

Established in 1974, the **Historical Society of South Australia** comprises people with an interest in history – amateurs, professional historians, and academics – all of whom come together to share and learn about South Australia's fascinating history.

Membership

Your valued membership supports the Society in its efforts to preserve and promote South Australia's history.

Individual Membership of HSSA is for one calendar year and includes access to our fascinating monthly History Talks, the informative bi-monthly Newsletter, and the Society's highly regarded annual Journal.

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Concession Membership is available for full-time students or pensioners.

Term Membership is for a period of ten years.

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Membership fees can be paid in person at a meeting by cash, or by posting a cheque or money order; we do not recommend sending cash in the post. If you pay by credit card, please kindly add \$2 to your subscription to cover the bank fee charged to the Society. **We only accept VISA or Mastercard.** Alternatively, you can pay by EFT: please include your surname and initials as the payment reference.



Prince Alfred College Silver Jubilee Garden Party, 1894.

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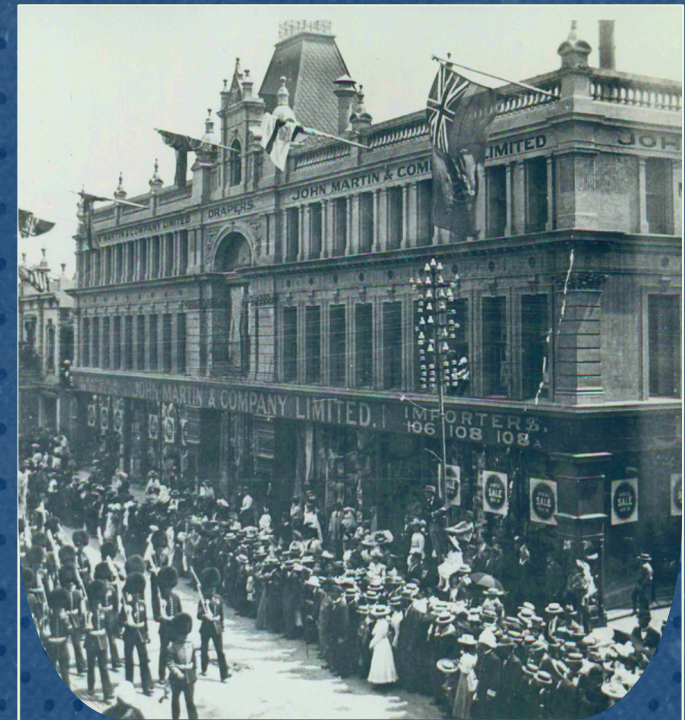
Meeting Venue

Burnside City Uniting Church



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John Martin's store during the visit of the Duke of York – 1901.
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2025 PROGRAM



**Historical Society
of South Australia**

History SA Newsletter

The Society publishes *History SA*, a bi-monthly newsletter, which provides full details of speakers and field trips, along with news items, updates, and articles of general interest to all fellow history enthusiasts. In order to reduce our postage costs, the newsletter is sent as an email attachment – please tick the relevant box on the Membership Form if you cannot access email and need us to post it to you.

Journal

Since 1975, our widely respected scholarly *Journal of the Historical Society of South Australia* has been an important outlet for research and analysis into all aspects of our state's history, with contributions from notable academics, professional historians and highly regarded amateur historians. Please indicate on the Membership Form if you would like to receive the journal in electronic form.

Website and Facebook

For all the latest information, visit our website or Facebook page where you will find details of speakers and field trips, along with information on our publications and a subject index for articles published in the Journal from 1975 to 2014.



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Visiting SA's History

In addition to the monthly History Talks, field trips and other activities are organised throughout the year.

Full details, including itinerary, costs, and departure points will be published in our History SA newsletter and on our website. Bookings are essential, and you are more than welcome to invite friends!



Japanese fishing group leaving the compound, Woolenook Bend, 1944. Australian War Memorial 122980.

History Talks

The Society meets each month from February to November on the first Friday of the month in the Burnside City Uniting Church (see map on back page) to hear a talk on the broad topic of South Australian history. Meetings commence at 7.30 pm.

Our speakers come from all walks of life and are well-versed in their subjects. They speak for about 50 minutes, with questions and discussion encouraged at the conclusion of the talk.

Visitors are always welcome to attend, and are kindly asked to make a \$5 donation on entry.

2025 Speakers

7 February Ruth Roberts: *Woolenook – woodcutting camp for WWII Japanese internees*

7 March Jean Fornasiero: *From Cîteaux to Mintaro: bringing Fourierism to South Australia in 1847*

4 April Skye Krichauff: *The protection (or otherwise) of Aboriginal people's rights to land in early-colonial South Australia*

2 May Kate Pulford: *The story of Prince Alfred College*

6 June Rosemary Cadden: *Fact and fiction intertwine in the stories of explorer John McDouall Stuart*

4 July Cathy Conway: *The history of gliding in South Australia*

1 August Rob George: *"Von Loves Her Modernist": a film about Max Harris*

5 September Jade Hastings: *Single women and the law: crime and legislative change in colonial South Australia, 1836-1880*

3 October Margot Way: *The History of the Hampstead Rehabilitation Centre*

7 November Paul Flavel: *John Martin's: the story of South Australia's beloved department store*

Further details on each month's History Talk are provided in the History SA newsletter and on the Society's website.

Please note that the program is subject to alteration and speakers may change.

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