

# National Trust of Queensland Heritage Festival Program of Events



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9 to 16 May 2010

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### South East & South West Queensland

#### Festival Participants – Brisbane & Suburbs

Brisbane  
Ascot  
Bowen Hills  
Dutton Park  
Fortitude Valley  
Gaythorne  
Graceville  
Herston  
Inala  
Lytton  
Nundah  
Runcorn  
The Gap  
Toowong  
Wacol  
Wynnum

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Albert Street Uniting Church	Display	Brisbane	3
Australian Garden History Society Qld Branch	Ascot Gardens Walk	Brisbane – Ascot	6
Brisbane City Botanic Gardens	Tour	Brisbane	3
Brisbane City Council	Restoration Tours of Brisbane City Hall	Brisbane	3
Brisbane City Council Libraries	Displays: Share your Brisbane City Hall Story	Brisbane – Various Suburbs	3
Brisbane's Living Heritage Network	Open Day	Brisbane	6
Friends of Peel Island	Exhibition: going to the gums...a Lazaret on Peel Island	Brisbane – Lytton	8
Friends of Toowong Cemetery	Guided Walks	Brisbane – Toowong	9
Genealogical Society, Bayside Branch	Open Day	Brisbane – Wynnum	9
Ghost Tours Pty Ltd	Ghost Tours: Brisbane City Crime & Murder; Haunted Brisbane City	Brisbane	4
Ghost Tours Pty Ltd	Ghost Tour: Dutton Park Cemetery	Brisbane – Dutton Park	7
Ghost Tours Pty Ltd	Ghost Tour: Toowong Cemetery	Brisbane – Toowong	9
Graceville Uniting Church	Open Day and Historical Display: 80th Anniversary	Brisbane – Graceville	7
MacArthur Museum	Brisbane at War & Children's Activities: The Home Front	Brisbane	5
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Museum of Nursing, RB&WH	Presentation: The history of the Lady Lamington Building	Brisbane – Herston	8
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National Trust of Queensland	Bus Tour: Discover our Governors Past and Present	Brisbane	4
National Trust of Queensland	Display: Children of Wolston House	Brisbane – Wacol	9
Nundah & Districts Historical Society	Display: The Way we Were	Brisbane – Nundah	8
Old Government House	Cooking Demonstration and Talk: the Lamington	Brisbane	5
Qld Family History Society	Open Day	Brisbane – Gaythorne	7
Qld Women's Historical Association	Display: Perry family of Miegunyah	Brisbane – Bowen Hills	6
Queensland State Archives	Seminar	Brisbane – Runcorn	8
Richlands, Inala & Suburbs History Group	Local Living books	Brisbane – Inala	8
Royal Historical Society of Qld	Presentation: Houses my Mother Grew up in	Brisbane	4
Royal Historical Society of Qld	Open Day at Commissariat Store Museum	Brisbane	4
St John Ambulance Australia (Qld)	Open Day	Brisbane – Fortitude Valley	7
St John's Cathedral	Tours	Brisbane	6
The Brisbane Club	Walk: Line of Sight Heritage Walk	Brisbane	6
The Gap Nullagundi Centre	Collection for viewing	Brisbane – The Gap	9
Wynnum Manly Historical Society Inc.	Local History of Wynnum Manly: Open Week	Brisbane - Wynnum	10

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<p><b>All Regions in Queensland</b></p>	<p><b>Museums Alight! 2010</b>  Museums Alight! is a week-long event that 'shines a light' on the collection items, contemporary art exhibitions, historical venues and stories of museums and galleries in every region of Queensland. To draw on this year's International Museum Day theme of 'Museums for Social Harmony', M&amp;GSQ has encouraged museums and galleries throughout Queensland to join together with other organisations or social groups in their community and hold a progressive dinner, a family activity day, or a temporary display telling local untold stories. Visit the M&amp;GSQ website to see what events, projects and displays are being held in your community. Then visit your local museum or gallery and take part in their activities or wander through their displays. Web listings include activity details, collection/exhibition information and the opening hours for the week 15-23 May.</p>	<p><b>Times:</b> Visit <a href="http://www.magsq.com.au">www.magsq.com.au</a></p> <p><b>Contact Details:</b>  Museum &amp; Gallery Services Queensland  T: 07 3215 0820 or  freecall 1800 680 433  E: <a href="mailto:information@magsq.com.au">information@magsq.com.au</a>  W: <a href="http://www.magsq.com.au">www.magsq.com.au</a></p>
<p><b>Brisbane</b></p>	<p><b>Display</b>  The Albert Street Uniting Church (formerly Methodist) was built in 1889 and is the third methodist church to be established in Brisbane. A memorabilia display will be a feature Monday to Friday and Sunday's display will feature history years 1849 to the early 1900s.</p>	<p><b>Times:</b>  Mon 10 to Fri 14 May: 10am to 2pm  Sun 9, Sun 16 May: 2pm to 4pm  <b>Contact Details:</b>  Albert Street Uniting Church  E: <a href="mailto:r.hiley@winb.org.au">r.hiley@winb.org.au</a></p>
<p><b>Brisbane</b></p>	<p><b>Rediscover Brisbane's first Botanic Gardens: its people, plants and sculptures</b>  A fascinating one hour tour of the Garden's colourful 150 year history.</p>	<p><b>Times:</b>  Mon 10 to Sat 15 May: 11am to 12noon &amp; 1pm to 2pm  <b>Contact Details:</b>  Elizabeth Holder  T: 07 3403 2535  E: <a href="mailto:elizabeth.holder@brisbane.qld.gov.au">elizabeth.holder@brisbane.qld.gov.au</a>  W: <a href="http://www.brisbane.qld.gov.au/botanicgardens">www.brisbane.qld.gov.au/botanicgardens</a></p>
<p><b>Brisbane</b></p>	<p><b>Brisbane City Hall restoration tours</b>  At the end of 2009 City Hall closed its doors to undergo a three year restoration that will save the building for future generations. Take a tour of City Hall to find out why the building is being saved and see for yourself how the restoration is progressing. Not suitable for children under 15 years of age. Participants must wear flat enclosed shoes. Bookings are essential.</p>	<p><b>Times:</b>  Every Wed: 12noon to 12.45pm and 1pm to 1.45pm  <b>Contact Details:</b>  Brisbane City Council  T: 07 3403 8888</p>
<p><b>Brisbane</b></p>	<p><b>Share your City Hall Story</b>  Work is underway to restore Brisbane City Hall for future generations. To keep people informed about the restoration, displays are touring Brisbane libraries throughout 2010. Flick through the family album and read people's memories from the past 80 years inside Brisbane's most iconic heritage building. In May 2010, the displays will be available at the following libraries: Indooroopilly, Mt Gravatt, Wynnum and West End.</p>	<p><b>Times:</b>  May 2010 – Contact Brisbane City Council for Library opening hours  <b>Contact Details:</b>  Brisbane City Council  T: 07 3403 8888</p>

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<b>Brisbane</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Brisbane Visitor Information Centre Queen Street Mall, Brisbane	<b>Bloody Brisbane Crime and Murder Walking Tour</b> Get Creeped in Queensland's Bloody Capital, the scene of some of Australia's most chilling crimes. Be chilled at five of the River City's most bloody crime scenes in the heart of the CBD. Bookings are essential and fees apply.	<i>Times:</i> Mon 10, Wed 12, Fri 14 May: 7.30pm <i>Contact Details:</i> Ghost Tours Pty Ltd M: 0401 666 441 E: <a href="mailto:bookings@ghost-tours.com.au">bookings@ghost-tours.com.au</a> W: <a href="http://www.ghost-tours.com.au">www.ghost-tours.com.au</a>
<b>Brisbane</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Brisbane Visitor Information Centre Queen Street Mall, Brisbane	<b>Haunted Brisbane Walking Ghost Tour</b> Discover the Ghost of the River City. Be aware that you are undertaking a tour through the City streets. You will hear real Ghost Stories and meet an eerie Ghost Host, but atmosphere can change depending on the night. Ghost Tours has after-hours access to some sites on these tours. However, due to time restrictions and the security at some government sites, we do not enter all of them. Bookings are essential and fees apply.	<i>Times:</i> Sun 9, Tue 11, Thu 13, Sun 16 May: 7.30pm <i>Contact Details:</i> Ghost Tours Pty Ltd M: 0401 666 441 E: <a href="mailto:bookings@ghost-tours.com.au">bookings@ghost-tours.com.au</a> W: <a href="http://www.ghost-tours.com.au">www.ghost-tours.com.au</a>
<b>Brisbane</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Bus departs from Roma Street, Brisbane	<b>Discover our Governors Past and Present!</b> Please join the National Trust when we visit Government House for a tour and morning tea. Government House, also known as 'Fernberg' (German for 'distant mountain' was erected in 1864 by Johann Heussler, a Brisbane merchant and later a Member of Parliament. Lunch will be provided at the Kookaburra Café. We will then be personally guided by the Friends of Toowong Cemetery, visiting final and historic resting places of our past governors as well as many other notable Brisbane identities. The Toowong Cemetery is the largest cemetery in Queensland and was officially opened in July 1875. Dress: smart casual and please wear comfortable shoes. Bookings are essential. NTQ members \$56 and non members \$58.	<i>Times:</i> Tue 11 May: 9am to 4pm (approx.) <i>Contact Details:</i> National Trust of Queensland T: 07 3223 6666 E: <a href="mailto:info@nationaltrustqld.org">info@nationaltrustqld.org</a> W: <a href="http://www.nationaltrustqld.org">www.nationaltrustqld.org</a>
<b>Brisbane</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Commissariat Store 115 William St, Brisbane	<b>Open Day</b> The Commissariat Store is located at the birthplace of Queensland - on William Street, facing the Brisbane River - and is one of Brisbane's most significant buildings. Built in 1829 by convict labour, with a top floor addition in 1913, the Commissariat Store is the oldest occupied building in Brisbane and has played an important role in the various stages of the city's development. Entry is by gold coin donation. Guided tours and a short talk on the history of the Royal Historical Society of Queensland are provided.	<i>Times:</i> Sun 16 May: 10am to 3pm <i>Contact Details:</i> Royal Historical Society of Queensland T: 07 3221 4198 E: <a href="mailto:info@queenslandhistory.org">info@queenslandhistory.org</a> W: <a href="http://www.queenslandhistory.org">www.queenslandhistory.org</a>
<b>Brisbane</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Commissariat Store 115 William St, Brisbane	<b>Presentation: Houses my mother grew up in</b> Peter Fegan, a National Trust member, will present a pictorial history of three of Brisbane's interesting historic houses. 'Stanley Hall' at Clayfield, 'Morven' at Shorncliffe and 'Bavuda' at Hamilton date from the 1860s through to 1885. All houses at some time were home to the Blume family. Entry to the Commissariat Store and the Peter Fegan presentation is free. Afternoon tea available for \$5. Bookings are essential by 7 May.	<i>Times:</i> Sun 16 May: 11am <i>Contact Details:</i> Royal Historical Society of Queensland T: 07 3221 4198 E: <a href="mailto:info@queenslandhistory.org">info@queenslandhistory.org</a> W: <a href="http://www.queenslandhistory.org">www.queenslandhistory.org</a>

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<b>Brisbane</b>	<i>Venue:</i> MacArthur Museum 8th Floor, 201 Edward St, Brisbane	<b>The Home Front: Brisbane, The Hunt for the Hospital Ship 'Centaur'</b> On the eve of the 67th anniversary of the sinking of the 'Centaur', hear Captain John Foley, co-author of 'The Myth of Immunity' (1993), tell the story of its loss and the aftermath. Captain Foley assisted in the search for the 'Centaur' and was there when the wreck was finally discovered and photographed. Limited bookings available. \$5 per person. Light refreshments served.	<i>Times:</i> Thu 13 May: 7pm  <i>Contact Details:</i> MacArthur Museum T: 07 3211 7052 M: 0401 532 073 E: education@macarthurmuseumbrisbane.org W: <a href="http://www.macarthurmuseumbrisbane.org">www.macarthurmuseumbrisbane.org</a>
<b>Brisbane</b>	<i>Venue:</i> MacArthur Museum, 8th Floor, 201 Edward St, Brisbane	<b>The Home Front: Brisbane</b> Why did the Prime Minister write to every child in 1942? Hands-on activity shows how today's values of 'reduce, reuse and recycle' have their roots in wartime 'make do and mend'. Suitable for 10 to 15 year olds. Bookings are essential. Gold coin donation.	<i>Times:</i> Sun 9, Sun 16 May: 11am  <i>Contact Details:</i> MacArthur Museum T: 07 3211 7052 M: 0401 532 073 E: education@macarthurmuseumbrisbane.org W: <a href="http://www.macarthurmuseumbrisbane.org">www.macarthurmuseumbrisbane.org</a>
<b>Brisbane</b>	<i>Venue:</i> MacArthur Museum 8th Floor, 201 Edward St, Brisbane	<b>Discover the Story of Brisbane at War</b> Visit our Museum and discover Brisbane's wartime heritage as you experience Brisbane at War between 1939 and 1945. Visit the office of General Douglas MacArthur, Commander in Chief of the Allied Forces in the South West Pacific Area, and sit at the table where MacArthur and his staff developed strategies to win the war. Admission prices: \$5 Adult, \$2.50 Concession/child, \$12 Family.	<i>Times:</i> Tue 11, Thur 13, Sun 16 May: 10am to 3pm  <i>Contact Details:</i> MacArthur Museum T: 07 3211 7052 M: 0401 532 073 E: education@macarthurmuseumbrisbane.org W: <a href="http://www.macarthurmuseumbrisbane.org">www.macarthurmuseumbrisbane.org</a>
<b>Brisbane</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Mercy Heritage Centre All Hallows' Convent, 547 Ann St, Brisbane	<b>Lives of Prayer, Lives of Service: The Sisters of Mercy</b> Celebrating 149 years in Brisbane, the Sisters of Mercy invite you to share their story through Stage 1 of the Mercy Heritage Centre, All Hallows' Convent. View Brisbane's newest exhibition in one of its oldest buildings. The displays provide a fascinating insight into the origins of the Mercy Order, the All Hallows' School and rare aspects of Catholicism from the past, while revealing the layers of the building's history. Featured in one of the exhibitions is a sacred reliquary - containing the human remains of an unknown saint - and an intriguing story of discovery.	<i>Times:</i> Mon 10, Fri 14 May: 9am to 4pm Tours on the hour (9am to 3pm) on open days  <i>Contact Details:</i> Mercy Heritage Centre T: 07 3831 2252 E: info@mercyheritage.com W: <a href="http://www.mercyheritage.com">www.mercyheritage.com</a>
<b>Brisbane</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Old Government House, Tea Rooms 2 George Street, Brisbane	<b>The Home of the Lamington!</b> Please join us at Old Government House, the first viceregal residence, and enjoy a demonstration on how to create an Aussie icon - the lamington - by one of Merlo's specialist chefs. After a tasting, stay and hear OGH Curator, Dr Katie McConnel, speak about who they were named after and how they came to be! Bookings are preferred.	<i>Times:</i> Sun 9, Wed 12 May: 10am to 11.30am  <i>Contact Details:</i> Stephanie Munro T: 07 3138 8005 E: ogh.enquiries@qut.edu.au W: <a href="http://www.ogh.qut.edu.au">www.ogh.qut.edu.au</a>

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<b>Brisbane</b>	<i>Venue:</i> St John's Cathedral 373 Ann Street, Brisbane	<b>Cathedral Tours</b> St John's Cathedral is a house of God, a place of worship, a celebration of art and achievement, a fine example of French and English Victorian Gothic Revival Architecture, a place for memorial and thanksgiving and a statement of faith. We invite you to step inside and experience it in its entirety. Experienced guides are on hand to welcome you and show you around this magnificent piece of Brisbane's cultural and religious history.	<i>Times:</i> Mon 10 to Sat 15 May: 10am and 2pm. Sun 9, Sun 16 May: 2pm  <i>Contact Details:</i> T: 07 3835 2222 W: <a href="http://www.stjohnscathedral.com.au">www.stjohnscathedral.com.au</a>
<b>Brisbane</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Tattersall's Arcade - Tour commences	<b>Line of Sight Heritage Walk</b> Join us for an historical walk through Brisbane's inner city. Commencing at Tattersall's Arcade, the guided walk will visit the Tattersall's Club, St Stephen's Cathedral Chapel, Post Office Place, ANZAC Square, the Eternal Flame of Remembrance and conclude at the Brisbane Club. Renowned architect Robin Gibson and heritage architect Bas Veal will canvass some of the particular historical and architectural aspects of the precinct. A fork lunch will be served at the Brisbane Club following a short viewing and description of selected paintings and artefacts from its Art Collection. Bookings are essential. Tickets \$49 per person.	<i>Times:</i> Mon 10, Wed 12 May: Tour commences at 9am  <i>Contact Details:</i> The Brisbane Club T: 07 3222 8700 E: <a href="mailto:events@brisbaneclub.com.au">events@brisbaneclub.com.au</a>
<b>Brisbane</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Brisbane – Various	<b>Brisbane's Living Heritage Network – NETWORK OPEN DAY</b> In this festival finale, Brisbane's Living Heritage Network opens its doors to the public for a NETWORK OPEN DAY. Visit BLHN museums, galleries and heritage organisations, all showcasing their unique collections and stories for this special 1 day event.	<i>Times:</i> Sun 16 May Please see the website for full details . <i>Contact Details:</i> Brisbane's Living Heritage Network T: 07 3215 0843 E: <a href="mailto:info@brisbanelivingheritage.org">info@brisbanelivingheritage.org</a> W: <a href="http://www.blhn.org">www.blhn.org</a>
<b>Brisbane - Ascot</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Ascot Railway Station MacGill Avenue, Ascot	<b>Ascot Gardens Walk</b> The Ascot Gardens Walk will be lead by Maurice Wilson, a plantsman who has extensive knowledge of Brisbane's heritage and is an expert in the field of horticulture. The walk commences at Ascot Railway Station, which retains most of its original gardens, and then journeys through nearby streets of Ascot viewing some of Brisbane's best residential gardens. The walk ends at Racecourse Road for coffee.  Meet at the Ascot Railway Station, McGill Avenue, Ascot (Refidex 140 N 13) at 1.00pm. Bookings are essential. \$10 per person.	<i>Times:</i> Sun 9 May: 1pm to 4pm  <i>Contact Details:</i> Australian Garden History Society Qld Branch T: 07 3341 3933 E: <a href="mailto:jorgenkg@picknowl.com.au">jorgenkg@picknowl.com.au</a>
<b>Brisbane - Bowen Hills</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Miegunyah 35 Jordan Terrace, Bowen Hills	<b>'Miegunyah' a family home</b> Visit this elegant Victorian era home built around 1885 and now furnished in the style of the late 19th century. 'Miegunyah' is richly decorated with iron-lace balustrades, filigree columns and friezes. Memorabilia of one of the original occupants, the Perry family will be on display. Morning and afternoon teas are available. Entry fees apply. Group bookings are welcome on other days.	<i>Times:</i> Sun 9, Tue 11, Wed 12, Sat 15, Sun 16 May: 11am to 3pm  <i>Contact Details:</i> Gloria Tehan T: 07 3252 2979 E: <a href="mailto:qwha@miegunyah.org">qwha@miegunyah.org</a>

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<b>Brisbane - Dutton Park</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Dutton Park Cemetery Annerley Rd, Dutton Park	<b>Dutton Park Cemetery Ghost Tour</b> Dutton Park Cemetery, formerly known as the South Brisbane Cemetery is a local icon. Its great iron fence is passed by thousands of drivers every day, most having little idea about who lies there. Gravediggers reckon that this is the creepiest cemetery in Brisbane. They should know. You'll find out. This evening you will hear real ghost stories gathered from former gravediggers, sextons, council staff and local residents, as well as visit real haunted memorials. Bookings are essential and fees apply. Meet outside the cemetery gates and look for Ghost Tours Creepy Tour staff. Park in Pound St and Dutton St (off Annerley Rd, next to Matilda Service Station). Parking at bottom of cemetery inadvisable.	<i>Times:</i> Sat 15 May: 7.30pm. Arrive at least 15 minutes early - tours depart dead on time. <i>Contact Details:</i> Ghost Tours Pty Ltd M: 0401 666 441 E: <a href="mailto:bookings@ghost-tours.com.au">bookings@ghost-tours.com.au</a> W: <a href="http://www.ghost-tours.com.au">www.ghost-tours.com.au</a>
<b>Brisbane - Fortitude Valley</b>	<i>Venue:</i> St John House 225 St Paul's Terrace, Fortitude Valley	<b>Open Day - Celebrating your Story with Displays</b> St John Ambulance Australia has been teaching first aid and home nursing as well as providing first aid volunteers and community care services in Queensland since 1889. The displays will highlight the story of St John Ambulance in this State. It tells the stories of the volunteers who provide first aid assistance to the community and those who volunteer in hospitals, and assist elderly and disabled with transport. It tells of those who provide a telephone service to individuals who are isolated in their homes and train the community in first aid skills, including the needs of industry workers. Young people, the St John Cadets, will tell their stories of the benefits of St John membership.	<i>Times:</i> Sun 9 May: 10am to 3.30pm  <i>Contact Details:</i> St John Ambulance Australia (Queensland) T: 07 3253 0500 E: <a href="mailto:beth.dawson@stjohnqld.com.au">beth.dawson@stjohnqld.com.au</a> W: <a href="http://www.stjohnqld.com.au">www.stjohnqld.com.au</a>
<b>Brisbane - Gaythorne</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Queensland Family History Society Library & Resource Centre 58 Bellevue Avenue, Gaythorne	<b>Open Days.</b> Celebrate your heritage by discovering your story, your piece of history. What are the facts and details that make up your story: who were your ancestors; what work did they do; where did they live; where and when did any immigrant ancestors arrive in Australia? Come and visit the Library and Resource Centre of the Queensland Family History Society and discover the sources available to assist with your research. Learn about the facilities and records held in the Resource Centre. Browse the books, journals and electronic collections to learn of the circumstances of your story and your family's story. Take advantage of the knowledge and assistance of others researching their stories to assist you to discover your story.	<i>Times:</i> Sun 9, Sat 15, Sun 16 May: 1pm to 4pm Mon 10: 7pm to 9pm Tue 11 to Thur 13 May: 10am to 3pm <i>Contact Details:</i> Queensland Family History Society Inc. T: 3352 5537 (President) E: <a href="mailto:secretary@qfhs.org.au">secretary@qfhs.org.au</a> W: <a href="http://www.qfhs.org.au">www.qfhs.org.au</a>
<b>Brisbane - Graceville</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Graceville Uniting Church 215 Oxley Rd, Graceville	<b>Graceville Uniting Church 80th Anniversary Open Day and Historical Display</b> Visit the 'cathedral in the suburbs', now in its 80th year and constructed during the Great Depression under the direction of the architect and builder Walter Taylor. The Graceville Uniting Church is entered in the National Heritage List and the Queensland and National Trust Register as an early and particularly fine example of the use of precast concrete in church architecture and is the subject of a current National Trust Restoration Appeal. The Church is cruciform in plan and highly symbolic in representation of scripture, literally a parable in glass and concrete. There will be a display of historic material in the church and guides available to explain the significance of the building layout and how it was constructed. The Memorial Hall and Steeple Op Shop will also be open for a traditional church fete, with homemade cakes and preserves, handicrafts, books, nick knacks and a sausage sizzle. Entry fee is a gold coin donation towards Church maintenance.	<i>Times:</i> Sat 15 May: 9am to 12.30pm  <i>Contact Details:</i> Dr Sue Golding, Church Council Secretary T: 07 3365 1159 E: <a href="mailto:s.golding@earth.uq.edu.au">s.golding@earth.uq.edu.au</a>

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<b>Brisbane - Herston</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Lady Lamington Building Royal Brisbane & Women's Hospital Butterfield Street, Herston	<b>Museum of Nursing History</b> Step back in time and view medical and nursing heritage of the Brisbane area and beyond. Take the time to view this interesting and significant historic collection. Join us at 11am for a presentation 'The History of The Lady lamington Building'. Bookings are essential for presentation.	<i>Times:</i> Tue 11 May: 10am to 3pm  <i>Contact Details:</i> Cecilia Brazil The Royal Brisbane and Women's Hospital T: 07 3636 1525
<b>Brisbane - Inala</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Brisbane City Council Inala Library Corsair Avenue, Inala	<b>Local 'Living Books'</b> Three local 'living books' are presented to the 'readers' in the audience. Each 'book' gives a five minute introduction to their story, telling of their part in the community. This is followed by a twenty minute session of questions from the 'readers'. 'Readers' are given a written guide to help them ask relevant questions of the 'living books'. Morning tea provided. Bookings are essential.	<i>Times:</i> Tue 11 May: 9.30am to 11.30am <i>Contact Details:</i> Angela Naumann, Richlands, Inala & Suburbs History Group Inc. T: 07 3372 2358 E: vamynott@ozemail.com.au W: <a href="http://rihg.wetpaint.com/">http://rihg.wetpaint.com/</a>
<b>Brisbane - Lytton</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Fort Lytton National Park Conference Centre Lytton Rd, Lytton	<b>Exhibition: going to the gums..the Lazaret on Peel Island</b> The Friends of Peel Island and Queensland Parks and Wildlife Service will host the opening of this exhibition. Fred Bruinsma, from Queensland Leprosy Mission, is guest speaker. The original woodcarvings from the 'coloured' church feature in the display and replicas by artist Troy Robbins will be 'unveiled'. Photos, correspondence and retrieved items are included. Musicians will perform, playing instruments from the period, including the mandolin and the accordion. From 1907 to 1957 some 500 to 700 Hansen's Disease (leprosy) patients (males, females, adults and children, of all races from throughout Queensland) were sent to Peel Island. The Exhibition opened first in 2007 at the Redland Museum and in 2009 was at Redcliffe Museum, from where the Award winning Book of the Exhibition was launched.	<i>Times:</i> Sat 15 May: 2pm to 4pm  <i>Contact Details:</i> Mette Juel T: 07 3822 3501 T: 07 3393 4647 (Fort Lytton NP) M: 0437 440 567 E: mette@juels.dk W: <a href="http://www.fopia.org.au">www.fopia.org.au</a>
<b>Brisbane - Nundah</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Nundah & Districts Historical Society Inc. 1A Bage Street, Nundah (behind Nundah Library). Entry via Boyd Road & Primrose Lane	<b>The Way We Were</b> Please visit our display which features images of places and people who have influenced the development of the district since the arrival of the German Missionaries in 1838. The resources of the Society will be available for visitors who wish to browse through our photographs, maps and documents. Have a 'cuppa' with our friendly volunteers who will aim to answer your questions. Donations of photographs and historical documents are always welcome.	<i>Times:</i> Tue 11, Thu 13 May: 10am to 2pm  <i>Contact Details:</i> Nundah & Districts Historical Society Inc. T: 07 3260 6703 T: 07 3266 3617
<b>Brisbane - Runcorn</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Queensland State Archives 435 Compton Road, Runcorn	<b>Seminar for National Trust Heritage Festival</b> Visit Queensland State Archives for a seminar on the theme 'Celebrate Your Story', as part of the National Trust Heritage Festival. Using examples of stories, one of our experienced Reference Archivists will explain how the richness and variety of Queensland public records can provide depth and detail for your story. Tea and coffee available following the seminar. Bookings are essential.	<i>Times:</i> Tue 11 May: 2pm to 3pm <i>Contact Details:</i> Queensland State Archives T: 07 3131 7777 E: <a href="mailto:info@archives.qld.gov.au">info@archives.qld.gov.au</a> W: <a href="http://www.archives.qld.gov.au/events.asp#seminars">www.archives.qld.gov.au/events.asp#seminars</a>

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<b>Brisbane - The Gap</b>	<i>Venue:</i> The Gap Historical Nullagundi Centre No.6 School Rd, The Gap	<b>Our Historical Past</b> A collection of historical maps, photographs and artefacts are available for viewing in our recently opened 150 <sup>th</sup> Sesquicentenary Display Room. An interesting DVD presentation of talks by local seniors will also be shown. Schools and organisations are welcome.	<i>Times:</i> Mon 10 to Fri 14 May: 10am to 3pm  <i>Contact Details:</i> Richard Speechley, President The Gap Historical Society Inc. T: 07 3300 1425
<b>Brisbane - Toowong</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Toowong Cemetery Frederick St, Toowong	<b>Guided Heritage Walk</b> Join us on a guided heritage walk through the Toowong Cemetery. It is the largest cemetery in Queensland and is an important record of the history of Queensland. It was officially opened in July 1875. Please wear a hat and sturdy shoes and it is advisable to carry water. Ample parking is available inside the cemetery. There is no charge, but a small donation would be appreciated. No need to book, just show up. Meet under the flagpole.	<i>Times:</i> First Sunday of the Month: 10.30am start <i>Contact Details:</i> Friends of Toowong Cemetery M: 0407 744 298 E: toowong@cemetery.org.au W: <a href="http://www.toowong.cemetery.org.au">www.toowong.cemetery.org.au</a>
<b>Brisbane - Toowong</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Toowong Cemetery Cnr Mt Coot-tha Rd, Frederick St & Milton Rd, Toowong	<b>Toowong Cemetery Ghost Tour</b> The Toowong Cemetery Ghost Tour is a haunted site tour which gives you after hours access to a real haunted site to hear real ghost stories and a history of the site. A creepy 'Ghost Host' will take you on your journey. (Haunted Site Ghost Tours are very creepy.) Bookings are essential and fees apply. Meet outside main gates. Look for Ghost Tours creepy staff standing outside the gates. Parking is available in Valentine St (off Milton Rd) and Musgrave St (off Frederick St). <b>IMPORTANT:</b> Cross Frederick St underneath fly-over to stay on the pedestrian thoroughfares.	<i>Times:</i> Sat 15 May: 7.30pm. Arrive at least 15 minutes early - tours depart dead on time. <i>Contact Details:</i> Ghost Tours Pty Ltd M: 0401 666 441 E: bookings@ghost-tours.com.au W: <a href="http://www.ghost-tours.com.au">www.ghost-tours.com.au</a>
<b>Brisbane - Wacol</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Wolston House Grindle Rd, Wacol	<b>Children of Wolston</b> Visit Historic Wolston House, a National Trust property, during Heritage Week and enjoy a step back in time to imagine a 'Wolston Childhood'. Our displays will focus on the children who lived and played at Wolston, from Victorian times in the Goggs' family era, to between the wars in the times of the Grindle family. Sunday May 9 (Mothers' Day) we are open for Devonshire teas. Usual entry conditions apply. Sunday May 16 is our Open Day, with craft stalls, trash and treasure, sausage sizzle and Devonshire teas. Entry is by gold coin donation.	<i>Times:</i> Sun 9 May: 11am to 4pm (Mothers' Day) Sun 16 May: 11am to 4pm (Open Day) <i>Contact Details:</i> National Trust of Queensland T: 07 3223 6666 E: info@nationaltrustqld.org W: <a href="http://www.nationaltrustqld.org/property-wolston.htm">www.nationaltrustqld.org/property-wolston.htm</a>
<b>Brisbane - Wynnum</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Moreton Bay Environment Centre 70 Charlotte Street, Wynnum	<b>Open Day.</b> Open day will be held at our resource room. Members will be on hand to help you get started on your family history.	<i>Times:</i> Wed 12 May: 9.30am to 12noon <i>Contact Details:</i> Elma O'Toole T: 07 3893 1841 E: <a href="mailto:ashelm@bigpond.com">ashelm@bigpond.com</a>

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<b>Brisbane - Wynnum</b>	<i>Venue:</i> Wynnum Manly Historical Society Resource Room 7/66 Bay Terrace, Wynnum	<b>Local History of Wynnum Manly: Resource Centre Open Week.</b> Visitors are welcome to visit the Society's Resource Centre and browse through books, photographs, newspapers, maps and clippings of the Wynnum Manly district. Volunteers will be in attendance to answer questions. Donations of books, maps, cuttings and photos (or for copy) are most welcome.	<i>Times:</i> Mon 10 to Sat 15 May: 10am to 12noon  <i>Contact Details:</i> Wynnum Manly Historical Society Inc. T: 07 3393 3208 E: <a href="mailto:librarian@wmhs.org.au">librarian@wmhs.org.au</a> W: <a href="http://www.wmhs.org.au">www.wmhs.org.au</a>
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