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August Meeting

This months meeting will be the AGM so there will be no guest speaker.

NEXT MEETING:

Will be on Tuesday the 2nd of September, Our next Committee meeting will be on Tuesday 26th August, these meetings will be in the Meeting Room in the Library/Museum complex, John Street, Camden.

As yet we do not have a Guest Speaker for this meeting, please check the local papers if we are able to get a Guest Speaker

MEETINGS

Our meeting are held on the first Tuesday of the month (except January) at 7:30pm in the Meeting Room of the Old Fire Station, John St. Camden. We are planning to have a Guest Speaker at every second meeting.

To help cover the cost of supper there is a gold coin donation.

Visitors most welcome.

MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTIONS

Normal	
Single	\$25
Couple	\$30
Pensioners/Concession	
Single	\$20
Couple	\$25

Annual General Meeting

This meeting is the AGM of the Society and the election of the Committee. Positions that are up for election are as follows:

President	Vice President
Secretary	Treasurer
Membership Officer	2 Research Officers
Library Coordinator	Editor
Committee Members	Public Officer

Our Patron Councillor Eva Cambell from Camden Council will chair this meeting.

A short general meeting will be held after the AGM

Guest Speakers

We are still after guest speakers for our meetings. If any one knows of an interesting speaker whom they think may be of interest could they please talk to the Secretary.

**Camden Area Family History Society Inc.
Research Room
Old Fire Station
John St. Camden**

The research room is open
Thursday 10:30 am to 3:00 pm
1st & 3rd Thursday night's 6.00pm to 8.00pm members only
Friday 10:30 am to 3:00 pm
Saturday 9:30 am to 12:00 noon

There will a charge of \$5.00 per session for non-members to use our resources.

There is a volunteer on duty whenever the research room is open. They are only too happy to assist with any inquires.

If you would like to volunteer to assist in the research room please contact the Library Co-ordinator Tony Jackson on 46551098 letting him know when you are available.

Pioneer Register

Work is progressing well on the 3rd Edition of the Pioneer Register.

So far we have received quite a number of totally new entries and quite a few major changes to the previous entries.

As soon as I have completed the updating, the draft will then be checked by Cathey Shepherd and Sharon Greene before going to the printers.

We are looking at printers and printing costs at the moment.

Submissions are now closed.

Tony Jackson

Editor.

This will be the last Valley Voice that I will produce as Editor as I will not be standing for the position at this year's elections. I only hope that who ever takes the position on can manage to get more input from members for both the Valley Voice and for the Camden Calling than I was able to get.

The next issue of Camden Calling is due out in October so if you have any articles to go in this issue please pass them onto the new Editor.

Happy birthday to our following member for

August



9th – Susan Cochrane
23rd – Barbara Sulley
25th – Allan Webb

SEMINAR

As you should be aware, CAFHS is holding its next Seminar on the 15th November. Again it will be held in the Undercroft of Camden Civic Centre, Oxley Street, Camden.

The theme of the Seminar will be "The Working People of the Camden Area". We have Lindsay Allen from the State Archives to talk on Teachers, Railway Workers and on the Police and the Judiciary, the Camden Library Service will be talking on the Camden Area Families Project and Ann Beaumont will be speaking on Farming in Camden area and Julie Watt will be talking on Vine Dressers.

We are also planning to launch our 3rd Edition of the Camden Pioneer Register during the seminar.

Application form should be available soon from Sharon Greene or from the Web Site.

Please keep the date free.