

Heritage on Sunday

WHO? WHAT? WHERE?

SUNDAY 24th APRIL, 11am-4pm



Life and times of Tea Tree Gully's early days

This display is a fascinating insight of pioneering days in the district of Tea Tree Gully. Wander the site and explore the 'A-Z' of trades and occupations that were practised? Who was the local blacksmith, farmer or vigneron? Discover interesting information on who, what and where!



Photos— William Haines Jnr c 1872, Village of Steventon c 1870

Explore twelve rooms in the building, four display pavilions, blacksmith, police cell, laundry and the charming garden.

Sausage Sizzle and Devonshire Tea is available and the gift shop is stocked with unique craft.

Entry: Adult \$5, Conc \$4, Children Free

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Heritage For All Ages

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**Tea Tree Gully
Heritage Museum**



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WHAT'S NEW IN '22 ?

SUNDAY 20th FEBRUARY, 11am-4pm

Can you spot the changes?
Volunteers have been busy and now is your chance to view something different.

Maybe a new display?
or updated interpretation?
or new collection items to see?

Say 'hi' to our guides.

Come for brunch and enjoy a delicious bacon and egg roll.



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Barista coffee



Some years ago we moved from serving instant coffee to percolated for our events.

We are now moving to freshly ground barista grade coffee prepared in our new D Longhi coffee machine.

We are sure that you will appreciate the upgrade – especially with our flavoursome scones, jam and cream.

Museum now accepts credit/debit cards!

If you have ever been caught short of cash to enter the Museum or purchase that craft item from the Gift Shop, relax ... we are now able to accept credit card payments.



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STRAWBERRY FAIR

SUNDAY 20th MARCH, 11am-4pm

Strawberries galore & more!



Enjoy the afternoon as you visit 12 rooms in the Museum, 4 pavilions, blacksmith, police cell and laundry, all in a charming garden setting. Sausage sizzle is available, visit our Gift Shop with unique craft, Entry: Adult \$5, Conc \$4, Children Free

Know your volunteer – Graham Bull

Graham is one of the Monday team at the museum, where he has been volunteering since retiring about 11 years ago. This included membership of the Management Committee until 2020.

He is married to Shirley and has three daughters and six grandchildren, all living locally – a blessing with COVID restricting travel.

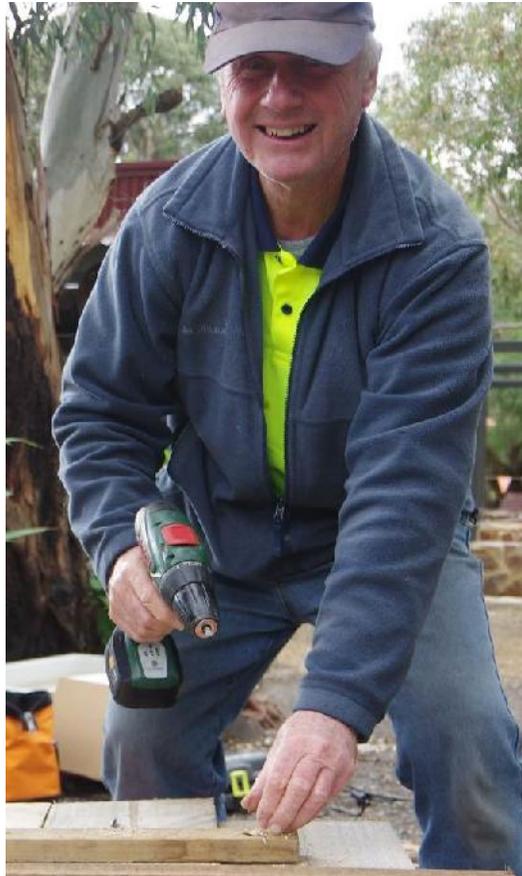
Graham grew up in Payneham before moving to Klemzig in his teens and, with his brother, was a keen cyclist with the Eastern Districts Cycling club.

His career with the PMG/Telecom Australia/Telstra as a technician spanned 43 years. In his first posting, he used to climb the Victoria tower every morning to wind the GPO clock - always making sure not to be in the bell chamber when the bells chimed! He progressed to work out of the Waymouth exchange building, plus time in Alice Springs, Darwin and Yulara.

The family moved back to Adelaide when the girls were due to start high school - the eldest being one of the first to attend the new Golden Grove High School.

Away from the Museum, Graham keeps busy with projects at home, walking the dogs, Missy and Molly, and joining the grey nomads in their van.

Graham enjoys his involvement with the museum and the comradery of the group. It has grown from a small number of Monday Munchers, who could all fit around the table in the old kitchen for coffee breaks. He is amazed by all of the changes at the museum and the number of new volunteers - they wouldn't now all fit around the table in the new kitchen!



Heritage on Sunday – October – Spring in the Garden

On a lovely spring day in October, 224 people visited the Museum to celebrate gardening.

Our gardens and lawn were looking especially fine for the occasion, thanks to a small team of dedicated 'green thumb' volunteers. We also sold a lot of pot plants propagated by our volunteers.

The TTG Branch of the CWA and Butterfly Conservation SA joined us. Live music ranged from drums to guitars and singing.

Thanks to Jan and Wendy for organising this event.



Colours of Christmas – November

Our five day pre-Christmas and last for the year event was attended by 374 visitors, not withstanding the need to exercise COVID precautions such as mask wearing inside.



Our Monday volunteer ladies had accepted the task of decorating a room for Christmas in a specific colour. Added to this, much of the gardens were also decorated.

Much craft, hand-made by volunteers, was sold during the week ... leaving shelves bare by Sunday afternoon.

Visitors could enjoy a special Christmas plate of savoury or sweet treats.

Once again, we were entertained by music across the lawn.



Tree of Living History

Have you wondered why we have an old gum tree trunk with plaques in between the pavilions?

This project presents an opportunity for local residents to identify themselves with the on-going history of the district and, at the same time, contribute to the development of the Museum.

You can order a plaque (for \$30) to be attached to identify your family as a part of the history of the district.

Funds raised by this project are allocated to development projects and further interpretation of the collection, e.g. descriptive signs, audio, video. Thanks to those who have contributed already.

Application forms are available from the Museum and website.

