

Australian Postcard Society Inc



BULLETIN

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WEBSITE ADDRESS: australian-postcard-society.com

Meetings: 7.45pm.

4th Thursday of the month except December
(11 meetings a year)

WHERE: Saphil House, 22 Gray Court, Adelaide

WHO: Anybody interested in postcards

A members display each meeting covering a wide range of topics for the postcard enthusiast.

An auction of postcards held each meeting

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Syllabus for 2022

Date	Invited Displays-
27th January	Phil Sunman "Rough Rider"
24th February	George Turner "Railways"
24th March	Members Trading Night
10th April	APS Open Day 10am - 4pm
28th April	Gaye & Graham Chequer "Orchids"
26th May	Club Competition - All members 16 pages
23rd June	Peter Humby "SA Delmont Postcards"
24th July	APS Open Day 10am - 4pm
28th July	A.G.M. Empire Trophy 8 Page Competition - Theme - British C/Wealth Postcards Betty Cornish Trophy, 6 page Competition Theme—Children
25th August	David Figg "Work in Progress"
22nd September	Ray Thompson "Switzerland"
27th October	One Frame displays—all members
24th November	Christmas Supper breakup - Bring a plate of food to share and a xmas postcard display along or items of a xmas nature..

Hi to all of our members,

Great to get such positive feedback from external sources.

Many thanks Anita.

Linda,

As a library media specialist up here in Maine, I just wanted to give The Australian Postcard Society some positive feedback on your links page. My name is Anita Gianakas and our library is hosting a special 'Postal Service History' workshop this month, and I'm compiling a resource guide for the attendees. I have some student volunteers assisting me, and your page led us to some great postcard websites to check out! My volunteers requested I reach out and let you know :)

As a thank you, I wanted to pass this 'History of the Postcard' timeline my student Ashley found...
<https://www.uptprinting.com/history-of-the-postcard.html>

Ashley was very excited to share it with you. We really enjoyed reading through it and thought you might too! Could you add a link to it on here for her? <http://www.australian-postcard-society.com/index.php/links/>

I'd love to show Ashley that her contribution was included! I know she would be delighted to see she could help! Let me know! Thanks again!

Sincerely,
Anita G.

'History of the Postcard' timeline

<https://www.uptprinting.com/history-of-the-postcard.html>

ELECTED COMMITTEE:

President	David Figg
Vice-President	John Bodnar
Treasurer	David Figg
Secretary	Linda Welden
Librarian	Ron Ritter
Publicity	Vacant
Auction Superintendent	George Turner
Magazine Editor	Linda Welden
SAPC Delegate	Vacant
Circuit books	Tony Presgrave
Raffle Organiser	Alma Downes
Patron	Phil Sunman
Web Master	Johanna Stafford
Auditor	Andy Kovaleff

Web site addresses of interest to our members

New Postcard collectors website:
www.postcardhistory.net
 Picture Postcard Monthly:
www.picturepostcardmagazine.co.uk
 The Western Australian Card Collector's Society website: w-a-c-c-s.weebly.com
 The New Zealand Postcard Bulletin:
www.postcard.org.nz

Any questions or matters of interest contact

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Membership Fees—1st July-30th June

SINGLE	\$20.00	JUNIOR up to 16	\$ 6.00
FAMILY	\$30.00	OVERSEAS AUS	\$35.00

BULLETIN BACK ISSUES

If you have missed out on back issues of the Bulletin they are available at \$5 plus postage.
 Or I can email you a pdf

BECOME INVOLVED

Bring any interesting items for "Show and Tell".
 Members can bring their items for sale to meetings.
 Bring auction lots to meetings.

ARTICLES FOR THE BULLETIN

Bring in a postcard... or as many as you want.
 If you are from interstate/overseas scan it and email. Or send the postcard registered mail it will be scanned and returned asap registered post. With **each** postcard a write-up will be needed - about half page or more. Either hand written or typed. Add your name if you wish ,or not, if you are worried about the safety of your collection. Keep them coming they will be added as space permits.

From The Editor—

Hi Folks,
 A huge thank you to **our members** for contributing items for The Bulletin. For every a4 page published, you get \$2 off your next years subscription fees.
 For Members who do use Facebook we do have a club page.
 Members of the public are invited to donate any unwanted postcards to our club.
Feedback on the new format will help me improve the layout, any suggestions welcome
Thanks Linda

If anyone would like to get in touch with Ray Garlick his phone number is 7132 4251, or he is in room 58, Southern Cross Residential Care at 655 Burbridge road, West Beach.

UPCOMING EVENTS 2022:

If anybody knows of events that may interest members please advise the committee so that it can be included in the Bulletin

24th July	Postcard Open Day, Saphil House, 10am - 4pm, 4 dealers, Refreshments available
20th & 21st August	ANPEX, 2022, 150th Anniversary of the Overland Telegraph Hectorville Community Centre (formerly Senior Citizens Hall,)47 Reid Avenue, Hectorville.
10th September	Printed Collectibles Fair 9am - 3pm, Hectorville Community Centre (formerly Senior Citizens Hall,) 47 Reid Avenue, Hectorville
24th & 25th Sept	SAPC auction viewing, Saturday 10am - 4pm, Sunday 10am - 2pm

SPAN AWARD

Presented to Alma Downes



*SPAN (Services to Philately At the National level) Award – Alma Downes
2021*

Alma has been a tireless “behind the scenes” worker at National Exhibitions in every State and the ACT working predominantly in the Bin Room but if not required in that role, helping with the mounting and dismounting of exhibits pre and post shows. Initially under the tutelage of Jill Presgrave (who was Bin Room Manager for decades but retired some years ago), Alma has now undertaken the role of Bin Room Manager for National Exhibitions held in Adelaide as well as continued to work in the Bin Rooms interstate.

In addition, Alma has worked in the Bin Room at the International Exhibitions held in Melbourne, namely Australia 2013 and Melbourne 2017, as well as being a Team Leader amongst the volunteers at both shows.

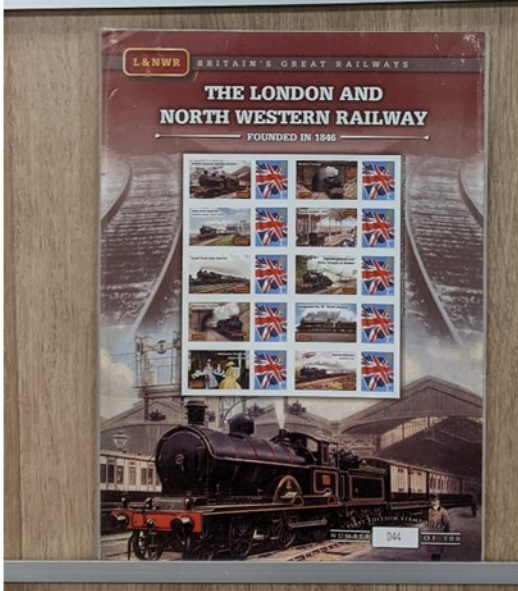
Closer to home, Alma has also helped Jenny Roland in the catering department for numerous National Exhibitions held at the Drill Hall in Adelaide as well as assisting with the catering in SAPHIL House when the APF AGM has been held in South Australia.

Alma is also a supporter of National Exhibitions through her role as a Juror (Picture Postcard Class) as well as exhibitor having attained medals to the level of Gold. She has also represented South Australia as a team member in the Australasian Picture Postcard Challenges in 2016 & 2019 when on both occasions South Australia won the Challenge.

Alma has also supported Australian Philately overseas by exhibiting on several occasions.

Display by George Turner

LWNR RAILWAYS



George's display is on the LNWR .

His display covers the start with Private companies, then how they started with building the lines. Viaducts, stations, tunnels and ships that carried the mail overseas.

The cards were used as a means of advertising, corresponding with friends and receiving notification back. Different types of exhibitions, traffic, training inspectors, transportation of goods, first by horse drawn then steam engine, passenger and the different coaches, flooding along the lines, signal cabins and the laying of tracks.

Vote of thanks given by John Bodnar,

a very informative and pleasurable display, highlighting the many hours that you could travel around the UK looking at the lovely countryside, and reliving the days of old, brings back many memories.

