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ANGLESEA HISTORICAL SOCIETY inc

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TALL SHIPS VIEWING & BBQ

Members with their house guests and friends are invited to participate in a BBQ to be held at Eumeralla Scout Camp on Wednesday 30th December from 10-30am. It is expected that "The Fleet" will pass by about mid-day and should be seen to advantage from the spot chosen by Joan and Edith. BYO everything - chairs, binoculars, thermos, camera and, of course, food. BBQ's will be provided. If fire ban day suggest sandwiches. After entering the camp pass the buildings and proceed to the cliff car park. Our thanks to Mr Jim Money for making this venue possible.

DINNER SUCCESS

Our Annual Dinner in early November was again well attended when members were interested to hear Malcolm MacDougall of the Department of Conservation, Forests and Lands speak - his subject - "Our actions today, history tomorrow". The framed wash drawing by Edith Lawn was won by Mrs Gwen Mountfield from Canberra - she was a guest of Joan Murch. Another of these pictures will be raffled over the summer period.

OUR PUBLICATIONS etc

"AIREYS INLET - A HISTORY", another in the ALONG THE GREAT OCEAN ROAD series, is now available and selling exceptionally well, especially in Aireys Inlet. (First copy for members \$9.00 - RRP \$10.00. Calendars at \$4 for members (\$5 RRP) and packets of Correspondence Cards for \$2 also available.

MEETINGS - past & future

Mr Jim Money delighted members at the Christmas meeting with his recollections of the early days of Scouting in Anglesea. We hope he may speak to us again at some time in the future - there are surely more humorous stories to relate.

Next meeting - February 6th 1988 at 8pm - note time change - This new time will continue until the end of Daylight Saving. Mr Allan COOKE, former Chief Engineer with Geelong Water & Sewerage Trust will speak about William Buckley. Mr Cooke has made a study of this well known character and will share with his audience some interesting theories he has formed.

March 5th, 8pm - Mr Ray RAISON. Members will well remember Ray's interesting commentary during our first bus tour of Queenscliff. He has recently published a small book on "Queenscliff as a Fishing Port", but on this occasion will speak about three pioneers of Queenscliff. His talk will be illustrated with some slides.

April 2nd, 9.30am - EASTER SATURDAY - GARAGE SALE - again at Miss Mary White's residence, McMillan Street. Please check your cupboards for no longer used "treasures" - we would like to better the handsome profit of 1987. Goods can be left at the Historical Society providing you notify one of the office bearers who will make sure they go under cover.

STALLS & INFORMATION CARAVAN

Members will be manning display stalls on January 1st at the Anglesea Regatta, the Art Show at Aireys Inlet on January 1st & 2nd, the Woodchop on the riverbank on January 11th and on Australia Day at the Clubrooms at McMillan Street. If you can spare an hour or so to help please contact either the President or Hon Secretary. A roster has been drawn up for Tuesday duty in the Information Caravan - please arrange for a substitute if you are unable to attend on the day nominated.

SYD WHITE LAW

We have lost another of our stalwart members with the passing of Syd - our sympathy to Rita and family.

MEMBERSHIP IS NOW DUE - send your \$5 at your earliest convenience.

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