



## Newsletter No. 6 – August 2022

Feel the excitement at this State Conference! No matter how digitised our society becomes, online events will never replace the advantages of a face-to-face event.

We know you enjoyed the 2019 conference. This is your opportunity to personally connect with old friends and make new connections at the **Sands of Time Conference** in Redcliffe on 21 – 23 October.

And we promise it won't be all business! Kick back at the Friday Night Welcome Function and the Conference Dinner on Saturday evening. Want to join in on the fun? Head to the website to register now.

It's only 2 months away so check our website for more information on all of our speakers and their topics and rush to register while that sweet Early Bird price is still available!

*Register here!*

<https://sandsoftime.org.au>

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*Here's a tip!  
What about booking a friend  
or loved one into the Conference  
as an early Christmas Gift!*

### What's in it for me?

Full Conference Registration gives you access to all of the sessions on Saturday and Sunday it also includes the Friday Night Welcome Function at the Redcliffe RSL, morning tea lunch and afternoon tea on Saturday plus morning tea on Sunday. A conference bag will be given to all fully registered conference delegates.

You can also choose to register separately for Saturday only or Sunday only.

This Conference is real value for money, with prices going up for everything we have managed to keep prices affordable while offering a quality event. We have to thank our wonderful sponsors for making this possible.

## Friday Pre-Conference talks

During the first day of the free public fair there will be 4 *free* talks in the morning and 4 *paid* talks in the afternoon. All Friday sessions must be booked prior to the event and details of these speakers and their topics are also on our website. These Sessions will be held in the Presidents Room on the second floor of the Dolphins Leagues Club. Please bring your booking confirmation form for entry.

The Friday sessions are not included in the Conference Registration so don't forget to book these separately when you are registering for the conference.

We hope by providing these extra sessions on Friday members of the general public will take this opportunity to find out more about family and local history and how to undertake their own research. Conference delegates can book in too and add to their experience. There is something to interest everyone from the beginner right through to the experienced history buffs.

## Free Public Fair and more

A Free Public Fair runs from Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October to Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> October in Dolphin's HQ room on the ground floor of the Dolphin Leagues Club. This event is open to the public we will drawing random prize give-aways throughout the duration of the fair.



We expect an interesting and varied range of exhibitors with lots to look at and discover. This exhibition and fair will be open from 9am – 5pm on Friday, 9am to 6pm on Saturday and 9am to 12 noon on Sunday. Come along and satisfy your curiosity.

## Sponsors and Supporters

With prices going up for everything we have managed to keep prices affordable while offering a quality event. We have to thank our wonderful sponsors for making this possible.

Gold Sponsors: Ancestry, MyHeritage.

Silver Sponsors: Traders in Purple, Think2B, State Member Yvette D'Ath MP.

Bronze Sponsors: Margate Community Bank – Bendigo Bank, Joy Murrin, Gould Genealogy along with Federal Member for Petrie Luke Howarth and our wonderful "Friends of History Redcliffe" who have given more than \$1,7500 to date.

Moreton Bay Regional Council through their Local Community Support Grant 2020/21, Discretionary Funds 2022/23, and the Queensland State Government through the Gambling Community Benefit Fund have also helped secure this event for Redcliffe.

## Accommodation

There are many different accommodation choices on the beautiful Redcliffe Peninsula.

The Oaks Redcliffe Mon Komo Suite, The Sebel Brisbane Margate Beach Waterfront apartments, Proximity Waterfront apartments, Redvue Holiday apartments, La Vida on Anzac, Redcliffe Motor Inn, Beachhouse Bed and Breakfast, Reid's Place, Suttons Beach apartments, Scarborough Beach Resort, Scarborough Park Holiday Village, Bramble Bay Caravan Park and don't forget to check out local Airbnb.

## What a Welcome!

Friday Welcome Function will be held at the Redcliffe RSL Kokoda Room from 6pm until 8pm with drinks and nibbles to be served.

Redcliffe RSL is located on the beautiful Redcliffe Peninsula (just 40 minutes north of Brisbane), with pristine views of Moreton Bay and features an array of exciting dining options to suit all tastes and budgets, complimented by warm, friendly bar and lounge areas.

This will be our first opportunity to formally greet delegates to the Conference. The cost of this function is included in the full registration fee for delegates and partners and exhibitors are welcome to attend for a charge of \$30 per person (places are limited to 200).

## Things to do

### Visit

**Redcliffe Museum** exhibition opening hours Wed–Fri 10am–4pm, Sat–Sun 10am–3pm

**Old Fire Station Shop & Gallery** opening hours Wed to Sun open 10.00 to 3.00

**Redcliffe Art Gallery** exhibition opening hours Tuesday to Saturday 10am - 4pm  
FREE

### Take a walk

Pick up a brochure from the Redcliffe Information Centre and take a walk.

**Bee Gee Way Redcliffe** Fans of the Bee Gees should not miss a visit to Bee Gees Way, a commemorative 70m walkway that honours Redcliffe's most famous young residents who went on to be one of the top selling bands of all time.

**Public Art Trail** The self-guided Redcliffe Foreshore Public Art Trail guides you through a public art collection which reflects the unique character of the Redcliffe foreshore as well as the people and histories of the Moreton Bay Region. Integrated into the streetscape, these artworks collectively express a local dialogue between nature, culture and people.

**Redcliffe History Trail** starts near the Redcliffe RSL located to the north of the Redcliffe Parade & Humpybong Esplanade roundabout. From here stroll south, all along the waterfront past Settlement Cove Lagoon to Suttons Beach Pavilion.

**Redcliffe Convict Trail** This history walk starts from Redcliffe Jetty, taking you north to Rotary Park and then south-west following Humpybong Creek towards Redcliffe Museum off Anzac Avenue, before sending you east, back towards the waterside to finish off the trail in Sutton Street.

*Stay in touch*

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