# Hustralian Postcard Society Inc



## BULLETIN

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#### 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

Invited Displays-
Phil Sunman "Rough Rider"
Peter Humby "SA Delmont Postcards"
Members Trading Night
APS Open Day 10am - 4pm
David Figg "Work in Progress"
Club Competition - All members 16 pages
George Turner "Railways
APS Open Day 10am - 4pm
A.G.M.
Empire Trophy 8 Page Competition -
Theme - British C/Wealth Postcards
Betty Cornish Trophy, 6 page Competition
Theme—Children
Gaye & Graham Chequer "Orchids"
Ray Thompson "Switzerland"
One Frame displays—all members
Christmas Supper breakup - Bring a plate of food to share and a xmas postcard display along or items of a xmas nature



A hand drawn sketch by George White.

#### ELECTED COMMITTEE:

President David Figg Vice-President John Bodnar Treasurer David Figg Linda Welden Secretary Ron Ritter Librarian Publicity Vacant George Turner Auction Superintendent Linda Welden Magazine Editor 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

10th April - Postcard Open Day, Saphil House, 10am - 4pm, 4 dealers, Refreshments available

30th April / 1st May SAPC auction viewing, Saturday 10am - 4pm, Sunday 10am - 2pm

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.

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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

#### WEBMASTER REPORT

## Australian Postcard Society ('APS') <a href="http://www.australian-postcard-society.com/">http://www.australian-postcard-society.com/</a> 27 January, 2022

#### Members' Area

Uploaded Bulletin #48 in three parts on 27 August 2021

Uploaded Bulletin #49a in three parts on 26 January 2022

#### Auction Information

Uploaded the auction catalogue for September 15 2021 auction on 2 August 2021

Visitors to Date (1,642 days)

As of 26 January 2022: 56,813 visitors and 175,881 visits (pages viewed)

The statistics for July 2021 were 45,707 visitors and 152,616 visits

The statistics for January 2021 were 27,634 visitors and 77,724 visits

Hits in the Last Seven Days

As of 26 January 2022: 155 visitors and 306 visits

Hits in the Last Thirty Days

As of 26 January 2022: 1,551 visitors and 2,834 visits

Hits in the Last Twelve Months

As of 26 January 2022: 29,225 visitors and 98,491 visits

Page Visits

The website currently comprises a total of twenty three (23) pages. Twenty two (22) are visible to general web browsers, but not the **Members' Area** page.

The Auction Information page and its nine sub-pages are intended to be temporary – for the duration of the auction only.

Many thanks to Johanna for her report. I have modified her report for the bulletin, if any one would like to see her full report please let me know.

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Cheers Linda

### **CHRISTMAS MEETING**





Postcards of animals with a Christmas theme from John Bodnar.

Postcard of the HMAS Sydney, sunk November 1941









Australia Post Christmas card, post off to Santa with your wish list.





Members enjoying the our Christmas meeting

Tony Presgrave and David Figg attended the Toowoomba exhibition. They were the only interstate dealers attending. A very well organized event, details of the exhibits are still on their website if you would like to check out the entries.



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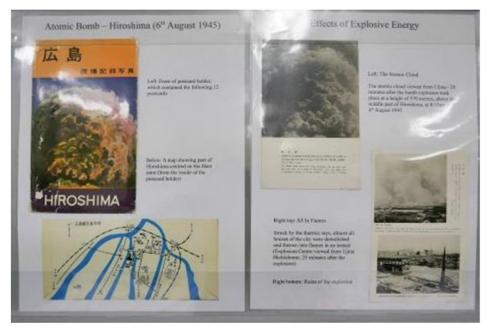
#### Members items

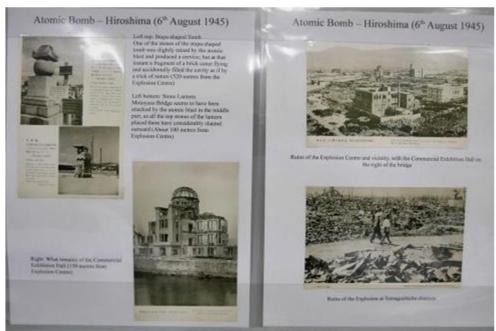
#### From Mt Gambier Society

A display of near mint postcards of the result of the dropping of the bomb at Hiroshime to end the Second War World.

It was part of display that was put on at the Mount Gambier society in September, 2021, "US Military" and covered mail from the Civil War through to the Boxer Rebellion, WWI, WWII to the Antarctic and later conflicts.

The members were amazed at the quality of the cards that had been produced by Japan.





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