
- Tokamakoff-Hill, Irina. Memories of Frog Hollow. (3/2007)
- Opitz, Judy. Tourism and Rock Art in Kakadu. (4/2007)
- Rosenzweig, Paul. Adventurous roving natures. (5/2007)
- Jones, Timothy. Ping Que. (6/2008)
- Nelson, Des. The Rock Named Uluru. (12/2010)

HIGHLIGHTS FROM PAST EVENTS

Commemorating the 81st anniversary of the Bombing of Darwin on 19 February

The event was attended by survivors, evacuees, descendants, local and Federal dignitaries. The Hon Barnaby Joyce MP, Matt Keogh, Minister for Veterans' Affairs and Defence and our newly appointed NT Administrator Professor Hugh Heggie and Natasha Fyles, NT Chief Minister gave rousing speeches.



From left: Chaplin Brendan Quirk, Bev Phelts, HSNT Vice President, NT Administrator Professor Hugh Heggie & partner Ms Ruth Jones



Natasha Fyles, Chief Minister addressing the audience at Parliament House

HSNT annual Second hand book sale

This was another successful event which was attended by 60 people. We are happy to report that we raised \$546



From left: Ian Anderson, Ann Groves, Julie Mastin, Ron Innes & Jared Archibald



Bev Phelts & Libby Siebert selling books

Launch of Alan Powell's book *Bold & Lucky: Australia's Colonial Navy 1824 - 1831* at Charles Darwin University

Alan was working on this book before he sadly passed away two years ago. Jan Moore, Alan's wife took up the reins and continued with the research and the writing of the book. The book was launched by close friend, Emeritus Professor David Carment who flew from Sydney especially for the occasion. The event was well attended by Alan's family, friends and University colleagues.



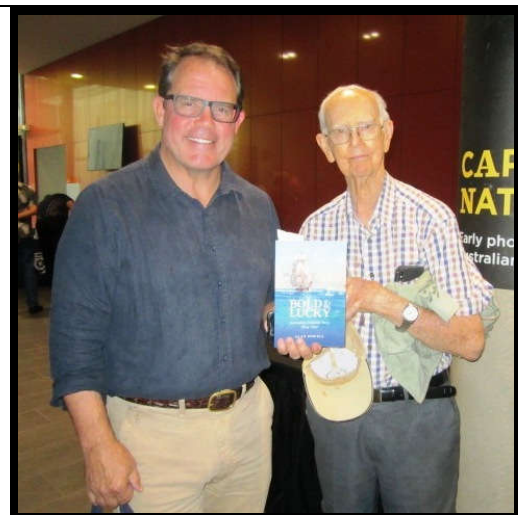
Steve Farram, Derek Pugh, Margaret Waterson-James & Renate Mohrbach



David Carment & Brian Reid



Lyn Reid & Sally Thomas



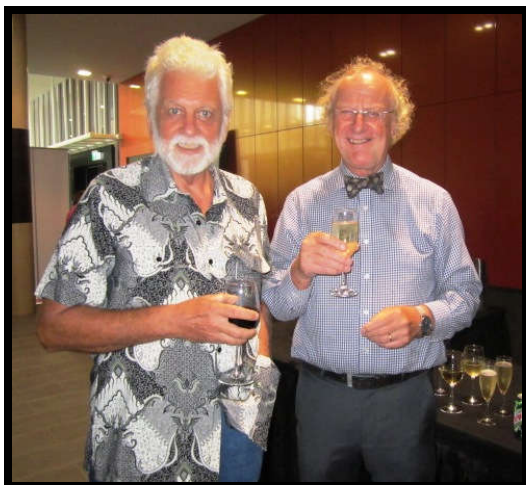
Luke Gosling, Member for Solomon & Alby Foreman



Lizzie Moore (Jan Moore's daughter) & Chris D'Ath
(Jan Moore's sister)



Peter & Libby Siebert & Alby Foreman



Steve Farram & Martin Jarvis



Renate Mohrbach, Ruth Quinn & Janie Mason



Allan Mitchell, Brian Reid & Ian Anderson



Michael & Denise Goodfellow with Jan Moore

Talk on the Great Air Race Vickers Vimy by Ken Lai

Ken gave a very informative talk with lots of great photos on the life and relocation of the Vimy.



Michael Veitch (FastForward & Full Frontal fame) & Wendy Asche



David Swift, Elaine Heller, Marnie Cameron



Julie Mastin & Jared Archibald



Lynne Holland, Penny Baird & Kathryn Southon



Kevin Coonan & Ken Lai



Lyn Lowe & Ron Innes

**HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
3pm Sunday 26 March 2023**

Welcome and thanks

Present

Apologies

- 1. Minutes of Annual General Meeting 27 March 2022**
- 2. Business arising from minutes of AGM**
- 3. President's Report**
- 4. Treasurer's Report**
- 5. Election of Office Bearers**
 - **President**
 - **Vice President**
 - **Honorary Secretary**
 - **Honorary Treasurer**
 - **Council Members [up to 8]**
 - **Public Officer**
 - **Authorized Person [ATO]**

6. Other business

**Nomination Form
Historical Society NT, PO Box 40544, Casuarina NT 0811**

I,
[please print]

hereby accept the nomination for the position of

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[please print] on the Council of HSNT 2023/2024

Signed :
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Nominated by :
[please sign & print]

Seconded by :
[please sign & print]

Date :