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                    Andrew Goodwin-Lydia Munro Family Muster Hobart – 2022 Spring
Gowen – Corporal John Gowen 1763-1837 by Diane Immerz – 2018-19 Summer
Hangman – A New Hangman for the Colony! By Pam McAdam – 2022-23 Summer
Hawkesbury – A Visit from Hawkesbury Mayor Sarah McMahon – 2022-23 Summer
              Early Breadbasket of the Hawkesbury by Judith O'Donohue – 2021-22 Summer
Howe – John Howe of Windsor by Judith O'Donohue – 2023 Winter
Hyde Park Barracks - Hyde Park Barracks, Sydney by Rebecca Turnbull - 2017 Winter
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Irving – John Irving from Australian Dictionary of Biography – 2019 Winter
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Kennedy – Biography of James Raworth Kennedy 1754-1826 by Warren Sharpe – 2019 Autumn
Liberty Medal - 2022 Autumn
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Lock – Maria Lock from Australian Dictionary of Biography – 2019 Autumn
Lockdown – Clips to Watch in Lockdown by Suzanne Shaw – 2021 Spring
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Meetings 2015 – June – Inaugural Committee – 2015 June
                June – Jean Stewart on First Fleeters John Small and Mary Parker – 2015 June
                August – AGM & Teressa Ewan on Putting Flesh on Your Skeletons – 2015 June & August
                September – John Boyd on The Tank Stream, Sydney – 2015 Spring, 2015-16 Summer
                October - Meeting & Tour of Penrith Library Archives - 2015 Spring, 2015-16 Summer
                November – Steve Ford, Family History Land Title Researcher – 2015 Spring
                December - Christmas Lunch 2015 Spring, 2015-16 Summer
Meetings 2016 - January No Meeting - 2016 Spring
                February – Ron Withington on Dispatched Downunder – 2015-16 Summer
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March – Members to share their First Fleet Story – 2016 Autumn (Keating-Matraville)

Events – Goodwin and Munro Muster in Hobart – 2016 Spring

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April – Pamela & Trent Hempel on Norfolk Island – 2016 Autumn
                May – Bill Ivin on Surveying 1788-1810 – 2016 Autumn
                June – Gay Hendriksen on Convict Women and Female Factories – 2016 Winter
                July – Margaret Riedl on her ancestor William Twiss – 2016 Spring
                August - AGM & Members on their Fleeter and Research - 2016 Winter
                September – John Boyd on Brothers in Arms (Heinecke Brothers) – Spring 2016
                October – Ray Keating on Before They Sailed – 2016 Spring (actual Lamb on Tuzo)
                November – Rebecca Turnbull on Objects Related to the First Fleet – 2016 Spring
                December – Christmas Lunch, I Palmer the Beginning of the Fellowship – 2016-17 Summer
Meetings 2017 - January No Meeting - 2016-17 Summer
                February – Tim Cox on the First Road Over the Mountains – 2016-17 Summer
                April – Gwen Shackell on St James Church, Sydney – 2017 Autumn
                June – Linda Emery on Who Do You Think You Are Experiences – 2017 Winter
                July – Kerima-Gae Topp from Parramatta & District Historical Society – 2017 Winter
                August – AGM & Judith Dunn on Colonial Ladies, Lovely, Lively etc – 2017 Winter
                October – Graham Wilcox on the Struggle for Unity, A Story of Federation – 2017 Spring
                November – Laurie Turtle on Ann Colpitts – 2017 Spring
                December – Christmas Lunch, T Ewan Put Flesh on Bones – 2017 Spring, 2017-18 Summer
Meetings 2018 – January No Meeting – 2017-18 Summer
                February – Patrick Dodd on Resources Available at the State Library – 2017-18 Summer
                May – Susan E Boyer Across Great Divides, Stories from Sydney Cove – 2018 Autumn
                June – Christine Yeats on Tales from the First Fleet, Comings and Goings – 2018 Winter
                July – Gail Davis on Getting to Know the NSW State Archives – 2018 Winter
                August – AGM & Judith Dunn on Unknown Pioneers – 2018 Winter, 2018 Spring
                September – Paul Innes on the Convicts Who Built Cox's Road – 2018 Spring
                November – Patrick Dodd on the Governor's Travels – 2018 Spring
                December - Christmas Lunch - 2018-19 Summer
Meetings 2019 – January No Meeting – 2018-19 Summer
                February – Ngulla Murrandah, Indigenous and First Fleet Heritage – 2018-19 Summer
                March - Carol Roberts on artist Greg Hansell - 2019 Autumn, 2019 Winter
                April – Heidi Brown on the Female Factory – 2019 Autumn
                May – Kerry Farmer on DNA Research – 2019 Autumn
                June – Lorraine Stacker on the 200th Anniversary of Emu Plains Convict Farm – 2019 Winter
                July – Heather Garnsey, Society of Australian Genealogists – 2019 Winter
                August - AGM & Judith Dunn - 2019 Winter
                September – Doug Knowles on Rails, Roads and Bridge on the Mountains – 2019 Spring
                October – Lorraine Turtle on the Grey Scheme – 2019 Spring
                December - Christmas Lunch - 2019-20 Summer
Meetings 2020 - February - Patrick Dodd on John Macarthur - 2019-20 Summer
                April – John Lanser on the Wreck of the Dunbar – 2019-20 Summer, 2020 Autumn
                June - Meeting Cancelled
                August – AGM by email, no formal meeting
                October - No meeting
                December – Christmas Lunch – 2020-21 Summer
Meetings 2021 – February – TBA – 2020-21 Summer (actual W Hempel on Jacob Nagle)
                April – TBA – 2021 Autumn (actual Carol Roberts on Hawkesbury Floods)
                June – Geoff Stuart on Secrets in Stone – 2021 Winter
                August – AGM & John Lanser on the Dunbar – 2021 Winter (cancelled AGM by email)
                December - Christmas Lunch - 2021 Spring
Meetings 2022 – February – TBA – 2021-22 Summer (actual J Lanser on the Dunbar see August 2021)
                April – Rebecca Turnbull on Heroes in the Great War – 2021-22 Summer, 2022 Autumn
                June - Rebecca Turnbull on Heroes in the Great War - 2022 Winter (again cancelled)
                June – Carol Roberts on the Pitt Family of Sunnyside, N Richmond – 2022 Autumn (canc)
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August – AGM & Patrick Dodd on Norfolk Island – 2022 Winter (canc repl C Robert June)

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October – Doug Knowles on Murder of Lee Mueller at Glenbrook – 2022 Spring (see Nov)
                November – Meeting held in place of October with Doug Knowles
                December – Christmas Lunch – 2022 Spring, 2022-23 Spring
Meetings 2023 – February – Lauren Jones on the Old Methodist Church, Sackville North – 2022-23 Summer
                April – John Lanser on the Bowman Flag at Nepean Family History – 2023 Autumn
                June – Lorraine Stacker on Combewood Historic House, Penrith – 2023 Winter
                August - AGM & Judith Dunn - 2023 Winter
                October – Laurie Turtle on A Hanging in the Family – 2023 Spring
                December – Christmas Lunch at the Rowing Club Thursday 7 December – 2023 Spring
Meredith – Frederick Meredith, First Fleeter – 2017 Winter
Military - Regiments in Australia - 2017 Winter
         Tobruk, by Joy Jorgensen – 2022 Autumn
Nagle – A Timeline of Jacob Nagle by William Hempel – 2021 Autumn
       In Search of Jacob Nagle by William Hempel – 2016-17 Summer
National Trust – Springtime with the National Trust by William Hempel – 2018 Spring
Old Great North Road - Old Great North Road, NSW by Rebecca Turnbull - 2017 Spring
Outings – 2015 Meeting & Tour of Penrith Library Archives – 2015 Spring, 2015-16 Summer
         2016 Walking Tour of Springwood by Blue Mountains Family History Society – 2016 Winter
         2017 Ebenezer Church Talk, Tour and Morning Tea – 2016-17 Summer, 2017 Autumn
         2017 Woodford Academy Tour and Morning Tea – 2017 Autumn, 2017 Winter
         2018 St Johns Cemetery Tour at Parramatta with Judith Dunn - 2018 Autumn, 2018 Winter
         2018 Rebecca Turnbull Windsor Walking Tour & St Matthews Cemetery - 2018 Spring
         2020 Fifth Anniversary Morning Tea at Ebenezer Church Hall – 2020 Autumn
         2020 State Library with Patrick Dodd and Tour – 2020 Autumn (cancelled)
         2020 Visit to Parramatta Female Factory with Judith Dunn – 2019-20 Summer
         2021 Nepean Belle Cruise - 2021 Autumn
         2023 Tour of St Matthews Cemetery Windsor with Rebecca McCrae – 2023 Autumn
         2023 Tall Ship Cruise and Luncheon – 2023 Autumn
         2023 Tizzana Winery – 2023 Spring
         2023 St Marys Historical Society Visit - 2023 Spring
         2023 Hawkesbury Regional Museum Visit – 2023 Spring
Parramatta – Old Government House and Government Domain by Rebecca Turnbull – 2017 Winter
            Centenarian Sells 200-Year-Old House – Daily Telegraph – 2023 Spring
Penrith – A Day Aboard the Nepean Belle – 2021 Winter
         Early History and Discovery of the Nepean Area by Lyn Forde - 2022 Winter
         Historic Fernhill Estate by Emily Feszsuk, The Weekender – 2023 Spring
         Thornton Hall, North Penrith, NSW by William Hempel – 2022 Winter
Photographs – The Way We Were from the State Library – 2022-23 Summer, 2023 Autumn, 2023 Winter,
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Pitt Town – Bird in the Hand Hotel, NSW Heritage Register – 2023 Spring
Port Arthur – Port Arthur Historic Site, Tasmania by Rebecca Turnbull – 2017-18 Summer
President's Corner – Sharon's Editorial – 2015 June, 2015 August, 2015 Spring, 2015 October
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Quotes from the Colony 1788 – 2018 Spring, 2018-19 Summer, 2020 Autumn, 2020 Spring,

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Raja Quilt – The Rajah Quilt by Judith O'Donohue – 2022 Autumn

Richmond – St Peters Anglican Church Group, Richmond by Judith O'Donohue – 2021 Spring

Robinson – Sarah Robinson(s) by Heather Threlfall – 2017-18 Summer

Ruse – James Ruse and John Harris by William Hempel – 2022 Spring

Russell – Judith Russell May 2023 – 2023 Winter

Rymes – Elizabeth Rymes, A Remarkable Life – 2022 Winter

Sackville North – Church, Sackville North – 2023 Autumn

Methodist Cemetery, Sackville North by Cathy McHardy – 2023 Autumn

Samuels – Joseph Samuels, The Man Who Survived Three Hangings by Judith O'Donohue – 2021 Winter

Sir John Jamison – Sir John Jamison Catholic Cemetery by Judith O'Donohue – 2022 Autumn

Spanish Influenza – Sydney 1919 Spanish Influenza Pandemic – 2020 Spring

Tall Ships – Tall Ships Cruise on Sydney Harbour – 2023 Winter

Tank Stream – The Tank Stream by John Boyd – 2015-16 Summer

The Tank Stream by Judith O'Donohue – 2022-23 Summer, 2023 Autumn

Thompson – A Glimpse of Andrew Thompson by Judith O'Donohue – 2021 Winter

Tilley – Tom Tilley's Token by Judith O'Donohue – 2020-21 Summer

Tizzana Winery – The Tizzana Winery by Judith O'Donohue – 2022 Spring, 2023 Spring

Tunks – William Tunks 1754-1821 by Rae Moore – 2018 Winter

William Tunks Catch Up, Tunks Picnic - 2023 Spring

Wade – Mary Wade from Australian Dictionary of Biography – 2018-19 Summer

Walker – Ernie Chester Walker by Joy Jorgensen – 2018 Autumn

Ernie Meets Namesake Tobruk from Southern Highlands News, 2022 Winter

Ernie Walker, His Continuing Story by Joy Jorgensen – 2021 Spring

In Memorium, Ernie Walker 1916-2022 – 2022-23 Summer

Walley – Richard Walley by William Hempel – 2023 Autumn

Ward – The Wardian Case by Kathleen Forrest – 2019 Spring

Weather – The Sydney Weather, Winter of 1836, the Day it Snowed in the Harbour City – 2020 Spring

Windsor – A Recent Morning Tour in Windsor by William Hempel – 2018-19 Summer

A Snippet of Historic Green Hills Burial Ground by Judith O'Donohue - 2023 Spring

The Macquarie Arms in Windsor by Judith O'Donohue – 2021 Autumn

The Toll House, Windsor by Kathleen Forrest – 2023 Autumn

Tour of St Matthew's Cemetery Windsor – 2023 Winter

Windsor, Gas Lamp Capital of Australia by Kathleen Forrest – 2023 Autumn

Woodford Academy – Our Family's Association with Woodford Academy by A & C Brodersen – 2017 Winter Words Our Early Australians Used – 2015 June

Wright – The Murder of Mary Ann Wright by Rebecca Turnbull – 2019 Spring

Thomas Wright and Mary Ann Harcourt by Kathleen Forrest – 2018 Spring