



February 2021 Newsletter

Welcome all members to another year of OHHS activities and what we all hope will be an easier and less stressful year than 2020.

AGM- pursuant to our Constitution, the AGM will be held on Friday 26th February 2021 in the Auditorium of Oatley RSL Community Club commencing at 1010. Any member wishing to nominate for a position on the Executive or Committee should send their nomination with a mover and a seconder to the Secretary, Rodger Robertson by no later than 1000 Friday 19th February 2021. Nominations from the floor will only be accepted in the event that no or insufficient nominations have been made by the above closing time. There will be a limitation on numbers at the meeting according to the latest Covid-19 restrictions. If you wish to attend then please contact Rodger Robertson (0408 232 874 or rodgerr@comcen.com.au) by 5pm on 24th February.

The AGM will be followed by a Part 2 of Julian Sheen's presentation of his book "A Place Called Oatley".

Book Launch- A capacity audience was in attendance on November 27th for the launch of "A Place Called Oatley" by State MP for Oatley Mark Coure. Other special guests in attendance were Federal MP for Banks David Coleman and Georges River Mayor Kevin Greene. My special thanks to all three for their attendance on this conspicuous occasion for the Society. Following the book launch Alex Leach gave a presentation on the formation of OHHS 26 years ago. Anyone who has not yet purchased a copy of the book can still do so by contacting Rodger Robertson. The cost is \$10 and the book is now in its 3rd edition such has been the success to date. Once again a big thanks to Julian Sheen for his efforts in not only writing the book but continuing to refine it to its now 3rd edition.

Future Meetings - A full schedule of meeting dates, times and venues will be shown below. The Oatley RSL Community Club has not been able to supply venues as in the past so we have had to make decision on venues and timings. Note that Coffee and Chat meetings will be held in the afternoon as all suitable venues are fully booked.

AGM 1000 26th February 2021 Oatley RSL Auditorium.

Coffee and Chat 230pm 30th April 2021 Sub Branch Hall

Main meeting 1010 May 28th 2021 Oatley RSL Auditorium

Coffee and Chat 230pm 30th July 2021 Sub Branch Hall

Main meeting 1010 August 27th 2021 Oatley RSL Auditorium

Coffee and Chat 230pm 29th October 2021 Sub Branch Hall

Main meeting 1010 November 26th 2021 Oatley RSL Auditorium

Plaques- The Committee will continue to investigate potential sites for our plaques and is hoping to meet GRC Mayor Kevin Green soon to discuss plaques and other matters relating to Oatley's History and Heritage.

Lawrie Yeomans President

From Our Treasurer Geoff Ingram

Oatley Heritage & Historical Society Balance Sheet as at 31/12/20

Assets

Bank Account	\$10,552.15	
Total Assets		\$10,552.15

Liabilities

Grants	\$1,115.00	
Total Liabilities		\$1,115.00

Equity

Retained Earnings brought forward	\$12,649.71	
Oatley Lions Calendar Loan (realised)	(\$3,000.00)	
Georges River Grant (provided)	(\$1,115.00)	
Retained Earnings current year	\$902.44	
Total Equity		\$9,437.15
Total Liabilities & Equity		\$10,552.15

Oatley Heritage & Historical Society Income Statement For Period Covering 01/01/20 to 31/12/20

Revenues

Calendars Income	\$3,214.34	
Donations	\$45.00	
Members Subscriptions	\$153.00	
Book Income	\$1,100.00	
Total Revenue		\$4,512.34

Expenses

Administration Costs	\$99.00	
Calendars Expenses	\$692.22	
Morning Tea Costs	\$38.00	
PO Box Costs	\$67.00	
Postage and Stamps	\$102.80	
Printing & Stationery	\$332.68	
Sundry Expenses	\$50.00	
Website Costs	\$475.62	
Welfare	\$100.00	
Book Costs	\$1,618.10	
Paypal Fees	\$21.80	
Plaque Costs	\$12.68	
Total Expenses		\$3,609.90
Net income for Period		\$902.44