

OHHS

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Annual General Meeting

Many thanks to all the members who attended the 2022 AGM on 11 March at Oatley RSL. A list of all office bearers can be found further in the newsletter.

The AGM was followed by a presentation by our Vice President Julian Sheen on *The First Five Years of the Oatley Heritage Group*. A short booklet written by Julian on the topic was distributed to all members, at no cost. Copies are still available.

Coffee and Chat

The next Coffee and Chat will be held in the RSL Hall (next to the Club) on Friday 29 April, at 2:15pm.

At this stage, there is no alternative morning venue available at no cost to the society. Depending on the level of attendance and interest, the Committee will decide after this gathering whether to continue with Friday afternoons or consider alternative venues and times.

There is no theme for this Coffee and Chat, Please come along and share your reminiscences of Oatley.

2022 Presentations

The next presentation will be held on Friday 27 May in the main RSL auditorium, commencing at 10:15am.

The presenter will be Graham Fry and the subject will be *The History of the Illawarra Railway*.



Upcoming Events

April 23

Lions Oatley Market Day

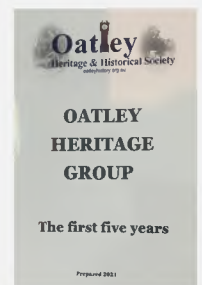
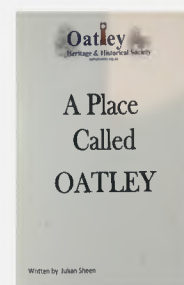
April 29

Coffee and Chat

May 27

Presentation: *The History of the Illawarra Railway*

Recent Publications



Plaques

- Townson plaque erected but due to Sydney Water maintenance work has been stored away till the work is finished.
- Simpson Plaque is up in Simpson Reserve on Yarran Road.
- John O'Grady plaque by GR Council is up in the memorial Gardens opposite the Oatley Hotel.
- Judd Brickworks plaque is up and is on a wall near the entrance to Georges River College off Hurstville Road

Oatley Lions Community Market Day

This will be held on Saturday 23 April, from 8:30am, within the grounds of the Uniting Church in Frederick Street. The day will be similar to last year's and OHHS will have a stall. Please drop in and support the day.

Oatley Perimeter Grant Walk

This has been postponed to Friday 30 September

Vale Rafe Kowron

I am very sad to report the death on 11 April of a former President of OHHS and well-known member, Rafe Kowron. Rafe was very well-known to both OHHS and OFF members and was also very involved for many years with the Oatley Swimming Club.

Lawrie Yeomans.
President
April

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2022 Office Bearers

President – Lawrie Yeomans

Vice Presidents: Julian Sheen

Graham Lalchere

Secretary/Treasurer Rodger Robertson

Public Officer Graham Lalchere

Committee

Pam Donnet

Lance Westfallen

Norm Windred

Kim Wagstaff

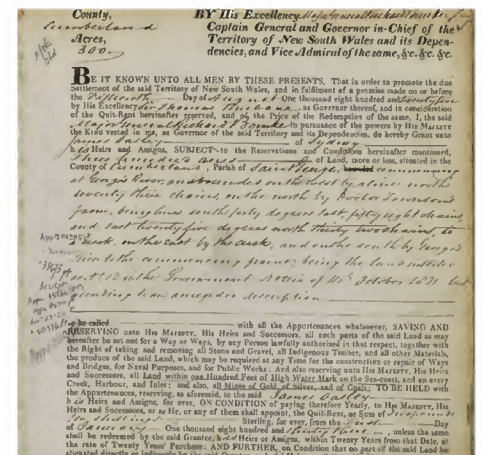
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2022 Calendar

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The Oatley Grant