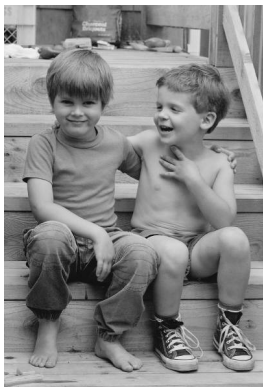


# Family History

... *begin your journey* ...



What do you already know about your family?  
What photos do you have?  
What records do you have?  
What was your family's story?  
How do you find out?  
Are you who you think you are?

*Researching family history is a favourite hobby -  
why not join our Society and benefit from being  
part of a group*

## When and Where We Meet

Second Saturday of each month (except January) Starts at 1.30 pm  
At CC MAC ADAMS Music Centre, Gordon St, Port Macquarie  
(Between the Swimming Pool and Players Theatre – arrive by 1.15pm)  
Guest Speakers, ample parking, wheelchair access, visitors welcome  
Membership Forms can be downloaded from our website, or collected  
from the Local Studies/Family History room at Port Macquarie Library



## Port Macquarie & Districts

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## Benefits of being a Member

Lots of questions can be answered by fellow members on how to start or widen your research, or how to overcome problems ('brick walls').

### Activities

- ◆ Workshops/seminars, support groups for specific areas of family history
- ◆ Celebrate historical occasions as part of the whole community
- ◆ Join in various social activities such as lunches, tours, BBQ's
- ◆ Assist with research - of the local area - for publication
- ◆ Help others with their research as a rostered volunteer at the Library
- ◆ Join or assist the committee and make use of your many other skills

### Society Resources

Our Resources – books, CD-ROMS, microfilms, microfiche, journals - are held in the Local Studies/Family History Room at the Port Macquarie Library, and are available whenever the library is open. (There is a fee for non-members to use Audio Visual items). The list of Resources is available on our website; books are also listed in the online PM Library catalogue

### Getting started

Help is available from members rostered on duty in the Local Studies/Family History Room at Port Macquarie Library on:

- ◆ Tuesdays 10.00am to 3.00pm
- ◆ Wednesdays 10.00am to 3.00pm *except for one Wednesday a month, following our General Meeting, when we offer assistance at our:*

Research Support Group in the Library Technology Room 1.00 pm-3.00pm

### Keeping you informed

**Society Website:** At [www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~nswpmfhs](http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~nswpmfhs) + facebook includes latest activities, event calendar, photo gallery, members interests

**Footsteps:** Our Award winning Society journal - contains useful research information as well as relevant and interesting family history stories and articles submitted by members

**InfoEmail:** Our monthly member email newsletter, with the latest society news, events, family history updates; for those providing an email address

**Email:** Notification of Events, Agendas and General Meeting Minutes

*See our website for further information*

Add it to your Favourites list because it is well worth visiting regularly