

MAYLANDS HISTORICAL & PENINSULA ASSOCIATION INC.

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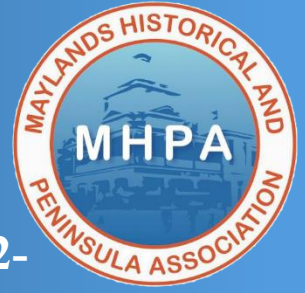
The Old Police Station - 196 Guildford Road, Maylands

Our opening hours are:

Wednesdays – 9.30am to 3.30pm

First Saturday in the month – 10am to 2pm

December 2022-
January 2023



Looking back, looking ahead

As 2022 draws to a close we are able to look back on a successful year of varied activities and increased momentum for MHPA - more members, higher attendances at the talks and more people becoming involved in helping to run the Association.

November was an incredibly busy, but successful, few weeks as we celebrated "Maylands History and Heritage Month" There was excellent participation in all the activities with over 250 MHPA Members, guests and visitors taking part along with a very large increase in traffic on social media. I am very grateful to the many volunteers who helped to make these events a success. I would like to list them all here but I can guarantee that I will forget someone – but you all know who you are and MHPA is indebted to you for your ongoing commitment and support.

In 2023 we plan to build on the success of the walks and talks and develop additional ways to engage with local residents of Maylands and visitors from further afield - keep an eye out for more information in the New Year!

May I take this opportunity to thank all of our members and friends for your support in 2022 and wish you and your families all the very best for the festive season.

Keith Cundale
President, 2022-2023



In the news!! Monday, 4th July, 1904

A young man named Emanuel C. Harvey met with a fearful death at Maylands on Saturday morning, as the result of a well, which he was sinking, falling in and burying him alive under several tons of sand and timber. The deceased for the past few days had been employed with a mate in sinking a well on the property of Mr. L. Moses, on the Old Guildford Road, Maylands. When work was commenced on Saturday morning a depth of about 50ft. had been reached. The ground in which the men were working is of a treacherous nature, being composed of loose, shifting sand, and consequently precautions were taken to timber the sides as the work of digging proceeded. Shortly after 10 a.m. Harvey called to his mate to pull up the bucket, and almost immediately the sides of the well broke away, and a mass of timber and sand fell in. The deceased, who was a single man, 27 years of age, was a well-known footballer. He played for the Union Club in the First Rate Association for some time, but was picked to take the place of the late James Gullan in the East Fremantle team in the match against Perth on Saturday afternoon. In 1900-1901 he worked as a miner at Cue, and was a member of the Fire Brigade. He was an exceedingly big man, being over 6ft. in height.

MONTHLY TALKS

Our talks are held
in the
Old Dining room of
the Peninsula Hotel -
Railway Parade,
Maylands

Doors open at 7.15pm.

Meeting starts at 7.30pm

Next Meeting
Monday 20th February

**The history of Dennis Saws
and the Peninsula Boat
Yard.**

**Graham Dennis will talk
about his family's active
involvement with industry
on the Peninsula.**

SNAPSHOTS FROM THE HERITAGE BUILDINGS WALKS

The 3 walks that were created for the History and Heritage Month were a great success!

In particular the Peninsula Walks and the Heritage Building Walks were all sold out.

We're busy collating the feedback for the walks and uploading the information onto our new website. We're also tidying up the final version of the self-guided walk cards which will be distributed on line and at various locations around Maylands.

Please try out our new website by going to maylandshistorical.com.au

Please bear in mind that it is a work in progress as we migrate the information over from our old site 😊



The Peninsula Hotel (now Dome café and headquarters) is a very special Maylands heritage building. It is always a pleasure to hold our monthly historical talks in what was once the Peninsula Hotel dining room.



Doors open at 7.15 pm for a 7.30 pm start. Raffle tickets - \$2 each or 3 for \$5 – cash only. All welcome!

Public Talks, Open Days and November Events

December 19 th	Christmas Party at Rifos
February 4 th	Old Police Station open 10am to 2pm
February 20 th	Slipways to Saws - Graham Dennis
March 4 th	Old Police Station open 10am to 2pm
March 20 th	Speaker to be decided
April 1 st	Old Police Station open 10am to 2pm
April 17 th	Women in AFL - John McLennan
May 6 th	Old Police Station open 10am to 2pm
May 15 th	Saving the Peninsula Hotel - Terry Devereux
June 3 rd	Old Police Station open 10am to 2pm
June 19 th	Changing Faces of Maylands - Keith Cundale
July 1 st	Old Police Station open 10am to 2pm
July 17 th	Speaker Bevan Carter

Some meetings may be at the Old Police Station – please keep a look out for any changes.

Do you have an interest in history and a bit of spare time?
You are very welcome to come and join our team of volunteers
(we're a lovely bunch!) and help preserve our history for
generations to come.

You can also become a member of Maylands Historical.
\$15pa, \$12pa for concessions or \$20 per couple.

Bank account details are:

Maylands Historical and Peninsula Association

BSB: 633 000

Account no: 146 446 489

Donations are also very welcome!!

Phone: President, Keith Cundale, on 0402 164 206

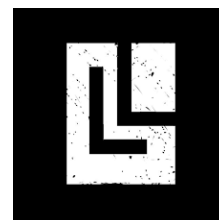
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