

Blue Mountains Association of Cultural Heritage Organisations, Inc.

Calendar of Events:

December, 2011

New events are shown in ***BOLD ITALIC***.

Further details of events marked with [*] (and many others) can be obtained from the Blue Mountains Tourism website:
www.visitbluemountains.com.au/events.

Further details of events marked [¶] can be found on Lithgow Tourism website: www.tourism.lithgow.com.

To add events or to amend existing entries, please e-mail new details to richardmorony@optusnet.com.au by the 20th of each month. I can also be contacted by conventional (“snail mail”) mail at PO Box 253, Springwood, 2777.

BMACHO has several items of equipment for the preparation and presentation of displays, such as PowerPoint, that are available for loan to member organisations.

For details, see the “advertisement” behind the last calendar page.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Calendar of Events will carry any advertising by BMACHO member organisations for volunteers.

They will be as a separate sheet at the end of the calendar so that they can be displayed separately from the Calendar..

(An example is attached at the end of the Calendar).

2011

DATE	EVENT	ORGANISATION	CONTACT
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November 2011

Saturday 5 November	Meeting: Speaker: Dr Ian Hoskins: Sydney Harbour	Blue Mountains Historical Society	bmhs@email.com
Friday 11 November	General and Annual General Meetings	Blue Mountains Family History Society	xploretree@yahoo.com
Sunday 13 November	Open Day: Valley Heights Loco Depot Museum	Valley Heights Loco Depot Heritage Museum	atmuseum@optusnet.com.au
Friday 18 November	Annual General Meeting	Springwood Historical Society	richardmorony@optusnet.com.au
Saturday 26 November	Society Christmas Party	Kurrajong-Comleroy Historical Society	frank.holland@bigpond.com
Sunday 27 November	Open Day: Valley Heights Loco Depot Museum Special Christmas Day	Valley Heights Loco Depot Heritage Museum	atmuseum@optusnet.com.au

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December 2011

Friday 9 December	Christmas Party	Blue Mountains Family History Society	xploretree@yahoo.com
Sunday 11 December	Open Day: Valley Heights Loco Depot Museum Special Christmas Day	Valley Heights Loco Depot Heritage Museum	atmuseum@optusnet.com.au

2012

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March

Saturday 31 March	Walk: The Mountain Murders – Lee Weller's grave site	Glenbrook & District Historical Society	Doug Knowles: 4751 3275 Tim Miers: 4739 2384

April

Saturday 28 April	NEW WALK!! Cox's Road, Linden	Glenbrook & District Historical Society	Doug Knowles: 4751 3275 Tim Miers: 4739 2384
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May

Saturday 26 May	Walk: Duck Hole; Glenbrook Creek	Glenbrook & District Historical Society	Doug Knowles: 4751 3275 Tim Miers: 4739 2384
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June

Saturday 16 June	Walk: Eastern Zig-Zag, Knapsack Viaduct and old mine shaft	Glenbrook & District Historical Society	Doug Knowles: 4751 3275 Tim Miers: 4739 2384
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July

Saturday 28 July	Walk: Cattle rustlers yard, campsite and caves	Glenbrook & District Historical Society	Doug Knowles: 4751 3275 Tim Miers: 4739 2384
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August

Saturday 25 August	Walk: Lapstone construction railway 1910 and east portal Lapstone Tunnel 1882	Glenbrook & District Historical Society	Doug Knowles: 4751 3275 Tim Miers: 4739 2384
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September

Saturday 8 September	Walk: Dunn's sawmill site; Brookside Creek; Lennox Bridge and old quarry	Glenbrook & District Historical Society	Doug Knowles: 4751 3275 Tim Miers: 4739 2384
Saturday 29 September	Glenbrook Lagoon Precinct	Glenbrook & District Historical Society	Doug Knowles: 4751 3275 Tim Miers: 4739 2384

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October

<i>Saturday 20 October</i>	<i>Blue Mountains History Conference</i>	<i>BMACHO (at Carrington Hotel, Katoomba)</i>	<i>j.koperberg@bigpond.com</i>
<i>Saturday 27 October</i>	<i>Walk: Glenbrook Discovery Heritage Walk</i>	<i>Glenbrook & District Historical Society</i>	<i>Doug Knowles: 4751 3275 Tim Miers: 4739 2384</i>

LIVEN UP YOUR PRESENTATIONS!!!

A picture is worth a thousand words (unfortunately, this ad has no pictures)

BMACHO can help you make presentations to your members or guests more attractive and lively with visual aids which are available for loan.

We have a Camera: Nikon P50 digital compact

8.1 megapixels

3.6 x Zoom wide angle lens

Long life rechargeable batteries and charger, user guide, carrying case all included.

And a Laptop computer: to help you prepare your presentations or play DVD's etc,

And a Digital Projector. We can provide the appropriate connection to our own computer or any VGA equipped laptop to show your masterpiece

(please note that users of Apple computers will need to provide their own Apple-to-VGA connection)

And a screen: on which to show your masterpiece.

And we can store your masterpiece: • My Book External Hard Drive, 1 TB/To with USB 3.0 + USB 2.0 100% compatible. This can be used to store your photographs of sites or other items on an external hard drive away from your own premises

For details, please contact Jan Koperberg, j.koperberg@bigpond.com

THE VOLUNTEER PAGE

Volunteers Wanted

Valley Heights Locomotive Depot Heritage Museum

Volunteers are required to work in the Valley Heights Locomotive Depot Heritage Depot Museum Shop. Some experience with cash handling, catering, food handling or customer service would be an advantage but is not essential. All training will be provided.

The role involves ticket sales to customers, retails sales of the Museum's range of souvenirs and memorabilia, as well as refreshments including tea/coffee and light snacks. We are looking for diligent and reliable people with a friendly outgoing nature who like dealing with people.

The Museum is open on the second and fourth Sundays of each month, as well as additional Sundays during public holidays from 10am to 4pm. Volunteers working in the shop would be expected to be available from 8.30am to approximately 4.30pm on open days. You will be expected to be available to be rostered every 2nd or 3rd open day.

If you feel you could fulfil this voluntary opportunity and would be interested in trying something new, please contact our Retail Manager, Steve Corrigan on 4759 1980 or sjc_alco@pnc.com.au